

Ron Raines

A Tony Award-nominee for the acclaimed production of *Follies*, Ron has had an illustrious international career spanning musical theater, opera, concert, and television. Born and raised in Texas, Ron Raines attended Oklahoma City University and The Juilliard School. He was a three-time Emmy and Soap Opera Digest Award nominee for his role as villain Alan Spaulding on CBS's longest running daytime drama *Guiding Light*. Ron has appeared on *Elementary* and *Person Of Interest*. He starred on Broadway in *Annie*, *Newsies*, *Chicago* and *Show Boat*, and originated the role of Nick Longworth in *Teddy and Alice* with Len Cariou.

He has delighted audiences around the world with his memorable starring roles in virtually every major American musical and operetta, including *A Little Night Music*, *The Unsinkable Molly Brown*, *South Pacific*, *Annie*, *Kismet*, *Sayonara*, *Kiss Me Kate*, *The King and I*, *Naughty Marietta*, *The Merry Widow*, *Brigadoon*, *Rose Marie*, *Oklahoma!*, *Carousel*, *Side by Side* by Sondheim, *Guys and Dolls*, and *Man of La Mancha* at the Covent Garden Festival. He has soloed with over 50 major American and international orchestras, including the Boston Pops, the Philly Pops, the BBC Concert Orchestra, the Jerusalem Symphony, and the Israel Philharmonic, and has performed at Carnegie Hall, the 92nd Street Y, Tanglewood, the London Palladium, *Rainbow and Stars*, and Royal Festival Hall. He has appeared on four PBS "Great Performances," and has made two solo recordings on Jay Records and numerous cast albums. He lives in New York City with his wife and daughter.

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