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Popular Comedian Stars in New Sitcom

Torrance, California – August 30, 2010 — Stand-up comedy veteran Scott Wood stars in the just-released pilot of a new comedy series, “My Life in Punchlines.”

The show casts Wood as a freelance comedy writer who’ll crank out anything from TV scripts to greeting cards for a laugh (and a paycheck). His wife, Jenny, is smart, beautiful... and incredibly patient. Emily, their daughter, is working through the challenges of the ‘tween years. Scott’s live-in mother-in-law may be his biggest source of frustration, but it’s one of the show’s biggest sources of *laughs*, thanks to their ongoing war of wisecracks. Rounding out the cast is Mark Christopher Lawrence (from NBC’s “Chuck”), who plays Scott’s friend, foil and writing partner.

In the pilot episode, titled “Jones for This, Jones for That,” Scott’s wacky plan to get his own way goes horribly, hilariously wrong after he fails to convince Jenny that he needs to hire a gardener.

Wood crafted the original concept of the series himself, basing it on his real-life experience as a white comedian married to an African-American woman. Many of the jokes are drawn from his popular stand-up routines known for being funny, family-friendly and *clean*. “It’s time for a sitcom that doesn’t measure comedy by crudeness,” Wood says. “You can get people to laugh without resorting to sexual innuendo and ‘my-dad’s-an-idiot’ jokes.”

The show was developed, directed and co-written by Steve Harris, original producer and co-creator of the long-running radio drama series, “Adventures in Odyssey,” heard on over 6,000 stations worldwide. Harris says, “People like Bill Cosby and Dick Van Dyke have proven that family values can be funny. We want to be an up-to-date example of that time-honored tradition.”

Scott Wood, known as “Mr. Punchline,” keeps audiences laughing with a rapid-fire delivery of one-liners and impressions. He has performed full-time for nearly twenty years at clubs, colleges, churches and on television. He was the winner of the Improv Comedy Club’s 2003 talent search for the funniest comedian. His list of club credits includes The Comedy Store, The Ice House, The Laugh Factory and the Sahara Hotel in Las Vegas. He has also been a hit at corporate functions throughout the U.S., including The McDonald’s Corporation, Disney, Xerox, Toyota, Price Waterhouse, Century 21, Home Depot and the Salvation Army. Scott has also opened for musical artists Blood, Sweat & Tears, Beatlemania, Tower of Power and country sensation Brooks & Dunn. He has appeared on all the major networks plus A&E, Comedy Central and the Family Channel.

The cast of “My Life in Punchlines” also includes Simone Cook (Jenny), Reatha Grey (Ruby), Jada Lopez (Emily), and David Chandler (Jeremy).

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