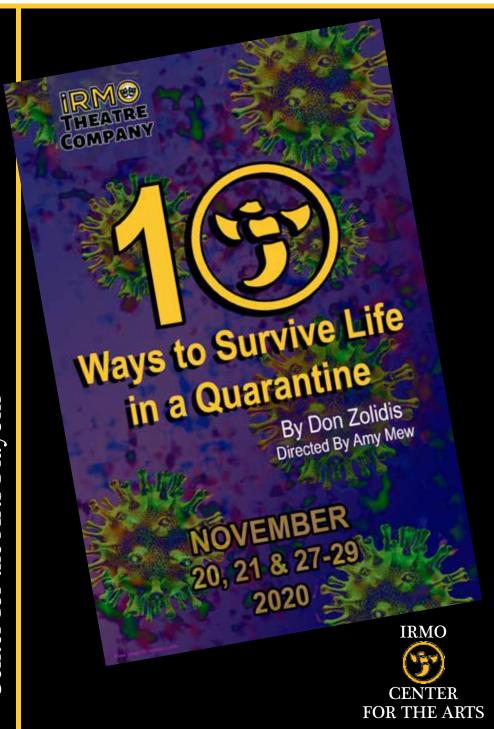
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CAST

Host:	Tamia Simpkin
Co-Host:	Chloey Frate
JOSIE & ASHLEY:	Adara Johnson
BRYN, CAMERON & ANNA:	Tori Ma
ALAIN, LUCAS, & AARON:	Malik Murphy
TOBY & JEFF:	Larry Coge
JOLENE, REAGAN, & NEIMA:	Joye Tat
PETER, BAILEY, & ANDREW:	Tristan Gustafson
PASCAL & SAM:	Dust Holcomb-Killoug
LOU, MARVIN, & CARL:	Mark Blankenship-Brown
ELLA & D'ANGELO:	Ashley Bruccol
LYN:	Kaliyah Hick
TASH & JULES:	Camille Ramire
ALISON:	Lillian Hanscon
TORI:	Jordyn Haye
JAMIE:	Jennifer Reynos
RACHEL:	Deviana Smit

CREW

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Set Design:	
Light/Sound Design:	Hannah Chapman
Prop Master:	Matty Calhoun
Additional Crew:	Nealy Jordan

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2020 has been a historical year and this play is now part of our district and school's rich history.

It's an honor that we could all be a part of making this happen.



CAST BIOGRAPHIES

Mark Blankenship-Brown (Lou, Marvin, Carl): Mark Blankenship-Brown is a Junior with the Irmo Theatre Company. His credits include The Somewhat True Tale of Robin Hood as the Evil Prince John (boo hiss boo hiss), Sister Act as ensemble, Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella as ensemble/Baker. Before Covid, Mark was going to be Ali Hakim in Oklahoma! Outside of theatre he loves drawing/animation and history. He would like to thank his family and friends.

Ashley Bruccoli (Ella, D'Angelo): Ashley is a sophomore at Irmo High School. Last year she made her theatre debut with The Somewhat True Tale of Robin Hood as a guard. She was also in the ensemble of the musical Sister Act. Most of her time in and out of school is dedicated to theatre. She is excited to see what her future holds in the art of theatre and can't wait until showtime!

Larry Coger (Toby, Jeff): Larry is a senior at Irmo High School. He is also a good basket-ball player. Outside of basketball, his hobbies include traveling, cooking, and listening to different kinds of hip hop artists. Watching from home, Larry has two little brothers. This is Larry's second show after the Golden Gala from last year that he has been a part of with Irmo Theatre Company.

Chloey Frates (Co-Host): Chloey is a 15-year old sophomore, making her theatre debut at Irmo High School. She has always aspired to be an actor since a very early age. She has been involved in a number of theatrical and film productions throughout her life. She plans to continue acting after High School. Outside of theatre, her hobbies include piano, music, fitness, cooking, all forums of visual art, writing, dance and singing (which she is currently working on improving), and of course, traveling. She has gratitude for all of her theatre teachers and mentors who help her improve in order to get to the level where she can be career ready.

Tristan Gustafson (Peter, Bailey, Andrew): Tristan is a 17 year old senior at Irmo High school. He was born and raised in Columbia, South Carolina. Ever since a very young age, Tristan has always loved the theatrical and performing arts. He's never imagined himself doing anything else. He loves to sing, and has been in chorus since the third grade. He is determined to fulfill his lifelong dream of performing and/or working in movies and tv. He would love to thank his family and hope they understand that while the trials of life will be challenging he will never let anything bring him down or stop him from achieving his dream of entertaining others.

Lillian Hanscom (Allison): Lillian is a 14 year old freshman making her theatre debut at Irmo High School. She was born in Bangor, Maine, but was raised in South Carolina. Ever since she was little, Lillian has loved the performing arts. She began performing in church shows then made her theatrical performance debut as Mrs. Brill in a local production of Mary Poppins. Lillian has dedicated herself to a future career in TV and stage acting. She loves to write, draw, and spend time with her younger siblings. Lillian is excited for what

the future will bring her, and is ready to get up on a stage. She would like to thank her close friends for all their encouragement and support for her.

Jordyn Hayes (Tory): Jordyn is a 14 year old freshman, making her theatre debut at Irmo High School. She was born and raised in Columbia, South Carolina. She fell in love with performing at an early age and she knew she wanted to do something in the theatre industry, anything from technical theatre (behind the scenes) to being on stage. Jordyn would like to thank her parents for supporting her in everything that she does and for always encouraging her.

Kaliyah Hicks (Lyn): Kaliyah is a 16 year old sophomore at Irmo High School. She was born in the small town of Allendale, SC but raised in Columbia, SC. She was a majorette dancer for 5 years and for the last 3 years has been cheering for IRMO varsity. Kaliyah has one older sister (18) who graduated from Irmo last year. Her favorite colors are orange and blue and she loves traveling. Kaliyah also loves being involved in positive activities and different groups around the community. Kaliyah thanks her mom for everything she does.

Dust Holcomb-Killough (Pascal, Sam): Dust Holcomb-Killough is a Senior making his Theatre debut at Irmo High School. He was born in Atlanta Georgia, but raised in South Carolina. He has two younger siblings and another on the way. He started getting interested in Theatre at a young age, and was ecstatic to learn that high school offered Theatre class options. He believes a good Shakespearean monologue will get you just about anywhere. He loves the Irmo Theatre Company with all his heart, and will be sad to leave them this year, so let's make it a great one!

Adara Johnson (Josie, Ashley): Adara is a senior at Irmo High School and is hoping to continue her theatre journey in college. She has been performing since she was 3. She started with dance and her love for performing spread to band, singing, modeling and of course theatre. She made her theatre debut in 7th grade with the musical "Zombie Prom" and has been acting ever since. She has even done some behind the scene work with film production. She is really excited to see what the future holds for her acting career and can't wait for the next big step. She has tons of support behind her as she continues to follow her dream.

Tori May (Bryn, Cameron, Anna): Tori is a senior this year at Irmo and is super excited to finish out her high school career strong with an amazing virtual play this fall! She is super involved in all things performing arts at Irmo, including dance, orchestra, and theatre. Tori loves to spend her free time going roller skating with her little brother Jackson (8) and giving big sister advice to her sister Josi (13). Outside of school, Tori is also super involved with the youth groups at South Carolina Lutheran Church. Tori hopes to pursue pediatric psych nursing after high school and be able to spread the joy of performing to everyone she meets!

Malik Murphy (Alain, Lucas, Aaron): Malik Murphy is a senior at Irmo High School and was first introduced to theatre in his freshman year. At first he didn't think it was for him until he finally discovered he had a talent in making people laugh. With the help of theatre he made many close friends. Outside of theatre he loves to write and read. His passion is in Animal Health where he one day hopes to learn how to stop infectious disease caused by and spread by animals. He would like to thank all the people in his life for bringing out a better side of himself. For it's great for his present and his future.

Camille Ramirez (Tash, Jules): Camille is a senior at Irmo High. She took Acting for TV and Film as well as theatre one in her freshman year. She enjoys making art, food and friends. She also likes volunteer work, as helping people in need makes her feel happy. She would like to thank her great grandmother who was a singer and an actress.

Jennifer Reynoso (Jamie): Jennifer Reynoso also known as Jenie, is al4 years old and is a freshman at Irmo High School. She was always a creative person, beginning to seek her love of theatre when she was in 1st grade. Outside the theatre scene Jenie is a dancer, singer, and artist, and a gamer. Jenie loves to be with her friends and even likes to cook. She loves listening to K-Pop and maybe doing a couple of voices. Jenie is a very international person and is also a fellow member of the LGBTQ+ community.

Tamia Simpkins (Host): Tamia Simpkins is 16 and a junior currently enrolled in the IB program at Irmo high school. In the past she's been in theatre one and two, but sadly because of scheduling conflicts couldn't be in a theatre class for the 2020-2021 school year. She is making her theatre debut and hopes to be involved in many more productions to come. Her hobbies include art, fashion, crafting, and reading. On top of those she enjoys volunteering with her community. She has gratitude for all of her friends and family who continue to support her each and every day.

Deviana Smith (Rachel): Deviana Smith is a junior and is making her theatre debut at Irmo High School. Her hobbies are singing, dancing, taking pictures, traveling, and spending time with family and friends. Deviana loves to write her own songs and read on occasion. She is thankful for her mom and her best friend Kwalilah Young (LeLee.)

Joye Tate (Jolene, Reagan, Neima): Joye Tate is one of the most dramatic you shall ever meet. This is not her first time on stage, Her theatre credits include Peter Pan (Techie) ,Christmas Programs at Church (actor), and her personal favorite Sister Act (Ensemble). She is very creative and, as her name implies, joyful. Her hobbies are reading, writing, and gossiping about almost anything. Joye is grateful for her parents and friends that have supported her through all her theatre endeavors.



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