

A man with a beard and a woman with blonde hair are looking upwards. The background features stylized, high-contrast faces and hands in shades of orange and black. A wreath of red roses is positioned above the text.

IN THE GARDEN

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(FUTILE ROSES)

Written & directed for stage by KEVIN GRAMMER
Directed for film by JOSH DAVID JORDAN

ON STAGE April 20 - 23 & 27 - 30, 2022
Curtain at 8:15pm. House opens at 7:45pm

This show contains flashing lights
and sounds and images of war.



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Presents

IN THE GARDEN:

Futile Roses

Written & Directed by
Kevin Grammer

Film Direction by
Josh D Jordan

Cast

SergeiBrian Witkowicz

NatashaCarla Parker

KikiQuinn Coffman

VoiceDenys Lyubimov

Production

Director/Playwright.....Kevin Grammer

Film Direction/Camera.....Josh D Jordan

Camera.....Julian Sol

Sound Engineers.....Jessica Jordan & Justin Locklear

Editing.....Julian Sol & Josh D Jordan

Set Design.....Matthew Posey

Scenic Artist.....Izk Davies

Lighting Design.....Kevin Grammer

CostumesOchre House

Stage Management.....Elizabeth Loyle Carr

House Management.....Cynthia Webb

House Asst.Justin Locklear, Izk Davies

Photography/Media Design...Justin Locklear

Poster/GraphicsJeremy Word

Bios

Elizabeth Loyle Carr (Stage Manager/ Covid Compliance Officer) - Liz is thrilled to be working with Ochre House again! Miss Carr graduated from The Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama with a MA in stage management. She has worked on productions in California, Wales, Scotland, and England before moving to Dallas several years ago.

Quinn Coffman (Kiki) - Quinn is very honored to finally be back on the ochre house stage— she has performed with us in various roles for the last 5 years and is proud to call herself an Ochre Boy. She is grateful that you're here with us once again, and wishes you well in life. She also recommends donating what you can to-A Chance In Life- a non profit charity that aids in emergency housing for families and individuals affected by the Ukraine crisis. Thank you!

Isaac "IZK" Davies (Scenic Artist) - Izk is a visual artist, muralist, designer and emcee. He currently owns and operates an art gallery "Exposition Gallery" in historic exposition park. He is a founding member of the hip-hop band "CoLab." Isaac has worked with the Ochre House Theater as the set artist for more than 30 productions. His art has been featured by many local, state, national and international companies as well as multiple charitable programs and schools. You can see his online portfolio of creations at [instagram.com/izkart](https://www.instagram.com/izkart) or order limited edition prints from his website [artizk.com/prints](https://www.artizk.com/prints). Or follow his YouTube channel at [YouTube.com/IZKdavies](https://www.YouTube.com/IZKdavies)

Kevin Grammer (Playwright, Director, Lighting Designer) - Kevin is very happy and excited to be getting back in front of our faithful patrons after two years. He is so honored and proud to be Operations Manager for Ochre House, as well as a company member from the beginning. He also acts, writes, directs, lights, builds, cleans, and performs any other tasks needed for Ochre House. He thanks the cast & crew for their hard work and artistry, the patrons for their support, the Board for their support and help, Suzanne for her love and light, Matthew for the opportunities and friendship, his parents for their love and support, and his bright beautiful bunny, who makes this life worth living. Welcome back, we missed you, enjoy!

Josh David Jordan (Film Direction/ Editor/

Filmed by) - Josh is a Texas filmmaker, director, actor and artist. Starting off as an actor and being in several feature films and the sitcom SCRUBS, Josh slowly began to transition himself behind the lens. He worked on MTV featured music videos for the Polyphonic Spree, Rhett Miller of the Old 97's and many more. After premiering his short film SAM AND GUS and winning several film festival awards along with audience awards, he decided to write and direct his first full length feature film which is THIS WORLD WON'T BREAK. He is currently writing his sophomore feature with his son Julian Sol Jordan.

Justin Locklear (Photography/ Multi Media Design/ Artist In Residence)

- Justin is humbled and grateful to be the current Artist-in-Residence at the Ochre House Theater, conjuring the Suavant-Garde with the rest of The Ochre House Theater family. A writer, director, actor, and musician, Justin is in love with telling stories and he is continually blessed with opportunities to do just that. He remembers the first night he wandered into the Ochre House, and he digs your chili for stepping into a mad world tonight. Enjoy!

Denys Lyubimov (The Voice) - Denys is a Ukrainian singer, actor and voice actor. He appeared as the lead in Ukraine's first musical, "Dracula Vlad." Find Denys on YouTube and follow him on Instagram.
<https://www.instagram.com/denislyubimov>

Carla Parker (Natasha/ OHT Managing Director) - Carla has a Master of Arts in Theater Production from Central Washington University. She is a long standing Ochre House Theater Core Company Member and Ochre's Managing Director. She has written 5 productions for OHT and has been on the Ochre boards in over 25 productions. She is always honored to be surrounded by so many talented people. Many thanks to Matt, Suz and the Board of Directors for the opportunities, support and guidance, and to the cast and crew for their beautiful work. And to "Bear" Grammer for the laughs.

Matthew Posey (Artistic Director/Set

Design) - Matthew is the Artistic Director and Founder of Ochre House Theater, where he has written and directed over 30 plays. His acting career spans over 30 years of stage, film and television work. Highlights include *Lonesome Dove*, *No Country for Old Men*, and recurring roles in the television series *American Crime* and *Rectify*. He can also be seen in the remake of *The Magnificent Seven* directed by Antoine Fuqua, as well as AMC's ongoing ten part series, *The Son*.

He was most recently seen in Josh David Jordan's film, *This World Won't Break*, for which he received Best Supporting Actor at the Reel East Texas Film Festival & The Nashville Film Festival. He can also be seen in the upcoming HBO series, *Love and Death*. Matthew has found his niche as Artistic Director of the Ochre House Theater and wants to thank the Ochre House's company of incredibly talented and insightful Actors, Artists, Designers, and Staff, as well as the lovely patrons and supporters that make the Ochre House possible.

Brian Witkowicz (Sergei) - Brian is excited to be returning to Ochre House Theater where he was previously seen in Empty Room, Razz, Flowers in the Machine, Good Nuts and Morphing. Most recently he was in The Classic Theatre Project's Much Ado About Nothing. He holds a BFA from the CFA at SFA.

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