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OPERA in Two Acts

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JOHN TAVERNER Tenor RICHARD TAVERNER, later ST. JOHN Baritone CARDINAL, later ARCHBISHOP Tenor KING Bass JESTER, later DEATH and JOKING JESUS Baritone WHITE ABBOT Baritone PRIEST CONFESSOR, later GOD THE FATHER Counter-tenor BOY Treble CAPTAIN Bass ANTICHRIST Tenor (spoken) TWO ARCHANGELS: GABRIEL High Tenor MICHAEL Deep Bass TWO MONKS Tenors ROSE PARROWE, later VIRGIN MARY Mezzo Soprano

Council, Monks, Demons, Townspeople, Choirboys (16 trebles)

Orchestra: 2.2.2.2. - 4.4.2.2. - Timp., Perc., Harp, Strings.

Stage musicians: 2 oboes, guitar, tabor, 9 strings (Act 1 scenes 3 and 4); 6-piece band plus positive organ and regal (Act II scene 2); 4 recorders (Act II scene 4).

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