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She Loves Me
at the Horton Grand Theatre

This year San Diego Musical Theatre opens the 2020 season with a show to deliver on old world charm and affairs of the heart. From the creative team behind *Fiddler on the Roof* and based on a play that became both the Jimmy Stewart movie, *The Shop Around the Corner* and the '90s classic *You've Got Mail*, ***She Loves Me*** is a charming romantic comedy about idealism and the promise of true love, guaranteed to lift your spirits and leave you grinning.

Set in a 1930s European perfumery, we meet shop clerks, Amalia and Georg, who, more often than not, don't see eye to eye. After both respond to a "lonely hearts advertisement" in the newspaper, they now live for the love letters that they exchange, but the identity of their admirers remains unknown.

She Loves Me was nominated for five Tony Awards in 1964. The 1993 Broadway revival won the Olivier Award for Best Musical Revival, the Drama Desk Award for Outstanding Revival of a Musical and the 1994 Critics Circle Award for Best Musical. *She Loves Me* is a warm romantic comedy with an endearing innocence and a touch of old world elegance.

This heart-warming musical will be musically led by critically acclaimed, Don LeMaster but welcomes some new creative experts to the team including Director Richard Israel and Lauren Haughton. Richard Israel has been a member of the Los Angeles theatre community for over 20