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# ALBAN



AN ORDINARY MAN WHO  
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**Music** Tom Wiggall    **Words** John Mole  
**Director** Beckie Mills    **Conductor** David Ireson

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*"...full of absorbing storytelling..."*

**Opera Now**

*"...fresh, witty, persuasive..."*

**Church Times**



**20-23 October at 7.30 pm**

In the church of St Alban the Martyr,  
Brooke Street,  
Holborn,  
EC1N 7RD

**Tickets**

£16 adult    £8 child under 16

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**Premiered in 2009 in St Albans Cathedral this 90-minute community opera drew national press acclaim and calls to take it to a wider audience.**

The opera is professionally staged with the highest artistic standards and involves 100 performers. Royal Shakespeare Company director, professional singers and orchestra work with adult and children's choruses drawn from the Holborn area and the City of London. Written especially for spectacular spaces the opera tells a dramatic, fast moving and inspiring story which will leave an enduring memory, for performers and audiences alike, of an ordinary man and his extraordinary fate.

**Soloists:** Philip Salmon, Dominique Thiébaud, Paul Sheehan, Louise Mott, Des Turner, Marina Barker, Georgina Thomas, Peter Sequiera

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## Tickets

**Online:** [www.albanopera.org.uk](http://www.albanopera.org.uk)

**Box Office:** 0844 412 4317

**Personal bookings:** Peacock Theatre WC2

Sadlers Wells EC1

(call number above for opening hours)

(Transaction fee applies to telephone & online bookings. No fee in person)

**On the door: Cash or cheque only**

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**Coach transport** for Saturday 23 October ONLY from St Albans, Herts to St Alban the Martyr church

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