

Hello Opera Friends,

I truly wish you a wonderful summer filled with sunshine and happiness! It is also the time to be thinking of another [One-Day trip to the Lyric Opera in Chicago!](#)

For one price Someday Travel Offers YOU a stress-free day of enjoying a great opera experience, transportation from Fond du Lac to and from Chicago, driver gratuity, my expert tour coordination plus your ticket. (Lunch and dinner not included)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

The Lyric Opera, Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. including lecture at 1:00 p.m.!

- ***I Puritani*** comes highly recommended by Laura Deming, friend and celloist for over 30 years at the Lyric Opera. Many of you have met her as she has graciously arranged back stage tours for our group.

Here is what theater goers are saying about *I Puritani*: “Of all opera composers, none glorified the voice more than Bellini. His final opera was *I Puritani*, in which a soprano, tenor, baritone and bass can truly revel in some of the most thrilling vocal music ever written. Opera companies produce this work only when they can cast fabulous singers with masterful techniques and superb style. Bellini (composer) places them within a sweeping historical drama in 17-century England, in which a passionate young couple find themselves caught up in a conflict between opposing political factions.”

Sign up today and be ready to be swept away with the beauty of costumes, stage settings, extraordinary music and fabulous voices!!

Prices

First Floor seating: Located before the balcony overhang - \$165.00 (check payable to Valerie Graczyk)

Balcony Tickets: \$145.00 (Check payable to Valerie Graczyk)

Payment & Cancellations Policy

To reserve your place an \$80.00 deposit is due on or before October 1, 2017

Balance of payment is due on or before November 30, 2017

No refunds after November 30, 2017

DUE TO LYRIC POLICIES THERE IS NO CANCELLATION DUE TO WEATHER CONDITIONS.

***If you need to cancel you may replace yourself with another person and they should reimburse you. If we have a waiting list we will exchange your place with another person and you will be reimbursed.**

Mail deposit and subsequent final payment to Valerie Graczyk, PO Box 1454, FDL, WI 54936-1454 (checks payable to Valerie Graczyk).

To reserve your place please send in a completed registration form and your deposit of \$80 on or before October 1, 2017. A limited number of tickets have been placed on hold for our group 20 seating is in accordance with order received.

On the day of Opera...February 28, 2018

Pick up and drop off site: Schreiner's Restaurant, 168 N. Pioneer Rd., Fond du Lac, WI (Johnson Street/Hwy 41 exit). Your car can be parked in the Northeast end of the parking lot for the day.

APPLETON ATTENDEES: Due to the additional bus charge to pick up & drop off in Appleton, we need a minimum 20 participants plus an additional \$30 per participant. **Please plan on leaving from Fond du Lac unless notified otherwise.**

Time Line: We will leave Fond du Lac at 7:30 a.m. on February 28 arriving in Chicago around 10:30 a.m. Buss will drop us off for lunch at the Lyric Opera. (You can also be dropped near Michigan Ave.)

Departure from Chicago: Following the performance, we will walk to the French Market Place for dinner (not included) and will leave Chicago at approximately 6:30 p.m for our return to Fond du Lac. (This avoids most rush hour traffic)

Thank YOU for joining in another "Someday Travel" tour.

Our website is www.somedaytravel.com. JOIN US for our tour of Greece May 10-20, 2018 and/or Seine River Cruise/Paris, September 12-22, 2018. Let me know if you would like me to send you a brochure for either trip or you can get more information from our website.

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