

Sheila Godman:

Title: RUSALKA

Company: Douglas Boyd and Garsington Opera.

Venue: Festival Theatre

Year: 2022

Asking my husband to accompany me to an Opera which included Water sprites, a Witch, Nymphs, and a Green Goblin seemed a bit of a gamble. However, from the moment the curtains opened to a stunning, intriguing set we were captivated until the final moments when the audience erupted into rapturous applause and a well-deserved standing ovation. The orchestra, the acrobats and aerialists, the lighting and stage effects and of course the glorious voices of the singers all made for a wonderful evening. This was simply one of the best performances we have ever seen.