KEREN HATARBUT PRESENTS

BATSHEVA

dance company of Israel

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THE MYTHICAL HUNTERS

Choreography:

Glen Tetley

Music:

Sedren Lartos (Imp)

Costumes:

Anthony Binstead

Lighting:

Haim Tchelet

In the totemic imagination there is no sharp division between man and nature, between the quick and the dead. Yesterday and tomorrow, in a manner inexplicable to us, merge into today.

And the hunter, his prey, and the hunted itself are one and the same.

The Dream-Age Ancestors:

The First Figure:

Rena Gluck

The Second Figure:

Rina Schenfeld

The Third Figure:

Nurit Stern

Dalya Levy

Laurie Freedman

Esther Nadler

The Hunters:

Ehud Ben-David

Moshe Efrati

Yaakov Sharir

Bruce Becker

Yair Mardi

Avner Vered

THE EXILES

Choreography:

Jose Limon

Music:

Second Chamber Symphony by Arnold Schoenberg

"They, looking back, all the eastern side beheld
Of Paradise, so late their happy seat."

John Milton, Paradise Lost

Nurit Stern

Rahamim Ron

SIN LIETH AT THE DOOR

Choreography: Moshe Efrati

Music: Noam Sheriff

Scenery: Danny Karavan

Lighting: Haim Tchelet

Costumes: Linda Hodes

In the eyes of the choreographer, Cain is a creative individual, thoroughly critical of the world around him and unwilling to abide by the conventional. Against him stands his brother Abel, who is his enemy, satisfied in his servitude..... and so, Cain, the outcast, is induced by temptation. This very temptation is personified in the being of the Demon, who tries to simplify the entangled and perverted world of Cain.

The slaying of Abel seems to Cain to be the only solution towards freeing himself from the burden and pressures imposed upon him as a result of Abel's existence.

The Demon Cain Abel

1) Rina Schenfeld 2) Moshe Efrati 3) Ehud Ben-David

REHEARSAL!...(?)

Choreography: Norman Morrice

Music: Moncayo-Pevueltas (Peer)

Costumes: Galya Gat

Lighting: Haim Tchelet

Towards the end of the creation of a new work there is a moment when the real and the unreal overlap, when rehearsal becomes performances and the line between what is true and what is simulated is impossible to define.

A Choreographer:

Rena Gluck

Dancers:

Moshe Efrati Nurit Stern Moshe Romano

and

Tselila Goldstein Dalya Levy Laurie Freedman

Ehud Ben-David Yaakov Sharir Bruce Becker