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Presence

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So Frenchy Productions and Erceg Management present

Presence

by Patrick van der Werf,
Winner of the 2002 Griffin Award for new playwriting
Winner of the Taffy Davis Memorial Award for Best New Play

The woman huddles in the dark, stiffened by swinging light globes and hanging rope.

The old man with his back to her, guards his bookshelf and his memories.

New breath fills cold space when the woman invites a young man into their house. As a voice of innocence, the young man fuels an altercation of past with present, where broken souls negotiate acts of friendship, in the search for the presence of the loving other.

In the midst of darkness, a compelling light, in the heart of 'presence', a glaring absence.

"... The play's rambunctious tone and brittle wit makes its glimpses of tender, wry affection all the more poignant."

Bryce Hallett, Sydney Morning Herald, July 12, 2002

A So Frenchy Production CLAIRE FRENCH (producer)

BRUCE DENNY (director)

TRISTEN PARR (music director)

URSULA ANDINACH (lighting designer)

with KINGSLEY JUDD KATYA SHEVTSOV SEBASTIANO GAVASSO
BRONWYN PEARSON BEN BROWN.

Presence is complemented by the merge of art-rock aesthetics, classical strings
and electronic sound scapes.

with DAN RUSSELL violin BRETT MURRAY keys/ electronics.

Presence is an Australian fable told by both actor and musician.

South
FLY BY NIGHT, Fremantle,
Wednesday 17th,
Thursday 18th and
Friday 19th September

North
SUBIACO ARTS CENTRE STUDIO,
Saturday 20th and
Sunday 21st September



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Tickets \$22 Concession \$26 Adult All shows start at 8pm Sunday 21st to start at 6pm

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