

# Télérama sortir

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## **An Address to the Academy**

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Kafka's text, often played on stage, tells of the life of Red Peter, an ape captured during a hunting trip and condemned to becoming human in order to escape his cage. He relives his experience in front of a panel of Academicians by remembering the past he still carries traces of.

Erik Stouvenaker gives us a profound, melancholic interpretation with feelings of exile, nostalgia and solitude. There are just a few ape-like discreet gestures to remind us of his true identity.

This show played profoundly becomes a parable on the tragic human nature.