

TWELFTH NIGHT

Costume Plot

ACT I, Scene 1 The Duke's Palace.

DUKE.....Tights, cape, court tunic
CURIO.....Expensive but rougher clothes, almost
hunting garb type, tunic, knee breeches,
cape, hat
VALENTINE.....Slightly foppish elaborate tunic, tights,
cape, hat, garters
ATTENDING LORDS.....Assorted period garb, well dressed, in good taste
MUSICIANS.....(Usually one minstrel) Plainly garbed in
subdued colors

ACT I, Scene 2 The sea coast.

VIOLA.....Simple gown, cape with hood
CAPTAIN & SAILORS.....Vests, breeches, blouses, belts, etc.

ACT I, Scene 3 Olivia's house.

SIR TOBY.....Bloomer pants, heavy blouse, vest, jerkin,
belt, boots, hat
MARIA.....Colorful, low-cut gown - a maid, yet dressed
almost bawdily
SIR ANDREW.....Pastels, foppish, quite absurd, ill-fitting
tunic & trunk hose, baggy stockings,
exaggerated hat

ACT I, Scene 4 Duke's house.

VALENTINE.....No change
VIOLA.....Simple & colorful, yet expensive tunic,
trunk hose, stockings, hat, short cape -
should be quite distinctive (one of a pair)
note difference in cape length
ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT I, Scene 5 Olivia's house.

FESTE.....(Parts of Fabian & Feste are usually
combined and played as one - costumes are
set up for one person - if 2 are to be used
please make note as to requirements of 2nd
costume) Jester costume, complete with boucle
OLIVIA.....Very elegant, rich court gown and veil
MALVOLIO.....Rather foppish, extremely meticulous, rich,
but subdued colors, long cape, long chain
of huge keys with small mirror attached

ATTENDENTS OF OLIVIA'S COURT.....Dressed much the same as Duke Orsino's court
ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT II, Scene 1

ANTONIO.....Rough knee breeches, long vest, jerkin,
blouse, hose, hat

SEBASTIAN.....Duplicate of Viola's ACT I, Scene 4. Boy's
costume, only with long cape

ACT II, Scene 2 Street scene.

ALL CHARACTERS.....No change

ACT II, Scene 3 Olivia's house.

MALVOLIO.....Nightgown, stocking cap

ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT II, Scene 4 Duke's Palace.

ALL CHARACTERS.....No change

ACT II, Scene 5 Olivia's garden.

ALL CHARACTERS.....No change

ACT III, Scene 1 Olivia's house.

SIR ANDREW.....No change

ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT III, Scene 2 Olivia's house.

SIR ANDREW.....No change, add cape

ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT III, Scene 3 Street scene.

ALL CHARACTERS.....No change

ACT III, Scene 4 Olivia's garden.

OLIVIA.....Change #2

MALVOLIO.....No change in basic costume. Change to yellow
stockings, cross garters, hat with yellow
plume, long yellow handkerchief

ANTONIO.....Change to rough tunic, tights, short cape

OFFICERS.....Tunics, padded venitians, armor plate, swords,
morion helmets

ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT IV, Scene 1

ALL CHARACTERS.....No change

ACT IV, Scene 2 Olivia's house. Cellar.

MARIA.....Change #2

FESTE.....No change, add monks robe, much too large

ALL OTHERS....., No change

ACT IV, Scene 3 Olivia's garden.

PRIEST.....Clerical robe of period

ALL OTHERS.....No change

ACT V, Scene 1 Before Olivia's house.

DUKE.....Change #2

ALL OTHERS.....No change