



**The Effect of Gamma Rays On  
Man-In-The-Moon Marigolds**

Paul Zindel's  
The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-In-The-Moon Marigolds  
A Drama in Two Acts

8 o'clock  
November 11-13, 1976

Fine Arts Theatre  
Jefferson College

CAST  
(in order of appearance)

Tillie ..... Glenda Moore  
Beatrice ..... Kathy DeGonia  
Ruth ..... Susan Clifton  
Nanny ..... Sherry Kuhlman  
Janice Vickery ..... Kathy Horrell

The Setting

A room of wood which was once a vegetable store and the point of debarkation for a horse-drawn wagon to bring its wares to a small town. The store is gone now and a widow of confusion has placed her touch on everything.

ACT I

Scene 1: . . . and when he wrote the word, I fell in love with it. Atom. Atom.

Scene 2: Why, just yesterday . . . . Why, just yesterday . . . . Why, just yesterday . . . .

Scene 3: Couldn't she just grow plain marigolds like everyone else?

Scene 4: Apples! Pears! Cucum . . . bers!

Scene 5: 'She's my sister,' I said. 'She's my sister!'

ACT II

Scene 1: . . . this is the first time in my life I've felt just a little bit proud over something. Isn't that silly?

Scene 2: Then I boiled the cat . . . .

Scene 3: Tell them Mrs. Hunsdorfer called to thank them for making her wish she was dead . . .

Scene 4: Some of the mutations will be good ones—wonderful things beyond our dreams . . . .

Scene 5: I hate the world, Matilda. Do you know that?

There will be a ten-minute intermission between acts

COMPANY

Wes Robertson, Director  
Christy Franken, Assistant Director  
Debra Damouth, Stage Manager  
Joe Wilson, Assistant Technical Director

Lighting

Wes Robertson, Designer  
Jill Schneider  
Dave Goodwin

Sound

Cathy Jaco  
Deborah Robertson

Costumes

Kathryn Zellich, Designer  
Sharen Lowney

Properties

Christy Franken, Crew Chief  
Kathy Kraft, Crew Chief  
Barb Trokey  
Karen Tolan  
Susan Clifton  
Kathy Horrell  
Deborah Robertson

Publicity

Dave Braun  
Maxine Franklin  
Ruth Rose  
Sharen Lowney  
Trish Loomis

Program Graphics

Kathryn Zellich

Set Construction

Wes Robertson, Designer and  
Technical Director  
Joe Wilson  
Cathy Jaco  
Wayne Long  
Kevin Haselhorst  
Carl Herspiegel  
John Belanger  
Sharen Lowney  
Debra Damouth  
Don Damouth  
Mark Briguglio  
Rich Stansfield  
Deborah Robertson

House Managers

Cindy Erb  
Doug Johnson

Ushers

Chuck Martin  
Janet Bingham  
Shirley Bennett  
Lee Butcher  
Mary Franken  
Sean Hogan  
Gina Tindall  
Rick Donovan

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