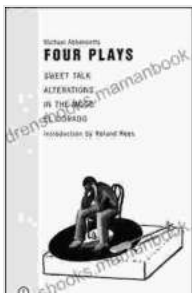


Sweet Talk Alterations: In the Mood, El Dorado, Oberon: Modern Playwrights Reimagine Shakespeare

Sweet Talk Alterations: In the Mood, El Dorado, Oberon is a captivating collection of modern playwrights' reimaginings of Shakespeare's classic works. These adaptations offer fresh perspectives on familiar tales, exploring themes of love, loss, power, and identity in new and exciting ways.



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The three plays in this anthology—**In the Mood** by Laura Wade, **El Dorado** by Tanya Barfield, and **Oberon** by Tarell Alvin McCraney—are all set in different time periods and locations, but they share a common thread: they all explore the ways in which love can transform and betray us.

In the Mood

In the Mood is a romantic comedy set in 1940s New York City. The play follows the story of Helen, a young woman who falls in love with two very different men: George, a charming but irresponsible musician, and Ted, a wealthy but boring businessman.

Helen is torn between her heart and her head, and her decision will have a profound impact on her future. **In the Mood** is a witty and charming play that explores the complexities of love and relationships.

El Dorado

El Dorado is a drama set in the American Southwest during the Gold Rush. The play follows the story of Maria, a young Mexican woman who travels to California in search of a better life.

Maria meets a variety of characters along the way, including a ruthless gold miner, a sympathetic priest, and a Native American shaman. **El Dorado** is a powerful and moving play that explores the themes of immigration, identity, and the American Dream.

Oberon

Oberon is a fantasy play set in a magical forest. The play follows the story of Oberon, the king of the fairies, and his attempts to win the love of the beautiful Titania.

Oberon uses his magic to manipulate the lives of the humans who enter the forest, but his plans ultimately backfire. **Oberon** is a visually stunning and thought-provoking play that explores the themes of love, power, and illusion.

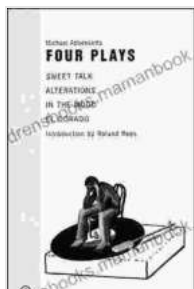
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