
SIGHT & SOUND THEATRES®

Noah

at Sight & Sound Theatres®
Lancaster County, Pennsylvania
March 9 – November 2, 2013

Show Facts

- More than 3 million people have seen *Noah* since it opened at the Lancaster County location of Sight & Sound Theatres® in 1995. After several seasons there, the last being 2004, the show premiered at the Branson theatre opening for Sight & Sound in 2008 and continued through 2011.
- *Noah* is an original script written by Sight & Sound Theatres' producing group and is based on the Biblical account found in the book of Genesis, chapters 5-9.
- Considered a Sight & Sound's "signature" production and a family favorite, *Noah* tells the story of the enduring faith of Noah and his family as they obey the Lord and rise above the tests, trials, and flood of destruction, to receive the promises of God of new life.
- Nationwide auditions are held to select the professional actors for the cast of each Sight & Sound production. Most actors have significant experience in other venues, including Broadway, regional theatre and Branson. Many have received bachelor's or master's degrees in theatre or music. *Noah* features a cast of 52 actors.
- Sight & Sound Theatres is known for their animal cast members and *Noah* features approximately 60 live animals and more than 100 animatronic animals. Expected performances by live animals for *Noah* include camels, llamas, alpacas, Highlander cattle, goats, skunks, horses and many more. All animals are trained for show behaviors by Sight & Sound's team of experienced animal trainers. Methodology involves incentives and rewards rather than punishment, typified by the natural horsemanship methods that are used by the equine trainers.
- The largest set piece for *Noah* weighs approximately 17,000 pounds when loaded with animals. The interior of the ark consists of 11 individual set pieces that weigh a total of 100,000 pounds. Individual set pieces may exceed 40 feet in height.
- All set pieces for *Noah* were designed and built by our in-house construction team made up of designers, engineers, metalworkers, carpenters, electricians, fiberglass specialists, scenic artists and others.
- More than 1,830 lighting instruments are used in the show as well as 66 moving lights. The interior of the Ark alone houses almost 600 lights.
- *Noah* includes 315 costume looks which consist of 820 costume pieces cut from roughly 3,000 yards of fabric and held together by 2,500 snaps and 22 zippers. A talented staff of designers and seamstresses in Sight & Sound's costume department create the costumes for all Sight & Sound productions.

Lancaster County Theatre Facts

- Construction began on the Lancaster County theatre in July 1997 and it opened on September 1, 1998.
- The 300-foot-long stage wraps around three full sides of the main-floor audience with action also taking place in the theatre aisles. The main stage offers 18,000 square feet of acting area, with an additional 2,000 square feet on each of the left and right stages making it one of the largest stages in the country. The total stage area is more than double that of Radio City Music Hall in New York City.
- Seats 2,047 people, plus designated spaces for up to 22 wheelchairs.

About Sight & Sound Theatres®

Sight & Sound Theatres is the largest faith-based live theatre in the country. Last year, nearly a million people from around the world came to experience a production at one of Sight & Sound's theatres in Branson, Mo., and Lancaster County, Pa.

Sight & Sound's purpose is to present the Gospel of Jesus Christ by visualizing and dramatizing the Scriptures, through inspirational productions, encouraging others and seeking always to be dedicated and wise stewards of God-given talents and resources.

While it is a ministry, the company is not affiliated with any external organization or any particular church denomination. It is a for-profit organization and operates without charitable support.

For more information about Sight & Sound Theatres, visit sight-sound.com or call 800-377-1277.

