

# Now

**Composer:** Avner Dorman  
**Year:** 2018  
**Duration:** 12 min  
**Orchestration:** pf, dmkit, vn, va, vc, db  
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## Program Note

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### Cast

HER - female (cisgender): Soprano  
PHYLLIS - female (transgender):  
Mezzo-soprano  
HE - male (cisgender): Tenor  
SHE - female (transgender): Baritone  
(traditional male voice type)

### Note

Now is the second of a series of streaming opera webisodes from Houston Grand Opera.

Worlds are turned upside down for two couples when a partner in each couple undergoes a gender transition. Based on true events, Now explores losing what you thought you had and gaining something you could never imagine.

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