

Our Unfortunate Deaths

Commissioned and premiered by Mocean Dance, March 2010

Choreography by Sharon Moore

3 dancers, 35 minutes

Have they lost their minds? No...only their way.

In a desperate grasp to invigorate their dwindling lives, three women (once a royal sisterhood) use their beauty, prowess and brutal force to stay alive. Each strike, each breath, each deliberate move to persist wraps them further into an entwining nightmare. Their only escape is the passion in which they take part in their old world games and long ago manners. Part fable, part murder mystery, part physical marathon *Our Unfortunate Deaths* is a story of survival...however messy that may be.

“Sharon Moore creates unique and complete worlds and then opens peepholes for those who are brave enough to peer in.”

Director/Juno Award Winner Gerry Atwell

Music: Bach – *Concerto in D minor*;

Beethoven – *Piano Sonata #13 in E flat* and *Piano Sonata #15 in D*

Costume Design: Rachael Grant

Lighting Design: Martin Saintonge

