BRADLEY DALEY – Siegfried *Götterdämmerung* In Kiel, March 2018



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The press extracts:

... es gibt viel zu sehen in dieser, Götterdämmerung". Doch die finale Produktion des neuen Kieler "Rings" ist eher ein Genuss für die Ohren.

Denn Bradley Daley gibt eine unbelehrbar juvenilen Siegfried, der allerdings ebenso unbeschwert und leichtgängig singt.. findet vor allem in Höhenlagen ihre glanzvollen Stärken.

... there is much to see in this 'Twilight of the Gods'. The final production of the new Kiel "Ring" is truly a delight for the ears.

...Bradley Daley is a magnificently youthful Siegfried who sings just as carefree and easily ... shown especially in his brilliant and strong high notes.

Here also is an article describing in more detail the concepts behind this new production of the Ring. <u>https://www.hansen-munk.de/2018/03/11/was-richard-wagners-musik-erzaehlt/</u>



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From Bradley:

The premiere of *Götterdämmerung* couldn't have gone better! We enjoyed a full house and a standing ovation at the end.

I have my wife Natali and two children with me for the entire six months this time, which is lovely. My girls have settled into a German bilingual Gymnasium school in Kiel and are working on their language skills, making friends and generally having a wonderful cultural experience. There has been lots of snow, a rare treat for us all coming from the Gold Coast. Natali is enjoying a well-earned break from work for the first time in our married life.

The Opera company have found us a lovely loft apartment in Russee on the outskirts of Kiel. The girls each have their own room and, being a loft apartment, we enjoy plenty of natural light through the various skylights. There are also many walks and plenty of natural beauty to enjoy right on our doorstep.

Please pass on my regards to my friends in the Wagner Society. I look forward to seeing you all again later in the year for *Peter Grimes*.

Best wishes, Bradley Daley