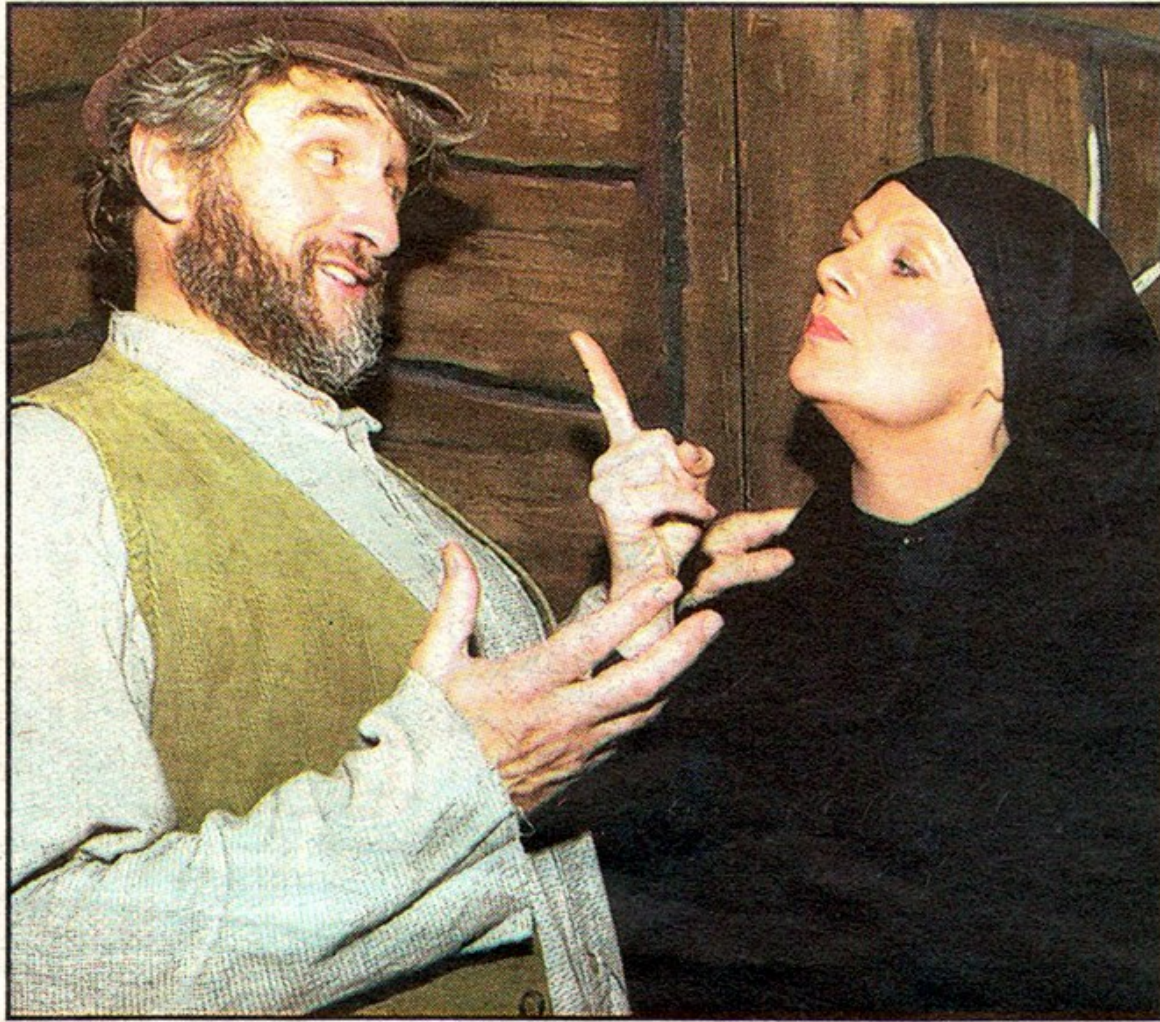


# Tradition v. Love



● **ON SONG:** Bob Gibbon and Trish Roberts played the lead roles in Worle Operatic's *Fiddler On The Roof*. **BB**

**AUTHENTIC** costumes, scenery and rousing music combined with stunning voices to make a moving performance of the musical *Fiddler on the Roof*.

It was the third time Worle Operatic and Dramatic Society has staged the show, with such famous songs as *If I Were A Rich Man* and *Tradition* setting the main theme of the story.

*Fiddler* is set in a village called Anatevka where life is based on tradition. Milkman Tevye, played by Bob Gibbons, and his wife Golde, played by Trish Roberts, have five daughters and one by one the oldest three defy the traditions to marry the men they love.

Meanwhile the Russian Tzar is causing problems which will affect everyone in the community.

Memorable performances were put in by many cast members particularly Lizzie Tarleton as Hodel when she sang *Far From The Home I Love* and Bob Gibbons's rendition of *If I Were A Rich Man*.

Jan Binding made a believable Yente, the Matchmaker, and Lisa-Marie Smith gave a strong, if somewhat scary, performance as the late Grandma Tzeitel.

Congratulations should go to all the society members for another stunning show.

Next year's production, *My Fair Lady*, is sure to be something to look forward to.

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