Sophocles

Hello, my name is Sophocles (Sof-uh-kleez). Many consider me to be the most famous Greek dramatist. I wrote over one hundred plays. Only seven still exist today. Among them are the Greek tragedies Oedipus Rex (eh-dih-pus rex) and Antigone (ann-tig-ih-nee). I wrote stories with sad endings that tell of man's conflicts and morals. I wanted to not only entertain my audience but educate them as well.

Performance Instructions: Dress in a Greek tunic and carry two drama masks, one depicting a sad face and one depicting a smiling face. After speaking, hold up one and make the same face that it has, then switch and make the face of the other!

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