

THEATRE RHINOCEROS

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STAIRCASE*

Theatre – **Comedy-Drama**

Production Company: Theatre Rhinoceros

Title: Staircase

By Charles Dyer

Directed by John Fisher Dramaturgy by Matt Weimer

With Donald Currie and Joseph Tally; Jon Wei-keung Lowe, Sets;

Dave Robertson; Lights; Jeremy Cole, Costumes

Venue: Theatre Rhinoceros, Mainstage

2926 16th Street (at South Van Ness; BART)

San Francisco, CA 94103

Performances: November 15 - December 16, 2007

Wed. - Sat. @ 800 PM

Sundays @ 300 PM (Except 11/18 at 700 PM *ONLY*)

Previews: 11/15 - 11/23

Press Performances: 11/24 (800 PM) & 11/25 (300 PM)

Box Office: (415) 861-5079

TIX: \$15 - \$35 (Bring a Memento of the 60s - and get \$5 off your

ticket!)

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Can this marriage last? Charlie and Harry have been together forever and no one cares. Except the police! But it's 1966 and the times, they are a changin'! Will they change fast enough? Predating even *The Boys in the Band*, this hysterical comedy was one of the first gay plays to tackle Broadway and the big screen. Join this cuddly but bitchy middle-aged couple for a dark night of the soul, peppered with many laughs. It's *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf*, but gay!

Theatre Rhinoceros, America's longest running professional queer theatre, develops and produces works of theatre that enlighten, enrich, and explore both the ordinary and extraordinary aspects of our queer community.