

Audience Comments for 'Gilbert (No Sullivan)' - Autumn 2016

"An excellent evening. Entertaining, professional, funny and intelligent. Enjoyed it very much!" - Eleanor and Frank, Leicester

"Absolutely hilarious!!!! Beautifully conceived, with classic wit and visual and physical puns and jests entirely in keeping with the great W.S.G. Thank you!!!" - Adam and Alison Newman-Turner, Leicester

"Inventive and amusing staging and use of props. Really enjoyed it." - Carol, Leicester

"Hilarious! So good I came back to see it a second time." - Duncan Bell, Leicester

"Brilliant. I wish I'd seen your 'Magnificent Men' now. I won't miss you again." - Valerie E. Dayman, Leicester

"A very enjoyable performance. Well done. Funny. Can't believe how you remembered all the words. Well done." - J. Spencer, Riseley

"We all enjoyed it. Very clever. Completely mad and very funny." - Stewart, Swallowfield

"Most enjoyable and entertaining." - John Done, Arborfield

"It was an excellent show. We loved it! Definitely worth seeing. Created a really good atmosphere with minimal props. Great value for the ticket price!" - Steve and Rosie Smith, Swallowfield

"Very entertaining evening. Really enjoyed it." - Swallowfield

"Super evening!!! Couldn't believe how only two people managed to provide so much! Just the very model of a major entertainment. Many thanks." - Gill Browning, Swallowfield

"Exceptionally enjoyable night with tremendously versatile performers." - Bob Keech, Caunton, Newark

"This was a wonderful evening – a great performance. What a treat. Really enjoyable and very different. Well done. We would LOVE to see you perform again. THANKS!" - Kay and John Smith, Caunton, Newark

"Excellent. Not aware of these tales. I hope you get the chance to visit lots of places with your shows. I look forward to seeing lots more." - Tony Eyres, Newark

"Thoroughly enjoyed the content; excellent writing and tireless performances." - J. M. Day, Chesterfield

"Brilliant comedy. Two hours of fun and laughter." - Ed and Hazel Sheppard, Clent

"We really enjoyed it. Lovely to see such a professional production in a local venue. A fantastic night." - Kaye Senior, Clent

"Excellent!!!" - Clent

"What an entertaining evening! Very inventive, well acted and lots of laughs." - Juliet May, Clent

"Thoroughly excellent entertainment!" - Diana Moore, Brighton

"Excellent, polished show, using minimal props in a very imaginative way. Very funny." - Deirdre Kincaid, Witney

"A fabulous evening: amazingly ingenious script, charming, crazy characters, hilarious props, and there was even a little bit of Sullivan! Well done!" Barborne

"Very well put together show. Very original and great acting." Michael and Jane Silvey, Worcester

"Most enjoyable." Mr. & Mrs. D M Chatterley, Henley-in-Arden

"The play was really good. Very funny and performed well." Ben Procter, Sittingbourne

"The show was hilarious and the mistakes (though they were few) made the show all the funnier! A job well done on your part." Jack Procter, Sittingbourne

"Great show – good to see audience participation. Thanks very much for a great evening." Brian Steer, Rodmersham

"Excellent show. Engaging, enjoyable and intimate." David Roche, Rodmersham

"Very entertaining." Steven Jones.

"Very enjoyable, surprisingly wacky Victorian humour, deserves a wider audience." Anne and Tim Locke, Lewes

"Really great lines, great music, very well put together." James Booth, Lewes

"Very slick and energetic presentation. Well done! Good luck for Harrogate 2017." Andrew Buxton, Lewes

"Very funny! We can hardly believe just two people can do all that! Excellent writing and markedly Gilbertian." Raina and Stephanie Brog, Selmeston

"Enjoyed show – well worth the 100 mile trip." L North, Romford

"Excellent performance - intriguing, comical stories – fantastic!!!" - Paula, Grimsby

"A very absorbing and entertaining evening. Fantastic changes of character and scene!! Many thanks." - Charlotte Linsell, Caistor

"Fantastically, memorably, wonderfully enjoyable." David Cole, Nettleton

"Thoroughly enjoyable - characterisation impeccable - pace and humour evident and amusing - carried off the occasional prop and line fluff beautifully - added to the performance."

"Of its period, but the humour still has resonance today. A comic marathon!" Dr. M J Stopper, Caistor

"A mixture of Morecambe and Wise and Tommy Cooper. More like these please. Very funny!" Mike Cotton, Caistor

"Fantastic well done, we really enjoyed the show!" N Scott, Ewerby

"Excellent! Well done." V Green, Ewerby

"Very funny and brilliant use of props." L Scott, Ewerby

"I really enjoyed the performance, not knowing what to expect when I arrived. Thankyou."

"Thrilled by last night: a winner & a gem in the making."

"I haven't had such fun on a Friday night in years with such lovely lunatics."

"Congratulations...this piece fits the bill and will prove a winner... Top show." Terry Garoghan, Brighton

"Immense fun."

"Gilbert (No Sullivan) was a riot of laughs from the start. We were crying with laughter – both at the script and the brilliant adaptation that Mitchell and Nixon achieved of the original stories, but also at the visual and physical humour that runs throughout the show. The performers didn't miss a beat throughout; perfect comedy timing, a sense of the absurd and an unwavering commitment to comedy and to making an audience laugh meant this was a performance we all left smiling and still laughing at and uplifted by." - Dr. Cara Courage, Arts Consultant

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"Very glad we went to see Gilbert (No Sullivan) last night which was performed in our village church. Part of Live & Local events. Performed by David Mounfield and Brian Mitchell of The Foundry Group. Great to hear some "Tall tales and bonkers ballads by W.S. Gilbert". Very funny and ingeniously presented. It is touring small local venues, catch it if you can especially if you like G&S."

Alison York

"Great show and it demands repeat viewing..."

Neil Masters

"Loved Gilbert No Sullivan last night. It's a cracking show, beautifully staged, and great way to discover the wild imagination and amorality of W.S.Gilbert. Foggerty's Fairy is like an episode of the Twilight Zone....I was pulled up on stage to be decapitated by David Mounfield and then ended up marrying Brian Mitchell."

Peter Chrisp

"What a splendid night of Victorian cock and bull!"

Alan Fred Pipes

"I saw it 3 weeks ago. It was so bloody funny I'm going again TONIGHT!"

Terry Garoghan

"Gilbertian gems delightfully burnished and embellished by the hardest-working men in show-business to create a richly silly and thoroughly engaging evening's entertainment! Bravissimi! The kids really enjoyed it too.

Robert Marcus

"Loved it...didn't know those tales and the format was fabulous. Extremely versatile actors who obviously love performing the material. The set is so clever it's as much a character as the actors! A marvellous intimate piece of theatre."

Sam Nixon

"What a treat! We so enjoyed your show. Such energy, hilarious stories, charming props, great timing. A delight."

Sarah Chrisp

"I found the show not only stimulating but enlightening! So amusing I guffawed out loud in public on more than one occasion. Thoroughly recommended to all (even the lower orders)."

Tim Pilcher

"Great night. We enjoyed it thoroughly."

Soraya Cotwal

"A very funny 'laugh out loud' show. With some inventive ideas. Loved it."

Rachel Gilmour