Costume Guide

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Please try checking on Amazon, Ebay or Wish or at Thrift stores.

Try to order things right away in case they are coming from across the seas. This is a very costume heavy show, but doing period shows are always harder. Thank you so much for all of your work on this! If you have any costume questions, or want to have something approved before you purchase it, send pictures to me. Also, if you are a lead, try to think of how many costumes you will logically need. If you are seen many times, try to come up with a few options that are similar, but different. Add elements or take elements away to change things up.

Thank you so much! Happy shopping! This is going to be a fabulous show!!!

Jean Valjean

1. Prison shirt and pants. Add distressed overcoat
2. Period suit
3. Add Inverness overcoat
4. Military coat over existing pants and shirt with boots

Javert

1. Navy double-breasted military coat, vest, pants, shirt, and cravat. Military shako hat
2. Navy and gray military style suit, French bi-corn
3. Simple frock coat and string tie
4. Add overcoat and top hat

Marius

1. Tail or frock coat, shirt, cravat, vest, pants
2. Black tails with white cravat and gloves

Cosette

1. Plain but elegant day dress and bonnet
2. Wedding gown with veil, hoop, bloomers

Thenardier

1. Ratty military coat, leather apron, pants, shirt, liberty cap, vest, socks
2. Outdated brocade suit coat, knickers, jabot, vest, socks

Madame Thenardier

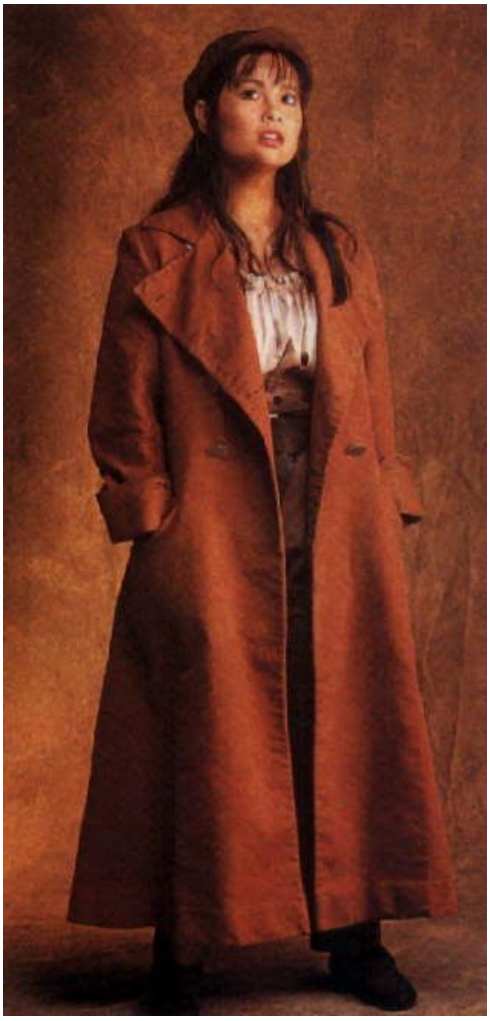
1. Unkempt dress or skirt and blouse, apron
2. Royal blue, yellow, pink gown

Fantine

1. Empire work dress, cap, royal blue apron
2. Seedy unkempt street walker skirt, blouse, corset, cap, finger-less gloves, bloomers *Corset made from calico dress
3. White nightgown

Eponine

1. Skirt, chemise, cap, petticoat
2. Chemise, pants, overcoat, and cap. Add bloody chemise



Young Cosette , Young Eponine

Eponine

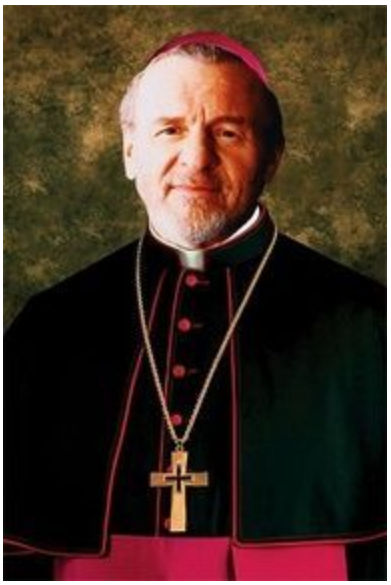
1. Plain but nice blue dress, bonnet

Cosette

1. Torn and tattered top, pants, cap
2. Black dress with lace collar (Quick change)

Bishop of Digne

1. Nightshirt, robe or shawl
2. Clerical garment and beretta hat



Students/Revolutionaries

Pants & shirt, with assorted cravats, vests, jackets, liberty caps, red/white/blue sashes (sashes provided)

Court/Onlooker Crowd/Customer

Assorted suits, shirts, jackets, shawls, etc
Various period streetwear

Poor Ensemble

Shabby shirts and pants, shawls, skirts, jackets, vests

Girl (Factory Worker)

Assorted calico skirts, blouses, bonnets, dresses, etc.
Men: Assorted pants, shirts, neckerchiefs, vests, etc
Aprons will be provided

Wedding Guest

Wedding Ladies: Assorted ball gowns with gloves, hats, hoops, bright colors

Wedding Men: Assorted Victorian tailcoats, black pants, brocade vests, white cravat

Chain Gang/Convict

White sweat suit with no hood (they will be distressed and tinted for you)

Lovely Ladies

Assorted tattered, unkempt skirts, chemise, corsets, hats, petticoats, bloomers, black spats. Nothing too promiscuous. I would prefer nothing too exposed.

Pimp/Bamatabois

Pimp : Garish period tail jacket, colorful but shabby pants and vest, shirt, distressed top hat

Bamatabois : Fussy gentleman's suit, hat

Constable/Army Officer/Sailor

Constable: Deep navy, uniform tail coats, vest, pants, French bi-corn hat

Sailor: High waisted navy blue or black pants, and a loose white button up shirt. We will be adding collars.

Foreman/Gavroche

Factory Foreman: Shabby frock suit, shirt, vest, cravat

Gavroche: Tattered shirt and jacket, distressed pants, neckerchief, cap

Scared Woman: refer to page 14
Scared girl: refer to page 14
Laborer: refer to page 15 (add old apron)
Nun: nun habit
Cart woman: refer to page 14
Accused man:refer to page 14
Accused Man’s children: refer to page 14
Nurse: nun habit or plain white dress/cloak that looks suitable for the time period.