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In this silent horror classic, aspiring young opera singer Christine Daaé (Mary Philbin) discovers that she has a mysterious admirer intent on helping her become a lead performer. This enigmatic masked presence is Erik, the Phantom (Lon Chaney), a disfigured recluse who lives underneath the Paris Opera House. When the Phantom takes Christine prisoner and demands her devotion and affection, her suitor, Vicomte Raoul de Chagny (Norman Kerry), sets out to rescue her. SPIVEY HALL

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Known for his unbridled virtuosity and passion for making organ music vibrant and accessible to a wide and diverse audience, David is one of the most sought-after concert organists of his generation.

At age 17, David obtained his FRCO (Fellow of the Royal College of Organists) diploma, winning the Silver Medal of the Worshipful Company of Musicians. From 1981-84 he was Organ Scholar at King's College Cambridge, during which time he also studied with Jean Langlais in Paris.

He teaches performance at Cambridge University, frequently serves on international organ competition juries, and gives master classes at colleges and conservatories across the U.S. and Europe.

David has held numerous positions in North America and the U.K. He is currently the Artist-in-Residence at the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine in New York City.

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Swell Organ

(Manual III; Expressive)

Gedeckt Principal Viole de Gambe Viole Céleste Flûte a Cheminée Flauto Dolce Flûte Céleste (T.C) Principal Flûte Venetienne Nazard Flûte a Bec Tierce Plein Jeu III Cymbale II Petite Bombarde Trompette

1) 16' 16' 8' 8' 4' 2 - 2 ^{8'} 2' 1 - 3/5'	Voix Humaine Echo Voix Humaine Clairon Trompette-en-Chamade Tremulant Sub Octave Coupler Unison Off Super Octave Coupler Choir/Positif Organ	8 8' 4' 8' 16' 4'
1 - 1/3' 1/2'	(Manual I; Expressive)	
1/2 16' 8' 8'	Dulciana Viola Pomposa Viola Celeste Holzgedackt	16' 8' 8' 8'
16′	Erzähler Erzähler Celeste	8' 8'
4'	Ottava Koppelflöte Nazard Fifteenth Flute	4' 4' 2 - 2/3' 2' 2'
e)	Tierce Larigot	1 - 3/5′ 1 - 1/3′
16' 8' 8' 8' 8' 8' 8' 4'	Sifflöte Ripieno IV Basson Trompette Harmonique Cromorne English Horn Chalumeau Trompette-en-Chamade (Great)	1' 16' 8' 8' 8' 4' 8'
4' 2 - 2/3' 2' 1 - 3/5'	Harp Celesta Chimes Zymbelstern	8′ 4′
2' 1/2'	Tremulant Sub Octave Coupler	16′
16′ 8′	Unison Off Super Octave Coupler	4′

8'

Pedal Organ		Inter-Manual Couplers		
(Unenclosed)		Swell to Great	16′, 8′, 4′	
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Choir/Positif to Great	16′, 8′, 4′	
Contra Principal *	32′	Swell to Choir/Positif	16′, 8′, 4′	
Contre Bourdon *	32′	Choir/Positif to Swell	8′	
Principal	16′	Great to Choir/Positif	8′	
Montre (Great)	16′	Great to Pedal	8′, 4′	
Soubasse	16′	Swell to Pedal	8′, 4′	
Bourdon (Great)	16′	Choir Positif to Pedal	8′, 4′	
Gedeckt (Swell)	16′			
Dulciana (Choir) 16'		Combination Pistons		
Octave	8′	Generals	10	
Flute	8′	Great	8 + Cancel	
Gedeckt (Swell)	8′	Swell	8 + Cancel	
Prestant	4′	Choir/Positif	8 + Cancel	
Nachthorn	4′	Pedal	8 + Cancel	
Mixture IV	2 - 2/3′	General Cancel		
Piccolo	2′	Tutti - (Full Organ)		
Contre Bombarde	32′	Adjustable Crescendo	Pedal Set-	
Bombarde	16′	tings	4	
Bombarde (Great)	16′			
Petite Bombarde (Swell)	16′			
Basson (Choir)	16′			
Trompette	8′			
Clairon	4′			
Chalumeau (Choir) 4'				
Trompette-en-Chamade (Great) 8'			
Clairon-en-Chamade (Gre	at) 4'			

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