

BLACK WIDOW

A Film Noir Musical



A dismembered torso, a beautiful femme fatale, a hard-boiled detective and a singing severed head all play their part in this playfully macabre, musical homage to film noir cinema of the 1940's.

Black Widow opens on a luckless man's severed head as he is about to be engulfed in the flames of an old coal furnace. His eyes open wide and he begins to narrate his sorry tale. Naturally, his story begins with a beautiful raven-haired woman. His fate is sealed the moment their eyes meet, and he is soon ensnared in the seductive predator's wicked web of deceit.

Black Widow stars internationally renowned recording artists Sarah Slean, Mary Margaret O'Hara, Martin Tielli, and acclaimed film and stage actor Tom McCamus. The film features a superb 40's-era soundtrack, including hit songs by Cole Porter, Johnny Mercer and Mel Tormé that have been exquisitely re-interpreted by this outstanding musical cast.

50 minutes.

Photographed on Super 16mm film.

Broadcast format: Digibeta 16x9 anamorphic, Dolby Surround 2.0

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