

Costume Plot

GUYS AND DOLLS

**Time:**Sometime In The 1940'S **Place**Broadway, New York; Havana, Cuba

**SARAH BROWN: A SALVATION ARMY:**

1. Salvation army uniform: Red tailored jacket with insignia, A-line skirt, bonnet, cape. [White blouse](http://www.costumeworldtheatrical.com/plot-guys-and-dolls.php) with a few feminine ruffles at the neck.
2. Wedding Dress (optional)

**SKY MASTERSON: A HANDSOME GAMBLER:**

1. Pinstripe suit, shirt, tie, fedora
2. Change of suit for Act II
3. A Salvation Army uniform: Red tailored jacket with insignia, black pants, black visored hat

**MISS ADELAIDE: SINGER AT THE HOT BOX CLUB:**

1. A street dress or suit. Cute but a little tacky. She has no taste.
2. Optional 2nd day dress or suit.
3. Farm Girl outfit: Denim and gingham dress with matching briefs.
4. Dressing gown – “A Person Could Develop a Cold”
5. Blue ripaway gown, "mink" stole, pillbox hat, tear away beads, Tap pants and tank top in royal Blue
6. Wedding gown and veil. Long petticoat, if necessary.

**NATHAN DETROIT: ADELAID'S FIANCÉE, A GAMBLER:**

1. Period suit, shirt, blue tie, slouch hat.
2. Optional change of suit
3. Charcoal tail coat, striped pants, gray vest, white shirt, striped tie, top hat, red turtleneck sweater

**TIN HORN GAMBLERS:**

(Includes Benny Southstreet, Nicely-Nicely Johnson, Rusty Charlie, Liver Lips Louis, Harry the Horse, Society Max, Angie the Ox, Joey Biltmore, Big Jule, Pickpocket and other chorus gamblers)

(Each) Double Breasted suit, shirt, tie, fedora

**SALVATION ARMY PEOPLE:**

(Includes Arvide Abernathy, Calvin, General Mathilda B. Cartwright, Agatha, Marth and other extras)

(Each) Same as Sarah's without cap or blouse, of same as Sky's #2

**M.C. AT THE HOT BOX:**

1. Formal jacket, pants, shirt, tie, vest or cummerbund

**HOT BOX GIRLS: (MIMI, ALLISON, FERGUSON, VERNON)**

1. A street dress or suit. They have no taste either. (Each)
2. Farm Girl Costumes outfit. (Plus dressing gown for Mimi only) Each
3. Same as Adelaide's #3 costume (Each)

**CUBAN DANCERS:**

(Each) Bright ruffled sleeve bolero tops, black pants, ruffled Carmen Miranda style dresses for the women.

**LT. BRANNIGAN: A N.Y. POLICEMAN**

Navy policeman's jacket, pants, hat, nightstick

**OTHERS:**

1. Waiter (Specify Havana or Hot Box) – shirt, pants, vests; colorful shirts for Havaha
2. Crowd at the Hot Box- Evening attire dresses and suits
3. Heavyweight prizefighter out jogging – boxing shorts, robe and boxng gloves
4. His Manager - Suit
5. Sightseeing Texan – Rich looking Western Jacket, pants, shirt, bolo tie, cowboy hat
6. His wife – extravagant but gaudy dress and stole
7. Sightseers, various – Period day wear
8. Guide - Suit
9. Bobbie soxers – Circle Skirts, shirts, sweater sets, scarves
10. Actors, recognized on the street – Elegant attire
11. Street walkers (as in flowers of the evening) – slightly trashy attire
12. Paper Doll Vendor - suit
13. His Assistant - suit
14. Blind Man – dark suit, trench coat, cane