A CHRISINIAS CAROL Motus o dance theatre

For Ebenezer Scrooge, this night was like every other. No festive lights shone from his window. No music filled his house. No guests were welcomed. Silence and darkness were preferable....and cheaper!

But this night – this Christmas Eve - <u>would</u> be different. His solitude would be disturbed by three spirits. Scrooge would be given three chances to see what he had become....three chances to reflect.... and one chance for redemption.

MOTUS O dance theatre effortlessly weaves a range of dance styles, text and video in this exciting adaptation of the classic story of loneliness and greed, hope and humanity. Follow our anti-hero Mr. Scrooge as he is propelled through a heart-stopping journey revisiting his lost hopes and his deepest fears. Cheer as Scrooge's revelation becomes real as he finally feels.

For a man who believed in nothing... in one night he would believe in everything.



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"A Christmas Carol"

Available for touring next season!

MOTUS O offers two production options:

1> Performance by MOTUS O cast alone

- > Cast of 8 professional performers.
- > The show is 2 hours long, including intermission.
- > This is a Family show, suitable for all ages.

2> Residency followed by Performance

- > Cast of 8 professionals, PLUS local performers.
 - We can incorporate up to 30 local cast (ages 8 and up; boys and girls; men and women) in several scenes. They are a *true* part of the show, rehearsing and training with the company members.
 - Time required for full residency = audition and rehearsals (approximately 12 hours in total which can be disseminated in any format suitable for your community) plus 1 dress rehearsal (4 hours in the actual performance space); performance(s).
- > This is a Family show, suitable for all ages.
 - *Please budget for hotels, per diems and travel if necessary, depending on location.



"It was an absolute pleasure to work with James, Jack, Cynthia and the rest of the cast. It was a great learning experience, and I miss the Sunday afternoon rehearsals more than anything! I had an absolute blast and would do it again in a heartbeat! Thanks!" (Shaunna – 16 years old)

"MOTUS O attracted a packed house!" (Globe & Mail)

What a beautiful show! It was simply perfect from beginning to end - touching, surprising, funny and so colourful! I am still raving about it to everyone I know! (Stephanie – audience member)

WARNING! Loud laughter highly likely!