

# AUDITION INFORMATION FOR DOTTIE AND DIGGER'S COUNTRY CHRISTMAS

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**AUDITION DATE:** Monday, October 28th between 7:00 and 8:30 p.m. No appointment necessary, show up and audition anytime between those hours

**CALLBACK DATE: TBD** 

### **AUDITION / REHEARSAL and CALLBACK LOCATION:**

Vista's Broadway Theater - 340 East Broadway, Vista, CA 92084

### WHAT TO BRING and PREPARE:

A headshot, resume, and conflict calendar so you can list your conflicts between October 28<sup>th</sup> and December 22nd. NO CONFLICTS will be allowed during the playing dates: December 6<sup>th</sup> through December 22<sup>nd</sup>. You will a need to be prepared a two minute – upbeat, son. A Country would be preferable but not necessary. Also come with a one minute comic monologue

**TENTATIVE REHEARSAL SCHEDULE:** A rehearsal schedule will be put together based on the conflicts the actors list on their audition forms at the auditions. It's an ensemble show and we need everyone in attendance. So, please, make sure you bring to the audition a calendar that lists any and ALL conflicts.

**PERFORMANCE DAYS:** December 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22 Performances are Thursday's, Friday's and Saturday's at 7:30 p.m. 2:00 p.m. matinees are on Saturday's and Sunday's,

**TECH WEEK:** December 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>.

## **EARLY SUBMISSION:**

We will take early submissions from anyone interested in auditioning. You can email us your headshot, resume, and all of your conflicts between October 28<sup>th</sup> and December 22nd. If you can't make the audition date, you will also need to send a video of you doing your 2 minute – upbeat song

Send everything to broadwayvista@gmail.com

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#### **SYNOPSIS:**

It's Christmas Eve at the Garden of Eatin' Cafe in Hogeye, Texas. Dottie and Digger, the owners, are preparing for their annual Christmas party when a freak blizzard traps their friends, family and a couple of strangers - one great with child - who were just sent away from the Hogeye Holiday Inn. Can you guess where this is going?

#### CHARACTER BREAKDOWN:

**Digger:** Pre Cast Broadway Theater co-owner Randall Hickman will be playing this role

**Dottie:** Age 45 to 60. Diggers Wife who co-owns the Garden of Eatin' café. Fun loving, hard working and must be able to sing.

**Mother Tucker:** Age 60 to 75. Dottie's Mother. Backwoods country woman with a heart of gold. Think Granny from the Beverley Hillbilly's.

**Pa Tucker:** This role has been pre-cast. It will be played by Broadway Theater co-owner, Douglas Davis

**Lula Mae:** Age 25 to 35. A waitress at the Garden of Eatin café who happens to be very pregnant. Both her parents are in jail and she is just a lovely, simple young woman who, at times, ain't playing with a full deck.

**Marla Jean:** Age 25 to 40. She is a high strung young lady who thinks she's famous because she appeared on the Jerry Springer show with her no good, cheatin Boyfriend who broke up with her on the air.

**Eleazar:** Age 25 to 35 He is all around busboy, handyman and dishwasher at the café. He's named after Moses son but everyone thinks he's Spanish.

**Doris and Horris Morris:** Ages 40 to 55 A very pregnant couple from out of town who end up at the café due to the blizzard. There was no room for them at the Hogeye Holiday Inn, so will their baby be born near the French Fry station?