

JULES MASSENET (1842 – 1912)

THAÏS (1892–94, revised 1898)

Comédie lyrique in Three Acts and Seven Scenes

Poem by Louis Gallet (1835 – 1898)

after the novel by Anatole France (1844 – 1924)

Athanaël, a Cenobite	Joshua Hopkins baritone
Nicias, a young philosopher and sybarite	Andrew Staples tenor
Palémon, an old Cenobite	Nathan Berg bass-baritone
A Servant	Neil Aronoff baritone
Thaïs, an actress and a courtesan	Erin Wall soprano
Crobyle, a slave	Liv Redpath soprano
Myrtale, a slave	Andrea Ludwig mezzo-soprano
Albine, an abbess	Emilia Boteva mezzo-soprano
La Charmeuse	Stacey Tappan soprano
Cenobites, actors and actresses, philosophers, friends of Nicias, people, the White Ladies	

Toronto Mendelssohn Choir

David Fallis chorus master

Toronto Symphony Orchestra

Jonathan Crow concertmaster

Sir Andrew Davis

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Act I · Act II, Scene I

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COMPACT DISC TWO

Act II, Scene 2 · Act III

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