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From the folks who brought you *All Hams on Deck*

Brock & John Productions presents
Joe White and the Seven Divorcées

a new musical comedy
book by John Mitchell
music & lyrics by Brock Simpson

Joe White and the Seven Divorcées is the story of an innocent confronting jealousy, a mirror, a poisoned apple, and seven seriously unhappy women. Joe's father wants to kill him. The divorcées want to help him. Ultimately, Joe must find his own destiny.

Brock & John were a popular musical comedy duo in the 90's. Their first show was at the 1991 Fringe, *An Evening With Brock & John*. They have since collaborated on several musicals, including: *Honest Ed*, *The Bargain Musical* (with *Drowsy Chaperone* lyricist Lisa Lambert), *People Park* (2000 Fringe), and *All Hams On Deck* (Chosen one of the outstanding productions of the 2005 SummerWorks Festival).

Brock Simpson's critically acclaimed musical *This Could Be Love* (directed by Mitchell) garnered a Dora nomination for lead actress Krista Sutton. It was remounted at the New York Musical Theatre Festival, and was recently produced at Lunchbox Theatre in Calgary. Simpson has written several musicals for the Fringe, most recently *Lust Labour's Lost*. Mitchell was instrumental in the initial creative development of *The Drowsy Chaperone* and originated the role of The Groom. He went on to become associate director in charge of musical staging for two Toronto productions, including the Mirvish production under director Daniel Brooks. Mitchell is currently finishing production on his first documentary (with collaborator Jonathan Crombie), *Waiting For Ishtar*.

Joe White and the Seven Divorcées
presented by Brock & John Productions
as part of



Book by John Mitchell, Music & Lyrics by Brock Simpson
produced by John Mitchell and MK Piatkowski
Directed by John Mitchell, Musical Direction by Brock Simpson
The Bathurst St Theatre

736 Bathurst (the SW corner of Bathurst and Lennox)

Wednesday June 30 @ 10:30pm

Saturday July 3 @ 11pm

Monday July 5 @ 4:45pm

Wed July 7 @ 9:15pm

Thurs July 8 @ 1:45pm

Friday July 9 @ noon

Saturday July 10 @ 7:30pm

All tickets \$10 at the door,

or book in advance by calling the Fringe Hotline at 416.966.1062 or online at www.fringetoronto.com

Fringe Passes are also available after June 5, 2010, for more info visit www.fringetoronto.com

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