

ARISE!

A Musical Drama

Based on The Gospel of Luke 8:40-53

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CASTING NOTES FOR ARISE!

CHARACTERS

JESUS – ADULT MALE 25-35 – TENOR

JONATHAN – ADULT MALE 18-28 – TENOR

JAIRUS – ADULT MALE 35-45 – BASS

MYRA – ADULT FEMALE 30-40 – SOPRANO OR ALTO WITH GOOD RANGE

TIPPURAH – YOUNG PRE-TEEN FEMALE 11-15 – SOPRANO

DOCTORS – ADULT MALES – BARBERSHOP QUARTET

SERVANT – ADULT MALE OR FEMALE 25-40

CHORUS ASST. – MALES, FEMALES AGES 15-60

OLD WOMAN – ADULT FEMALE 40-60 – CONTRALTO

APOSTLES – ADULT MALES 20-40 (CHORUS)

GRANDMOTHER – ADULT FEMALE 50-60

NOTE – MEMBERS OF CHORUS TO PLAY SEVERAL ROLES I.E. CROWD, MOURNERS, PEOPLE BEING HEALED.

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT ONE

SCENE I

Thank You Lord

Cast and Audience

SCENE II

I'm Amazed

Jonathan

Everything's Fine

Jarius and Myra

SCENE III

Why Can't We Have Faith

Myra and Tippurah

SCENE IV

It's All In God's Hands

Doctors

I Need A Miracle

Jarius

SCENE V

I've Been Down

Woman and Chorus

Who Touched Me

Jesus

SCENE VI

Talitha Cum (Little Girl I Say To You Arise)

Jesus

(Reprise) Thank You Lord

Cast and Audience

Dedication:

To my husband, Walter
For all the encouragement, help and love.

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