The House on Mango Street

Book by Sandra Cisneros Music by Derek Bermel Libretto by Sandra Cisneros & Derek Bermel



Production Information:

Bermel's *The House on Mango Street* opened at The Glimmerglass Festival in Cooperstown, New York, on July 18th, 2025.

Production owned by The Glimmerglass Festival.



Director: Chía Patiño (Right of First Refusal)

Conductor: Nicole Paiement
Assistant Director: Alexi Ortega Chavez

Choreographer: Amanda Castro (Right of First Refusal)

Firearms Choreographer: Ross Rundell Set Designer: John Conklin

Costume Designer: Erik Teague (Right of First Refusal)

Lighting Designer: Amith Chandrashaker (Right of First Refusal)

Sound Designer: Joel T. Morain (Additional Rental and Royalty Required)

Projections Designer: Greg Emetaz (Right of First Refusal)

Projected Titles Translation: Kelley Rourke (Additional Rental and Royalty Required)

Hair & Makeup Designer: Tom Watson Stage Manager: Jo Fernandez

Cast Information:

Principals: 12w, 10m

Men's Chorus:0Women's Chorus:0Children's Chorus:0Dancers:0Supers:0Animals:0

Additional Artistic & Music Information:

Grand Rights: Publisher
Glimmerglass PV Score Used: X Pyre Music
Rented from: X Pyre Music

Glimmerglass Orchestra Parts Used: X Pyre Music

Glimmerglass Orchestration: 2(2nd DBL Picc).2(2nd DBL EH).2(2nd 2 DBLs).2(2nd DBL

Contra) - 2.2.2.1 - timp.3 perc.hp.guit

(DBL).kybd.strings(8.6.5.4.2)



Scenery Information:**

Built by: The Glimmerglass Festival Scene Shop

Minimum Width: 65'-0"
Minimum Depth: 40'-0"
Line sets used for show scenery:* 12
Height of tallest hanger: 19'-0"
Width of widest hanger: 21'-0"

Stock items used:*

6 Borders, 1 DSBOC, 1 Midstage BOC,

Number of trailers needed:

1 Scenery Truck + 1 Prop/Costume Truck

*Rental Does NOT Include Stock Items

Prop Information:

Built by: The Glimmerglass Festival Prop Shop

Number of road boxes with sizes: Prop Box 1/2: 8'-0" x 3'-7" x 4'-2" 750 lbs.

Prop Box 2/2: 8'-0" x 3'-7" x 4'-2" 750 lbs.

Additional outside road boxes: Cat Throne, 4'3" x 2'7" x 5'2" 150 lbs.

Fantasy Bike: 10'8" x 3'0" x 6'0" 150 lbs. Memorial Crate: 4'3" x 2'6" x 6'4" 150 lbs.

Fortune Teller Curtain (Pipes): 10'0"

Silver Trees: ~11'6"

Red Chair Box 1 of 2: 2' 8" x 4'4" x 4'2" 175 lbs. Red Chair Box 2 of 2: 8'0" x 3'7" x 4'2" 500 lbs.

Audio Information:**

Sound is: Available
Sound Cues Created by: Joel Morain

There are 3 pre-recorded voice-over cues that are performed by Esperanza. If you have cast Mikaela Bennett in this role, then these cues will work for you. Otherwise you'll need to record your performer. Other cues are various gunshots and police sirens. One more note. After the shooting in Act I, the policeman utilized a hand-held electric bullhorn for his off-stage shout (not included in rental) before entering.

**Additional royalty required for use of sound effects.

Video/Special Effects Information:**

Video/Special Effects is: Available
Video/Special Effects Cues Created by: Greg Emetaz

This is a fairly projection-heavy show. As so many of the projected elements were visually linked to the lighting design, OSC was used to have the lighting console trigger each of the projection cues. Projections are mapped tightly to all the flying and rolling panels in many of their various locations. Our Qlab file is available, but someone with a solid knowledge of OSC and mapping video in Qlab will be required to re-create these effects in your space.

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^{**}Additional royalty required for use of projections.

Costume Information:**

Built by: The Glimmerglass Festival Costume Shop.

Puppets by: Kylie Clark

Contact The Glimmerglass Festival for more information.

Stock items not Included: Basic undergarments, footwear.

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Electrics Information:

| Practicals: | Type of Power / How much: | Type of Connection |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Black Circle | 120v (18w) | Wagos |
| Festoons (x2) | 120v (2w per bulb) | Edison |
| Shopping Cart Lights | 5v battery* | DC 5521 |

*Indicates **not** included in the rental

Projected Titles Information:**

Available in Powerpoint Format with Cuing Score

^{**}Additional royalty required for use of title

Crew Requirements:

| Load-in: | Total 22 | Run Crew: | Total | 36 | (30) |
|-----------|---------------------|--------------------|-------|------------|------|
| Deck: | 16 | Deck Captain: | | 1 costumed | (1) |
| Rail: | 2 | Rail: | | 3 | (1) |
| Props: | 2 | Stage Hands: | | 6 costumed | (4) |
| Wardrobe: | 2 (2/hamper) | Prop Hands: | | 2 costumed | (1) |
| | | Light Board Operat | ors: | 1 | (1) |
| | | Deck Electricians: | | 2 | (2) |
| | | Follow-Spot Operat | ors: | 4 | (4) |
| | | Audio/Video: | 4 | (4) | |
| | | Wardrobe: | | 8 | (8) |
| | | Hair & Makeup: | | 4 | (4) |



The Glimmerglass Festival General Information:

Alice Busch Opera Theater

Proscenium Height: 24'-0" Proscenium Width: 44'-0" Apron Depth: 4'-8"

41'-5" (plaster line to back wall, 38'-0" to fire lane) Center Line to Stage Left fly rail, 37'-1 ½" Center Line to Stage Right fire lane, 47'-1 ½" Stage Depth:

Stage House Width:

Number of Line sets: 49

Arbor Capacity: 1800 lbs.

Loading Door: 12'-0" by 23'-0"

Photos: Kayleen Bertrand & Brent DeLanoy*

*Licensing Required

Rental Fee:

Base Rental Fee: Contact: Abby Rodd, Director of Production

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abbyrodd@glimmerglass.org

Additional Costs: ***Deposit Required***

-Actual costs deducted from deposit

Designer Royalties (Scenery and Costumes)

Scenery Supervisor Wardrobe Supervisor Loading & Unloading costs

Shipping

Accommodations & Travel for Supervisors

Insurance

Administrative costs (drawings, copies, etc.)

