

# Stiffelio

Giuseppe Verdi  
Opera in three acts



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# Concept

After a long journey, the Protestant minister Stiffelio happily returns home to his wife Lina, his father-in-law Stankar, his friends Dorotea and Raffaele, and the whole congregation in his religious community. Soon after his arrival, he receives a packet of papers from Valter the boatman that were dropped by a man as he hastily took his leave of a young woman. Stiffelio suspects an adultery, but destroys the proof without even consulting it, thereby showing how merciful he can be towards everyone. The troubled reaction of Lina and Raffaele betrays the true nature of their relationship to the watchful eyes of Stankar.

Après un long voyage, le pasteur Stiffelio retrouve avec bonheur les siens : sa femme Lina, son beau-père Stankar, ses amis Dorotea et Raffaele, ainsi que tous les fidèles de sa communauté religieuse. À peine arrivé, il reçoit une liasse de papiers perdue par un homme que le batelier Valter a surpris un matin en train de quitter précipitamment une jeune femme. Stiffelio soupçonne une histoire d'infidélité mais détruit ces preuves sans même les consulter, démontrant à tous l'étendue de sa miséricorde. La réaction troublée de Lina et de Raffaele trahit aux yeux attentifs de Stankar la véritable nature de leur relation.

## Creative team

Stage director

**Bruno Ravella**

Movement et assistant director

**Carmine De Amicis**

Set and Costume designer

**Hannah Clark**

Lightning designer

**Malcolm Rippeth**

Master of Combat

**Olivier Dupuis**

Video

**Julie-Anne Weber**

**Studio Animations !**

## Cast

### Number of principals

Female 1 + 1 member of the choir

Male 4 + 1 member of the choir

### Chorus

Female 19

Male 19

### Extras

5  
(1 women + 1 men + 3 children)

### Children's choir

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## Instrumentation

53

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Running time : 2h39 (including interval)

## Volume of the production

Set, Props, Costumes : 2 trailers

## Performances

Strasbourg

Mulhouse (La Filature)

Dijon (Auditorium)

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The detailed technical file is available at the Technical Department.

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