

AULIS SALLINEN THE RED LINE

("Punainen viiva")

Opera in two acts, Op. 46 (sung in Finnish)

Libretto: Aulis Sallinen, based on the novel by Ilmari Kianto

Topi – a Crofter **JORMA HYNINEN**
 Riika – his Wife **PÄIVI NISULA**
 Puntarpää – the Agitator **AKI ALAMIKKOTERVO**
 Simana Arhippainen – a Pedlar **HANNU FORSBERG**

Finnish National Opera Orchestra
Finnish National Opera Chorus
 Tsuumi Dance Company

Conductor: **MIKKO FRANCK**
 Stage Director: **PEKKA MILONOFF**

Set Designer: **EEVA IJÄS**
 Costume Designer: **ERIKA TURUNEN**
 Choreographer: **ARI NUMMINEN**
 Lighting Designer: **JUHA WESTMAN**

Directed for Video by **AARNO CRONVALL**

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**BONUS: INTERVIEWS WITH SALLINEN,
 MILONOFF, FRANCK & HYNINEN**



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The New York Times

"*The Red Line* is a work of both national and universal significance."
Opera Magazine

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