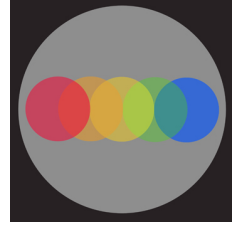


**Pembroke Players**  
**Rights of Passage**  
 by **Clare Summerskill**



**Their voices have been taken away from them. Now come hear their stories**

**Rights of Passage**, written by **Claire Summerskill**, is a harrowing and hard-hitting play which provides an authentic and heartbreaking insight into the lives of three LGBT+ refugees and the struggles they face, with much of the dialogue transcribed from interviews.

**Miremba**, a Ugandan woman forced to leave her girlfriend and marry.

**Izzuddin**, a Malay man whose scholarship is removed when his sexuality is revealed.

**Hamed**, an Iranian man who is told by the British Home Office that he is not gay.

In their countries they are defined and oppressed based on their sexuality, in England their identity is denied without evidence. They are all asylum seekers, they are all LGBT+, and their stories are all true.

**Pembroke Players** are one of Cambridge University's most inclusive and alternative drama societies as they have been welcoming people from all walks of life for the last 60+ years. **Rights of Passage** is in keeping with their philanthropic philosophy, as the performance tackles some of society's darkest issues by bringing them into the light.

"Unmissable" ★★★★★☆ by *Varsity*

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