

## AIDA

*with Port Bus to Sydney Opera House*

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> & Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2021**



### ***Tour Summary:***

**This is a story of love so strong it defies enemy lines**

This is a story of a kingdom in triumph and a nation in chains. This is a story of betrayal. Verdi's monumental music makes this historic epic an enduring favourite. Davide Livermore's radiant production is a thrilling theatrical experience.

Ten towering digital screens create ever-changing floor-to-ceiling set pieces. Immersive digital video design ranges from rich symbolism to vivid landscapes.

Opulent costumes and props reflect the splendour of Egypt at the height of its power. Together with dramatic video, the massed grandeur of the famous Triumphal March is a visual and musical feast. Lorenzo Passerini and Tahu Matheson conduct two magnificent casts. Sensational American soprano Leah Crocetto performs as the enslaved princess, Aida, before Elena Guseva takes over. Elena Gabouri reprises her critically acclaimed turn as Aida's rival, Amneris, sharing the role with the stunning Agnieszka Rehlis.

Italian tenor Stefano La Colla performs as Radamès, the man they both love, sharing the role with Najmiddin Mavlyanov, making his Opera Australia debut.

**Sung in Italian, with English surtitles**

### ***Highlights:***

- AIDA
- Paddy's Markets
- Osteria Il Coccia

***Inclusions:*** Return transport, Port Bus welcome pack + daily H2O, 1 x dinner @Great Southern Bar, a x night accommodation @ Great Southern Hotel, Show + booking fees, 1 x breakfast, and 1 x lunch.

### ***Itinerary:***

**Day 1:** Pickups will commence by 10:30. Lunch stop @ Heatherbrae (choose between Heatherbrae Pies, Hungry Jacks, KFC or Guzman & Gomez own cost). Approximate arrival and check in is 16:30. Dinner at 17:30 so we can depart to the Opera House by 18:25 for a showtime of 19:30.

**Day 2:** After breakfast there is a half hour window to pop over to Paddy's markets before we depart at 10:30. Keeping with the Italian theme we will have lunch at Osteria Il Coccia in Ettalong Beach. Comfort stop at Station Creek rest area and drop offs should commence by 17:30.

**B Reserve: \$624 pp twin | \$679 pp single**

### ***For more information or to book;***

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