

# PARK AVENUE

**An Original  
Musical Comedy  
by  
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Greenwall Music  
Workshop, 8:00 P.M.***

The Bennington College Music Division Presents:

# "Park Avenue" \*

## An Original Musical Comedy in Staged Concert Version

This piece was written, composed, and produced  
in partial fulfillment of the requirements for  
a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

This work is dedicated to my parents, with an endless supply  
of love and affection.

### Cast of Characters

Aunt Abbie Calendar.....	Claudia Friedlander
Cecelia Calendar.....	Jeanne Kompare
Annette Calendar.....	Christina Campenella
William Talbot.....	Jeff Segal
Trevor Darby.....	Ed Needham
Mr. Cullen.....	Christopher Black
Adelaide Hippenstrom.....	Audrey Braam
Mayor Hippenstrom.....	Magnus Peterson
Station Worker.....	Magnus Peterson
Bum on Bench.....	John Hendrick

Also Starring  
in a special guest appearance:

Allen Shawn as Simpson  
and Jeffrey Levine as #2

### The Chorus

Eileen Vickery	Christina Campanella
Claudia Friedlander	Christopher Black
Ed Needham	Audrey Braam
Jeff Segal	Magnus Peterson

Accompanists: Sylvia Halpern and Allen Shawn

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the Wooley Fund and from the Bennington College Music  
Division.



## Act One

### Scene One

Haversford Train Station, Philadelphia, 1897.

Late at night.

"It's Late Again".....Chorus

"The Moon and You".....Cecelia, William

Reprise.....William

### Scene Two

Abbie Calendar's House, 702 Park Avenue.

Same evening.

"Keep Up The Image"....Abbie, Cecelia, Annette

Reprise.....Abbie, Cecelia

### Scene Three

The Park. The next day.

"There He Is Again!".....William, Cecelia, Chorus

"It's Gotta Come From The Heart".....Trevor,  
Cullen, Chorus

### Scene Four

William and Trevor's Apartment, later that day.

"Do You Think Maybe This Is Love?"....William,

Trevor  
"You Are All To Me".....Annette, Trevor

## **\* Intermission \***

10 minutes

## Act Two

### Scene One

Intermission at the Opera, later that evening.

"Oh, What A Lovely Show".....Adelaide, Chorus

### Scene Two

702 Park Avenue, two days later.

"Get Out Of My House, Mr. Cullen!".....Abbie

"Where Are You Now, Daddy?".....Cecelia

### Scene Three

The Park, the next day

"Here I Am".....William

### Scene Four

702 Park Avenue, the same day

### Scene Five

702 Park Avenue, ten minutes later

Finale.....Abbie, Cullen, Annette, Cecelia, Trevor, William

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