



Having worked in television, movies, as well as the Broadway stage, versatile actress, Sandra Santiago, was last seen at NY City Center's Production of "Promenade" as "Mother." You can catch her in the two indies, "Rare Objects" directed by Katie Holmes, and "Don Q" starring Armand Assante. Sandra made her Broadway debut in Arthur Miller's 1st Tony award nominated revival of "A View from the Bridge" as "Catherine" opposite Tony LoBianco. She has continued to move in and out of theatre and t.v., such as, The Hallmark's Movie channel presentation of "Meddling Mom," opposite Sonia Braga, playing her cougar sister, "Valeria," C.B.S.'s "Person of Interest," and the short lived series "The Unusuals," She had a recurring role in the 1st season of FX's "Damages" starring Glenn Close. Most recently she played "Beatriz" in "Hightown" Her most memorable t.v. role, was that of "Dt. Gina Calabrese" on the cult NBC show, "Miami Vice" for 5 seasons. She also portrayed twins, "Jeannie Cusamano" and "Joan" on David Chase's critically acclaimed HBO series, "The Sopranos". In between tv gigs such as the "Law and Orders," "Madame Secretary," etc. she's done several small films, including Spike Lee's, "25th Hour," "The House that Jack Built," "Garmento," and even some Shorts, such as "Bruja" filmed entirely in Panama in a remote Indian village. She's most happy working with her longtime mentor, Broadway director & choreographer, Graciela Daniele, who utilized her musical talents in the Tony nominated musical "Chronicle of a Death Foretold," Lincoln Center's musical production of "Hello Again," and the musical production of "Smile," and Lincoln Center's production of the musical, "Bernarda" opposite Phylicia Rashad, as "Angustias." She even toured nationally throughout the states playing "Eva" in the musical "Evita." She has starred opposite the likes of the late great Sidney Poitier & Elizabeth Montgomery in MOWs, the talented Antonio Banderas in the Tony award winning revival of "Nine" on Broadway, to the sublime Kevin Bacon, Off-Broadway, in "Spike Heels." On Daytime, Sandra created the role of "Carmen Santos" on CBS's longest running soap opera, Guiding Light. For her role, Santiago was the 2002 recipient of an Alma Award for Outstanding Actress in a Daytime Drama and nominated several times. She also played the recurring role of "Carlotta Vega" on ABC's "One Life to Live". She's a member of the famed, Actor's Studio in New York City. Santiago holds a BFA from the University of Miami, and an MFA from Southern Methodist University. She was born in the Bronx.

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