



BIRMINGHAM ROYAL BALLET

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Wednesday 20 June 2018

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POLARITY & PROXIMITY

Kin.

Music Phil Kline; **Choreography** Alexander Whitley;

Designs Jean-Marc Puissant; **Lighting** Peter Teigen

Jenna Roberts Tyrone Singleton

Reina Fuchigami, Yvette Knight,

Alys Shee, Beatrice Parma

Tzu-Chao Chou, Brandon Lawrence,

Max Maslen, Lachlan Monaghan

INTERVAL

Embrace

BALLET NOW COMMISSION

Music Sarah Kirkland Snider;

Choreography George Williamson;

Designs Madeleine Girling;

Lighting Peter Teigen; **Dramaturg** Lou Cope;

Assistant to the Choreographer Nicky Henshall

Embrace tells the story of one man's journey towards understanding and acceptance. Unable to recognise himself in the swirling masses that surround him, it takes the kindness of one and the love of another for him to let go of who he thought he'd be and embrace who he really is.

He Brandon Lawrence

She Delia Mathews

Him Max Maslen

Self One Lachlan Monaghan

Self Two Haoliang Feng

Self Three Aitor Galende

Them

Ruth Brill, Reina Fuchigami, Miki Mizutani,

Beatrice Parma, Rachele Pizzillo,

Yaoqian Shang, Alys Shee,

Tim Dutson, Haoliang Feng, Aitor Galende,

Max Maslen, Lachlan Monaghan, Gus Payne,

Edivaldo Souza da Silva, Harry Wright

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Royal Ballet Sinfonia

Conductors Jonathan Lo (*Kin.*) and

Koen Kessels (*Embrace*)

Leader Robert Gibbs

INTERVAL

In the Upper Room

Music Philip Glass

Choreography Twyla Tharp© 1992 Twyla Tharp

Original costume designs Norma Kamali

Lighting originally by Jennifer Tipton

Staged by Richard Colton

I
Ruth Brill, Jade Heusen

and

Tzu-Chao Chou, Kit Holder, Tyrone Singleton

II
Delia Mathews, Yasuo Atsuji

Momoko Hirata, Miki Mizutani,

Max Maslen, Feargus Campbell

Laura Purkiss, Jade Heusen,

Ruth Brill, Céline Gittens

III
Ruth Brill, Jade Heusen, Laura Purkiss

Tzu-Chao Chou, Kit Holder, Tyrone Singleton

IV
Momoko Hirata, Delia Mathews, Miki Mizutani

Max Maslen, Yasuo Atsuji, Feargus Campbell

V
Ruth Brill, Jade Heusen, Laura Purkiss

Tzu-Chao Chou, Kit Holder, Tyrone Singleton

VI
Jade Heusen, Yasuo Atsuji

and

Ruth Brill, Max Maslen

VII
Tzu-Chao Chou, Kit Holder, Tyrone Singleton

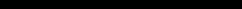
VIII
Céline Gittens, Max Maslen, Feargus Campbell

Yasuo Atsuji, Momoko Hirata,

Miki Mizutani, Delia Mathews

IX The Company

The performance of In the Upper Room, a Tharp Ballet, is presented under licence with W.A.T.Limited and has been produced in accordance with Tharp Standard Services



Approximate timings

Kin. 23 minutes

Interval 30 minutes

Embrace 41 minutes

Interval 25 minutes

In the Upper Room 42 minutes

This performance will end at approximately 10.15pm