

On a street in ancient Rome there are three adjacent houses: the brothel of Lycus, the proper house of Senex, and the house of Erronius. Pseudolus schemes to win the heart of the beautiful virgin, Philia, for his young master, Hero. In exchange, Hero will grant Pseudolus his freedom once and for all. However, things are never as easy as they seem. Chaos ensues with hair-brained schemes, cases of mistaken identity, slamming doors and convoluted plot twists - suddenly everybody is chasing everybody else - And, of course, the scheming Pseudolus wins his freedom.



## A FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON THE WAY TO THE FORUM

### AVAILABLE ROLES:

**Pseudolus:** A slave of Hero - sly, conniving, and longing for his freedom.

**Senex:** the perennially henpecked husband of Domina.

**Hero:** handsome son of Senex and Domina; a lovesick juvenile.

**Hysterium:** the frantic and frenetic straw boss of the Senex household.

**Lycus:** the snaky, slimy, lecherous procurer of courtesans.

**Tintinabula:** One of Lycus's courtesans.

**Panacea:** a courtesan

**The Geminae:** Twin courtesans

**Vibrata:** an exotic courtesan

**Gymnasia:** a voluptuous courtesan

**Philia:** beautiful and young; yet dumb, a *courtesan-in-training*.

**Erronius:** A befuddled old man who is partially blind and always confused.

**Miles Gloriosus:** A roman soldier, handsome, strong—and pompous.