

Amahl and the Night Visitors

By Gian Carlo Menotti



ENGAGEMENT GUIDE

With this guide, we invite you to spend time together exploring the many wonderful themes of Menotti's *Amahl and the Night Visitors*: kindness; generosity (the act of being giving); empathy (sharing and understanding others' feelings); and the importance of family.

Click on the stars below to explore and engage in *Amahl and the Night Visitors*.

The documents have links to other documents or webpages, identified by underlined words in blue. Click on those words to get to activities and information.

Discuss the information and questions with your family, friends or a group of students and use your own paper to write or draw your answers to the questions. If you like, you can share your answers with Lyric Opera of Kansas City. The opera company may use your answers in their publicity materials or social media posts. You will need to sign on with a Gmail email account.

We recommend that you explore the **Holiday Traditions** and both **Art Inspirations** before you see the opera. The other activities can be done before or after you see the show.

To learn even more about *Amahl and the Night Visitors*, see the [Research](#) document. Educators please see the [Materials for Educators](#) document with Common Core and State Standards and Visual Thinking Strategies details.

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