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SINNER.

A One Woman Musical Tragicomedy About Breaking Up with White Jesus
Written and Performed by Marla Torgerson

COME FOR THE COMEDY. STAY FOR THE CATHARSIS.

Coming to Theatre Passe Muraille this July, **SINNER.** is a virtuosic and irreverent one woman musical tragicomedy that asks what happens when a good girl from the Alberta Bible Belt stops shrinking. Blending killer vocals, sharp comedy, and poetic storytelling, it feels like if Fleabag went to Bible college. Equal parts hilarious and healing.

Refined through 2025 workshop runs in both the American and Canadian Bible belts, the piece evolved through post-show audience conversations into a deeply resonant theatrical experience.

Written and performed by Marla Torgerson, a Bachelor of Music in Opera graduate and internationally performing singer-songwriter with enough Bible College education to be a Pastor...the show pairs powerhouse vocals and biting comedic timing with surgical Biblical Exegetical precision. Her Bible College education, now serving to demystify the theology that both confined and defined her. She now wields it as both punchline and precision tool.

One Calgary audience member wrote after her first viewing,

"The soul healing I didn't know I still needed."

Boomer women, elder millennials, ex-vangelicals, and anyone who has ever felt like too much have found themselves reflected in this story.

Toronto Fringe will be bring the full scale 90 minute version into the world, with a full band and the *FORTE Gay Men's Chorus* voices bringing us home in the finale (*spoiler). Toronto is the Canadian springboard, as **SINNER.** launches into its 2026 Edinburgh Fringe season.

It is a very big year to *Put the HER in Heresy.*

*TUE	30 JUNE :	9:45P
*FRI	3 JULY :	5:15P
*SUN	5 JULY :	9:30P
*MON	6 JULY :	7:00P
*TUE	7 JULY :	3:00P
*FRI	10 JULY :	7:00P
*SAT	11 JULY :	NOON

Presented as part of the 2026 Toronto Fringe Festival with the *Alliance for Canadian Musicals*

Venue: Theatre Passe Muraille

Tickets available June 3, 2026 at fringetoronto.com

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