



The Plaza Theatre

A 501(C)3 Non-Profit Corporation

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CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS: 9 to 5

Auditions: May 11th and 13th, 2025 at 6PM, The Plaza Theatre

Violet

The company's Head Secretary and Mr. Hart's Administrative Assistant, she is a single mother and typically stands up for what she believes in. Attractive, strong, ambitious.

Gender: female

Age: 40 to 50

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: F3

Doralee

A young, sexy spitfire who works at Mr. Hart's office. She is proof that there is more to a woman than just her looks.

Gender: female

Age: 20 to 30

Vocal range top: E5

Vocal range bottom: G3

Judy

The "new" girl at the firm, she has been burned by her husband's affair and is searching for personal empowerment. Insecure, determined, and hopeful.

Gender: female

Age: 30 to 35

Vocal range top: F5

Vocal range bottom: Ab3

Franklin Hart

One of the firm's executives and a notorious chauvinist. He is capable of faking charm but usually shows his true colors as an arrogant, self-absorbed boss.

Gender: male

Age: 45 to 50

Vocal range top: Gb4

Vocal range bottom: C3

Roz Keith

The attentive office gossip queen and snitch. She has an unrequited love for Mr. Hart and will do anything she can to win his approval.

Gender: female

Age: 35 to 45

Vocal range top: C5

Vocal range bottom: G3

Joe

A handsome, young office accountant. Genuine and nice, and smitten with Violet.

Gender: male

Age: 25 to 35

Vocal range top: G4

Vocal range bottom: B2

Dwayne

Doralee's attractive husband. He is very supportive of her professional pursuits.

Gender: male

Age: 25 to 30

Vocal range top: G4

Vocal range bottom: E2

Josh

Violet's awkward teenage son.

Gender: male

Age: 15 to 18

Missy

Franklin Hart's wife, clueless to her husband's true nature.

Gender: female

Age: 20 to 35

Maria

A young and vibrant secretary in Hart's office.

Gender: female

Age: 20 to 30

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: F4

Dick

Judy's soon-to-be ex-husband. An average guy, he is sporting a little less hair and a little more paunch than he did ten years ago.

Gender: male

Age: 35 to 45

Kathy

A secretary in Hart's office with a tendency to gossip.

Gender: female

Age: 30 to 40

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: G4

Margaret

A secretary in Hart's office with a tendency to drink.

Gender: female

Age: 30 to 40

Tinsworthy

Franklin Hart's boss and Chairman of the Board. A good man, who may be wiser to Hart's ways than he lets on.

Gender: male

Age: 50 to 65

IMPORTANT AUDITION NOTES:

Performers will do a cold reading from the script and will need to come prepared to sing a one-minute audition cut of a song of their choosing. You must bring a backing audio track to be played or sing a cappella. Please wear comfortable clothes and shoes, as you will also be asked to participate in a movement/dance audition. Those who have tap shoes are encouraged to bring them.

Any performer who would like to be considered for the roles of Violet, Doralee and Judy are asked to come prepared to sing a one-minute cut of a Dolly Parton song. This selection can either come from the show or not. Additionally, those who would like to be considered for Judy will also be asked to sing a one-minute cut from "Get Out and Stay Out." Links to the sheet music and accompaniment for this cut can be found below.

Get Out and Stay Out Audition Cut Sheet Music:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RcklyTJGHNU4G4LdhyNDUL2npLh8ISBh/view?usp=drive_link

Get Out and Stay Out Audition Cut Lyric Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dGh5TXXiFc>