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LÁSZLO SEREGI'S SPARTACUS

Spartacus is a gladiator who incites his fellow slaves to revolt against their Roman oppressors.

Choreographed by László Seregi, this powerful and moving production provides a spectacular vehicle for the talents of The Australian Ballet. Featuring acclaimed artists Steven Heathcote, Lisa Pavane and Greg Horsman, this is an epic tale of love, courage and heroism.

"The Australian Ballet production is a Roman epic with many spectacular elements." The Herald



The Australian Ballet

Choreography & Libretto **László Seregi**

inspired by the novel of **Howard Fast**

Rehearsed by **Colin Peasley**

Set Design **Gábor Forray**

Costume Design **Tivadar Márk**

Lighting Design **William Akers**

Music **Aram Il'ch Khachaturián**

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State Orchestra Victoria (now known as **Orchestra Victoria**)

Guest Conductor **Ormsby Wilkins**

Executive Producer **Peter Butler**

Director **Lindsay Dresdon**

Sound Producer **Margaret Hetherington**

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Steven Heathcote *Spartacus*
Lisa Pavane *Flavia, his wife*
Greg Horsman *Crassus, the Roman Commander*
Adam Marchant *Gad, a Judean gladiator*
Robert Marshall *Oenomaus, an African gladiator*
Stephen Morgante *Crixus, a Thracian gladiator*
Ulrike Lytton, Fiona Tonkin
Julia and Claudia, Friends of Crassus



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