



Virtual Theatre

Hello Library Friends!

This is Jess, the Branch Manager of the Littlestown Library. Something you may not know about me is that I love live theatre! I've been to Broadway countless times over the years and have seen numerous productions. My first trip to New York City was when I was in high school and saw Phantom of the Opera. Many shows have followed, in New York, regional professional theatres in D.C. and Baltimore, and lots of local productions. I've even performed onstage with community theatre several times over the years.

Whether you're onstage or in the audience, there is truly nothing like live theatre. Unfortunately, like many other businesses, the theatres are currently dark. And while it's not the same as being there in person, many performances have now been brought online for your viewing pleasure. This is the perfect time to check out opera, ballet, musicals, plays, and even some Shakespeare. After all, the show must go on!

Be safe, be well, and sing a Broadway tune,
Jess

[National Theatre](#) - A rotating selection of plays performed at the National Theatre in London.

[Shakespeare's Globe](#) - A rotating selection of Shakespearian plays performed at the Globe Theatre in London.

[Opera Vision](#) - If you're a fan of opera, this site has a collection of recordings from different theatres around the world.

[What's On Stage](#) - A frequently updated list of where to find theatre productions online.

[The Metropolitan Opera](#) - Operas performed at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York. A new opera streaming each day, each available for 23 hours.

[The Shows Must Go On](#) - Watch a full-length musical every Friday Night. Videos will be available for 48 hours.

[The International Online Theatre Festival](#) - And online theatre festival that runs April 15 - May 15. Most shows run for 1 or 2 days.

[Broadway HD](#) - Hundreds of musicals available to stream. Please note, this is a subscription service with a fee of \$8.99 a month.

[Filmed On Stage](#) - A frequently updated list of where to find theatre productions online.

[Cirque de Soleil](#) - A rotating selection of Cirque de Soleil productions.

[The Royal Opera House](#) - Ballets and operas performed at the Royal Opera House.

[Chambersburg Community Theatre](#) - A place very special to my heart. Watch virtual radio plays with local talent.

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