

THE GOLDEN PATHWAY ANNUAL by John harding & John Burrows

# Characters

George Peters Peter Wale Enid Peters Patrice Sheldon Michael Peters Noel Russell June, Miss Jones, William, Lady, Mlle, Kate Hayward Girl Friend. Officer, Collins, Vadia, Owen, Mr. Seth, Roger, The Head, Danny Long Irishman, Magistrate, Doorman.

Play Directed and Designed by Andrew Kitchen

Production	Manager	Andrew Burgess
Production	Assistant	EPamela Osbourne
Lighting		Colin Tufnell
Projection	Effects	Mark Campbell
Sound		Colin Tufnell
		Paul Ormiston
Properties		Jan Vigar
		Ruth White
		Danusia Iwaszko
Wardrobe		Barbara Johnston
Stage Assistant		Yvonne Harper Ashly Young

### ACT I

JULY 26 1945:LIVERPOOL Britain gets a socialist Government but ex-corporal Peters finds some are more equal than others.

JULY27 1945:FULHAM A hero's welcome and a bulge baby's begetting.

1948 The age of Austerity.

## 1951

George & Enid ensure Michael's future for less than the price of 10 cigarettes a week.

#### 1951

For the young child the world is full of dangers. Not the least of these is the possessive parent.

### 1951

Michael wants to be Jack the Giant Killer and make his mum and dad rich.

### 1952

George and the Dragon.George asks for a rise and gets fired.

June 3 1953 A Primary School Teacher takes her 2 small pupils to the Coronation and makes them loyal subjects.

### 1955

2 ardent fans of Winston Churchill exchange their souvenirs of the great man.

SUMMER 1956 BOGNOR REGIS The Peters family try to have a holiday.

### 1957

"And the hopes of the fathers shall be visited upon the sons" A pep talk.

### 1957

Michael catches a thief with the Famous Five, but their enemies aren't his enemies.

# ACT II

# 1957

The Arnold Riley Grammar School.

### 1958

Michael imagines himself a missionary saving black sinners, and enjoys the delicious pain of self-sacrifice.

### 1961

"Don't lark about with a girl whom you would not like your mother or sister to see you with.Don't make love to any girl unless you mean to marry her"-Baden Powell,Scouting for boys.

### 1961

"The Art of Conversation"is brought home by Michael from the grammar school.Its chances of survival are slim.

### 1963

Michael Peters, seeing himself as James Bond, takes on 'The Head' and gives the French Assistante more than she bargained for.

### 1964

Speech Day

JULY 18,1964 For the Arnold Riley prize-winner honesty is the best policy.But the Arnold Riley prize-giver finds the truth inconveient.

## JULY 18,1964

Michael's untried theory that anyone who is prepared to make the necessary effort can succeed in life,doesn't correspond with George's lifetimes experience.

#### 1966

Paint ona wall or paint ona person but not at the same time.Michael has a lot to learn.

### 1966

New Years Eve.Michaels parents know something's wrong and Enid tries to define it. 1967 Michael finds that like the pound his degree has been devalued.

1968 Michael meets the famous Five a second time.Their enemies are still not his enemies.

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