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ProducerAnimation DepartmentAdditional CrewSuggest an edit or add missing contentYou have no recently viewed pages Synopsis This animated series features the adventures of the Griffin family. Endearingly ignorant Peter and his stay-at-home wife, Lois, reside in Quahog, R.I., and have three kids. Meg, the eldest child, is a social outcast, and teenage Chris is awkward and clueless when it comes to the opposite sex. The youngest, Stewie, is a genius baby who is bent on killing his mother and destroying the world. Brian, the talking dog, keeps Stewie in check while sipping martinis and sorting through his own issues. Executive Producer Seth MacFarlane, Rich Appel, Alec Sulkin, Steve Callaghan, Tom Devanney, Kara Vallow, Mark Hentemann, Patrick Meighan, Danny Smith, Alex Carter Network Fox Rating TV-14 Genre Comedy, Animation Original Language English Release Date Jan 31, 1999 With 17 seasons on television and well over 300 episodes under its stretched belt, Family Guy has become one of the longest-running sitcoms on TV, animated or otherwise. As a risqué show that thrives on pop culture, over-the-top reoccurring gags and shocking bits of humor, Family Guy tries to find different ways to surprise the viewer. More often than not, one of the most surprising aspects of the extended series is the onslaught of celebrity guest stars and cameos that the producers/showrunners have found during the provocative animated Fox series' long-standing run on network TV.Whether it's Alex Trebek, Johnny Depp, Bob Barker, Simon Cowell, Liam Neeson, the cast of The Simpsons, Ryan Reynolds, Mike Judge's Hank Hill, Bryan Cranston or any of the other high-profile celebrity voices the producers have found in their recording booth, Family Guy has prided itself on its big-name cameos. Here, we aim to celebrate a mere ten standouts from the incredibly long list of short-form star turns on the Seth MacFarlane-created animated sitcom. First, though, some clarifications. It would be tempting to include some all-time great supporting appearances from Patrick Stewart, the late Carrie Fisher and, of course, the late Adam West. However, these icons were recurring characters as opposed to guest stars. The same goes for Drew Barrymore in the fabulously ditzy role of Jillian. And Conway Twitty? Alas, that's merely archival footage, and not technically a guest star appearance. It's difficult to call someone a guest when they died before the show itself was hard to say that someone made a guest appearance on a hit show if they died years before the show was even in its earliest development stages. And now, let's kick things off! You may like Cate BlanchettWhen one thinks of two-time Academy Award-winning actress Cate Blanchett, Family Guy likely isn't the first reference. Yet, the widely-acclaimed actress did make a guest star appearance on the show, and it wasn't merely a walk-on (or one-line) gag. The thespian played Penelope, the one-time girlfriend of Stewie ." Not only that, but in another Season 10 episode, "Family Guy Viewer Mail No. 2," the Australian actress briefly voiced none other than Queen Elizabeth II.A number of celebrities often make guest appearances to provide a warped perception of their public persona. But it's still rare to see an actress of this caliber lending her voice to the role of a vengeful, chaos-loving toddler who finds herself in a loving relationship with our similarly twisted kiddo, Stewie. It's not something you'd expect, but knowing that Cate Blanchett had a good enough sense of humor to play this role makes her even more lovable and endearing as a high-caliber actress. And she helps to sell what could've easily been a disposable character arc into something that's consistently funny and more emotionally resonant. Betty White is a treasure. The veteran of the stage and screen has been making people laugh for generations, and we will hopefully enjoy Ms. White is a treasure. The veteran of the most noteworthy contemporary sources of laughter came from her memorable turn on Family Guy back in Season 4, where the actress played a version of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." Betty White made an earlier came of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." Betty White made an earlier came of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." Betty White made an earlier came of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." Betty White made an earlier came of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." Betty White made an earlier came of herself reading Peter's erotic fiction in the episode titled, fittingly enough, "Peterotica." 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The premise was that Peter Griffin once found himself behind the veteran actor while trying to board a plane, but he had no qualms about letting the world know that he is, indeed, Robert Loggia. Can you believe it? It's Robert Loggia. Alas, this appearance was not provided by Loggia himself, despite what some might think. Producer John Viener provided the pipes for the Big actor this time around, but the popularity of the joke turned Loggia back into a regular household name of sorts, even for folks who weren't familiar with the character actor's extensive work. Possibly in a show of respect for getting his name back out there in a major way, Robert Loggia did eventually make an official cameo appearance on Family Guy. This time around, he was able to play himself without anyone else filling in for Season 9's "Brothers & Sisters." While the unexpected live-action appearance was only one line, it was a delightful, welcomed surprise for long-time Family Guy fans to see the late character actor popping up. And that wasn't even the end of Loggia on the show, as he also came back for a more foul-mouthed appearance in season 11's "Call Girl." Carol Channing Remains one of the biggest figures in musical history. Her squeaky voice and radiant smile were easy to parody, too. (I, myself, particularly enjoyed Ryan Stiles' running impersonation on Whose Line Is It Anyway?). It is hard to top the woman herself, though, especially when she's willing to get in on the joke and have a laugh at her own expense, as she did in the early days of Family Guy. Carol Channing only made one appearance on Family Guy, but it was certainly a memorable one. The actress appeared in Season 4's "Patriot Games," where the Broadway legend squared off against none other than professional boxer Mike Tyson. As you would expect, things don't necessarily go as planned. While Tyson gets more punches in, Channing is a tough cookie. Anyone who excels on Broadway is certainly a fighter. Sure enough, the actress wins out when Tyson forfeits, resulting in Channing becoming the unexpected winner of the fight.Norm MacdonaldOften among the more under-appreciated stars of the '90s Saturday Night Live crew, one-time "Weekend Update" correspondent Norm Macdonald hasn't earned the same notoriety as Adam Sandler, Chris Farley or Mike Myers, but he's still one of the funniest sumbitches in the comedy business. It only makes sense that he would find himself on Family Guy, though the role the dry and positive-minded actor played was, perhaps, an unexpected one: specifically, Macdonald portrayed Death. In the Season 2 episode "Death Is A Bitch," Norm Macdonald found himself playing an unusual, if highly amusing, take on the Grim Reaper. As it turns out, the cloaked figure accidentally twisted his ankle when trying to put Peter Griffin in his eternal sleep, and found himself taking a much-needed vacation. Death being waylaid thus made everyone immortal, which obviously became a problem. Sure enough, Peter Griffin unwittingly has to help Death get back on his feet, which is far from an easy task. Death came back to read "Twas the Night Before Christmas" as himself during an episode in Season 16. James Woods is a controversial figure in his personal life these days, it's hard to deny how funny he could be during his extended
guest star appearances on Family Guy. Similar to Adam West and Patrick Stewart, he has appeared on the show enough times that he verges on becoming a fully supporting cast member on the series. But the creative team has always been pretty good about how the semi-annual James Woods appearances get used. Even more thankfully, James Woods was always willing to dig into every absurd idea thrown his way. James Woods has been a part of Family Guy lore from the get go. His Quahog roots resulted in the local public school being named James Woods Regional High School. But it wasn't long before James Woods became an actual character in the animated series, starting in Season 4 episode, "Peter Gots Woods." From there, much like Sideshow Bob in The Simpsons, the animated woods has become more bonkers and absurd with each passing year. But the actor was always able to roll with the punches on Family Guy, which resulted in the writers creating very goofy and often enjoyable bits.Luke PerryTragically and very unfortunately, Luke Perry passed away earlier this year. By many accounts, the former Beverly Hills 90210 actor was a very loving and generous man, and he will be missed by many. His lengthy acting career provided him the opportunity for a memorable performance playing himself in Family Guy for the Season 2 episode "The Story On Page One." In it, the actor came into contact with Quahog after Peter Griffin used Meg's name to publish a high school newspaper article claiming that Luke Perry was a closeted gay man. Soon enough, Perry gave Peter Griffin a visit, and lots of celebrity shenanigans ensued. As we have mentioned in this list, there have been quite a few celebrities who created laughs at their own expense on the crude animated series. But Luke Perry was able to flesh his Family Guy persona out more than simply a walk-on appearance, making this version of Perry his own in the process. It shows that the actor had a good sense of humor, and that he didn't take himself as seriously as his 90210 character, which only makes his death that much harder to take. Robert Downey Jr. Before Robert Downey Jr. Before Robert Downey Jr. became a major blockbuster superstar through his career-revitalizing role in 2008's Iron Man, he was certainly trying for a rebound. He starred in a variety of projects, many of which he probably wouldn't find the time to do today, and one of those projects was Family Guy. Downey Jr.'s guest appearance in Family Guy didn't have him playing himself, however, but instead the role of Patrick Pewterschmidt, Lois' long-lost brother. As it turns out, the producers didn't have to reach out to Robert Downey Jr. Rather, the future Iron Man actor reached out to them, since his son was a big fan of the show. This led to the creation of the Patrick Pewterschmidt character, a handsome and charismatic sibling to Lois Griffin in the Season 4 episode "The Fat Guy Strangler." As you'd expect from that title, things don't go well between Peter Griffin and his malicious long-lost brother-in-law.Will FerrellIn the early days of Family Guy, when the animated show had more of a cult following instead of the adoring fandom that it found after its post-cancellation resurrection on Fox, it was a very big deal to land Will Ferrell for a guest star appearance. The actor was well on the rise in the comedy scene as a scene-stealing wild man on Saturday Night Live, and he was only a few years away from becoming a bigger name via Old School and Anchorman. Will Ferrell first appeared on Family Guy through some bit roles Season 2, it was his memorable turn in the Season Three episode "Mr. Saturday Knight, an imposing medieval figure who gives Peter Griffin a hard time about joining the Medieval fair, Will Ferrell was not his usual warm and cuddly self. Indeed, he was an interesting turn for early-ish Farrell. The Cast Of Star Trek: The Next GenerationSeth MacFarlane has made it no secret that he's a big fan of Star Trek, particularly Star Trek: The Next Generation. His newest show, The Orville, is basically a love letter to the franchise, and shows off his lifelong love of sci-fi. Therefore, he has often squeezed in appearances from the Star Trek cast whenever possible, most notably working with Patrick Stewart on numerous occasions, including a supporting role on American Dad and the short-lived Starz comedy Blunt Talk. But it was when he got to reunite the Next Generation cast on Family Guy that he really lived out his fantasy. While there are several mentions of Star Trek: The Next Generation to animated glory. This was a huge get and a huge honor for the show creator, so he clearly wanted to make the most of this opportunity. Sure enough, it resulted in a humorous and memorable episode, and it wasn't the last time they made memorable guest star appearances found on Family Guy, and there are are hundreds more (slightly less great) cameos to be found throughout the extended run of the popular and provocative comedy. We're sure you have your own personal favorites from the hit sitcom. Please let us know your own personal favorites. Hopefully, you'll give your reasons why you think they deserve a place on here more than the ones we listed. Stay tuned for more of the show, too, as Family Guy Season 17 will debut on Fox on Sunday, September 29, at 9:30 p.m. ET. Unless you have been living under a rock for the past 20 years, it's likely you have heard one thing or another about the hit animated TV series Family Guy. For example, most fans know the story of the show's early cancellation and subsequent revival after massive DVD sales and re-run ratings convinced Fox to give it another shot. This comes as no surprise as, for 17 seasons now, Family Guy has regularly been the center of a larger conversation—from the show's many controversies, to its eight Emmy Awards, to its undeniable influence over today's pop culture. On the 20th anniversary of its premiere, here are some facts about Family Guy and its creator, Seth MacFarlane began his animation career at Hanna-Barbera. Two weeks before graduating from the Rhode Island School of Design (RISD), Seth MacFarlane received a surprise job offer: famed animation studio Hanna-Barbera wanted him to move to Los Angeles and join their team. As it turns out, unbeknownst to MacFarlane, a professor at RISD had submitted MacFarlane's thesis film, The Life Of Larry, to a student film competition orchestrated by the company. As the winner of the competition, MacFarlane's wit and storytelling ability caught Hanna-Barbera's attention, so much so that they offered him a writer's position. With Hanna-Barbera, MacFarlane would go on to contribute to several classic '90s animated TV shows including Johnny Bravo, Dexter's Laboratory, and Cow and Chicken.2. Larry & Steve, a precursor to Family Guy, aired on Cartoon Network in the late 1990s. Frederick M. Brown, Getty ImagesWhile working at Hanna-Barbera, MacFarlane followed up his The Life of Larry & Steve takes the story back to the beginning, revealing how Larry (whose voice is reminiscent of Family Guy's Peter) adopted his talking dog Steve (a la Brian from Family Guy) from the pound. The short aired on Cartoon Network in 1997 as part of its "What A Cartoon!" series.3. Family Guy was originally supposed to be a series of shorts for MADtv.Riding on the wave of success from Larry & Steve, MacFarlane next turned his attention to where any budding animator would naturally look: primetime. A Saturday night sketch comedy show with occasional animated segments, MADtv seemed like the perfect home for MacFarlane's next project, yet it never came to fruition. "Family Guy was supposed to be a series of shorts on MADtv, in the way that The Simpsons began on Tracey Ullman," MacFarlane told IGN in 2003. "It just came down to a budgetary thing. They didn't really have the budget to do any kind of animation at that point." 4. Family Guy to Fox around the same time that Mike Judge was signing a deal for King of the Hill. Uncertain of how King of the Hill would fare with viewers, Fox executives were hesitant to add another new animated comedy to their lineup. Because of this, they decided to pass on Family Guy was still dead in the water. As it turns out, the success of King of the Hill was a key factor in Fox's decision to take on another new animated comedy. They gave MacFarlane \$50,000 to create an episode; he spent six months creating a seven-minute pilot, which was enough to convince Fox to order Family Guy's comedic style. During South Park's 10th season, creators Trey Parker and Matt Stone decided to vocalize their disdain for Family Guy's humor in the form of a two-part episode titled "Cartoon Wars." In the episode, it is revealed to the characters in South Park that the writing staff of Family Guy is actually a group of manatees, and their ideas for cutaway jokes are generated by randomly pairing "idea" balls. As Business Insider reported on the feud, "South Park co-creator Trey Parker explained in the DVD commentary that he and co-creator Matt Stone 'don't respect [Family Guy] in terms of writing, 'He added that much of Hollywood felt the same way, with producers from The Simpsons sending them flowers after the episode and people at King of the Hill expressing thanks (despite both shows being on Fox). 'There was this animation solidarity moment, where everyone did come together over their hatred of Family Guy's cutaway gags, claiming they are the hardest parts of the show to write. "When you're dealing with story-based comedy it's almost easier. With the cutaways, you need to develop a brand new premise, storyline, arc, all in just a few seconds."6. Family Guy ignited a controversy by killing off Brian, "Family Guy decided to shake things up by killing off Brian," Family Guy decided to shake things up by killing off a fan-favorite character.FOXIn the 2013 episode "The Life of Brian," Family Guy decided to shake things up by killing off a fan-favorite
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While many fans cried that it was a ratings grab, others feared that Brian's removal from the opening credits signified a permanent change. Some distraught fans quickly flocked to a Change.org petition, calling for Brian to be brought back to the show. In the end, Brian returned to his rightful place in the Griffin home only two episodes later, not due to public outcry but by design of the publicity stunt. "We were all very surprised, in a good way, that people still cared enough about that character to be that angry," MacFarlane said. "We thought it would create a little bit of a stir, but the rage wasn't something we counted on."7. William H Macy auditioned for the role of Brian. "It was the fact that they had heard Brian that way [MacFarlane's voicing] in the initial pilot, and at that point they were used to hearing him that way," MacFarlane explained of why Fox executives decided to have the creator voice the character instead of bringing Oscar nominee William H. Macy into the Griffin family fold. "I think they just didn't want to mess with it."8. Four different actresses have been hired throughout the show's history to play Meg.Frederick M. Brown, Getty ImagesWhile most viewers immediately recognize Mila Kunis as the definitive voice of Meg, she wasn't the first person to portray the Griffins' outcast daughter. During the first season, the voice of Meg was provided by Lacey Chabert, best known for playing Claudia Salinger on Party of Five and Gretchen Wieners in Mean Girls. So why didn't Chabert come back for the second season? While rumors of being fired or having a falling out with the show's producers over religious beliefs have circulated widely around the Internet Chabert set the record straight in 2006: "I actually left the show of my own accord. And only because I was in school and doing Party of Five at the time.""I think there was a mistake in her contract," MacFarlane further clarified, "and I guess she had not intended to be involved for, like, the full run of the show."As for the other two Megs? Cree Summer, best known as the voice of Elmyra in Tiny Toon Adventures, was originally hired to voice Meg in the pilot. But before she recorded her lines, Summer stated that, "Seth MacFarlane didn't think a black actress would be right for Meg's voice"). As a last resort, MacFarlane turned to his sister Rachael to provide Meg's voice for the pilot.9. Peter Griffin, was a security guard he once knew while attending RISD. MacFarlane described the man as having a "big thick Rhode Island accent, everything was said at this volume, absolutely no self editing whatsoever." As it turns out, in 2013, ABC 6 news was able to identify Paul Timmins, the former director of public safety at RISD, as MacFarlane's inspiration for the character. "I'm very proud of it," Timmins joked, still wearing his signature white button-up and glasses. "I am clearly the visual of Peter because the character of Peter is an idiot."10. Alex Borstein was almost replaced in the beginning of the series. Rich Fury, Getty Images Alex Borstein, who provides the iconic voice of Lois, had to fight to keep her role after portraying the family's matriarch in the pilot. After ordering a 13-episode first season, Fox decided that they wanted to take her character's voice in a different direction. "The network wanted to get rid of me," Borstein said. "So I had to re-audition for it, along with every female that ever stepped off a bus in Hollywood. And I got to keep my job. I had to re-audition for it, along with every female that ever stepped off a bus in Hollywood. And I got to keep my job. I had to re-audition for it, along with every female that ever stepped off a bus in Hollywood. And I got to keep my job. 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At the 2018 Emmy Awards, Borstein one a pair of statuettes—one for Outstanding Supporting Actress in a Comedy Series for Mrs. Maisel, and the other for Outstanding Character Voice-Over Performance for Family Guy.11. Carrie Fisher voiced a recurring character. Carrie Fisher voice of Mon Mothma in Family Guy's Star Wars parody, "It's a Trap!" The beloved actress contributed to more than two dozen episodes before her passing in 2016.12. George Lucas gave his blessing for the Family Guy, they were creating more and more Star Wars jokes. Fearing a lawsuit, Fox's legal team decided to clear the jokes with Lucasfilm first. Much to MacFarlane's surprise, Lucas approved of the gags. But he had one condition: the characters had to look exactly like they did in the movies. This spawned the idea for the Family Guy Star Wars trilogy. After the completion of "Blue Harvest," the first in the trilogy, Lucas actually invited MacFarlane and the Family Guy team to watch the film with him and his son at their ranch. An earlier version of this article ran in 2016. Age: 74Birthplace: New York, USAAge: 74Birthplace: New York, Ne Ohio, USAPhoto: Metaweb (FB)Public domainAge: Dec. at 76 (1927-2004)Birthplace: New York, New York, USAPlayed: Debbie, Sarah, Alyssa, Sarah Jessica Parker, Renee Zellweger, Peggy, Cybill ShepherdAge: 43Birthplace: Bridgeport, Connecticut, USA When "Family Guy" first came on the air, it was quick to draw comparisons to other animated adult sitcoms. The dynamics, such as having Peter Griffin (Seth MacFarlane) as the bumbling patriarch against his much more forgiving wife, Lois (Alex Borstein), were certainly similar, but "Family Guy" broke the mold, too. It utilized cutaway gags that were funny even divorced from the context of the episode. Plus, the show leaned far more into pop culture references than many of its contemporaries. Plenty of shows reference movies and other TV series, but "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." This can also be found in the way "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." This can also be found in the way "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." This can also be found in the way "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." This can also be found in the way "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." This can also be found in the way "Family Guy" turned it into a work of art, such as by having an extended sequence ripping off "Amadeus." 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For now, here are the 15 best "Family Guy" guest stars ever. In Season 12's "Mom's the Word," Peter's mother passes away, and he finds comfort in one of her friends, Evelyn, voiced by Lauren Bacall. It's a somewhat surprising addition to "Family Guy" canon, but it's indeed a great one. Bacall was a signature presence throughout the Golden Age of Hollywood and starred in many classic films like "The Big Sleep" and "Key Largo." In fact her "Family Guy" cameo marks her final television role ever. Throughout the episode, Peter views Evelyn as a makeshift mother figure while she attempts to seduce him. Her advances may be unwelcome, but Bacall brings a vulnerability to the character, where you can't help but understand her. Many of the jokes involving Evelyn are visual gags, like her dress getting blown up via an air vent a la Marilyn Monroe, but Bacall makes this one-episode character really stand out. Bacall passed away the same year her "Family Guy" episode came out. With it, she proved that whether her co-star was Humphrey Bogart or Peter Griffin, she could hold her own against anyone. David Lynch turned down the chance of voicing Bill Cipher on "Gravity Falls," but for some reason, he loved lending his voice to Seth MacFarlane projects. He played Gus the Bartender across 23 episodes of "The Cleveland Show," and he even voiced Gus during an episode of "Family Guy." Lynch as Gus is absolutely great, but for my money, the best Lynch appearance came in season 15's "How the Griffin Stole Christmas." Lynch pops up in a quick TV gag, starring in "How David Lynch Stole Christmas." He slithers down a chimney and tells a boy to look at a thumb inside of a box, allowing the fear to wash over him. Lynch's hilarious "Family Guy" cameo works so well because it's a pretty straightforward scene. It's not like when "The Simpsons" parodied "Twin Peaks" by having a horse dancing while a traffic light hangs from a tree. The "Family Guy" cameo is filled with so many more pertinent Lynchisms, like how the boy should leave out black coffee for him. Upon Lynch's tragic passing, the scene, as brief as it may be, is just the thing to remind us all why Lynch was so indelibly amazing. "Family Guy" has made plenty of jokes at Dwayne Johnson's expensive, like an extended gag where a narrator tries to figure out the actor's ethnicity. But the best bit is easily when Johnson came to play himself, in live-action no less, to simulate a sex scene between Peter and Lois in Season 8's "Big Man on Hippocampus." Johnson simply sits at a table and bangs a Peter doll against a Lois doll on a table until the Lois one falls off. He then sits there awkwardly before looking directly at the camera. It's one of the best "Family Guy" cameos because it's so against type for the actor; he doesn't even say anything. It's a far cry from Movie Star(1) Dwayne Johnson we're all so familiar with today whose entire image has to be expertly tailored to always be the toughest guy in the room. Here, he's just a dude. Johnson's brief appearance makes for one of the best "Family Guy" joke about how his Irish accent would make it impossible to play an American cowboy. Therefore, when Neeson was asked to star in Seth MacFarlane's "A Million Ways to Die in the West," he agreed only on the condition he would use his thick Irish accent. To be honest, "Family Guy" is a pretty good showcase that a lot of actors have good senses of humor and are more than happy to come on the show after getting made fun of. In Season 13's "Fighting Irish," Peter boasts he could totally beat up Neeson, and when the latter finds out, he threatens to punch Peter, only for Peter to offer to be his servant in exchange for his safety. tows the line where you can never quite tell if he knows what the punchline is. His voice is so gruff and tough that it's a hoot to hear him say ridiculous dialogue, whether it's trying to buy cereal in "Ted 2" or asking about improv comedy in "Extras." "Family Guy" proved to be a swan song for yet another actor, namely Ricardo Montalban, who starred asking about improv comedy in "Extras." Mr. Cow in Season 6's "McStroke." (However, Montalban's true final credit would come in a different Seth MacFarlane vehicle, "American Dad!"). After Peter has a stroke from eating too many hamburgers, he seeks revenge on McBurgertown, leading him to meet Mr. Cow, who can speak eloquently on the horrors cows endure with mass farming practices. Like Neeson, the hilarity of Montalban's cameo comes from him having this incredibly iconic deep voice that creates the most amusing juxtaposition when he needs to say something ridiculous, like his impassioned speech where he thanks all of the "salad-eating homosexuals" for having the courage not to eat fast food. Plus, there's the hint of disappointment in his voice at the very end of "McStroke" where Lois says he can't live with them because he's a cow. It's tough for a sitcom to pull off an anticlimactic ending (something "Family Guy" ripped off "The Simpsons." It's managed to differentiate itself, but one of the funniest similarities is how "The Simpsons" had James Woods playing a bizarre version of himself in "Homer and Apu," just one of many "Simpsons" cameos that haven't aged well. Years later, Woods would play an even stranger version of himself in "Homer and Apu," just one of many "Simpsons" cameos that haven't aged well. Years later, Woods would play an even stranger version of himself in "Homer and Apu," just one of many "Simpsons" cameos that haven't aged well. Woods." Peter and Woods begin hanging out after Brian (Seth MacFarlane) becomes too busy for the former, but Woods is a little clingy. He proves just how attached to Peter he is when he comes back in "Back to the Woods." This time, he steals Peter's credit card and personal information and begins pretending to be Peter, forcing Peter to steal Woods' identity. "Back to the Woods" even has a spectacular callback to Woods' first appearance when Peter traps Woods under a box, luring him there with candy, which is precisely how he ended his reign of terror in "Peter's Got Woods." Woods wasn't afraid to make fun of himself and go completely bananas during his "Family Guy" tenure. Thanks to him, "Ooh, a piece of candy" remains forever etched into our consciousnesses. "Deadpool" actor Ryan Reynolds has popped up in Seth MacFarlane projects more than once, and in both instances, his cameos have a homoerotic nature to them. Reynolds appears in the "Family Guy" episode "Stewie fascination with Peter. When Peter confronts him and says that he doesn't want to see him now anyway. Reynolds insists that he got everything wrong and doesn't want to see him now anyway. Reynolds' penchant for comedies make him an ideal match for the writing on "Family Guy." Some celebrity line readings on the show seem so unnatural, especially when they have to say something naughty. But it comes second nature to Reynolds also has a brief cameo in "Ted" as Guy's (Patrick Warburton) new boyfriend. Reynolds may not be gay himself, but he seems to be an ally at least, which may explain why "Deadpool & Wolverine" is so unapologetically queer. In the early 2000s, Will Ferrell was still coming off being one of the funniest actors ever on "Saturday Night Live." He still hadn't quite ascended into superstardom with the one-two punch of "Elf" and "Anchorman: The Legend of Ron Burgundy," but it was clear he was on his way thanks to various small roles, including a voiceover part as the Black Knight in the "Family Guy" episode, "Mr. Saturday Knight." Ferrell's just so bad at playing up the Black Knight as a pompous jerk. The exchange he has with Bruce upon calling out his "fat ass," which in this case is literally an obese donkey, is pure gold, especially when he pivots immediately after to address Peter by name. It's here he adds extra emphasis when calling Peter a "Fizzle," which is such an odd insult. The Black Knight may have been a one-and-done character, but he's one of the most memorable from the show's early seasons. In the "Family Guy" episode, "Peterotica," Peter begins writing erotic fiction with such tasteful titles as "Angela's Asses." During one sequence, we see how his work has been adapted into an audiobook, read by someone as distinguished as White, but with her having such a massive background in comedy, it's no wonder she can make it work. At first, she offers a pretty deadpan delivery that's perfect for lines like, "Oh God, you should've seen this one hot chick." She ups the emotion later when confronting Peter directly about getting served as a subpoena due to her involvement with "Peterotica." White is a comedic legend for a reason, even well into her 80s and 90s. She always seemed to know how funny it was when a kindly-looking old woman suddenly turned ferocious, which also made White's casting on "Community" positively inspired, as she was prone to lashing out at other characters there, too. In 2005, Robert Downey Jr. was definitely in a far better place
compared to his tumultuous time in the 1990s, where he dealt with drug addiction and run-ins with the law. He was still a few years away from "Iron Man" catapulting him back into A-list status, but for the time being, he still managed to make us all laugh with a turn as Patrick on the "Family Guy" episode, "Fat Guy Strangler." Patrick is Lois' estranged brother, whom she welcomes back into the family after he's been institutionalized. However, everyone quickly deduces that he's a serial killer known as the Fat Guy Strangler who kills any fat men, and it led to one of the best guest spots on the show ever. He has plenty of funny lines, but he's also pretty menacing when he wants to be. Patrick would return later on in the show's run, but by that point, Downey's star had risen, and he didn't return to voice him. There was just something missing the second time around. Brian Griffin has been with a lot of women over the years. Human women, to be precise. We don't have time to get into that right now, but easily, the best partner Brian's ever had is Jillian, voiced by Drew Barrymore. To a degree, it's understandable why Jillian is so funny. She's an idiot and frequently says dumb things, which are hilarious to hear. It's even better that she's paired up with Brian, who's a self-obsessed and supposed intellectual, so it's obvious he's only with her for her looks. However, there's a real art to delivering such stupid lines. They could come across as trying too hard to be stupid, but playing dumb comes effortlessly to Barrymore (I mean that as a compliment, don't get mad at me). This is likely due to the fact Barrymore makes Jillian grounded when necessary, like when the two break up, and you can hear the heartbreak in her voice. Jillian could've easily been a one-dimensional dumb blonde character, but she gained a surprising amount of depth, and that's all thanks to Barrymore being a spectacular performer. "Family Guy" may have recreated the original "Star Wars" trilogy, but from watching the series, it's abundantly evident the writers also love "Star Trek." In season 7's "Not All Dogs Go To Heaven," one of the best classic "Family Guy" episodes, that love for "Star Trek" comes full circle with the main cast of "Star Trek." In season 7's "Not All Dogs Go To Heaven," one of the best classic "Family Guy" episodes, that love for "Star Trek." In season 7's "Not All Dogs Go To Heaven," one of the best classic "Family Guy" episodes, that love for "Star Trek." In season 7's "Not All Dogs Go To Heaven," one of the best classic "Family Guy" episodes, that love for "Star Trek." In season 7's "Not All Dogs Go To Heaven," one of the best classic "Family Guy" episodes, that love for "Star Trek." The Next Generation" beam aboard to voice themselves. McDonald's drive-thru. No one knows what's going on, with Michael Dorn asking for a McDLT, which doesn't exist. His dry way of saying how it might be available regionally is perfect, and for some reason, Patrick Stewart bullies Wil Wheaton the entire time. It's a great distillation of the adage "Never meet your heroes." Of course, we like the think the cast is on friendlier terms than this, but everyone acting so chaotic is nothing short of iconic. Norm Macdonald could make anything funny, even if you didn't quite know where he was going with something at first. It should come as no surprise that Seth MacFarlane tapped into Macdonald played Death in the first season's "Brian: Portrait of a Dog," and he would return the next season after Peter tries to fake his own death, leading him to assume Death's duties after he gets injured. Macdonald's acerbic wit is on full display, so it's no wonder he'd return to "Family Guy" in season 16 to play himself. Granted, he already was pretty much playing himself as Death, but we're not one to argue over getting more Macdonald. Macdonald's skills as a voice actor didn't go unnoticed by MacFarlane, who tapped him to play the blob Yaphit on "The Orville." Macdonald's voice can make anything funny even when he's talking about killing people. Fun fact: Seth MacFarlane worked on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane worked on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane worked on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." MacFarlane wanted Adam West on "Family Guy" after he had a cameo on "Johnny Bravo." 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He understands the absurdism at play, but he also functions crucially within how Quahog operates. He makes this city, as bizarre as it may be, feel like a lived-in place. Arguably, Mayor West became a more iconic character for Adam West than Batman, which is really saying something. Sure, the character would occasionally reference his own celebrity, but most of the time, he was just silly for the sake of being silly. Carrie Fisher as Peter's boss, Angela, is the best "Family Guy" guest star ever, and not just because she's consistently hilarious. She certainly has plenty of funny moments, but the thing separating Fisher from a lot of other guest spots is that she turned Angela into a three-dimensional character when she could've easily phoned it in. Angela is a basic sitcom archetype. Once Peter starts working at the Pawtucket Brewery, she's there to knock him down a few pegs. She could've just been a buzzkill and nothing more, but Fisher imbued a genuine sense of sadness within Angela, especially in episodes like "Peter-assment" when she wants to go out with Peter because she's been so lonely for a less capable actress to make that character kind of one-note, gruff and yelling all the time. But Carrie brought to it a depth that I don't think just anyone could have." For a show as off-the-wall as "Family Guy," Angela kept things at least moderately relatable, and with her and Mayor West gone, something just feels off about the show. ProducerWriterAdditional CrewSuggest an edit or add missing contentYou have no recently viewed pages Family Guy," has more than just regular and recurring characters throughout its history. Here is a look at some of the celebrities who have made appearances on the show throughout the years, either as themselves or a new character altogether Jane Lynch, Michael McKean and Fred WillardThe Glee breakout star and the long-time funnyman starred as a married couple, Dave and Dottie Campbell, who happen to love KISS as much as Peter does in ""Road to Europe". They eventually come to an agreement that Peter and Dave both love the band equally, and are thus brethren to the KISS Army. McKean portrays one of the characters on Jolly Farm Revue, Stewie's favorite television program. Bill GoldbergThe former World Champion wrestler in both WCW and the WWE made a brief cameo appearance in the "Family Guy Viewer Mail 1" episode, portraying a thug on the bus that causes Peter to wish that he did not have any bones for him to break. He freaks out upon seeing Peter as a gelatinous blob. Mark HamillIn the controversial unaired episode, "When You Wish Upon a Weinstein", Mark Hamill reprises his role as Luke Skywalker in one of the one-off cut-aways that has made the show so popular. Drew BarrymoreDrew has had a lasting effect on Family Guy with multiple roles, first guest starring as Mrs. Lockhart, a substitute teacher who Chris Griffin has taken a fancy to. She comes back to bring the role of Jillian to life, Brian's longest, most serious relationship in the show's tenure. Regis Philbin and Kelly Ripa was depicted as a ravenous monster that hides in an attractive woman's body. They both depict themselves, albeit to an exaggerated extent, in the episode. KISSThe band members of KISS are represented in two episodes, "A Very Special Family Guy Freakin' Christmas", where they meet up with Peter and Lois at a diner after a concert. Amanda BynesIn "Long John Peter", where they meet up with Peter and Lois at a diner after a concert. Amanda BynesIn "Long John Peter" Amanda Bynes portrays the latest in the long line of love interests for Chris, Anna. Chris falls in love with Anna, the veterinary assistant who is taking care of Brian. Peter convinces Chris to treat Anna poorly, resulting in their demise. The Cast of Star Trek: The Next GenerationStewie becomes a die-hard fan of Star Trek: The Next Generation, which makes him conjure up a vision of kidnapping all of the cast members in a teleportation device not entirely dissimilar to that on the show. He soon finds out that he is babysitting the whole cast, who act like a bunch of blathering morons rather than the characters he grew to love. playing himself in "Spies Reminiscent of Us" and also
reprising his beloved Vacation character, Clark Griswold, in the Star Wars spoof "Blue Harvest". Beverly pitched in her efforts on the "Blue Harvest". Beverly D'AngeloMuch like Chevy Chase reprised the role of Clark Griswold, in the Star Wars spoof "Blue Harvest". "Spies Reminiscent of Us" that both Dan Aykroyd and Chevy Chase were made honorary agents by President Ronald Reagan due to his obsession with the film Spies Like Us. The duo look to deactivate sleeper agents set forth by the KGB. Hugh LaurieThe man who has been a television icon over the past decade as Dr. House reprises the role that made him famous in the episode "Business Guy". He also appeared earlier in the franchise in the episode "One If By Sea, Two If By Clam". Anne HathawayThe Academy Award-nominated actress lends her voice over talents to the episode "Go Stewie Go", where she portrays Mother Maggie on the Americanized rendition of Stewie's favorite children's program, Jolly Farm Revue. Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson The Rock makes a live-action cameo to simulate what it is like when Peter and Lois have sex in lieu of the actual cartoon footage, as the FCC would not allow the footage to be shown. Instead, Johnson smacks the two action figures depicting the characters together in a clumsy, awkward fashion Bill Maher, Arianna Huffington, and Dana GouldWhen Brian becomes a worldwide bestselling author in "Brian Writes a Bestseller", he is invited to be a guest of Real Time with Bill Maher. The panel, comprised—Maher, Huffington, and Gould—decide to pick him apart due to his lackadaisical approach to handing out advice under the guise of vague selfhelp. The end result is Huffington calling him Snoopy. Drew CareyCarey appears as himself in the episode "New Kidney in Town", in a scene where Peter goes on the beloved game show The Price is Right in an attempt to win big money and prizes. Carey took over the hosting duties of the show after the retirement of Bob Barker. Bob Barker. Bob BarkerMuch like the above Carey, Barker depicts himself in a one-off segment telling folks to spay and neuter their pets, which incites the rage of Brian. Carrie FisherThe Star Wars alum appears periodically throughout the Family Guy series as Peter's long-time boss at Pawtucket, Angela. She generally loathes working with Peter due to his inability to comprehend orders or do anything adequately, though there was a brief time where the two had an affair. Alan TudykThe man known for his role as Wash in the cult classic television series, "Firefly", and its motion picture, Serenity, Tudyk played a small bit role of a German pilot in the episode "German Guy", which depicts a back story between Herbert and Franz Gutentag during WWII. David BoreanazIn the episode "Road to the North Pole", Stewie and Brian follow the Aurora Boreanaz to reach their destination, which is actually just a live-action version of the "Angel" and "Buffy the Vampire Slaver" star winking at the duo. Cheryl Tiegs Stops by Family Guy as the off-referenced former one true love of sexaholic Quagmire. Quagmire's life has been a downward spiral ever since their romance burnt out long ago, leaving him to go from woman to woman in an effort to find true love. Tom BradyThe New England Patriots star quarterback become a figure on Family Guy in the episode "Patriot Games", discovering Peter's natural knack for mowing down people in a mad dash to reach the bathroom in time. He hires Peter to become a lineman on his squad. Bob CostasThe legendary sports journalism and broadcaster stops by Family Guy to depict himself in the aforementioned Patriot Games. Wallace ShawnThe role of Bertram. Stewie's would be brother who has a background in even more diabolical genius than that of Stewie, is portrayed by the well-traveled theatre actor Wallace Shawn, who is most known for his role in The Princess Bride. Betty WhiteThe Golden Girls star stops by Family Guy to help Peter's profits boost by doing the audio renditions of his erotica novels, which cause multi-million dollar lawsuits to fly due to being too erotic. Alex TrebekIt seems Adam West is the only man who can vanquish the legendary "Jeopardy!" host's reign of terror, as he appears on an episode of the game show with the answer "Kebert Xela" to defeat him by saying his name backwards. Tony Danza and Valeri BertinelliPeter convinces Joe to participate in the Special Olympics, and Joe quickly kicks Peter to the curb and makes a made-for-TV movie out of the situation, with Danza and Bertinelli depicting Joe and his wife, Bonnie. This is followed by Peter's shenanigans getting in the way of Joe winning an Olympic medal due to loading Joe up with steroids without his approval. Jennifer Love HewittWhen Peter and Lois temporarily split, Peter is left looking for love for the first time in decades. He comes across the Goldmans' niece, Jennifer Love Hewitt, who he agrees to go on a date with. The date ends abruptly when Lois sees the two of them and gets thrown into a jealous rage. Erik EstradaOne of the oldest guest appearances on the show occurred in the second episode of the series, "I Never Met the Dead Man", with Erik Estrada lending him iconic status to the film's credits with an appearance as Ponch. Patrick Duffy Following in the series' run, appearing in the episodes "Da Boom" and "And the Wiener Is...", playing a total of four different characters. R. Lee ErmeyIt is not often that an actor is known for one role, but R. Lee Ermey has made an entire career out of portraying the drill sergeant in Full Metal Jacket, which he spiritually reprises in "Mr. Saturday Knight" as a coach who whips Peter into shape. Will Ferrell swings by the episode superstar Will Ferrell swings by the episode supersta "Mr. Saturday Knight" to depict the Black Knight in all of his glory. Peter loves the Black Knight, who saved his life one night while he was doing LSD, but the Black Knight does not take a liking to Peter's eyeballing of his beloved lady. Peter FramptonIn the story of how Lois and Peter first met, Peter Frampton plays an intricate part in their getting together with his music. In order to convince Lois that Peter should remain with her, Death forces Peter Frampton to perform live for the couple. Alyssa Milano, to which the show cuts away to a live-action Alyssa fuming, ordering her lawyer to threaten a lawsuit. Ricky GervaisWhen Peter comes across a set of expensive cars in the ocean, he hires an annoying dolphin named Billy Fin (voiced by Gervais) to swim down and get him one. Instead, he arrives with a hood ornament and a sense of entitlement, eventually staying with the Griffin family for an extended period of time. Jimmy KimmelThe late night talk show host joins his good friend and recurring guest Adam Corolla as Death's Dog, who watches over the fallen canines similarly to how Death determines which humans die. Jenna Jameson and Ron JeremyThe upper-echelon of pornographic movie stars came to the party during Brian's run as a porn director out in Hollywood, including the then-top female porn starlet of the bunch, Jenna Jameson, and the living legend, Ron Jeremy. Luke PerryThe former star of Beverly Hills, 90210 becomes the center of controversy when Peter falsifies information in Meg's name that proclaims Luke as being a homosexual male. When Meg is disgraced because of Peter's mistake, Luke is continually seduced to no avail by Peter in order to make the report true. Ray LiottaThe mobster man among crime films makes an appearance as a bit character in "Brian Goes to Hollywood", where the family dog sets off to make a living as a director out in La-La-Land. 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Andy DickThe Hollywood socialite who is never above making a joke at his own expense stops by during the "Road to Europe" episode to depict himself in a caricature form. Dr. Drew PinskyThe legendary doctor to the stars and Loveline extraordinaire Dr. Drew stops by "Family Guy" during the "Brian the Bachelor", playing a different type of doctor than he is used to in a dermatologist Jessica BielThe bombshell actress also appeared in the "Brian the Bachelor",
playing Brooke, the love interest of Brian who forces the guys to compete for her trust and affection via the game show. "Macho Man" Randy SavageThe immortal wrestling legend who tragically passed away lives on in the "The Cleveland-Loretta Quagmire", depicting himself as a dastardly heel wrestler who calls everyone in attendance a bunch of hicks. Jay MohrThe comedian makes an appearance in the "Jungle Love" episode of "Family Guy", depicting another comedian with an accent in Joe Pesci. Robert Downey Jr. The man who played Charlie Chaplin comes to Quahog in the form of a long lost relative of Lois's, her brother Patrick. Lois never knew that Patrick existed, as her father kept him locked away in a mental institution for his obsession with murdering fat men. Michael Clarke DuncanThe big man from The Green Mile makes a brief guest appearance as a stork in the episode "Stu and Stewie's Excellent Adventure". Carrot Top When you think of prop comedy, only one name comes to mind, which is why Carrot Top When you think of prop comedy. protagonist makes an appearance in the episode "Stewie B. Goode", portraying a video store attendant in a bit role. David CrossWhen Meg decides to take on abstinence, her opinion is swayed by a roaming high school advisor who comes in with a bunch of cliché lines about why sex is bad, often outright making up things on the spot. His name is Jerry Kirkwood, and he is played by the "Mr. Show with Bob and David" co-star. Louis Gossett, Jr. Stewie decides to sign both himself and Brian up for active military duty, where Brian finds himself struggling with the drastic lifestyle changes. The man who keeps him in line is the Drill Sergeant, played by Gossett, Jr. Gore VidalThe art-house movie icon stops by the local radio station after a hyped up appearance to grace Brian's new NPR-style talk radio program, but gets a treat in the form of a hot dog to the mouth via the hot dog to the mouth via the hot dog cannon when he realizes he has stepped into Brian and Stewie's Howard Stern-esque show, Dingo and the Baby. Rob LoweRob has appeared multiple times in "Family Guy", including during the "Road to Rupert" episode as Stanford Cordray, the man who purchases Rupert from Brian during a yard sale. He also appears in a live-action sleepover segment with show regular Adam West. Conway TwittyOne of the strangest segments in "Family Guy" history is without a doubt the cut-aways featuring nearly full song renditions by country legend Conway Twitty, archival footage taken from decades ago. This has occurred numerous times throughout the program. Phyllis DillerOne of the oldest living female comedians who broke ground for countless others in the role in three separate episodes. Hugh HefnerThe playboy stops by Quahog as himself during the "Airport to give him that much needed boost to get over his woes. Ben StillerStiller portrays himself as the butt of a joke in "No Meals on Wheels", which pokes fun at the size of his ears. He is also uncredited in the role. Gilbert GottfriedHollywood's most unabashed comedian takes his big leap onto "Family Guy", playing the voice of a horse in the "Boys Do Cry" episode. The Griffins move to Texas to avoid religious persecution and wind up stepping into a trap, as the Texans wish to murder Peter for being mentally retarded. He is rescued by Gilbert, depicting his horse. Neil Patrick Harris and Josh RadnorThe duo picks up where they left off in How I Met Your Mother, portraying their actual characters. The pair end up making out after a brief line and insinuate that they're going to have sex later. Lauren ConradThe Hills star manages to break out of the stereotype that all reality show stars are sniffling buffoons in "We Love You, Conrad". She is portrayed as being a super genius who becomes romantically entangled with Brian, showing him up on knowledge, pronunciation, and musical talent. him. Rush LimbaughThe conservative radio host swings by "Family Guy" to deliver a little of his version of the truth to Brian's ears, successfully converting Brian into becoming a Republican after having him read his latest book. The two remain friends after Brian realizes that he was just following the newest minority on the political landscape, all while poking fun at both sides of the political spectrum. 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Peter decides to bust him out before he is murdered, and takes him in for a few days too many, as it is insinuated that he has overstayed his welcome. Barry ManilowLegendary songster Barry Manilow appears as himself in the episode "Back to the Woods", where he serenades Ouagmire, who becomes as giddy as a schoolgirl to the new rendition of "Mandy". Seth RogenThe Knocked Up actor appears twice in "Family Guy", once as himself as Peter in "Family Guy", once as himself as Peter in "Family Guy", and a second time as a guest of Ellen DeGeneres on her talk show. Debbie RevnoldsCarrie Fisher's mom stops by "Family Guy" to play an incredibly small bit part as a third grade teacher in "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing". Frank Sinatra Jr. The son of the legendary singer-actor stops by Quahog frequently enough, including opening up a new club with Brian that utterly flops. This leads to Stewie interfering and giving the establishment a much needed make over. Ed HelmsThe Hangover star and former "Daily Show" correspondent comes to Quahog in the episode "FOX-y Lady". Fred SavageChild actor extraordinaire Fred Savage swings by Quahog as Lois begins to uncover a conspiracy that leads to the shocking revelation that Rush Limbaugh and Michael Moore are just characters developed and portrayed by Savage in the media. Johnny KnoxvilleJackass sensation Johnny KnoxvilleJackass esque stunts himself. Richard Dreyfuss and Roy ScheiderA friend of the show, Richard Dreyfuss stops by to narrate the Stand by Me portion of the "Three Kings" episode, where three individual Stephen King tales are told. He is briefly joined by Roy Scheider, who makes a Jaws reference. Jimmy Fallon, Craig Ferguson, and Jay LenoThe trio of late night talk show hosts provides their own jokes on Lauren Conrad shacking up with a dog in brief one-liner live-action cameo appearances. Elijah WoodBrian pegs SheenThe man fueled by tiger blood stops by "Family Guy" to play himself in the episode "Brian Griffin's House of Payne". Jason MrazThe pop singer is featured in a cutaway gag that describes him as just a guy in a hat. He depicts himself in the skit. David LynchAcclaimed director David Lynch Makes one of the strangest guest appearances in "Family Guy" as Gus the Bartender in the episode "The Splendid Source". His character looks and sounds exactly like himself, including the iconic hairdo. Ashley Tisdale stops by for a single episode in the role of Priscilla, who winds up deceased by the middle of "And Then There Were Fewer" at the hands of Diane Simmons. Rainn WilsonThe Office's lead character actor Rainn Wilson stops by "Family Guy" to reprise his role as Dwight Schrute. Share — copy and redistribute the material for any purpose, even commercially. The licensor cannot revoke these freedoms as long as you follow the license terms. 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Ahmedabad, India, killing 279 people. 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Étienne Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire (d. 1844)Sarah Rosetta Wakeman (d. 1864)Aage Bohr (b. 1922)Clayton Kirkpatrick (d. 2004) More anniversaries: June 18 June 20 Archive By email List of days of the year About Dred Scott (c. 1799 - 1858) was an enslaved African American who, along with his wife, Harriet Robinson Scott, unsuccessfully sued for the freedom of themselves and their two daughters, Eliza and Lizzie, in the 1857 legal case Dred Scott v. Sandford. The Scotts claimed that they should be granted freedom because Dred had lived for four years in Illinois and the Wisconsin Territory, where slavery was illegal, and laws in those jurisdictions said that slave holders gave up their rights to slaves if they stayed for an extended period. The Supreme Court of the United States ruled against Scott in a landmark decision that held the Constitution did not extend American citizenship to people of black African descent, and therefore they could not enjoy the rights and privileges that the Constitution conferred upon American citizens. The Dred Scott decision is widely denounced for its overt racism, judicial activism, poor legal reasoning, and crucial role in the events that led to the American Civil War four years later. The ruling was later superseded by the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof", in 1868. This posthumous oil-on-canvas portrait of Scott was painted by Louis Schultze, after an 1857 photograph by John H. Fitzgibbon, and now hangs in the Missouri History Museum in St. Louis. Painting credit: Louis Schultze, after John H. 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As of the start of 1865, the Gregorian calendar was 12 days ahead of the Julian calendar, which remained in localized use until 1923. Calendar year January 4 - The New York Stock Exchange opens its first permanent headquarters at 10-12 Broad near Wall Street, in New York City. January 13 - American Civil War: Second Battle of Fort Fisher - Union forces launch a major amphibious assault against the last seaport held by the Confederates, Fort Fisher. January 31 The Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution (conditional prohibition of slavery and involuntary servitude) passes narrowly, in the House of Representatives. American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. Lee becomes general-in-chief. February 3 - American Civil War: Hampton Roads Conference: Union and Confederate leaders discuss peace terms. February 6 - The municipal administration of Finland is established. [1] February 8 & March 8 - Gregor Mendel reads his paper on Experiments on Plant Hybridization at two meetings of the Natural History Society of Brünn in Moravia, subsequently taken to be the origin of the theory of Mendelian inheritance.[2] February 21 - John Deere receives a United States patent for ploughs. February 22 - Tennessee adopts a new constitution that abolishes slavery. February - American Civil War: Columbia, South Carolina burns, as Confederate forces flee from advancing Union forces. March 4 - Washington College and Jefferson College are merged to form Washington & Jefferson College in the United States.[3] March 13 - American Civil War: The Confederate States of America agrees to the use of African America agrees to the use of Afr forces to retreat from Four Oaks, North Carolina. March 25 The Claywater Meteorite explodes just before reaching ground level in Vernon County, Wisconsin; fragments having a combined mass of 1.5 kg (3.3 lb) are recovered. American Civil War: In Virginia, Confederate forces capture Fort Stedman from the Union, although it is retaken the same day Lee's army suffers heavy casualties: about 2,900, including 1,000 captured in the Union counterattack. Confederate positions are weakened. After the battle, Lee's defeat is only a matter of time. March - Hamm's Brewery opens in St. Paul, Minnesota. April 2: Jefferson Davis. April 9: Appomattox Court House. April 1- American Civil War - Battle of Five Forks: In Petersburg, Virginia, Confederate General Robert E. Lee begins his final offensive. April 2 - American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. Lee begins his final offensive. April 2 - American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. Lee begins his final offensive. April 2 - American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. Lee begins his final offensive. April 2 - American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. Lee begins his final offensive. April 2 - American Civil War: Confederate General Robert E. 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Lee surrenders to Union Army General Rob attending an evening performance of the farce Our American Cousin at Ford's Theatre in Washington, D.C., by actor and Confederate sympathizer John Wilkes Booth. United States Secretary of State William H. Seward and his family are attacked in his home, by Lewis Powell. April 15 - President Lincoln dies early this morning from his gunshot wound aged 56. Vice President Andrew Johnson becomes the 17th President of the United States upon Lincoln's death and is sworn in later that morning. April 18 - Confederate President Jefferson Davis and his entire cabinet arrive in Charlotte, North Carolina, with a contingent of 1,000 soldiers. April 21 - German chemicals producer BASF moves its headquarters and factories from Mannheim, to the Hemshof District of Ludwigshafen. April 26 American Civil War: Confederate General Joseph E. Johnston surrenders to Union Major General William Tecumseh Sherman, at Durham Station, North Carolina. Union cavalry corner John Wilkes Booth in a Virginia barn, and cavalryman Boston Corbett fatally shoots the assassin. April 27 The steamboat Sultana, carrying 2,300 passengers, explodes and sinks in the Mississippi River, killing 1,800, mostly Union survivors of the Andersonville Prison. April 27: Steamboat Sultana sinks. Governor of New York Reuben Fenton signs a bill formally creating Cornell University. May 1 - The Treaty of the Triple Alliance of Argentina, Brazil, and Uruguay against Paraguay is formally signed, following the outbreak of the Paraguayan War. May 4 - American Civil War: Lieutenant General Richard Taylor, commanding all Confederate forces in Alabama, Mississippi, and eastern Louisiana, surrenders his forces to Union General Edward Canby at Citronelle, Alabama, effectively ending all Confederate resistance east of the Mississippi River. May 5 - In the United States: In North Bend, Ohio (a suburb of Cincinnati), the first train robbery in the country takes place. Jefferson Davis meets with his Confederate Government is officially dissolved. May 10 - American Civil War: Jefferson Davis is captured by the Union Army near Irwinville, Georgia. May 12 - Electric equipment and mobile brand Nokia founded in Tampere, Finland. May 12-13 - American Civil War - Battle of Palmito Ranch: In far south Texas, more than a month after Confederate General Lee's surrender, the last land battle of the civil war with casualties, ends with a Confederate victory. May 17 The International Telegraph Union is founded. French missionary Father Armand David first observes Père David's deer in Peking, China.[4] May 23 - Grand Review of the Armies: Union Army troops parade down Pennsylvania Avenue (Washington, D.C.) to celebrate the end of the American Civil War. May 25 - Mobile magazine explosion: 300 are killed in Mobile, Alabama, when an ordnance depot explodes. May 29 - American Civil War: President of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the control of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the Control of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues and the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclamation of general amnesty for most citizens of the United States Andrew Johnson issues a proclematic amnesty for most citizens of the Un former Confederacy. June 2 - American Civil War: Confederate forces west of the Mississippi River under General Edmund Kirby Smith surrender at Galveston, Texas, under terms negotiated on May 26, becoming the last to do so. June 10 - Richard Wagner's opera Tristan und Isolde debuts at the Munich Court Theatre. June 11 - Battle of the Riachuelo: The Brazilian Navy squadron defeats the Paraguayan Navy. July 2: Salvation Army June 19 - American Civil War: At Galveston, Texas, and informs the people of Texas of the Emancipation Proclamation (an event celebrated in modern times each year as Juneteenth). June 23 - American Civil War: At Fort Towson in Oklahoma Territory, Confederate General Stand Watie, a Cherokee Indian, surrenders the last significant Rebel army. June 25 - James Hudson Taylor, England. June 26 - Jumbo, a young male African elephant, arrives at London Zoo and becomes a popular attraction. June-August - English polymath Francis Galton first describes eugenics.[6] July 4 - Lewis Carroll publishes his children's novel Alice's Adventures in Wonderland in England[7][8] (first trade editions in December). July 5 The U.S. Secret Service is founded. The first speed limit is introduced in Britain: 2 mph (3.2 km/h) in town and 4 mph (6.4 km/h) in the country. July 7 - Lewis Carroll publishes his children's novel Alice's Adventures in Wonderland in England[7][8] (first trade editions in December). July 5 The U.S. Secret Service is founded. Following Abraham Lincoln's assassination on April 14, the four conspirators condemned to death during the trial are hanged, including David Herold, George Atzerodt, Lewis Powell and Mary Surratt. Her son, John Surratt, escapes execution by fleeing to Canada, and ultimately to Egypt. July 14 - First ascent of the Matterhorn: The summit of the Matterhorn in the Alps is reached for the first time, by a party of 7 led by the Englishman Edward Whymper; 4 die in a fall during the descent. July 14: Matterhorn climbed. July 30: Steamer Brother Jonathan sinks. July 21 - Wild Bill Hickok - Davis Tutt shootout: In the market square of Springfield, Missouri, Wild Bill Hickok shoots "Little Dave" Davis Tutt dead over a poker debt, in what is regarded as the first true western fast draw showdown. July 23 - The SS Great Eastern departs on a voyage to lay a transatlantic telegraph cable.[7] July 26 - The New Zealand Parliament first meets in Wellington on a permanent basis, making it de facto the national capital.[9] July 27 Welsh settlers arrive in Argentina at Chubut Valley. Businessman Asa Packer establishes Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. July 30 - The steamer Brother Jonathan sinks off the California coast, killing 225 passengers and crew. July 31 - The first narrow gauge mainline railway in the world opens at Grandchester, Australia. July - The Christian Mission, later renamed The Salvation Army, is founded in Whitechapel, London, by William and Catherine Booth. August 16 - The Dominican Republic regains independence from Spain. August 25 - The Shergotty meteorite falls in Sherghati, Gaya, Bihar in India. September 19 - Union Business College (now Peirce College) is founded in Philadelphia September 26 - Champ Ferguson becomes the first person (and one of only two) to be convicted of war crimes for actions taken during the American Civil War, found guilty by a U.S. Army tribunal on 23 charges, arising from the murder of 53 people. He is hanged on October 20, two days after the conviction of Henry Wirz for war crimes.[10] October 11 - Morant Bay rebellion: Paul Bogle leads hundreds of black men and women in a march in Jamaica; the rebellion is brutally suppressed by the British governor Edward John Eyre with 400 executed.[8] October 25 - Florida drafts its constitution in Tallahassee. October 26 The Standard Oil Company opens. The paddlewheel steamer SS Republic sinks off the Georgia coast, with a cargo of \$400,000 in coins. November 6 - American Civil War: The CSS Shenandoah, last remnant of the Confederate States of America and its military, surrenders in Liverpool after fleeing westward from the Pacific. November 10 - Captain Henry Wirz, Confederate superintendent of Andersonville Prison (Camp Sumter) is hanged, becoming the second of two combatants, and only serving regular
soldier, to be executed for war crimes committed during the American Civil War. November 11 - Duar War between Britain and Bhutan ends with the Treaty of Sinchula, in which B 17 - Chincha Islands War: Action of 17 November 1865 - A Spanish gunboat is captured by the Chilean tugboat Independencia off Tomé, in the Bay of Concepción, Chile. December 11 - The United States Congress creates the United States House Committee on Appropriations and the Committee on Banking and Commerce, reducing the tasks of the Belgians, following the death (on December 10) of his father, King Leopold I. December 18 - Secretary of State William H. Seward declares the Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution ratified by three-quarters of the states, including those in secession. As of December 6, slavery is legally outlawed in the last two slave states of Kentucky and Delaware, and the remaining 45,000 slaves are freed. December 21 – The Kappa Alpha Order is founded at Washington College, Lexington, Virginia. December 24 - Jonathan Shank and Barry Ownby form the Ku Klux Klan in the American South, to resist Reconstruction and intimidate carpetbaggers and scalawags, as well as to repress the freedpeople. Francis Galton. A forest fire near Silverton, Oregon, destroys about one million acres (4,000 km2) of timber. The National Temperance Society and Publishing House is founded by James Black in the U.S. Nottingham Forest Football Club, an association football based in West Bridgford, Nottingham, England, is founded. January 5 - Julio Garavito Armero, Colombian astronomer (d. 1920) January 9 - Leo Ditrichstein, Austrian-born stage actor playwright (d. 1928) January 19 - Valentin Serov, Russian politician, last foreign minister of the Russian Empire (d. 1944) January 27 - Nikolai Pokrovsky, Russian politician, last foreign minister of the Russian Empire (d. 1944) January 27 - Nikolai Pokrovsky, Russian politician, last foreign minister of the Russian Empire (d. 1944) January 27 - Nikolai Pokrovsky, Russian politician, last foreign minister of the Russian Empire (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette Guilbert, French cabaret singer, actress (d. 1944) January 20 - Yvette movement (d. 1928) Kaarlo Juho Ståhlberg, 1st President of Finland (d. 1952)[11] January 31 - Henri Desgrange, French cycling enthusiast, founder of the Tour de France (d. 1939) February 4 - Ernest Hanbury Hankin, English theatre actress producer (d. 1940) February 12 Enrico Millo, Italian admiral and politician (d. 1930)[12] Kazimierz Tetmajer, Polish writer (d. 1940) February 17 - Ernst Troeltsch, German theologian (d. 1923). 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Woodworth, American entomologist (d. 1940) Pieter Zeeman King George V of the United Kingdom May 2 - Clyde Fitch, American dramatist (d. 1909) May 3 - Martha M. Simpson, Australian educationalist ((d. 1948) May 23 - Epitácio Pessoa, 11th President of Brazil (d. 1942) May 25 John Mott, American YMCA leader, recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize (d. 1943) May 26 - Robert W. Chambers, American artist (d. 1933) June 2 - George Lohmann, English cricketer (d. 1901) June 3 - George V of the United Kingdom (d. 1936) June 9 Albéric Magnard, French composer (d. 1914) Carl Nielsen, Danish composer (d. 1931) June 13 - W. B. Yeats, Irish writer, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 1939) June 19 Alfred Hugenberg, German businessman, politician (d. 1951) May Whitty, British stage and screen actress (d. 1948) June 21 - Otto Frank, German physiologist (d. 1944) June 26 - Bernard Berenson, American art historian (d. 1959) June 29 - Shigechiyo Izumi, Japanese supercentenarian (d. 1937)[15] July 13 - Gérard Encausse, French occultist (d. 1916) July 15 - Alfred Harmsworth, 1st Viscount Northcliffe, Irish-born British publisher; founder of the Daily Mirror (d. 1922) July 23 Max Heindel, Danish-born British publisher; founder of the United States (d. 1930) July 26 - Philipp Scheidemann, 11th Chancellor of Germany (d. 1939) August 17 - Julia Marlowe, English-born literary critic (d. 1936) August 15 - Usui Mikao, Japanese founder of reiki (d. 1926) August 17 - Julia Marlowe, English-born American stage actress (d. 1950) August 20 - Bernard Tancred, South African cricketer (d. 1911) August 22 - Templar Saxe, British actor and singer (d. 1935) September 4 - Maria Karlowska, Polish Roman Catholic religious professed and blessed (d. 1935) September 11 - Rainis, Latvian poet, playwright (d. 1929) September 26 - Mary Russell, Duchess of Bedford, English aviator, ornithologist (d. 1937) Charles W. Clark Hovhannes Abelian Warren G. Harding Jean Sibelius Rudyard Kipling October 1 - Paul Dukas, French composer (d. 1935) October 9 - Arthur Hayes-Sadler, British admiral (d. 1952) October 10 - Rafael Merry del Val, Spanish Roman Catholic Cardinal and Secretary of the Congregation of the Holy Office (d. 1930) October 12 - Arthur Hayes-Sadler, British admiral (d. 1952) October 15 - Charles W Clark, American baritone (d. 1925) October 16 - Rudolph Lambart, 10th Earl of Cavan, British field marshal (d. 1946) October 22 Charles James Briggs, British general (d. 1941) Raymond Hitchcock, American actor (d. 1929) October 23 - Hovhannes Abelian, Armenian actor (d. 1936) October 26 - Benjamin Guggenheim, American businessman (d. 1912) October 27 - Tinsley Lindley, English footballer (d. 1940) November 11 - Edwin Thanhouser, American actor, businessman, and film producer, founder of the Thanhouser Company (d. 1956) December 8 Rüdiger von der
Goltz, German general (d. 1946) Jean Sibelius, Finnish composer (d. 1957) December 12 - Edwyn Alexander-Sinclair, British admiral (d. 1945) December 19 - Minnie Maddern Fiske, American stage actress (d. 1932) December 20 - Elsie de Wolfe, American socialite, interior decorator (d. 1950) December 23 Anna Farguhar Bergengren, American author and editor (unknown year of death) James M. Canty, American educator, school administrator, and businessperson (d. 1964)[16] Albrecht, Duke of Württemberg, German field marshal (d. 1939) December 25 Evangeline Booth, 4th General of The Salvation Army (d. 1950) Fay Templeton, American musical comedy star (d. 1939) December 28 - Félix Vallotton, Swiss painter, printmaker (d. 1925) December 30 - Rudyard Kipling, Indian-born English writer, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 1936) Ernest Hogan, African-American dancer, musician, and comedian (d. 1909) Habibullah Qurayshi, Bengali Islamic scholar and educationist (d. 1943)[17] Abraham Lincoln John Wilkes Booth January 14 - Marie-Anne Libert, Belgian botanist (b. 1782) January 19 - Pierre-Joseph Proudhon, French philosopher, anarchist (b. 1836)[18] March 1 - Anna Pavlovna of Russia, queen consort of the Netherlands (b. 1795) March 20 - Yamanami Keisuke, Japanese samurai (b. 1833) March 30 - Alexander Dukhnovich, Russian priest, writer and social activist (b. 1803 April 1 John Milton, Governor of Florida (b. 1807) Giuditta Pasta, Italian soprano (b. 1798) April 2 - A. P. Hill, American Confederate general (b. 1825) April 13 - Achille Valenciennes, French zoologist (b. 1794) April 15 - Abraham Lincoln, 16th President of the United States (b. 1809) April 24 - Nicholas Alexandrovich, Tsarevich of Russia (b. 1843) April 26 - John Wilkes Booth, American actor, assassin of Abraham Lincoln (b. 1838) April 28 - Sir Samuel Cupard Canadian businessman, founder of the Cupard Line (b. 1787) May 5 - Ben Hall Australian businessnerson (b. 1782)[19] Paul Bode Henry John Temple Leopold Lof Belgium July - Dimitris Planoutas, Greek military leader (b. 1786) July 6 - Princess Sophie of Sweden, Grand Duchess of Baden (b. 1801) July 7 - The Lincoln assassination conspirators (executed) Lewis Powell (b. 1842) George Atzerodt (b. 1842) George Atzerodt (b. 1835) Mary Surratt (b. 1842) George Atzerodt (b. 1835) Mary Surratt (b. 1835) Mary Surratt (b. 1844) David Herold (b. 1842) George Atzerodt (b. 1835) Mary Surratt (b. 1842) George Atzerodt (b. 1844) David Herold (b. 1844) David Navy officer (b. 1812) August 12 - William Jackson Hooker, English botanist (b. 1785) August 13 - Ignaz Semmelweis, Hungarian physician (b. 1783) August 27 - Thomas Chandler Haliburton, Canadian author (b. 1796) August 13 - Ignaz Semmelweis, Physiologist, physiologist and neurologist (b. 1815) September 2 - William Rowan Hamilton, Irish mathematician (b. 1805) September 10 - Maria Silfvan, Finnish actor (b. 1802) September 25 - Andrés de Santa Cruz, Peruvian military officer, seventh President of Peru and Peru and President of Peru and Pe sociologist (b. 1781) October 18 - Henry John Temple, 3rd Viscount Palmerston, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom (b. 1784) October 24 - Paul Bogle, Jamaican activist, Baptist deacon and leader of the Morant Bay rebellion. (executed) (b. 1820) November 10 - Henry Wirz, Swiss-born American Confederate military officer, prisoner-of-war camp commander (executed) (b. 1823) November 12 - Elizabeth Gaskell, British novelist, biographer (b. 1810) November 28 José Manuel Pareja, Spanish admiral (suicide) (b. 1813) William Machin Stairs, Canadian businessman, statesman (b. 1789) November 29 - Isaac A. Van Amburgh, American animal trainer (b. 1811) December 6 - Sebastián Iradier, Spanish composer (b. 1809) December 10 - King Leopold I of Belgium (b. 1790) December 17 - Luigi Ciacchi, Italian cardinal (b. 1794) December on February 24, 2015. Retrieved February 6, 2024. ^ Moore, Randy (May 2001). "The "Rediscovery" of Mendel's Work" (PDF). Bioscene. 27. Archived from the original (PDF) on February 2, 2017. Retrieved December 6, 2016. ^ Coleman, Helen Turnbull Waite (1956). Banners in the Wilderness: The Early Years of Washington and Jefferson College. University of Pittsburgh Press. p. 214. OCLC 2191890. 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The 18th century, elements of Enlightenment thinking culminated in the Atlantic Revolutions. Revolutions began to challenge the legitimacy of monarchical and aristocratic power structures. The European colonization of the Americas and other parts of the world intensified and associated mass migrations of people grew in size as part of the Age of Sail. During the century, slave trading expanded across the shores of the across the shores of the purposes of their work. For example, the "short" 18th century may be defined as 1715-1789, denoting the period of time between the death of Louis XIV of France and the start of the French Revolution, with an emphasis on directly interconnected events.[3][4] To historians who expand the century to include larger historical movements, the "long" 18th century[5] may run from the Glorious Revolution of 1688 to the Battle of Waterloo in 1815[6] or even later.[7] France was the sole world superpower from 1659, after it defeated Spain, until 1815, when it
was defeated by Britain and its coalitions following the Napoleonic Wars. In Europe, philosophers ushered in the Age of Enlightenment. This period coincided with the French Revolution of 1789, and was later compromised by the excesses of the Reign of Terror. At first, many monarchies of Europe embraced Enlightenment ideals, but in the wake of the French Revolutionary Wars. Various conflicts throughout the century, including the War of the Spanish Succession and the Seven Years' War, saw Great Britain triumph over its rivals to become the preeminent power in Europe. However, Britain's attempts to exert its authority over the Thirteen Colonies became a catalyst for the American Revolution. The 18th century also marked the end of the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth as an independent state. Its semi-democratic government system was not robust enough to prevent partition by the neighboring states of Austria, Prussia, and Russia. In West Asia, Nader Shah led Persia in successful military campaigns. The Ottoman Empire experienced a period of peace, taking no part in European wars from 1740 to 1768. As a result, the empire was not exposed to Europe's military improvements during the Seven Years' War. The Ottoman military consequently lagged behind and suffered several defeats against Russia in the second half of the century. In South Asia, the death of Mughal emperor Aurangzeb was followed by the expansion of the Maratha Confederacy and an increasing level of European influence and control in the region. In 1739, Persian emperor Nader Shah invaded and plundered Delhi, the capital of the Mughal Empire. Later, his general Ahmad Shah Durrani scored another victory against the Marathas, the then dominant power in India, in the Third Battle of Panipat in 1761.[8] By the middle of the century, the British East India Company began to conquer eastern India,[9][8] and by the end of the century, the Anglo-Mysore Wars against Tipu Sultan and his father Hyder Ali, led to Company rule over the south.[10][11] In East Asia, the century was marked by the High Qing era, a period characterized by significant cultural and territorial expansion. This period also experienced relative peace and prosperity, allowing for societal growth, increasing literacy rates, flourishing trade, and consolidating imperial power across the vast Qing dynasty's territories. Conversely, the continual seclusion policy of the Tokugawa shogunate also brought a peaceful era called Pax Tokugawa and experienced a flourishment of the arts as well as scientific knowledge and advancements, which were introduced to Japan through the Dutch port of Nagasaki. In Southeast Asia, the Konbaung-Ayutthaya Wars and the Tây Son Wars broke out while the Dutch East India Company established increasing levels of control over the Mataram Sultanate. In Africa, the Ethiopian Empire underwent the Zemene Mesafint, a period when the country was ruled by a class of regional noblemen and the emperor was merely a figurehead. The Atlantic slave trade also saw the continued involvement of states such as the Oyo Empire. In Oceania, the European colonization of Australia and New Zealand began during the late half of the century. In the Americas, the United States declared its independence from Great Britain. In 1776, Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence. In 1789, George Washington was inaugurated as the first president. Benjamin Franklin traveled to Europe where he was hailed as an inventor. Examples of his inventions include the lightning rod and bifocal glasses. Túpac Amaru II led an uprising that sought to end Spanish colonial rule in Peru. For a chronological guide, see Timeline of the 18th century. See also: Georgian era Main articles: 1700s, 1710s, 1720s, 1730s, and 1740s Europe at the beginning of the War of the Spanish Succession, 1700 The Battle of Poltava in 1709 turned the Russian Empire into a European power. 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Mughal emperor Muhammad Shah with the Persian invader Nader Shah. 1723: Slavery is abolished in Russia; Peter the Great converts household slaves into house serfs. [16] 1723-1730: The Qing and the Dzungars. 1723-1730: The Vingaria, and Outer Mongolia with inconclusive results. 1724: Daniel Gabriel Fahrenheit proposes the Fahrenheit temperature scale. 1725: Austro-Spanish War ends inconclusively. 1730: Mahmud I takes over Ottoman Empire after the Patrona Halil revolt, ending the Tulip period. 1730-1760: The First Great Awakening takes place in Great Britain and North America. 1732-1734: Crimean Tatar raids into Russia.[17] 1733-1738: War of the Polish Succession. 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Taxation is stopped in Iran for three years. 1739-1740: Nader Shah 's Sindh expedition. 1740: George Whitefield brings the First Great Awakening to New England 1740-1741: Famine in Ireland kills 20 percent of the population. 1741-1751: Maratha invasions of Bengal. 1740-1748: War of the Austrian Succession. 1742: Marvel's Mill, the first water-powered cotton mill begins operation in England.[19] 1742: Anders Celsius proposes an inverted form of the centigrade temperature, which is later renamed Celsius in his honor. 1742: Premiere of George Frideric Handel's Messiah. 1743-1746: Another Ottoman-Persian War involves 375,000 men but ultimately ends in a stalemate. The extinction of the Scottish clan system came with the defeat of the clansmen at the Battle of Culloden in
1746.[20] 1744: The First Saudi State is founded by Mohammed Ibn Saud.[21] 1744: Battle of Toulon is fought off the coast of France. 1744-1748: The First Carnatic War is fought between the British, the French, the Marathas, and Mysore in India. 1745: Second Jacobite rising is begun by Charles Edward Stuart in Scotland. 1747: The Durrani Empire is founded by Ahmad Shah Durrani. 1748-1754: The Second Carnatic War is fought between the British, the French, the Marathas, and Mysore in India. 1750: Peak of the Little Ice Age. 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He was king of Denmark to 1808. 1766-1799: Anglo-Mysore Wars. 1767: Taksin expels Burmese invaders and reunites Thailand under an authoritarian regime. 1768-1772: War of the Bar Confederation. 1769-1770: James Cook explores and maps New Zealand and Australia. 1769-1773: The Bengal famine of 1770 kills one-third of the Bengal population. 1769: The French East India Company's (VOC) monopoly of the plant.[23] 1770-1771: Famine in Czech lands kills hundreds of thousands. 1771: The Plague Riot in Moscow. 1771: The Kalmyk Khanate dissolves as the territory becomes colonized by Russians. More than a hundred thousand Kalmyks migrate back to Qing Dzungaria. 1772: Gustav III of Sweden stages a coup d'état, becoming almost an absolute monarch. 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The Tây Son dynasty has been established, terminating the Lê dynasty. 1779-1879: Xhosa Wars between British and Boer settlers and the Xhosas in the South African Republic. 1779-1783: Britain loses several islands and colonial outposts all over the world to the combined Franco-Spanish navy. 1779: Iran enters yet another period of conflict and civil war after the prosperous reign of Karim Khan Zand. 1780: Outbreak of the indigenous rebellion against Spanish colonization led by Túpac Amaru II in Peru. 1781: The city of Los Angeles is founded by Spanish settlers. George Washington 1781-1785: Serfdom is abolished in the Austrian monarchy (first step; second step in 1848). 1782: The Thonburi Kingdom of Thailand is dissolved after a palace coup. 1783: The Treaty of Paris formally ends the American Revolutionary War. 1783: Russian annexation of Crimea. 1785-1791: Imam Sheikh Mansur, a Chechen warrior and Muslim mystic, leads a coalition of Muslim mystic, leads a coalition of Muslim Caucasus in a holy war against Russian settlers and military bases in the Caucasus, as well as against local traditionalists, who followed the traditional customs and common law (Adat) rather than the theocratic Sharia.[24] 1785-1787: The Martha-Mysore Wars concludes with an exchange of territories in the Deccan. 1786-1787: Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart premieres The Marriage of Figure and Don Giovanni. 1787: The Tuareg occupy Timbuktu until the 19th century. 1787-1792: Russo-Turkish War. 1788: First Fleet arrives in Australia 1788-1790). 1788: Dutch Geert Adriaans Boomgaard (1788-1899) would become the first generally accepted validated case of a supercentenarian on record. [25][26] Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen 1789-1789: A Qing attempt to reinstall an exiled Vietnamese king in northern Vietnam ends in disaster. 1789: George Washington is elected the first President of the United States; he serves until 1797. 1789: Quang Trung defeats the Qing army. 1789-1799: French Revolution. 1789: The Liège Revolution. 1789: The Brabant Revolution. 1789: The Inconfidência Mineira, an unsuccessful separatist movement in central Brazil led by Tiradentes 1791: Suppression of the Liège Revolution by Austrian forces and re-establishment of the Prince-Bishopric of Liège. 1791-1795: George Vancouver explores the world during the Vancouver Expedition 1791-1804: The Haitian Revolution. 1791: Mozart premieres The Magic Flute. 1792-1802: The French Revolutionary Wars lead into the Napoleonic Wars, which last from 1803-1815. 1792: The New York Stock & Exchange Board is founded. 1792: Polish-Russian War of 1792. 1792: Margaret Ann Neve (1792-1903) would become the first recorded female supercentenarian to reach the age of 110.[27][28] 1793: Upper Canada bans slavery. 1793: The largest yellow fever epidemic in American history kills as many as 5,000 people in Philadelphia, roughly 10% of the population.[29] 1793-1796: Revolt in the Vendée against the French Republic at the time of the Revolution. 1794-1816: The Hawkesbury and Nepean Wars, which were a series of incidents between settlers and New South Wales Corps and the Aboriginal Australia. 1795: The Marseillaise is officially adopted as the French national anthem. Napoleon at the Bridge of the Arcole 1795: The Battle of Nu'uanu in the final days of King Kamehameha I's wars to unify the Hawaiian Islands. 1795-1796: Iran invades and devastates Georgia, prompting Russia to intervene and march on Tehran. 1796: Edward Jenner administers the first smallpox vaccination; smallpox killed an estimated 400,000 Europeans each year during the 18th century, including five reigning monarchs.[30] 1796: War of the First Coalition: The Battle of Montenotte marks Napoleon Bonaparte's first victory as an army commander. 1796-1804: The White Lotus Rebellion against the Manchu dynasty in China. 1797: John Adams is elected the second President of the United States; he serves unti 1801. 1798: The Irish Rebellion fails to overthrow British rule in Ireland. 1798-1800: The Quasi-War is fought between the United States and France. 1799: Dutch East India Company is dissolved. 1799: Coup of 18 Brumaire -Napoleon's coup d'etat brings the end of the French Revolution. 1799: Death of the Qianlong Emperor after 60 years of rule over China. His favorite official, Heshen, is ordered to commit suicide. 1800: On 1 January, the bankrupt VOC is formally dissolved and the nationalized Dutch East Indies are established.[31] Main articles: Timeline of historic inventions § 18th century, and Timeline of scientific discoveries § 18th century The spinning jenny 1709: The first piano was built by Bartolomeo Cristofori 1711: Tuning fork was invented by John Shore 1712: Steam engine invented by Thomas Newcomen 1714: Mercury thermometer by Daniel Gabriel Fahrenheit 1717: Diving bell was successfully tested by Edmond Halley, sustainable to a depth of 55 ft c. 1730: Octant navigational tool was developed by John Hadley in England, and Thomas Godfrey in America 1733: Flying shuttle invented by John Kay 1736: Europeans encountered rubber - the discovery was made by Charles Marie de La Condamine while on expedition in South America. It was named in 1770 by Joseph Priestley c. 1740: Modern steel was developed by Benjamin Huntsman 1741: Vitus Bering discovers Alaska 1745: Leyden jar invented by Ewald Georg von Kleist was the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor 1751: Jacques de Vaucanson perfects the first electrical capacitor
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The work becomes immensely popular throughout Europe, 1704: A Tale of a Tub by Jonathan Swift first published 1712: The Rape of the Lock by Alexander Pope (publication of first version) 1744: The New Science by Giambattista Vico 1726: Gulliver's Travels by Jonathan Swift 1728: The Dunciad by Alexander Pope (publication of first version) 1744: A Little Pretty Pocket-Book becomes one of the first books marketed for children 1748: Chushingura (The Treasury of Loyal Retainers), popular Japanese puppet play, composed 1748: Clarissa; or, The History of a Young Lady by Samuel Richardson 1749: The History of Tom Jones, a Foundling by Henry Fielding 1751: Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard by Thomas Gray published 1751-1785: The French Encyclopédie 1755: A Dictionary of the English Language by Samuel Johnson 1758: Arithmetika Horvatzka by Mihalj Šilobod Bolšić 1759: Candide by Voltaire 1759: The Theory of Moral Sentiments by Adam Smith 1759-1767: Tristram Shandy by Laurence Sterne 1762: Emile: or, On Education by Jean-Jacques Rousseau 1762: The Social Contract, Or Principles of Political Right by Jean-Jacques Rousseau 1774: The Sorrows of Young Werther by Goethe first published 1776: Ugetsu Monogatari (Tales of Moonlight and Rain) by Ueda Akinari 1776: The Wealth of Nations, foundation of the modern theory of economy, was published by Adam Smith 1776-1789: The History of the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire was published by Edward Gibbon 1779: Amazing Grace published by Friedrich Schiller first published 1782: Les Liaisons dangereuses by Pierre Choderlos de Laclos 1786: Poems, Chiefly in the Scottish Dialect by Robert Burns 1787-1788: The Federalist Papers by Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, and John Jay 1788: Critique of Practical Reason by Immanuel Kant 1789: Songs of Innocence by William Blake 1789: The Interesting Narrative of the Life of Olaudah Equiano by Olaudah Equiano 1790: Journey from St. Petersburg to Moscow by Alexander Radishchev 1791: Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Revolution in France by Edmund Burke 1791: Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Revolution in France by Edmund Burke 1791: Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Revolution in France by Edmund Burke 1791: Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Revolution in France by Edmund Burke 1791: Rights of Man by Thomas Paine 1792: A Vindication of the Rights of N William Blake 1798: Lyrical Ballads by William Wordsworth and Samuel Taylor Coleridge 1798: An Essay on the Principle of Population published by Thomas Malthus (mid-18th century): The Dream of the Red Chamber (authorship attributed to Cao Xueqin), one of the most famous Chinese novels 1711: Rinaldo, Handel's first opera for the London stage premiered 1721: Brandenburg Concertos by J.S. Bach 1727: St Matthew Passion composed by Handel for the coronation of George II of Great Britain. It has been performed at every subsequent British coronation. 1733: Hippolyte et Aricie, first opera by Jean-Philippe Rameau 1741: Goldberg Variations for harpsichord published by Bach 1742: Messiah, oratorio by Handel premiered in Dublin 1749: Mass in B minor by J.S. Bach assembled in current form 1751: The Art of Fugue by J.S. Bach 1762: Orfeo ed Euridice, first "reform opera" by Gluck, performed in Vienna 1786: The Marriage of Figaro, opera by Mozart 1787: Don Giovanni, opera by Mozart 1787: Don Giovanni, opera by Mozart 1787: London symphony (Symphony No. 41) composed by Mozart 1791-1795: London symphony (Symphony No. 41) composed by Mozart 1788: Jupiter Symphony (Symphony Ko. 41) composed performed ^ Volkov, Sergey. Concise History of Imperial Russia. ^ Rowe, William T.
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Family Guy is an American adult animated sitcom created by Seth MacFarlane for the Fox Broadcasting Company. The series centers on the Griffins, a family consisting of parents Peter and Lois; their children Meg, Chris, and Stewie; and their anthropomorphic pet dog Brian. The show is set in the fictional city of Quahog, Rhode Island, and exhibits much of its humor in the form of cutaway gags that often lampoon American culture. Along with its core voice actors, episodes make frequent use of guest stars. Guest stars who have lent their voices to the show come from a wide range of occupations including musicians, actors, episodes make frequent use of guest stars. have only made a single appearance, while others, like James Woods, have gone on to become recurring fan favorites.[1] Over the years, the show has become notable for featuring stars reprised his iconic role as Edward Scissorhands. [2] On the other hand, episodes have also given guests the opportunity to play caricatures of themselves, like "Not All Dogs Go to Heaven" which featured the main cast of Star Trek: The Next Generation, including Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner, LeVar Burton, Gates McFadden, Michael Dorn, Wil Wheaton, Marina Sirtis, and even Denise Crosby (season 1 as Tasha Yar), playing themselves headed to a Star Trek convention.[3][4] Name Role(s) Episode Erik Estrada<sup>†</sup> Ponch "I Never Met the Dead Man"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 4 Key Star Trek convention.[3][4] Name Role(s) Episode Erik Estrada<sup>†</sup> Ponch "I Never Met the Dead Man"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones John O'Hurley Cult leader "Chitty Death Bang"Episode 2 Frank Welker Fred Jones Jones Jones Jones Jones Jones Jon Leslie Uggams Herself Michelle Kwan Herself "A Hero Sits Next Door"Episode 5 Bobby Slayton Leonard Cornfeathers "The Son Also Draws"Episode 7 Dick Van Patten Tom Bradford †Uncredited Name Role(s) Episode Fairuza Balk Connie D'Amico "Peter, Peter, Caviar Eater "Episode 1 Gregory Jbara Jonathan Robin Leach Himself Charles Durning Francis Griffin "Holy Crap" Episode 2 Olivia Hack Cindy Brady Dwight Schultz The Pope Florence Stanley Thelma Griffin Patrick Duffy\* Bobby Ewing "Da Boom" Episode 3 Jack PerkinsJP Himself Victoria Principal\* Pamela Ewing Will Sasso Randy Newman Sam Waterston Dr. Kaplan "Brian in Love"Episode 4 Debra Wilson Mrs. KranerSandy Belford "Love Thy Trophy"Episode 5 Karen Black Herself "Death Is a Bitch"Episode 8 Faith Ford Sarah Bennett, Corky Sherwood Martin Mull Mr. Harris "If I'm Dyin', I'm Lyin'"Episode 9 James Carville†
Himself "Running Mates"Episode 10 Lee Majors Himself Dwight Schultz Randall Fargus Jack Sheldon† 'Vagina Junction' conductor Candice Bergen Murphy Brown "A Picture is Worth 1.000 Bucks"Episode 11 Charles Kimbrough Jim Dial Joe Regalbuto Frank FontanaBullEditor Brian Dovle-Murray Luke "Road to Rhode Island"Episode 13 Victoria Principal Dr. Amanda Rebecca Gregg AllmanGA Himself "Let's Go to the Hop"Episode 14 Mo Collins Daycare teacherStewardess "Dammit Janet!"Episode 15 Haley Joel Osment LeonardDaycare kid Camryn Manheim Brad Michael Chiklis Big Fat Paulie "There's Something About Paulie"Episode 16 Robert Costanzo BiffLouie Jon Cryer Kevin Alan King The Don Jay Mohr Logan "He's Too Sexy for His Fat"Episode 19 Adam Carolla Death "Wasted Talent"Episode 20 Michael McKean Pawtucket Pat Julia Sweeney Woman in bar \*Live-action role †Uncredited JPThis would be Jack Perkins' final film/television series role.[5] GAThis would be Greag Allman's final film/television series role.[6] Name Role(s) Episode 1 Leif Garrett Himself Haley Joel Osment Kid in bathroom Louise DuArt Joan Rivers "Brian Does Hollywood"Episode 2 Olivia Hack Melissa Rivers Jenna Jameson Herself Ron Jeremy Himself Ray Liotta Zack Ricky Blitt\* Alyssa Milano's lawyer "Mr. Griffin Goes to Washington"Episode 3 Alyssa Milano\* Herself Jack Sheldon The Bill Ed Asner Brown-Haired Prisoner "One If By Clam, Two If By Sea"Episode 4 Hugh Laurie Bar patron Patrick Duffy JackSalesmanTeacher "And the Wiener Is..."Episode 5 Adam Carolla Death "Death Lives"Episode 6 Estelle Harris Death's mother Peter Frampton Himself Laura Silverman Amy Michael Chiklis Bronx guy #1 "Lethal Weapons"Episode 8 Josh Peckt Charlie Abe Vigoda Himself Adam Carolla Death "Mr. Saturday Knight"Episode 9 R. Lee Ermey Coach Will Ferrell The Black Knight Jimmy Kimmel Death's dogMan in suitRenaissance guy Michael Chiklis Hennessey "A Fish Out of Water"Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible"Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso Ribeiro Himself Majel Barrett Ship computer "Emission Impossible" Episode 10 Brian Doyle-Murray Salty Alfonso in Dixie"Episode 12 Waylon JenningsW Himself Kathleen Wilhoite Sam Bob Barker Himself "Screwed the Pooch"Episode 13 Don LaFontaine FOX Announcer Meredith Scott Lynn Brenda "Peter Griffin: Husband, Father...Brother?"Episode 14 Valerie Bertinelli Herself as Bonnie Swanson "Ready, Willing, and Disabled"Episode 15 Tony Danza Himself as Joe Swanson Alex Rocco Bea Arthur as Peter Griffin KISS Peter Criss Ace Frehley Gene Simmons Paul Stanley Themselves "A Very Special Family Guy Freakin' Christmas"Episode 16 Fred Willard Dave Campbell "From Method to Madness"Episode 18 Jennifer Love Hewitt Herself "Stuck Together, Torn Apart"Episode 19 Andy Dick Himself "Road to Europe"Episode 20 Jon Favreau Donny SciberraFirst bazaar salesman Eauren Graham Mother Maggie KISS Themselves Jane Lynch Dotty Campbell Adam Carolla Death "Family Guy Viewer Mail 1"Episode 21 Bill Goldberg Brawny guy on bus Regis Philbin Himself Kelly Ripa Herself Alex Trebek† Himself Michael Winslow Himself Ricky Blitt Mordecai "When You Wish Upon a Weinstein Ben Stein Rabbi Goldberg \*Live-action role †Uncredited WThis would be Waylon Jennings' final television series role.[7] Name Role(s) Episode Hunter Gomez Pinocchio "North by North Quahog"Episode 1 Don LaFontaine Himself André Sogliuzzo Mel GibsonChris TuckerHotel manager Drew Barrymore Mrs. Lockhart "Fast Times at Buddy Cianci, Jr. High"Episode 2 Arif S. Kinchen Carlos Hugh Laurie TV presenter Steven Zirnkilton Himself Gina Gershon Policewoman

'Blind Ambition "Episode 3 Judd Hirsch Himself Jimmy Iovine Himself "Don't Make Me Over" Episode 4 Gene Simmons Himself Prisoner #3 Emeril Lagasse† Himself "The Cleveland-Loretta Quagmire" Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "The Cleveland-Loretta Quagmire" Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Don't Make Me Over" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 5 LeVar Burton Vern "Petarded" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself "Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself" Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself" Episode 7 Levar Burton Vern "Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself" Episode 7 Levar Burton Vern "Episode 6 Cloris Leachman Herself" Episode 7 Levar Burton Vern "Episode 8 Leva "Brian the Bachelor"Episode 7 Nancy Cartwright Casey Kelp Drew Pinsky The Dermatologist Joanna García Liddane "8 Simple Rules for Buying My Teenage Daughter"Episode 9 Michael Dorn Worf "Peter's Got Woods"Episode 9 Michael Dorn Worf "Peter's Got Woods"Episode 8 Brian Tochi Helicopter pilot "Breaking Out Is Hard to Do"Episode 9 Michael Dorn Worf "Peter's Got Woods"Episode 9 Michael Dorn Worf "Peter's Picard Gabrielle Union Shauna Parks James Woods Himself Adam Carolla Death "Perfect Castaway" Episode 12 Jenna von Oÿ Rory Carrie Fisher Angela "Jungle Love" Episode 17 Robert Downey Jr. Patrick Pewterschmidt Will Sasso Todd Paula Abdul\*# Herself "The Father, the Son, and the Holy Fonz"Episode 18 Tom Bosley Howard Cunningham Sherman Hemsley Himself Marion Ross Marion Cunningham Sarah Utterback Lindsay Lohan Mark Borchardt Himself Troy Brown Himself Carol ChanningC Herself Bob Costas Himself Jay Leno Himself Alexander Siddig One of the London Silly Nannies Adam Carolla Death "I Take Thee Quagmire" Episode 21 Bryan Cranston Himself Wallace Shawn Bertram "Sibling Rivalry"Episode 22 Chris Wedge Scrat Kate Jackson Mrs. King "Deep Throats"Episode 23 Frank Welker Fred JonesKermit the Frog Tamera Mowry Book customer "Peterotica"Episode 23 Frank Welker Fred JonesKermit the Frog Tamera Mowry Book customer "Peterotica"Episode 24 Betty White Herself Stark Sands Justin Hackeysack "You May Now Kiss the...Uh...Guy Who Receives"Episode 25 Bob Costas Himself "Petergeist"Episode 26 Carrot Top Himself Judith Light Herself "Untitled Griffin Family History"Episode 27 Drew Barrymore Herself "Stewie B. Goode"Episode 28 Noel Blanc Elmer Fudd Ron Livingston Video store clerk René Auberjonois Odo "Bango Was His Name, Oh!"Episode 29 Jennie Garth Kelly Taylor Larry Kenney Lion-O Lynne Lipton Cheetara Jason Priestley Brandon Walsh Tori Spelling Donna Martin Joy Behar Herself "Stu and Stewie's Excellent Adventure"Episode 30 Michael Clarke Duncan Stork Kiefer Sutherland 24 opening narrator \*Live-action role #Archive footage †Uncredited CThis would be Carol Channing's final film/television role.[8] Name Role(s) Episode Ellen Albertini Dow Elderly woman "Stewie Loves Lois"Episode 1 Phyllis Diller Thelma Griffin "Mother Tucker"Episode 2 Tamera Mowry Esther Gore VidalG Himself Louis Gossett Jr. Himself "Saving Private Brian"Episode 4 Samm Levine Joey Drew Barrymore Jillian "Prick Up Your" Ears "Episode 6 David Cross Jerry Kirkwood Drew Barrymore Jillian "Chick Cancer" Episode 8 Garrett Morris\* Headmaster of the New York School for the Hard of Hearing Tamera Mowry Esther Bill Fagerbakke#† Patrick Star "Road to Rupert" Episode 9 Gene Kelly\*#† Joseph Brady Tom Kenny#† SpongeBob SquarePants Rob Lowe Stanford Cordray George Wendt Norm Peterson Phyllis Diller Thelma Griffin "Peter's Two Dads" Episode 10 Charles Durning Francis Griffin Tamera Mowry Waitress Keir Gilchrist Kyle "The Tan Aquatic with Steve Zissou" Episode 11 Hugh Hefner Himself "Airport '07" Episode 12 Roy Scheider Himself "Bill and Peter's Bogus Journey" Episode 13 Conway Twitty\*# Himself Patrick Stewart's voice "No Meals on Wheels"Episode 14 Ben Stiller Himself Drew Barrymore Jillian "Boys Do Cry"Episode 16 Josh Radnor Ted Mosby Ashley Ferl\*#† Herself "It Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One "Episode 17 Don Most Himself Keith Olbermann Bob Grossbeard Adam Carolla Death "Meet the Quagmires" Episode 18 Seth MacFarlane Roger the Alien \*Live-action role #Archive footage †Uncredited GThis would be Gore Vidal's final television role.[9] Name Role(s) Episode Chevy Chase Clark Griswold "Blue Harvest"Episode 1 Beverly D'Angelo Ellen Griswold Mick Hucknall Himself Rush Limbaugh Himself Judd NelsonD John Bender Leslie Nielsen# Dr. Rumack Helen Reddy Herself Drew Barrymore Jillian "Movin' Out (Brian's Song)"Episode 2 Jeff Bergman Homer Simpson Jamie Farr Himself "Believe It or Not, Joe's Walking on Air"Episode 3 Paula Abdul American Idol judges "Lois Kills Stewie"Episode 5 Simon Cowell Randy Jackson Seth MacFarlane Stan Smith Patrick Stewart Avery Bullock Phyllis Diller Thelma Griffin "Padre de Familia"Episode 6 Alex Fernandez Gerardo Carrie Fisher Angela Gabriel Iglesias Mexican #5 Jeff Bergman Fred Flintstone "Peter's Daughter"Episode 7 Pat Crawford Brown Sanka dancer Conway Twitty\*# Himself Ricardo Montalbán The Cow "McStroke"Episode 8 Barry Manilow Himself Chace Crawford Dylan "The Former Life of Brian"Episode 11 Harvey Fierstein Tracy Amanda Bynes Anna "Long John Peter"Episode 12 DAppearance in a deleted scene only #Archive footage \*Live-action role Name Role(s) Episode 2 Russ Leatherman Mr. Moviefone Debra Wilson Star Jones Brian Blessed Prince Vultan "Road to Germany"Episode 3 Gregory Jbara Nazi guardNazi generalGerman priest Johnny Knoxville Himself "The Man with Two Brians" Episode 5 Bob Barker Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New Bedford Andy Dick Himself "Tales of a Third Grade Nothing" Episode 6 Elisha Cuthbert New 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"Family Gay"Episode 8 Seth Rogen Peter Griffin with the Seth Rogen Peter Griffin with the Seth Rogen gene Jeff Bergman O. J. Simpson "The Juice Is Loose"Episode 9 Conway Twitty\*# Himself Peter Chernin Himself "FOX-y Lady"Episode 10 Ed Helms Al Gore John Moschitta Jr. Himself Seth Rogen Himself Fred Savage Himself Daniel Stern Fred Savage's voice over LeVar Burton Star Trek: The Next Generation cast "Not All Dogs Go to Heaven"Episode 11 Denise Crosby Michael Dorn Jonathan Frakes Gates McFadden Marina Sirtis Brent Spiner Patrick Stewart Wil Wheaton Rob Lowe\* Themselves[11] Adam West\* Meredith Baxter Elyse Keaton "Stew-Roids"Episode 13 Chace Crawford Jock #2Popular kidTrainer Camille Guaty Gina Wentworth Miller Jock #4Popular kid #2 Drew Barrymore Jillian "We Love You, Conrad"Episode 14 Lauren Conrad Herself Jimmy Fallon\* Himself Craig Ferguson\* Himself Jay Leno\* Himself Audrina Patridge Herself Kate Todd Heidi Montag Sarah Utterback Lindsay Lohan Richard Dreyfuss Narrator "Three Kings" Episode 15 Roy Scheider Himself George Wendt Norm Peterson Neil Patrick Harris How I Met Your Mother cast "Peter's Progress" Episode 16 Josh Radnor Jason Segel \*Live-action role #Archive footage BTaking place prior to her coming out as trans and undergoing gender reassignment surgery, Caitlyn was considered to be playing herself, as she was known then as Bruce Jenner. RThis would be Roy Scheider's final film/television role.[12] Name Role(s) Episode 2 Charles Durning Francis Griffin Ben Stein Rabbi Goldberg William WoodsonWW Super Friends announcer Dan Aykroyd Themselves "Spies Reminiscent of Us"Episode 3 Chevy Chase Gary Cole Mike Brady James Lipton\* Himself Hart Bochner\*# Harry Ellis "Brian's Got a Brand New Bag"Episode 4 George Christy Dr. Hasseldorf Paul Gleason\*# Deputy Chief Dwayne T. Robinson Reginald VelJohnson\*# Sgt. Al Powell Nana Visitor Rita Tico Wells Bobby Brown Bruce Willis\*# John McClane Candace Marie Miley Cyrus "Hannah Banana"Episode 5 Brittany Snow Candy "Quagmire's Baby"Episode 6 Thomas F. Wilson First step Nathan Gunn Italian opera singer "Dog Gone"Episode 8 Chris Matthews Himself Johnny Galecki Leonard Hofstadter "Business Guy"Episode
9 Hugh Laurie Gregory House Bobby Lee Sharply dressed Asian man Jim Parsons Sheldon Cooper Dwayne Johnson\* Himself "Big Man on Hippocampus" Episode 10 Adrianne Palicki Tiffani Amber Thiessen Dave Boat Latino in hardhat "Dial Meg for Murder" Episode 11 Peter Chen Chinese NASCAR drivers Chace Crawford Luke Camille Guaty Gina Allison Janney Teen People editor Andrea Fay Friedman Ellen "Extra Large Medium"Episode 12 Michele Lee Estelle Harris Stephen Bishop Himself "Go Stewie Go"Episode 13 Mo Collins Little girl Colin Ford Randall Anne Hathaway Mother Maggie Nana Visitor Audition caller Max Burkholder Child doctor "Peter-assment"Episode 14 Richard Dreyfuss Himself Carrie Fisher Angela Jim Goldenberg TMZ crew Max Hodges Harvey Levin Rob Lotterstein Himself "Brian Griffin's House of Payne"Episode 15 Danielle Panabaker James Woods' daughter Charlie Sheen Himself "April in Quahog"Episode 16 Jason Mraz Some guy with a hat Marc Alaimo The Dean "The Splendid Source"Episode 19 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown David Lynch Gus the Bartender Kevin Michael Richardson Cleveland Brown, Jr. John Bunnell Himself "Something Something Something Something Something Something Dark Side"Episode 20 James Caan Himself "Something Something S Tom Selleck\*# Phil Blackwood James Woods Himself/General Veers Julia Sweeney Naomi Robinson "Partial Terms of Endearment"Episode 21 Wil Wheaton Protestor Michael York Nature narrator \*Live-action role #Archive footage WWThis marked William Woodson's final film/television role.[13] Name Role(s) Episode Drew Barrymore Jillian "And Then There Were Fewer"Episode 1 Max Burkholder Child Colin Ford Child Patrick Stewart Cat Ashley Tisdale Priscilla James Woods Himself Rush Limbaugh Himself Rush Lim Barclay DeVeau Patty "Halloween on Spooner Street"Episode 4 Noah Matthews Bully Natasha Melnick Ruth Christina Milian Esther Lyndon Smith Bully #2 Patrick Stewart Dick Pump Nana Visitor Justin's mom Lisa Wilhoit Connie D'Amico Carrie Fisher Angela "Baby, You Knock Me Out"Episode 5 Dana Gould\* Himself "Brian Writes a Bestseller"Episode 6 Arianna Huffington\* Herself Bill Maher\* Himself Ashley Tisdale Kelly Drew Barrymore Jillian "Road to the North Pole"Episode 7 David Boreanaz Himself Carrie Fisher Angela Ron MacFarlane\* The Narrator Bruce McGill Santa Claus Will Ryan Winnie-the-Pooh Nana Visitor Mother Yvette Nicole Brown Black woman "New Kidney in Town"Episode 8 Drew Carey Himself Kirker Butler Guest "And I'm Joyce Kinney"Episode 9 Helen Reddy Herself Adam Carolla Death "Friends of Peter G."Episode 10 Carrie Fisher Angela Jessica Stroup Crowd member Laura Vandervoort AA member Alan Tudyk German pilot "German Guy"Episode 11 Colin Ford Kid "The Hand That Rocks the Wheelchair "Episode 12 Patrick Stewart Susie Swanson Nina Dobrev Gina "Trading Places" Episode 13 Carrie Fisher Angela Laura Vandervoort Third Bully Girl Lisa Wilhoit Connie D'Amico Drew Barrymore Jillian "Tiegs for Two" Episode 14 Jessica Stroup Denise Cheryl Tiegs for Two Barrymore Jillian "Tiegs for Two" Episode 14 Jessica Stroup Denise Cheryl Tiegs for Two Sisters "Episode 15 Michael Gross Steven Keaton Julie Hagerty Carol Pewterschmidt Robert Loggia\* Himself Sarah Ramos Teenage girl Joe Flaherty Vatican worker "The Big Bang Theory" Episode 16 Wallace Shawn Bertram David Bowie\*# Themselves "Foreign Affairs" Episode 17 Mick Jagger\*# Dee Bradley Baker Klaus Heissler/Admiral Ackbar "It's a Trap! "Episode 18 Michael Dorn Worf Mary Hart Herself Anne Hathaway Hot blonde Rush Limbaugh Rancor Bruce McGill John Williams Patrick Stewart Jean-Luc Picard Conway Twitty\*# Darth Twitty \*Live-action role #Archive footage Name Role(s) Episode 1 Dee Bradley Baker Hooded monster "Seahorse Seashell Party"Episode 2 Kaitlin Olson Brenda "Screams of Silence: The Story of Brenda Q"Episode 3 Adam Alexi-Malle Adzin "Stewie Goes for a Drive"Episode 5 Scott Grimes Kevin Swanson "Thanksgiving"Episode 6 Julie Hagerty Carol West Patrick Stewart Susie Swanson Ari Graynor Woman "Amish Guy"Episode 7 Bobby Lee Chinese man Missi Pyle Woman Kevin Michael Richardson Roadblock Bob Gunton Warden "Cool Hand Peter"Episode 9 Jack Carter Old man D.C. Douglas Superman R. Lee Ermey Drill sergeant Joel David Moore Old man watching Avatar Linda Porter Old woman Marlee Matlin Stella "The Blind Side"Episode 11 Rob Corddry Ben "Livin' on a Prayer"Episode 13 Danielle Harris\*# Jamie Lloyd David Herman David Strathairn Sanaa Lathan Clair Huxtable Elliot Page Lindsey George P. Wilbur\*# Michael Myers James Woods Himself Ricky Gervais Billy Finn "Be Careful What You Fish For"Episode 15 Jeff Ross Himself "Killer Queen"Episode 16 Eddie Kaye Thomas Barry Robinson Katharine McPhee Mother Maggie "You Can't Do That on Television, Peter"Episode 18 Cate Blanchett Penelope "Mr. and Mrs. Stewie"Episode 21 Anna Kendrick Nora "Internal Affairs"Episode 23 \*Live-action role #Archive footage Name Role(s) Episode Elizabeth Banks Pam Fishman "Into Fat Air"Episode 1 J. J. Abrams Himself "Ratings Guy"Episode 2 Sandra Bernhard Herself Mark Burnett Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson Michael Clarke DuncanMCD Co-worker with cowboy boots Billy Gardell Mike Biggs Jon Hamm Himself Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson 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Si Old Man and the Big 'C'"Episode 3 Jim Parsons Gay-Jacker "Joe's Revenge"Episode 5 Will Sasso Bobby 'The Shirt' Briggs Patrick Stewart Susie Swanson Johnny Depp Edward Scissorhands "Lois Comes Out of Her Shell"Episode 6 Ellen Albertini Dow Aunt Helen "Jesus, Mary and Joseph!"Episode 6 Ellen Albertini Dow Aunt Helen "Jesus, Mary and Joseph!"Episode 6 Ellen Albertini Dow Aunt Helen "Jesus, Mary and Joseph!"Episode 8 Ryan Reynolds Overweight guy Brian Williams Himself "Space Cadet"Episode 9 Alan Bennett Himself "Brian's Play"Episode 10 Megan Hilty Helen Keller's teacherOld woman "The Giggity Wife"Episode 11 Sofía Vergara Flower saleswomanHispanic woman Drew Barrymore Jillian Russell "Valentine's Day in Quahog"Episode 12 Jessica Biel Brooke Roberts Kat Foster Carolyn Jessica Stroup Denise Cheryl Tiegsica Stroup Denise Cheryl Herself Nana Visitor Rita Anne Murray Herself "Chris Cross"Episode 13 Robert Romanus\*# Mike Damone Christine Baranski Herself "Call Girl"Episode 15 Bob Costas Himself Padma Lakshmi Herself "12 and a Half Angry Men"Episode 16 Mike Judge Hank Hill "Bigfat"Episode 17 Bill Maher Himself Wendy Schaal Francine Smith Carly Simon Herself "Total Recall"Episode 18 Tim Gunn Himself "Save the Clam"Episode 22 Sean Bean Portrait of Peter Griffin's ancestor Nick Cannon Himself Tom Hiddleston Statue of Peter Griffin's ancestor Sharon Osbourne Herself Emma Roberts Amanda Barrington \*Live-action role #Archive footage MCDAiring after his death, this episode was also dedicated in Michael's memory.[14] RThis marked Robert Loggia's final appearance on a television series prior to his death in 2015.[15] Name Role(s) Episode Yvette Nicole Brown Woman "Finders Keepers"Episode 1 Lea Thompson Lorraine McFly Carrie Fisher Angela "Vestigial Peter"Episode 2 Patrick Stewart Narrator Adam Levine Himself "A Fistful of Meg"Episode 4 Christina Milian Esther Michelle Dockery British woman "Boopa-dee Bappa-dee"Episode 5 Yvette Nicole Brown Mourning woman "Life of Brian"Episode 6 Tony Sirico Vinny Nick Kroll Ricky "Into Harmony's Way"Episode 7 Conan O'Brien Himself Tony Sirico Vinny Vinny "Christmas Guy"Episode 8 Carrie Fisher Angela "Peter Problems"Episode 9 Marlee Matlin Stella Brad Goreski Gay man #1 "Grimm Job"Episode 10 Ashley Benson Dakota "Brian's a Bad Father "Episode 11 Liam Neeson Himself Lauren BacallL Evelyn "Mom's the Word "Episode 12 Ariana Grande Italian daughter Adam Carolla Death "3 Acts of God "Episode 15 Bryan Cranston\* Himself "Herpe the Love Sore "Episode 16 Patrick Steward Cutaway narrator Dennis FarinaD Himself "The Most Interesting Man in the World"Episode 17 Keke Palmer Pam "Baby Got Black"Episode 20 Cary Elwes Dr. Watson "Chap Stewie"Episode 21 Isaac Hempstead-Wright Aidan Rick Springfield Himself David Thewlis British father \*Live-action role LThis is Lauren Bacall's final film or television role prior to her death.[16] DThis is Dennis Farina's final television role, airing after his death (in 2013).[17] Name Role(s) Episode Hank 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CarlsonChief WiggumComic Book GuyLouDr. Nick Riviera "The Simpsons Guy"Episode 1 H. Jon Benjamin Bob Belcher Jeff Bergman Fred Flintstone Julie Bowen Claire Dunphy Nancy Cartwright Bart SimpsonAbraham SimpsonKrusty the ClownBarney GumbleHans MolemanKodosMayor QuimbySanta's Little HelperSqueaky-Voiced TeenBlue-Haired Lawyer Julie Kavner Marge SimpsonPatty and Selma Harry Shearer Lenny LeonardVideo Erotich customer Yeardley Smith Lisa Simpson James Woods Himself Mason Cook Boy in wheelchair "The Book of Joe" Episode 2 Glenn Howerton Blake Walker Maya Rudolph JoAnne Shalit Connie Britton Herself "Baking Bad" Episode 3 Carl Lumbly Loan officer Ana Ortiz Cinnamon Emily Osment Girl in bed on TV Yvette Nicole Brown Jerome's mom "Brian the Closer"Episode 6 Ana Gasteyer Speed dater Glenn Howerton Massage chair guy Emily Osment Girl in Santa Hat/Carrie Underwood Hank Azaria Nigel Harpington "Stewie, Chris & Brian's Excellent Adventure"Episode 7 Tony Sirico\* Himself Emily Osment Ruth "Our Idiot Brian"Episode 8 Allison Janney Mistriss Vieda Harvey Fierstein Buster Keaton "Stewie Is Enciente"Episode 12 Lea Thompson Teenaged girl in diner "#JOLO"Episode 14 Chris Hardwick Johnny Lawrence "Once Bitten"Episode 15 Cristin Milioti KarenAndrea "Roasted Guy"Episode 16 T.J. Miller Volcano Liam Neeson Himself "Fighting Irish"Episode 17 Michael Bublé[18] Bublé wrap "Take My Wife"Episode 16 T.J. 18 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown \*Live-action role #Archive footage Name Role(s) Episode 4 Emily Osment Hiker Bardem "Pilling Them Softly"Episode 2 Ed O'Neill Bud Swanson John Mellencamp Himself "Peternormal Activity"Episode 4 Emily Osment Hiker Bardem "Pilling Them Softly"Episode 2 Ed Girl in Movie Kate McKinnon Karen Griffin "Peter's Sister"Episode 6 Belita Moreno Rosario Vargas Joe Buck Himself "Brokeback Swanson"Episode 10 Carrie Fisher Angela Sung Kang Soap opera actor Ashton Kutcher\* Himself C.S. Lee Soap opera actor Chad L. Coleman African gunman "Scammed Yankees"Episode 12 Neil deGrasse Tyson Himself Martha MacIsaac Patty Christina Milian Esther Tia Carrere Hawaiian woman "An App a Day"Episode 14 Cary Elwes Edison's assistant Julie Hagerty Carol West Jay Leno Mayor Jay Leno Glenn Close Herself "A Lot Going on Upstairs"Episode 15 Breckin Meyer S&M guy Mary Kay Place Farting lady "The Heartbreak Dog"Episode 16 Katharine Ross Mrs. Abbott Paget Brewster Gretchen Mercer "Take A Letter"Episode 17 Ken Marino Dallas Portland "The New Adventures of Old Tom"Episode 18 Simon Cowell Himself "Run, Chris, Run"Episode 17 Ken Marino Dallas Portland "The New Adventures of Old Tom"Episode 18 Simon Cowell Himself "Run, Chris, Run"Episode 17 Ken Marino Dallas Portland "The New Adventures of Old Tom"Episode 18 Simon Cowell Himself "Run, Chris, Run"Episode 17 Ken Marino Dallas Portland "The New Adventures of Old Tom"Episode 18 Simon Cowell Himself "Run, Chris, Run"Episode 17 Ken Marino Dallas Portland 19 Liam Payne Himself Louis Tomlinson Himself Barkhad Abdi Abduwali Muse "Road to India"Episode 20 Rob Huebel Business meeting leader Anil Kapoor Himself Russell Peters Padma's father Sheetal Sheth PadmaTapeworm \*Live-action role Name Role(s) Episode Nicole Byer Airport security worker "The Boys in the Band"Episode 1 Jenna Lamia Mrs. Wong Nolan North The Turtlenecks Amy Schumer Crew leader Tony Sirico Vinny Kyle Chandler Coach Doyle "Bookie of the Year"Episode 2 Frank Sinatra Jr.F Himself Kelen Coleman Woman #3Hooker #2 "American Gigg-olo"Episode 3 Gary Newman Himself "Inside Family Guy"Episode 4 David Tennant The Doctor Dana Walden Herself James Woods Himself Mark-Paul Gosselaar Zack Morris "Chris Has Got a Date, Dat Simpkins Little Drummer Boy Stephen Curry Himself "Passenger Fatty-Seven"Episode 10 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Chris Gronkowski Flea Himself "Peter's Def Jam"Episode 12 Marlee Matlin Stella Carrot Top Himself "The Finer Strings"Episode 13 Colin Ford Football player Martha MacIsaac Patty Kiff VandenHeuvel Sheriff Woody Ed Westwick Football playerWedding officiant Robert Wu Mr. Washee-Washee Christina Pickles Queen Elizabeth II "The Dating Game"Episode 14 Heléne Yorke Schwarzenegger's Target Date Neil Brown Jr. Athlete with money "Saturated Fat Guy"Episode 16 Martha MacIsaac Patty Christina Milian Esther Wade Boggs Himself "Peter's Lost Youth"Episode 17 Lenny Clarke Fantasy baseball coach Carrie Fisher Angela Carl Reiner Fantasy baseball coach Colin Ford Kid "The Peter Principal"Episode 18 Jermaine Fowler Kid Anders Holm Superintendent Shawn Michael Howard New Orleans band Martha MacIsaac Patty Christina Milian Esther Wendy Schaal Secretary Kiernan Shipka Meg's Bully/Singing cheerleader Lisa Wilhoit Connie D'Amico Daniele Gaither Traffic violations officer "Dearly Deported" Episode 19 Aimee Garcia Isabella Portia de Rossi Bonnie Swanson's prank call voice "A House Full of Peters"Episode 20 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Olesya Rulin Russian Meg Griffin FThis marked Frank Sinatra Jr.'s final film/television role.[19] Name Role(s) Episode Asa Akira\* Herself "Emmy-Winning Episode" Episode 1 Julie Bowen Herself Ty Burrell\* Himself Frances Callier Shonda Rhimes Louis C.K. Himself Jonathan Kite Alec Baldwin Bill Maher Himself Miriam Margolyes Maggie Smith's right eyeball Ryan O'Neal\*# Tim Madden Christina Pickles Maggie Smith's left eyeball Sofía Vergara Herself Chris Diamantopoulos Stryker Foxx in the Men House"Episode 2 Ignacio Serricchio† Jonathan Goldsmith Kathleen Turner Peter Griffin Chris Diamantopoulos Fievel Mousekewitz "Nanny Goats"Episode 3 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Ryan Reynolds Himself "Follow the Money"Episode 7 Jeff Probst Himself Iwan Rheon George HarrisonJohn LennonRing announcer Carrie FisherC Angela "Don't Be Dickens at Christmas"Episode 9 Norm MacDonald Himself David Mazouz Peter's co-worker Jay Pharaoh Kanye Canes Don Swayze Patrick Swayze Amanda Seyfried Ellie "Boy (Dog) Meets Girl (Dog)"Episode 10 Dikembe Mutombo Himself "Dog Bites Bear"Episode 11 Danny Trejo\* Himself Ian McKellen Dr. Cecil Pritchfield "Send in Stewie Please "Episode 12 Tom Ellis Oscar Wilde "V is for Mystery "Episode 13 Tom Hollander Distinguished man #2 Eric Dane Himself "Veteran Guy" Episode 15 Esther Ku Secretary Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown "Family Guy' Through the Years "Episode 16 Chris Diamantopoulos Parker Stanton "HTTPete"Episode 18 Ignacio Serricchio Pitbull "The Unkindest Cut"Episode 19 Pej Vahdat† Middle Eastern co-pilot \*Live-action role #Archive footage †Uncredited CThis would be Carrie Fisher's final television appearance, following her death in 2016.[20] Name Role(s) Episode Sanaa Lathan Fangirl "Married with Cancer"Episode 1 Jay Pharaoh Kanye West Casey Wilson Jess Jess "Dead Dog Walking"Episode 2 Eva Bella Kid "Pal Stewie"Episode 3 Aries Spears Eddie Murphy Gilbert Gottfried Dog whistle "Big Trouble in Little Quahog"Episode 3 Aries Spears Eddie Murphy Gilbert Gottfried Dog Walking"Episode 4 Kyrie Irving Vernon the Waterbear Patrick the Waterbear Aries Spears Shaquille O'Neal "Regarding" Carter "Episode 5 Kimberly Brooks Black sitcom mom "Stand by Meg"Episode 6 Scott Grimes Kevin Swanson Tara Lipinski Herself "The Griffin Winter Games"Episode 8 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Christina Pickles Newport heiress Wendy Schaal Newport heiress Bryan Cranston Bert "Pawtucket Pete"Episode 9 Billy Eichner Himself Andrew Kishino Goose Sanaa Lathan Fangirl Ross Marquand George H. W. BushJohnny Depp "Trump Guy"Episode 11 Charlet Chung Brittany hologram "Bri, Robot"Episode 12 Bryan Cranston Bert "Trans-Fat"Episode 13 Niecy Nash Sheila Maurice LaMarche† Conan O'Brien Bryan Cranston Bert "Family Guy Lite"Episode 14 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Ross Marquand Slinky Niecy Nash Sheila Mandy Moore Courtney "No Giggity, No Doubt"Episode 15 Casey Wilson Gymnastics team mom Chris Parnell Priest "You Can't Handle the Booth"Episode 16 Sarah Paulson HerselfMarcia ClarkCostumed woman Judy Greer Luna Bar loverMiddle-aged woman "Island Adventure"Episode 18 Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-BrownBackup singer Sam Elliott Himself "Girl, Internetted"Episode 19 Denis Leary Car mechanic Julie Hagerty Carol Pewterschmidt "Adam West High" Episode 20 †Uncredited Name Role(s) Episode Bryan Cranston Bert "Yacht Rocky" Episode 20 †Uncredited Name Role(s) Episode 1 Lucas Grabeel Chad Sanaa Lathan Donna Tubbs-Brown Kenny Loggins Himself Niecy Nash Sheila Alan Parsons Himself Niecy Nash Sheila Fugene Byrd Uns Deliveryman Bryan Cranston Bert Scott Grimes Keyin Swanson Robert Heriavec Himself Bryan Cranston Bert "Disney's The Reboot" Enisode 4 Judy Greer Herself Martha MacIsaac Patty Emily Osment Ruth Cochamer Gary Newman Himself Chris Parnell Smarmy I. Tiestraightener III Dana Walden Herself Daisy Fuentes Herself "Pete & Lois' Wedding"Episode 6 Mike Judge Beavis and Butt-Head Carlos Alazragui Warden "Shanksgiving"Episode 8 Hank Azaria Police Superintendent Chalmers Nat Faxon Neo-Nazi Danny Treio Clint Beltran Jimmy Connors Himself "Christmas is Coming"Episode 9 Chris Parnell Subway Manager Lisa Wilhoit Connie 'S Celica"Episode 10 Christopher Meloni George Townshend "Short Cuts"Episode 11 Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson "The Movement"Episode 14 Jerry Lambert Man Congratulating Peter Kevin Nealon Himself Khary Payton KingBaseball Player Alex Pettyfer Troy Brett Gelman Escape Room Guy "Baby Stewie"Episode 15 Judy Greer Bozo's ClientSylvester Stallone's Assistant Robert Wu Korean General Bryan Cranston BertJudge "Start Me Up"Episode 16 Martha MacIsaac Airport Announcer Ross Marquand Indiana JonesJesse Eisenberg Khary Payton Abusive Father Dan Castellaneta Homer Simpson "Coma Guy"Episode 17 Alfred Molina Panamanian Man Carlos Alazraqui Chief Justice John Roberts "Better Off Meg"Episode 18 Lucas Grabeel Student Ali Hillis Meg's Friend Esther Ku Meg's Friend Kristen Li Funeral Girl #1 Chris Parnell PriestFather Raccoon Stephanie Beatriz Hostess "Holly Bibble"Episode 19 Edie McClurg Herself as Grace Liam McIntyre Wombat Chris Parnell Highway Man Allison Munn Suits ActressAccused
WitchAutograph Seeker "Movin' In (Principal Shepherd's Song)"Episode 20 Chris Parnell Doug Ignacio Serricchio Lawnmower Guy Television portal ^ "The 15 Best 'Family Guy' Guest Stars In Honor Of The 15th Anniversary". The Huffington Post. 6 December 2017. Retrieved 25 November 2024. ^ Snierson, Dan (11 July 2012). "Johnny Depp to reprise Edward Scissorhands role... on 'Family Guy'! -- EXCLUSIVE". Entertainment Weekly. Retrieved 1 August 2019. ^ French, Dan. "'Trek' cast to reunite on 'Family Guy'". The Hollywood Reporter. e5 Global Media. Archived from the original on February 26, 2009. Retrieved February 27, 2009. ^ French, Dan. "'Trek' cast to reunite on 'Family Guy'". Digital Spy. Hachette Filipacchi Médias. Retrieved 1 June 2020. ^ "Gregg Allman". IMDb. Retrieved 1 June 2020. ^ "Gregg Allman". IMDb. Retrieved 1 June 2020. ^ "Carol Channing". IMDb. Retrieved 1 June 2020. ^ "Carol Channing". IMDb. Retrieved 1 June 2020. ^ "Carol Channing". IMDb. 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("The Fat Guy Strangler," Nov. 27, 2005) Who would think Oscar winner and graceful actress Cate Blanchett would voice a character on Family Guy? The star of Blue Jasmine, Elizabeth, The Talented Mr. Ripley and the Hobbit and Lord of the Rings movies played Penelope, the devious and cunning girl who stole Stewie's heart. (Seth MacFarlane has a way with classy, foreign actors. Patrick Stewart, of Star Trek: The Next Generation, stars on American Dad.) ("Mr and Mrs. Stewie," April 29, 2012) Jason Merritt / Getty Images Tom Hiddleston is world-famous for playing Loki in the Thor and Avengers movies. He also voiced the statue of Peter's ancestor on Family Guy. ("No Country Club for Old Men," May 19, 2013) A year after Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides and the same year Dark Shadows opened in movie theaters, Johnny Depp reprised his role as Edward Scissorhands in a cutaway scene on Family Guy showing him as a babysitter. You can quess what happened to the baby. Snip, snip! ("Lois Comes Out of Her Shell," Nov. 25, 2012) Anna Kendrick had a good year in 2012. She was in the midst of releasing the two-part Breaking Dawn movies from the Twilight series, as well as singing her way through Pitch Perfect. This Oscar-nominated actress played Nora, the female police officer Joe had an affairs," May 20, 2012) Jamie McCarthy / Getty Images Ariana Grande found time between leaving Nickelodeon behind and exploding onto pop charts to record the voice of a blink-and-you'll-miss-her character named Italian Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. ("Brain Girl on Family Guy, le plays Zack, a porn movie producer. 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("Chap Stewie," May 18, 2014) After fighting giant monsters in Godzilla and before the stewie uses a time machine (again) to be reborn. becoming Quicksilver in Avengers: Age of Ultron, Aaron Taylor-Johnson played Jaidan, one of Stewie's Older, bullying brothers in Stewie, "May 18, 2014) Jason LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / FilmMagic Ellen Page is known all over the world for a variety of roles, including starring roles in X-Men: Days of LaVeris / Film Future Past and Inception. On Family Guy, she played Lindsey, Chris's girlfriend who looks exactly like Lois. ("Tom Tucker: The Man and His Dream," Feb. 12, 2012) Frazer Harrison / Getty Images Jason Mraz is a Grammy award-winning singer/songwriter who rose to fame with the single "I'm Yours." He played Some Guy with a Hat on Family Guy, who Peter thinks is Jason Mraz. ("April in Quahog," April 11, 2010) Sean Bean is a veteran actor, starring in the Lord of the Rings movies as Boromir, as well as Ned Stark in Game of Thrones. In this episode of Family Guy, the British actor voiced one of Peter Griffin's ancestors in a portrait. ("No Country Club for Old Men," May 19, 2013) Alberto E Rodriguez / Getty Images Jon Cryer is famous for being one whole of Two and a Half Men. He voiced Kevin Swanson, Joe's son, in only this episode of Family Guy. Kevin is voiced other times by Seth MacFarlane until the tenth season when Scott Grimes (American Dad) takes over. ("A Hero Sits Next Door," May 2, 1999) Stuart Wilson / Getty Images Elizabeth Banks is a talented actress, deftly handling comedy, like in 30 Rock, and drama, like in The Hunger Games movies (although she still manages to provide comic relief amid the tragedy). She also voiced Wyldstyle in The LEGO Movie. In this episode of Family Guy, she voiced Pam Fishman, the wife of Ross Fishman. Peter challenges Ross to race to the top of Mount Everest. ("Into Fat Air," Sep. 30, 2012) Mike Coppola / Getty Images Dakota Fanning became famous at a very early age for her amazing work in I Am Sam, opposite Sean Penn. That year she also voiced "Little Girl"
on Family Guy, who tells Meg her daughter would love her. Since then Dakota Fanning has starred in Taken, War of the Worlds and the Twilight series of movies. ("To Love and Die in Dixie," Nov. 15, 2001) Neilson Barnard / Getty Images Ryan Reynolds appeared in two episodes of Family Guy as the Overweight Guy, including this one when he was the first son of God. Ryan Reynolds has starred in romantic comedies, like The Proposal, and action films, like Green Lantern. ("Jesus, Mary and Joseph," Dec. 23, 2012) Kevin Winter / Getty Images Hugh Laurie is most famous for playing Dr. Gregory House in House M.D. In this episode of Family Guy, he voiced a bar patron who explains to Peter how cricket is played. ("One if by Clam, Two if by Sea," Aug. 1, 2001) Jason Merritt / Getty Images Will Ferrell is known for the many movie comedies he's starred in, including Anchorman: The Legend of Ron Burgundy, The Campaign, The Other Guys and Old School. In this Family Guy episode, he played two roles: Fat Greek Guy and Miles "Chatterbox" Musket, the founder of Quahog. ("Fifteen Minutes of Shame," April 25, 2000) Rich Schultz / Getty Images Ricky Gervais played Billy Finn on Family Guy, the talking dolphin who shows up on Peter's doorstep. Ricky Gervais is a world-famous comedian, writer, and actor. His most famous work is The Office. ("Be Careful What You Fish For," Feb. 19, 2012) Forever known as Westley in The Princess Bride, Cary Elwes voiced the role of Dr. Watson (as in Sherlock Holmes) in a cutaway scene on Family Guy, when Chris tells Stewie how well they work together. ("Secondhand Spoke," March 30, 2014) Mike Coppola / Getty Images Emmy award-winning actor Bryan Cranston played Dr. Jewish, Brian's veterinarian on Family Guy. Bryan Cranston played Dr. Jewish, Brian's veterinarian on Family Guy. Bryan Cranston played Dr. Jewish, Brian's veterinarian on Family Guy. Bryan Cranston played Dr. Jewish, Brian's veterinarian on Family Guy. "Herpe, the Love Sore," he played himself in a joke where he simply sneezes and is handed an Emmy award. ("Long John Peter," May 4, 2008) George Napolitano / FilmMagic Ioan Gruffudd is a Welsh-born actor who has starred in many movies and TV shows. He played Dr. Reed Richards in the Fantastic Four< movies and starred as Henry Morgan in the TV series Forever. He has voiced characters three times on Family Guy. He played Asia's lead singer John Payne in "The Splendid Source" (May 16, 2010), the narrator of the National Geographic documentary in "Seahorse Seashell Party" (Oct. 2, 2011) and Prince Charles in "Family Guy Viewer Mail No. 2" (May 20, 2012). Alberto E. Rodriguez / Getty Images Daniel Stern rose to fame playing goofy characters in the Home Alone and City Slickers movies. He also voiced the Narrator on the beloved TV series The Wonder Years. He parodied that role on Family Guy, narrating the end of the episode and recapping events. ("FOX-y Lady," March 22, 2009) Kevin Winter / Getty Images Ed Helms is a talented comedic actor. He kept TV audiences laughing for several seasons of The Office playing Andy Bernard. He also starred in the Hangover movies and We're the Millers. On Family Guy, he provided the voice of Al Gore. ("FOX-y Lady," March 22, 2009) Amanda Edwards / WireImage Allison Janney is one of the hardest working actresses in Hollywood. She has starred in dozens of films and TV series, including Masters of Sex, Bad Words, and The West Wing. On Family Guy, she voiced the editor for Teen People ("Dial Meg for Murder," Jan. 31, 2010). She also voices Crystal Quagmire in "Quagmire in "Quagmire in "Quagmire in "Quagmire in "Location of Sex, Bad Words, and The West Wing. On Family Guy, she voiced the editor for Teen People ("Dial Meg for Murder," Jan. 31, 2010). 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Actress and writer Carrie Fisher made twenty-five guest stars. including musicians, actors, athletes, politicians and more. Some have only made a single appearance, while others, like James Woods, have gone on to become recurring fan favorites.[1] Over the years, the show has become notable for featuring stars reprising their famous roles in animated form. In the episode "Lois Comes Out of Her Shell", for example, Johnny Depp reprised his iconic role as Edward Scissorhands.[2] On the other hand, episodes have also given guests the opportunity to play caricatures of themselves, like "Not All Dogs Go to Heaven" which featured the main cast of Star Trek: The Next Generation, including Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner, LeVar Burton, Gates McFadden, Michael Dorn, Wil Wheaton, Marina Sirtis, and even Denise Crosby (season 1 as Tasha Yar), playing themselves headed to a Star Trek convention.[3][4] Position in the list: 2 532632269611 The amount of the post comments: 41 Position in the list: 3 9273234233 The amount of the post comments: 24 Position in the list: 4 9512413210 The amount of the post comments: 44 Position in the list: 5 22131631121 The amount of the post comments: 47 ProducerAdditional CrewAnimation DepartmentSuggest an edit or add missing contentYou have no recently viewed pages Cast & crewUser reviewsTriviaFAQTopTop-rated27 seasonsSee all27262524232221201918171615141312111098765432127 yearsSee all2026200520032002200120001999Sign in to rate and Watchlist for personalized recommendationsSign inSuggest an edit or add missing contentYou have no recently viewed pages Created by Seth MacFarlane, the adult animated sitcom, Family Guy, premiered in 1999, and despite being canceled and brought back more than two decades. One of the reasons for its enduring nature is its ability to blend irreverent humor, satire, and social commentary, with a unique animated style. The show fearlessly tackles controversial topics, pushes boundaries, and employs a rapid-fire style of comedy that keeps viewers engaged and entertained. Additionally, the diverse and relatable characters, led by the Griffin family, have become iconic in their own right, drawing viewers into their wacky and often absurd adventures. Family Guy's ability to evolve with the times, adapt to culturel shifts, and remain relevant has contributed to its enduring popularity. Its sharp wit, memorable catchphrases, and pop culture references have become ingrained in the zeitgeist. Family Guy is renowned for its impressive roster of celebrity guest appearances, featuring both stars playing themselves and characters within the show's irreverent and satirical nature, which allows celebrities to embrace self-parody and delve into comedic territory they might not typically explore. Whether they're parodying their own public image or embodying outrageous characters, the guest stars bring their unique talents and comedic flair to the strengths of the stren the guest stars, allowing them to shine in their roles. The blending of real-life celebrities with the show's animated world creates a delightful juxtaposition that generates laughs and surprises viewers. These guest appearances not only provide entertaining moments but also serve as a testament to Family Guy's wide appeal and its ability to attract top talent from the entertainment industry. Below, we take a look at the 10 greatest celebrity guests on the show and rank them. 10 Carrie Fisher had a memorable and recurring role in Family Guy, voicing the character of Angela, Peter Griffin's boss at the Pawtucket Brewery. Fisher is best known for her role as Princess Leia in Star Wars, and Family Guy creator Seth Macfarlane's love of Star Wars is no secret. Family Guy often paid homage to and parodied the beloved sci-fi series. The show even dedicated three specials to the series, which served as hilarious and loving tributes to the original Star Wars is no secret. alumni Mark Hamill has also lent his voice to the animated series. Atlantic Entertainment Group Best known for his roles in Once Upon a Time in America, Videodrome and Disney's Hercules, James Woods played a recurring character, who was a fictionalized version of himself and who even had a high school named after him in the show. However, there were reports that tensions between James Woods and the folks at Family Guy arose due to their vastly differing political opinions, and, as a result, Woods' character has been removed from the show. Following the departure and a string of controversial social media comments made by Woods, Family Guy's Brian Griffin referred to Woods as "a political troll and a maniac on Twitter." Despite his less than amicable departure, Woods' portrayal of himself in Family Guy provided plenty of laughs and remains memorable for fans of the show. Warner Bros. It's always a pleasure to bear witness to the work of the late Ray Liotta and his appearance in the Family Guy episode "Brian Does Hollywood' was no exception. Liotta portrayed a deceitful and shady Hollywood executive who promised to help Brain achieve screenwriting stardom. We're treated to the manipulative and deceitful qualities so often seen in Ray Liotta's roles. His track record of playing characters with an edge certainly came in handy and made him the perfect candidate for this duplicitous character, which
allowed his trademark intensity and commanding presence to shine through, even through his voice alone. Columbia Pictures Norm Macdonald was one of the kings of dark and irreverent humor, so it made perfect sense for him to play Death himself on one of the kings of dark and irreverent TV shows. Perhaps one of the finest casting decisions made in Family Guy history, Norm's deadpan delivery, unique voice, and pitch-black humor made Death among the show's most memorable recurring characters. Whether being forced to take a day job in telemarketing or challenging Peter to a death-defying game of the Price is Right, there was never a dull moment when the character was on-screen, and it serves as a reminder as to the comedic brilliance of Norm, an immense talent that is sorely missed. People Magazine As Family Guy has risen through the ranks to become among the biggest, boldest and most brash rock bands of all time to lend a helping hand. The members of KISS appeared in the episode "Road to Europe" in which Stewie and Brian Griffin embark on a European adventure during which their paths cross with the infamous band. KISS's involvement with Family Guy was a memorable and entertaining collaboration which added a rock 'n' rol flair and sweet nostalgia to its older viewers. Dimension Films Drew Barrymore's recurring character on Family Guy, Jillian Russell, is a lovable, somewhat air-headed woman who becomes Brian Griffin's girlfriend. Jillian's whimsical and comedic nature shares similarities with Barrymore's roles in films like Never Been Kissed, 50 First Dates and The Wedding Singer, where she portrays endearing characters with innocence and charm. Barrymore's portrayal of Jillian in Family Guy further showcases her undeniable talent for bringing relatable charm and comedic timing to her roles, making her a perfect fit for the character, and further endearing her to audiences worldwide. Marvel Studios Robert Downey Jr. is one of the biggest stars to ever appear on the hit sitcom, and it all came about thanks to his own son. Downey's son, who is an avid fan of the show, phoned the producers asking if he could assist in an episode creation, which ultimately led to his father's involvement. Downey voiced the character of Patrick Pewterschmidt, a long-lost member of the Griffin family and deranged serial killer known as the Fat Guy Strangler. Patrick provides the show with some truly unforgettable moments with his deadpan delivery and offbeat perspective and serves as a genuinely great addition to the show. Lionsgate Will Ferrell is undoubtedly one of the funniest men on the planet, and this was reflected in his hilarious portrayal of the Black Knight. Not only did Family Guy deliver a plethora of hilarious sight gags as he battles his deadliest opponent to date in Peter Griffin, but we were also treated to a perfect blend of wit and absurdity filled with puns and one-liners delivered in typical Ferrell fashion. Hat Trick Productions Liam Neeson's appearance as himself is arguably among the greatest moments in the show's history. It's brilliantly self-aware and filled with comedic irony as he fully embraces his tough guy persona after Peter boasts he could take him in a fight. Neeson's brand of deadpan humor creates a perfect contrast between his serious image and the utterly absurd situations. he finds himself. The character is also responsible for providing fans with one of Family Guy's best fight sequences, in which he beats Peter to a pulp, relegating him to the role of his "big fat houseboy." Disney Platform Distribution Adam West was a legendary figure, known for his iconic portrayal of Batman in the 1960s television series. His distinct voice, charismatic presence, and deadpan delivery contributed to his status as a pop culture icon. West's portrayal of Batman was campy, colorful, and filled with humor, cementing his place in television history. West's self-awareness and willingness to poke fun at his own image allowed him to transition seamlessly into his role as the unforgettable Mayor West in Family Guy. West showcased his comedic talents, delivering absurd lines with perfect timing and an unwavering commitment to the show's universe made Adam West the standout character in Family Guy, earning him and an unwavering commitment to the character's eccentricity. place in the hearts of fans as one of the show's most beloved and memorable characters. 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The series premiered on January 31, 1999, following Super Bowl XXXIII, with the rest of the first season airing from April 11, 1999. The show centers around the Griffins, a dysfunctional family consisting of parents Peter and Lois, their children, Meg, Chris, and Stewie, and their anthropomorphic pet dog, Brian. Set in the form of metafictional cutaway gags that often lampoon American culture. The family was conceived by MacFarlane after he developed two animated films, The Life of Larry and Larry & Steve. MacFarlane redesigned the films' protagonist, Larry, and his dog, Steve, and renamed them Peter and Brian, respectively. MacFarlane pitched a fifteen-minute pilot to Fox in May 1998, and the show was greenlit and began production. Family Guy's cancellation was announced shortly after the third season had aired in 2002, with one unaired episode eventually premiering on Adult Swim in 2003, finishing the series' original run. Favorable DVD sales and high ratings from syndicated reruns since then convinced Fox to revive the show in 2004; a fourth season began airing the following year, on May 1, 2005. On April 2, 2025, the show was renewed for four additional seasons on Fox.[3] Family Guy received generally positive reviews during its first seven seasons. Since then, the series has received decline in quality.[4][5][6] In 2009, it was nominated for the award since The Flintstones in 1961. In 2013, TV Guide ranked Family Guy as the ninth-greatest TV cartoon.[7] The series has also garnered considerable amounts of criticism and controversy, ranging from storylines, character stereotypes, and violence, to allegations of racism. been released, including Stewie Griffin: The Untold Story, a straight-to-DVD special released in 2005; Family Guy: Live in Vegas, a soundtrack-DVD combo released in 2005, featuring music from the show as well as music created by MacFarlane and Walter Murphy; a video game and pinball machine, released in 2007, respectively; since 2005 six books published by Harper Adult; and Laugh It Up, Fuzzball: The Family Guy Trilogy (2010), a collection of three episodes parodying the original Star Wars trilogy. A spin-off series, The Cleveland Brown, aired from September 27, 2009, to May 19, 2013. Family Guy moved to Wednesday nights beginning March 6, 2024. marking
the show's first weeknight airings since 2002.[8] On December 27, 2024, it was announced that the series would be moving back to Sundays and would air at the 8:00 p.m. timeslot. This would mark the first time Family Guy airs at the 8:00 p.m. timeslot. two Hulu specials in late 2024, the remainder of season 23 premiered on February 16, 2025.[9][10] On April 24, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season 24 remainder of season 24 pm ET.[11] On May 16, 2025, it was announced that season would premiere in spring 2026.[12] Main article: List of Family Guy characters The Griffin family. From left: Chris, Peter, Stewie (in baby carrier), Lois, Brian (dog in front), and Meg. The show centers around the adventures and activities of the dysfunctional Griffin family, consisting of father Peter Griffin, a bumbling and clumsy yet well-intentioned blue-collar worker; his wife Lois, a stay-at-home mother and plano teacher (in early episodes) who is a member of the affluent Pewterschmidt family; Chris, their awkward teenage son, who is overweight, unintelligent, unathletic, and in many respects a younger version of his father; and Stewie, their diabolical, adult-mannered infant son of ambiguous sexual orientation who is an evil genius and uses stereotypical archvillain phrases. Living with the family is their witty, smoking, martini-swilling, sarcastic, English-speaking anthropomorphic pet dog Brian, although he is still considered a pet in many ways.[13] Recurring characters appear alongside the Griffin family. These include the family's neighbors: sex-crazed airline pilot bachelor Glenn Quagmire; deli owner/mail carrier Cleveland Brown and his wife Loretta (later Donna); paraplegic police officer Joe Swanson, his wife Bonnie, their son Kevin and their baby daughter Susie; neurotic Jewish pharmacist Mort Goldman, his wife Muriel, and their geeky and annoying son Neil, and elderly child molester Herbert. TV news anchors Tom Tucker and Diane Simmons, Asian reporter Tricia Takanawa, and Blaccu-Weather meteorologist Ollie Williams also make frequent appearances. Actor James Woods guest stars as himself in multiple episodes, as did Adam West, prior to his death. Main article: Quahog (Family Guy) The skyline (right) references Providence, Rhode Island (left), as viewed from the northwest looking southeast, from left to right: One Financial Center, 50 Kennedy Plaza, and the Superman Building. The primary setting of Family Guy is Quahog (/'k(w)oohog/ K(W)OH-hog), a fictional city in Rhode Island that was founded by Peter's ancestor, Griffin Peterson. MacFarlane resided in Providence during his time as a student at the Rhode Island locations. [14][15] MacFarlane often borrows the names of Rhode Island locations and icons such as Pawtucket and Buddy Cianci for use in the show. MacFarlane, in an interview with Providence's Fox affiliate WNAC-TV, stated that the town is modeled after Cranston, Rhode Island. 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MacFarlane created a sequel to The Life of Larry titled Larry and Steve, which featured a middle-aged character named Larry and an intellectual dog, Steve; the short was broadcast in 1997 as one of Cartoon Network's World Premiere Toons.[37] Executives at Fox saw the Larry shorts and contracted MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the characters.[15] Fox proposed that MacFarlane to create a series, titled Family Guy, based on the char demo short to Fox on May 15, 1998, which featured the first appearance of the Griffin family.[40] The first seven minutes of the pitch pilot, which had a storyline parallel to the pilot that aired on television in January 1999, would be included in Family Guy DVD sets. The full fifteen-minute pitch demo remained lost until it was uploaded to the internet by Robert Paulson on his personal website in 2022. Despite this,
the pitch demo was not discovered by the public until March 2025.[41] Several aspects of Family Guy were inspired by the Larry shorts.[42] While MacFarlane worked on the series, the characters of Larry and his dog Steve slowly evolved into Peter and Brian Griffin.[15][43] MacFarlane stated that the difference between The Life of Larry and Family Guy was shown primarily in my dorm room and Family Guy was shown after the Super Bowl."[42] Family Guy was sho support animation production. MacFarlane noted that he then wanted to pitch it to Fox, as he thought that it was the place to create a prime-time animation show.[44] Family Guy was originally pitched to Fox in the same year as King of the Hill, but the show was not bought until years later, when King of the Hill became successful.[44] After the pilot episode of Family Guy aired, the series was given the greenlight. MacFarlane drew inspiration from several sitcoms and All in the Family.[44] Premises were drawn from several 1980s Saturday-morning cartoons he watched as a child, such as The Fonz and the Happy Days Gang and Rubik, the Amazing Cube.[45] On January 26, 2023, Fox announced that the series had been renewed for seasons 22 and 23, taking the show through the 2024-25 television season.[46] Season 22 premiered on October 1, 2023.[47] On April 2, 2025, it was announced that Family Guy would be renewed for four more seasons in what is considered a "mega deal" with parent company Disney. This renewal will take the show through the 2028-2029 television season, which coincides with the 30th anniversary of the shows' launch in January 1999. Additionally, each season will consist of 15 episodes.[48] MacFarlane has served as an executive producer throughout the show's entire history. The first executive producers were David Zuckerman,[49] Lolee Aries, David Pritchard, and Mike Wolf. [50] Family Guy has had many executive producers in its history, including Daniel Palladino, Kara Vallow, and Danny Smith. David A. Goodman joined the show as a co-executive producer in season three and eventually became an executive producer. [51] Main article: List of Family Guy writers The first team of writers assembled for the show consisted of Chris Sheridan, [52] Danny Smith, Gary Janetti, Ricky Blitt, Neil Goldman, Garrett Donovan, Matt Weitzman, and Mike Barker. [53] The writing process of Family Guy typically starts with 14 writers that take turns writing the scripts; when a script is finished it is given to the rest of the writers to read. Matt Weitzman (left) is a former staff writer, and Mike Barker is a former producer and writer of the show. Both left the series to create the ongoing adult animated sitcom American Dad! with Seth MacFarlane. Barker later left American Dad! as well following production of the show's 10th season. These scripts generally include cutaway gags. Various gags are pitched to MacFarlane and the rest of the staff, and those deemed the funniest are included in the episode. MacFarlane has explained that it normally takes 10 months to produce an episode because the show uses hand-drawn animation. The show rarely comments on current events for this reason.[54] The show's initial writers had never written for an animated show, and most came from live-action sitcoms.[44] MacFarlane explained that he is a fan of 1930s and 1940s radio programs, particularly the radio thriller anthology Suspense, which led him to give early episodes ominous titles like "Death Has a Shadow" and "Mind Over Murder." MacFarlane said that the team dropped the naming convention after individual episodes became hard to identify, and the novelty wore off.[55] For the first few months of production, the writers shared one office, lent to them by the King of the Hill production, the writers that have left the show have gone on to create or produce other successful series. Neil Goldman and Garrett Donovan co-wrote 13 episodes for the NBC sitcom Scrubs during their way up to executive producers.[56] Mike Barker and Matt Weitzman left the show and went on to create the long-running and still ongoing adult animated series American Dad!. (MacFarlane is also a co-creator of American Dad!)[57][58] On November 4, 2013, it was announced that Barker had departed American Dad! during its run as well, after 10 seasons of serving as producer and co-showrunner over the series.[59] During the 2007-08 Writers Guild of America strike, official production of the show halted for most of December 2007 and for various periods afterward. Fox continued producing episodes without MacFarlane refused to work on the show, his contract under Fox required him to contribute to any episodes it would subsequently produce.[60] Production officially resumed after the end of the strike, with regularly airing episodes recommencing on February 17, 2008.[61] According to MacFarlane, in 2009, it cost about \$2 million to make an episode of Family Guy.[62] During his September 2017 AMA on Reddit, MacFarlane revealed that he had not written for the show since 2010, choosing instead to focus on production and voice acting.[63] On May 12, 2023, it was announced that the show as a result of the 2023 Writers Guild of America Strike.[64] They returned to the show on September 27, 2023, once the strike was declared to be over. Further information: List of Family Guy cast members and List of Family Guy cast members and List of Family Guy cast members and Stewie Griffin.[65] Since MacFarlane had a strong vision for these characters, he chose to voice them himself, believing it would be easier than for someone else to attempt it.[45] MacFarlane drew inspiration for the voice of Peter from a security guard he overheard talking while attending the Rhode Island School of Design.[66] Stewie's voice was based on the voice of English actor Rex Harrison,[67] especially his performance in the 1964 musical drama film My Fair Lady.[68] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playing Brian.[45] MacFarlane uses his regular speaking voice when playi anchor Tom Tucker, and Lois' father, Carter Pewterschmidt. [69] Alex Borstein voices Peter's wife Lois Griffin, Asian correspondent Tricia Takanawa, Loretta Brown, and Lois' mother, Babs Pewterschmidt. [70] Borstein was asked to provide a voice for the pilot while she was working on MADtv. She had not met MacFarlane or seen any of his artwork and said it was "really sight unseen".[71] At the time, Borstein was performing in a stage show in Los Angeles. She played a redheaded mother whose voice she had based on one of her cousins.[70][71] Seth Green primarily voices Chris Griffin and Neil Goldman.[69][72] Green stated that he did an impression of the character Buffalo Bill from the thriller film The Silence of the Lambs during his audition. [73][74] Mila Kunis and Lacey Chabert have both voiced Meg Griffin. [69] Chabert left the series after the first season because of time conflicts with schoolwork (at the time) and her role on Party of Five. When Kunis auditioned for the role, she was called back by MacFarlane, who instructed her to speak slower. He then told her to come back another time and enunciate more. Once she claimed that she had it under control, MacFarlane hired her.[75] Archival recordings of Lacey Chabert's voice that she provided as Meg Griffin are used in the tenth season episode "Back to the Pilot" in which Brian and Stewie go back in time to the events of "Death Has a Shadow." Mike Henry voices Herbert, Bruce the Performance Artist, Consuela, the Greased-up Deaf Guy, and until 2021, Cleveland Brown.[76] Henry met MacFarlane at the Rhode Island School of Design and kept in touch with him after they graduated.[77] A few years later, MacFarlane contacted him about being part of the show; he agreed and came on as a writer and voice actor.[77] During the show's first four seasons, he was credited as a guest star, but beginning with season five's "Prick Up Your Ears", he has been credited as a main cast member.[77] On June 26, 2020, after twenty years of voicing the character, Mike Henry announced on Twitter that he was stepping down from voicing Cleveland, stating "persons of color should play characters
of color."[78][79] On September 25, 2020, it was announced that Arif Zahir would take over as the voice of Cleveland.[80][81] Other recurring cast members include Patrick Warburton as Joe Swanson, Jennifer Tilly as Bonnie Swanson, [82] John G. Brennan as Mort Goldman and Horace the bartender, Carlos Alazraqui as Jonathan Weed, [83][84] Adam Carolla and Norm Macdonald as Death, [85] Lori Alan as Diane Simmons, [86] Phil LaMarr as Ollie Williams and Judge Dignified Q. Blackman, [87] and Kevin Michael Richardson as Jerome. Fellow cartoonist Butch Hartman has made guest voice appearances in episodes as various characters. [88] Also, writer Danny Smith voices various recurring characters, such as Ernie the Giant Chicken.[89] Alexandra Breckenridge also appears as many various characters, such as Ernie the Giant Chicken.[89] Alexandra Breckenridge also appears as many various characters, such as Ernie the Giant Chicken.[89] Alexandra Breckenridge also appeared as the eponymous Mayor Adam West, until his death in 2017.[90] Episodes often feature guest voices from a wide range of professions, including actors, athletes, authors, bands, musicians, and scientists. Many guest voices star as themselves. Leslie Uggams was the first to appear as herself, in the fourth episode of the first season, "Mind Over Murder". [91] The episode "Not All Dogs Go to Heaven" guest starred the entire cast of Star Trek: The Next Generation, including Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner, LeVar Burton, Gates McFadden, Michael Dorn, Wil Wheaton, Marina Sirtis, and even Denise Crosby (season 1 as Tasha Yar), playing themselves; this is the episode with the most guest stars of the seventh season.[92][93] Family Guy officially premiered after Fox's broadcast of Super Bowl XXXIII on January 31, 1999, with "Death Has a Shadow". The show debuted to 22 million viewers and immediately generated controversy regarding its adult content.[94] The show returned on April 11, 1999, with "I Never Met the Dead Man". Family Guy garnered decent ratings in Fox's 8:30 pm slot on Sunday, scheduled between The Simpsons and The X-Files.[95] At the end of its first season, the show ranked No. 33 in the Nielsen ratings, with 12.8 million households tuning in [96] The show launched its second season in a new time slot, Thursday at 9 pm, on September 23, 1999. Family Guy was pitted against NBC's Frasier, and the series' ratings declined sharply [95] Subsequently, Fox removed Family Guy from its schedule and began airing episodes irregularly. The show returned on March 7, 2000, at 8:30 pm on Tuesdays, where it was constantly beaten in the ratings with 6.3 million households tuning in. Fox announced that the show had been canceled in May 2000, at the end of the second season.[97] However, following a last-minute reprieve, on July 24, 2000, Fox ordered 13 additional episodes to form a third season.[94] The show returned on November 8, 2001, once again in a tough time slot: Thursday nights at 8 pm. This slot brought it into competition with Survivor and Friends (a situation later referenced in Stewie Griffin: The Untold Story).[98] During its second and third seasons, Fox frequently moved the show around to different days and time slots with little or no notice and, consequently, the show's ratings suffered.[99] Upon Fox's annual unveiling of its 2002 fall line-up on May 15, 2002, Family Guy was absent.[95] Fox announced that the show had been officially canceled shortly thereafter.[100][101] Fox attempted to sell the rights for reruns of the show, but finding networks that were interested was difficult; Cartoon Network eventually bought the rights "basically for free", according to the president of 20th Century Fox Television.[102] Family Guy premiered in reruns on Adult Swim on April 20, 2003, and immediately became the block's top-rated program, dominating late-night viewing in its time period versus cable and broadcast competition and boosting viewership by 239%. [95][103] The complete first and second seasons were released on DVD the same week the show premiered on Adult Swim, and the show became a cult phenomenon, selling 400,000 copies within one month.[95] Sales of the DVD set reached 2.2 million copies,[104] becoming the best-selling television DVD ever, behind the first season of Comedy Central's Chappelle's Show.[106] The third-season DVD release also sold more than a million

copies.[103] The show's popularity in DVD sales and reruns rekindled Fox's interest,[107] and, on May 20, 2004, Fox ordered 35 new episodes of Family Guy, marking the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[106][94] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[107] and, on May 20, 2004, Fox ordered 35 new episodes of Family Guy, marking the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[107] and on May 20, 2004, Fox ordered 35 new episodes of Family Guy, marking the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[107] and on May 20, 2004, Fox ordered 35 new episodes of Family Guy, marking the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[107] and on May 20, 2004, Fox ordered 35 new episodes of Family Guy, marking the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 2005, was the first revival of a television show based on DVD sales.[108] "North by North Quahog", which premiered May 1, 20 It was written by MacFarlane and directed by Peter Shin.[108] MacFarlane believed the show's three-year hiatus was beneficial, because animated shows do not normally have hiatuses, and towards the end of their seasons, "... you see a lot more sex jokes and bodily function jokes and signs of a fatigued staff that their brains are just fried".[109] With "North by North Quahog", the writing staff tried to keep the show "[...] exactly as it was" before its cancellation, and "None of us had any desire to make it look any slicker".[109] The episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers,[110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode "Brian: Portrait of a Dog".[111] In March 2007, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode "Brian: Portrait of a Dog".[111] In March 2007, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode "Brian: Portrait of a Dog".[111] In March 2007, [111] In March 2007, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing of the first season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest ratings since the airing season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [111] the show's highest rating season episode was watched by 11.85 million viewers, [110] the show's highest rating season episode was watched by 11.85 million view comedian Carol Burnett filed a \$6 million lawsuit against 20th Century Fox, claiming that her charwoman cartoon character had been portrayed on the show without her permission. She stated it was a trademark infringement and that Fox violated her publicity rights.[112][113][114] On June 4, 2007, United States District Judge Dean D. Pregerson rejected the lawsuit, stating that the parody was protected under the First Amendment, citing Hustler Magazine v. Falwell as a precedent.[115] On October 3, 2007, Bourne Co. Music Publishers filed a lawsuit accusing the show of infringing its copyright on the song "When You Wish Upon a Star", through a parody song titled "I Need a Jew" appearing in the episode "When You Wish Upon a Weinstein". Bourne Co., the sole United States copyright owner of the song, alleged the parody pairs a "thinly veiled" copy of its music with antisemitic lyrics. Named in the suit sought to stop the program's distribution and asked for unspecified damages.[116] Bourne argued that "I Need a Jew" uses the copyrighted melody of "When You Wish Upon a Star" without commenting on that song, and that it was therefore not a First Amendment-protected parody per the ruling in Campbell v. Acuff-Rose Music, Inc.[117][118] On March 16, 2009. United States District Judge Deborah Batts held that Family Guy did not infringe on Bourne's copyright when it transformed the song for comical use in an episode. [119] In December 2007, Family Guy was again accused of copyright infringement when actor Art Metrano filed a lawsuit regarding a scene in Stewie Griffin: The Untold Story, in which Jesus performs Metrano's signature "magic" act involving absurd "faux" magical hand gestures while humming the distinctive tune "Fine and Dandy".[120] 20th Century Fox, MacFarlane, Callaghan and Borstein were all named in the suit.[121] In July 2009, a federal district court judge rejected Fox's motion to dismiss, saying that the first three fair use factors involved - "purpose and character of the use", "nature of the infringed work" and "amount and substantiality of the taking" - counted in Metrano's favor, while the fourth - "economic impact" - had to await more fact-finding. In denying the dismissal, the court held that the reference in the scene made light of Jesus and his followers - not Metrano or his act.[122][123] The case was settled out of court in 2010 with undisclosed terms.[124] Further information: Road to ... (Family Guy) The "Road to ... comedy films starring Bing Crosby and Bob Hope.[126][126][127] They are a parody of the seven Road to ... (Family Guy) The "Road to ... (Family Guy) T Stewie and Brian in some foreign, supernatural or science-fiction location, unrelated to the show's normal location in Quahog. The first, titled "Road to Rhode Island", aired on May 30, 2000, during the second season. The episodes are known for featuring elaborate musical numbers, similar to the Road films.[128] The episodes contain several trademarks, including a special version of the opening sequence, custom musical cues and musical numbers, and parodies of science fiction and fantasy films. [129] The original idea for the "Road to" episodes came from MacFarlane, as he is a fan of the films of Crosby, Hope, and Dorothy Lamour. The first episode was directed by Dan Povenmire, who would direct the rest of the "Road to" episodes until the episode are generally considered by critics and Ferb with Jeff "Swampy" Marsh.[130][131] Series regular Greg Colton then took over Povenmire's role as director of the "Road to" episodes are generally considered by critics and fans to be some of the greatest in the series, thanks to the developing relationship between Stewie and Brian and the strong plotlines of the episodes.[127] Family Guy uses the film-making technique of cutaways, which occur in the majority of Family Guy uses the film-making technique of cutaways. phenomena and/or modern cultural icons. Early episodes based much of their comedy on Stewie's "super villain" antics, such as his constant plans for total world domination, his evil experiments, plans and inventions to get rid of things he dislikes, and his constant attempts at matricide. As the series progressed, the writers and MacFarlane agreed that his personality and the jokes were starting to feel dated, so they began writing him with a different personality.[134] Family Guy often includes self-referential humor. The most common form is jokes about the Fox network, and occasions where the characters break the fourth wall by addressing the audience. For example, in "North by North Quahog", the first episode that aired after the show's revival, included Peter telling the family that they had been canceled because Fox had to make room in their schedule for shows like Dark Angel, Titus, Undeclared, Action, That '80s Show, Wonderfalls, Fastlane, Andy Richter Controls the Universe, Skin, Girls Club, Cracking Up, The Pitts, Firefly, Get Real, FreakyLinks, Wanda at Large, Costello, The Lone Gunmen, A Minute with Stan Hooper, Normal, Ohio, Pasadena, Harsh Realm, Keen Eddie, The Street, The American Embassy, Cedric the Entertainer Presents, The Tick, Luis, and Greg the Bunny. Lois asks whether there is any hope, to which Peter replies that if all these shows are canceled they might have a chance; the shows were indeed canceled during Family Guy's hiatus.[135][136][137] The show uses catchphrases, and most of the primary and secondary characters have them. Notable expressions include Quagmire's "Giggity giggity goo", Peter's
"Freakin' sweet", Cleveland's "Oh, that's nasty", and Joe's "Bring it on!"[134] The use of many of these catchphrases declined in later seasons. The episode "Big Man on Hippocampus" mocks catchphrase-based humor: when Peter, who has forgotten everything about his life, is introduced to Meg, he exclaims "D'oh!", to which Lois replies, "No, Peter, that's not your catchphrase." In 2016, a New York Times study of the 50 TV shows with the most Facebook Likes found that, like other satirical comedies, Family Guy is most popular in cities. The show's popularity was more correlated with support for Hillary Clinton than any other show".[138] As of 2008, the franchise has generated \$1 billion in total revenue, including \$400 million from TV syndication, \$400 million from DVD sales, and \$200 million from merchandise sales.[67] Season Episodes Time slot (ET) Season premiere Season finale TV season Overall ratings Date Viewers(in millions) 1 7 Sunday 10:30 pm (Episodes 2-7) January 31, 1999 22.00[139][140] May 16, 1999 13.10[141] 1998-99 33 12.80 2 21 Thursday 9:00 pm (Episodes 1-2)[g]Sunday 8:30 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 8:30 pm (Episodes 14, 16) Wednesday 9:30 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 9:00 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 9:30 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 9:00 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 9:30 pm (Episodes 13, 15, 17, 19-21) Tuesday 9:30 pm (Episode 18) September 23, 1999 7.72[142] August 1, 2000 6.15[143] 1999-2000 114 6.32 3 22 Wednesday 9:30 pm (Episodes 14, 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In 2018, it ranked among the most-watched TV series on the streaming service Sling TV.[198] In 2020, Hulu announced that Family Guy was one of the top five most-watched non-sports and non-news related live shows on the streaming service.[199] Nielsen Media Research, which records streaming viewership on U.S. television screens, estimated that the series was watched for 910 million minutes from July 29 to August 11, 2024, making it the sixth moststreamed television show overall.[202][203] From August 12 to August 18, 2024, Family Guy generated 834 million minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the third most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to September 1, 2024, it amassed more than 1 billion minutes of viewership, ranking it as the eighth most-streamed television show overall.[204][205] From August 26 to Septe streamed series overall.[206][207] Family Guy has received generally positive reviews, particularly for its pop culture references, blue humor, satire, and non-sequitur storytelling.[208][209][210][211] Catherine Seipp of National Review Online described it as a "nasty but extremely funny" cartoon.[212] Caryn James of The New York Times called it a show with an "outrageously satirical family" that "includes plenty of comic possibilities and parodies".[213] The Sydney Morning Herald named Family Guy
the "Show of the Week" on April 21, 2009, hailing it a "pop culture-heavy masterpiece".[214] Frazier Moore from The Seattle Times called it an "endless craving for humor about bodily emissions" He thought it was "breathtakingly smart" and said a "blend of the ingenious with the raw helps account for its much broader appeal". He summarized it as "rude, crude and deliciously wrong".[215] The New Yorker's Nancy Franklin said that Family Guy is becoming one of the best animated shows; she commented on its ribaldry and popularity.[216] The show has become a hit on Hulu; it is the second-highest viewed show after Saturday Night Live.[217] IGN called Family Guy. [218] Empire praised the show and its writers for creating really hilarious moments with unlikely material. They commented that one of the reasons they love the show is because nothing is sacred—it makes jokes and gags of almost everything.[219] Robin Pierson of The TV Critic praised the series as "a different kind of animated comedy which clearly sets out to do jokes which other cartoons can't do." [220] Family Guy has proven popular in the United Kingdom, regularly obtaining between 700,000 and 1 million viewers for re-runs on BBC Three.[221] The series has attracted many celebrities. Robert Downey Jr. telephoned the show production staff and asked if he could produce or assist in an episode's creation, as his son is a fan of the show; the producers subsequently created a character for Downey.[222] Lauren Conrad met MacFarlane while recording a Laguna Beach clip for the episode "Big Man on Hippocampus" (season 8, 2010), actor Dwayne Johnson stated that he was a "big fan" of Family Guy.[225] Johnson befriended MacFarlane after he had a minor role in Johnson's 2010 film Tooth Fairy.[225] R&B singer Rihanna has admitted to being a fan of Family Guy.[226] as has pop singer Britney Spears; she tries to imitate Stewie's English accent [227] Spears, who was mocked for her personal problems in the South Park episode "Britney's New Look" in 2008, offered to appear in a cameo to hit back at the similar animated show, but MacFarlane declined, stating that he did not want to start a feud with the series.[228] Main article: List of awards and nominations received by Family Guy Guy and its cast have been nominated for 27 Emmy Awards, with 8 wins. MacFarlane won the Outstanding Music and Lyrics award for his performance as Stewie;[229] Murphy and MacFarlane won the Outstanding Music and Lyrics award for his performance as Stewie;[229] Steven Fonti won the Outstanding Individual Achievement in Animation award for his storyboard work in the episode "Road to the Multiverse".[231] The show was nominated for eleven Annie Awards, and won three times, twice in 2006 and once in 2008.[232][233][233][234] In 2009, it was nominated for an Emmy for Outstanding Comedy Series, becoming the first animated program to be nominated in 1961.[235] The Simpsons was almost nominated in 1993, but voters were hesitant to pit cartoons against live action programs.[236][237] The show was nominated for a Grammy in 2011.[238] Family Guy has been nominated and has won various other awards, including the Teen Choice Awards and the People's Choice Awards.[239][240][241] In the 1,000th issue of Entertainment Weekly, Brian Griffin was selected as the dog for "The Perfect TV Family".[242] Wizard Magazine rated Stewie the 95th-greatest villain of all time.[243] British newspaper The Times rated Family Guy the 45th-best American show in 2009.[244] IGN ranked Family Guy the 45th-best American show in 2009.[243] British newspaper The Times rated Family Guy the 45th-best American show in 2009.[244] IGN ranked Family Guy the 45th-best American show in 2009.[244] IGN ranked Family Guy the 45th-best American show in 2009.[245] Empire named it the twelfth-greatest TV show of all time in 2008.[219] In 2005, viewers of the UK television channel Channel 4 voted Family Guy number 5 on their list of the 100 Greatest Cartoons.[247] In 2004 and 2007, TV Guide ranked Family Guy number 12 and number 15 in their list of top cult shows ever. [248][249] Family Guy the show negative family Guy the ninth Greatest TV Cartoon of All Time. [7] See also: Family Guy controversies One of the initial critics to give the show negative reviews was Ken Tucker from Entertainment Weekly; he called it "The Simpsons as conceived by a singularly sophomoric mind that lacks any reference point beyond other TV shows".[250] The Parents Television Council (PTC), a conservative non-profit watchdog, has attacked the series since its premiere and has branded various episodes as "Worst TV Show of the Week". [251][252][253] In May 2000, the PTC launched a letter-writing campaign to the Fox network in an effort to persuade the network in an effort Commission (FCC) has received multiple petitions requesting that the show be blocked from broadcasting on indecency grounds.[258] Tucker and the PTC, some advertisers have canceled their contracts after reviewing the content of the episodes, claiming it to be unsuitable.[261][262] Critics have compared the show's humor and characters with those of The Simpsons.[250][220] Various episodes of the show have generated controversy. In "420" (season seven, 2009), Brian decides to start a campaign to legalize cannabis in Quahog; the Venezuelan government reacted negatively to the episode and banned Family Guy from airing on their local networks, which generally syndicate American programming. Venezuelan justice minister Tareck El Aissami, citing the government showed a clip which featured Brian and Stewie singing the praises of marijuana as a demonstration of how the United States supports cannabis use.[264] In "Extra Large Medium" (season eight, 2010) a character named Ellen (who has Down syndrome) states that her mother is the former Governor of Alaska, which strongly implies that her mother is Sarah Palin, the only woman to have served in the office of governor in the state. Sarah Palin, the mother of a child with Down syndrome, criticized the episode in an appearance on The O'Reilly Factor, calling those who made the show "cruel, cold-hearted people".[265] In the United States, the show currently airs on Adult Swim, Comedy Central, and FXX. The show was first syndicated to Adult Swim and TBS from 2003 to 2021, sharing the rights to the first fifteen seasons. It was syndicated to various local stations from 2007 to 2024. [266] [267] In April 2019, FX Networks began airing reruns of season 16 on FXX, with season 17 debuting that October, and shared off-network rights to both seasons. It was syndicated to various local stations from 2007 to 2024. [267] In April 2019, FX Networks began airing reruns of season 16 on FXX, with season 17 debuting that October, and shared off-network rights to both seasons. Adult Swim and TBS' rights expired on September 18, 2021, FXX and Freeform began airing the first fifteen seasons. The show's departure from Adult Swim on September 18, 2021, was commemorated with a remembrance bumper created by the network, which played after the final airing (the episode "Stewie is Enceinte"). The bumper showed animations of several Adult Swim characters bidding farewell to Family Guy, including shots of Peter crying at the beginning and the Griffin family waving goodbye towards the end.[269] Comedy Central began airing the show on September 2, 2024, as part of a non-exclusive licensing deal between Paramount and Disney. Comedy Central debuted the show with an all-day marathon on Labor Day.[270] A similar licensing deal was then struck with Warner Bros. Discovery Networks for the show to return to Adult Swim starting January 1, 2025, with the network planning a 3-day marathon to celebrate.[271] In the United States, the series is available for streaming exclusively on Hulu. Additionally, Hulu will launch two holiday specials of Family Guy in late 2024, marking the first time a new episode of the show airs on a streaming platform; [272] Internationally, Family Guy is available to stream on Star on Disney+. [273] The first such special premiered on October 14, 2024. [274] The second special would then air on November 25, 2024.[275] The United States is the only country where the show is not available on either Disney+ or Star+.[276] Initially, Family Guy was not available to stream on Disney+ in Latin America, as it had been available on the standalone service Star+, however, Star+ content merged with Disney+ content on June 26, 2024, and Star+ was discontinued altogether on July 24, 2024.[277][278] Family Guy premiered in Australia on April 9, 1999, on the Seven Network, in 2000 on Fox8, and on 7mate on September 27, 2010.[279] Initially, only 2 seasons were available to stream on Disney+ Star due to pre-existing contracts. The other 17 seasons were added on December 1, 2021, after the contract expired. [280] In Canada, the series premiered January 31, 1999, on Global [281] and September 1, 2003, on Teletoon at Night. Beginning in the 2015-2016 season, the show moved to Cityty; the show would once again return to the channel in 2023. [282] [283] Starting in November 2021, the series moved to Disney+.[284] In addition to Teletoon at Night, the show has been syndicated to TVtropolis (now DTour). As of January 2025, Adult Swim Canada and FXX Canada in India on Star World Premiere, [286] in Ireland on 3e, [287] and in New Zealand on TVNZ Duke; previously it screened on defunct channel 4 and Sky One. In January 2005, Fox UK (then known as FX) began broadcasting the show. [289] From October 2005, BBC Two[290] started screening Family Guy before the show moved to BBC Three in September 2006.[291] Beginning with season 14, the show moved to ITV2, premiering on February 29, 2016,[292][293] while the BBC would continue to hold the rights for past seasons until 2017.[294][295] Main article: Family Guy (franchise) "Family Guy: It Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One" redirects here. For the episode, see It
Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One. Family Guy: It Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One was written by executive story editor Cherry Chevapravatdumrong and actress Alex Borstein. The book was first published on May 8, 2007.[296] The book is a biographical monologue by Lois Griffin covering a portion of her life, spanning from her memories of growing up to her attempted run for mayor in the town of Quahog. Though the book primarily consists of a loose narrative monologue by Lois, it is also interspersed with sections from other characters such as Peter Griffin. The book covers events featured in the Family Guy episode "It Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One", with which it shares a title. It was published in the United Kingdom in 2007 by Orion Books.[297] A comic book based on the Family Guy universe was produced. Published by Titan Comics, edited by Steve White, and illustrated by Anthony Williams and S. L. Gallant, the writing and the illustrations were supervised by the show's producers.[298] The first comic book was released on July 27, 2011.[298] As promotion for the show beyond its diehard fans",[299] Fox organized four Family Guy Live! performances, which featured cast members reading old episodes aloud. The cast also performed musical numbers from the Family Guy: Live in Vegas comedy album. [299] The stage shows were an extension of a performances, which took place in Los Angeles and New York, sold out and were attended by around 1,200 people each. [300] At the 59th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards in 2007, MacFarlane performed (as the digitally inserted Stewie and Brian) the ceremony's opening number. He performed in the episode "PTV". The song insulted TV shows such as Two and a Half Men, Desperate Housewives, and Scrubs, as well as the final scene of The Sopranos. In 2009, a special televised performance show aired, titled Family Guy Presents Seth & Alex's Almost Live Comedy Show, in which voice actors Alex Borstein and MacFarlane performed songs from the show, as well as a parody of Lady Gaga's song "Poker Face" in the voice of Marlee Matlin, who appeared on stage as a quest during the performance. Some new animated gags also appeared in the show.[301] In a July 22, 2007, interview with The Hollywood Reporter, MacFarlane confirmed plans to produce a theatrically released Family Guy feature film sometime "within the next year." [303] He came up with an idea for the story, "something that you could not do on the show, which [to him] is the only reason to do a movie." He later went on to say he imagines the film to be "an old-style musical with dialogue" similar to The Sound of Music, saying that he would "really be trying to capture, musically, that feel."[67] On October 13, 2011, MacFarlane confirmed that a deal for a Family Guy film had been made, and that it would be written by him and series co-producer Ricky Blitt.[304] On November 30, 2012, MacFarlane confirmed plans to produce a Family Guy film.[305] The project was put on hold while MacFarlane worked on Ted 2.[306] On August 10, 2018, Fox announced that a live-action/animated film based on the series is in development.[307] In July 2019, MacFarlane confirmed that there will be a Family Guy film.[308] During PaleyFest in April 2024, MacFarlane revealed that he has known what the plot of the film would be for the past 15 years, but had not had the time to write it.[309] Main article: The Cleveland Show MacFarlane co-created—alongside Mike Henry and Richard Appel—the Family Guy spin-off The Cleveland Show, which premiered September 27, 2009. They began discussing the project in 2007.[310][311] Main article: List of Family Guy video games The Family Guy Video Game! is a 2006 action game released by 2K Games and developed by High Voltage Software. Family Guy: Back to the Multiverse, which is centered around the episode "Road to the Multiverse", was released on November 20, 2012, Family Guy: The Ouest for Stuff Jaunched on iOS and Android on April 10, 2014, Anima Throwdown: The Quest For Cards, a card game with content and characters from five animated television shows from Fox - Family Guy; Another Freakin' Mobile Game was released on iOS on April 25, 2017.[312] Warped Kart Racers is a racing game that was released on Apple Arcade in May 2022. The game features the entire Griffin family, and includes characters from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy home video releases As of 2009, six books have been released about the Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad!, King of the Hill and Solar Opposites.[313] Main article: List of Family Guy universe, all published by HarperCollinstent from American Dad! since 2005.[314] The first, Family Guy: Stewie's Guide to World Domination (ISBN 978-0-06-077321-2) by Steve Callahan, was released on April 26, 2005. Written in the style of a graphic novel, the plot follows Stewie's plans to rule the world.[315] Other books include Family Guy: It Takes a Village Idiot, and I Married One (ISBN 978-0-7528-7593-4), which covers the events of the episode of the same name; [316] and Family Guy and Philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy: A Cure for the Petarded (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a collection of 17 essays exploring the connections between the series and historical philosophy (ISBN 978-1-4051-6316-3), a col Brian Griffin's Guide to Booze, Broads and the Lost Art of Being a Man.[318] Family Guy has been commercially successful in the home market.[319] The show was the first to be resurrected because of high DVD sales.[103] The first volume, covering the show's first two seasons, sold 1.67 million units, topping TV DVD sales in 2003, while the second volume sold another million units.[103][320] Volumes six and seven debuted at fifth place in United States DVD sales;[321][322] volume seven was the highest-selling television DVD, selling 171,000 units by June 21, 2009.[322] Family Guy Presents Blue Harvest, the DVD featuring the State States DVD sales;[321][322] volume seven was the highest-selling television DVD, selling 171,000 units by June 21, 2009.[322] Family Guy Presents Blue Harvest, the DVD featuring the State State States DVD sales;[321][322] volume seven was the highest-selling television DVD, selling 171,000 units by June 21, 2009.[322] Family Guy Presents Blue Harvest, the DVD featuring the State St and premiered at the top of United States DVD sales.[323] The DVD was the first Family Guy DVD to include a digital copy for download to the iPod.[323] In 2004, the first series of Family Guy toy figurines was released by Mezco Toyz; each member of the Griffin family had their own toy, with the exception of Stewie, of whom two different figures were made.[324] Over the course of two years, four more series of toy figures were released, with various forms of Peter.[325] In 2008, the character Peter appeared in advertisements for Subway Restaurant's massive feast sandwich.[326][327] Seth MacFarlane's Cavalcade of Cartoon Comedy ^ Credited as 20th Century Fox Television until season 18. ^ Credited as Fox Television Animation until season 18. FTA later became 20th Television Animation during the 19th season. ^ Episode 50, "When You Wish Upon a Weinstein", was first broadcast on Adult Swim and episode 147, "Partial Terms of Endearment", was first broadcast on BBC Three in the
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Co-founder Michael Murphy wanted to compete against these two channels which, combined, were attracting €50 million in advertising to Ireland, as well as competing against these two channels which and the extracting to audiences similar to those of E4 and Paramount Comedy. terrestrial channels RTÉ Two and TV3 for viewers, under the grounds that some popular channels, such as Sky One, were tailored for British viewers, while its programming was going to consist of a mix of music videos and hit TV series such as Sex and the City and Frasier; its launch was projected for late 2005 or early 2006.[4] Channel 6 was launched on 30 March 2006,[5] then operated by Kish Media's subsidiary Channel 6 Broadcasting Ltd. Kish Media's subsidiary Channel 6 Broadcasting Tea, and Gowan Group. In its infant stages, the channel's consortium invested €14 million to fund the project. It was anticipated that Channel 6+1 service and a music channel 6+1 service and a music channel. In 2008, Kish Media announced the channel 6+1 service and a music channel 6+1 for  $\leq 10$  million.[6] The channel continued to broadcast as Channel 6 for a further six months, when TV3 began to promote Channel 6 for a further six months, who left the company after just eight months, and after a period under interim CEO Mark Kellett, the channel's top job was taken by Managing Director Michael Murphy, who later left the channel when it was fully transferred to TV3 and integrated into the TV3 Group. In December 2008, TV3 confirmed it would to re-brand Channel 6 to 3e on 5 January 2009. In 2009 Channel 6 was rebranded as 3e.[5] In 2008, it was announced the channel was for sale. In July 2008, it was confirmed that TV3 had purchased the parent company, Kish Media, for €10 million.[6] The channel 6 for a further 6 months before it was re-branded as 3e. Prior to its relaunch TV3 began to promote Channel 6 for a further 6 months before it was re-branded as 3e. previously aired on TV3 and subsequently aired on 3e until 2014. Channel 6 Broadcasting Ltd remains a subsidiary of TV3 posting profits of 4 million euro in 2023.[7][8][9] In December 2008, TV3 confirmed it was to rebrand Channel 6 to 3e on 5 January 2009. The channel would use existing TV3 programming and provide TV3 audiences with a wider range of programming. 3e provides viewers with a mix of US and Australian acquisitions. It is also used as a TV3 replay service featuring repeats of previously broadcast programs on TV3 such as Ireland AM, Xposé and Midday. It was reported on 24 July 2009; TV3 Group sought to change 3e's licensing from the Broadcasting Commission of Ireland.[10] On 29 July 2009, the Broadcasting Commission of Ireland announced that the 3e licence would be licensed under Section 34, rather than Sections 36 and 41, of the Broadcasting Act 2001. This means that 3e is no longer a separate cable and satellite service rather it will be covered by the main terms and conditions of the existing TV3 contract.[11] 2010-present: In November 2010, the TV3 Group confirmed 3e made financial losses, but returned to a profit in 2011.[12] From November 2010, the test channel became available to 98% of homes in Ireland as it became one of the test channels on Saorview. By May 2012, the channel became available to 98% of homes in Ireland as it became one of the test channel became available to 98% of homes in Ireland as it became available to 98% of homes in Ireland as it became one of the test channel became available to 98% of homes in Ireland as it became avail in Ireland through Saorview and also available on other digital television providers. 3e was expected to receive a revamped on-air presentation in November 2014, but it appears that the transition has been either delayed or abandoned.[13] On 9 January 2017, 3e was re-launched as part of a wider repositioning of TV3 Group's networks with the launch of be3. 3e was re-vamped as an entertainment-oriented network
aimed towards viewers aged 15-44.[14][15][16] In June 2018, it was announced that 3e was rebranded as Virgin Media brand.[17] With the announcement that TV3 Group would operate the channel. It was confirmed in December 2008 that TV3 had decided not to recommission the majority of Channel 6's homegrown programming which included Night Shift which had a cult following. The controversial move to cancel the series was reported in the media with major criticism from music journalists and music fans.[18] Other shows which were cancelled with TV3's acquisition of Channel 6 included music shows Day Shift, Pop Scene, and Take 6, a weekly movie review show. From 2009, TV3 began to use the channel as a replay service. In late 2010, 3e began producing its own programming which includes FYI (previously 3e News) and Uploaded. FYI was subsequently dropped in favour or TV3 News at 8, with bulletins replaced by The Thread. 3e was made available on Sky Ireland in late 2009. Predecessor Channel 6 was not made available on Sky until 2007 due to a dispute between Kish Media and Sky.[19] On 29 September 2009 TV3 Group and Sky Ireland confirmed that 3e would be moved to 105 its service having been on channel 182 (as Channel 6 and for some time as 3e) prior to this change.[20][21] As Channel 6 the service was aimed at the 15 to 35 year old demographic. It aired many new US programmes exclusively on the channel with a number of popular re-runs. The channel also re-introduced Music TV back into the Irish market, and successfully return an alternative music programme to Irish TV following the axing of No Disco (RTÉ2) and Pop3 (TV3). The decision by TV3 to drop Night Shift in 2009 was picked up by alternative music industry. As 3e, TV3 replaced most of Channel 6's homegrown programmes with repeats of Daytime TV from TV3, which it has dropped most of Channel 6 US first runs with US repeats with only Family Guy, American Dad and The Cleveland Show airing first runs. 3e uses the existing staff at TV3 (200 employees) to operate the channel. The channel airs a stripped schedule with very little original programme from any country. Much of 3e's news programmes were dropped in 2015. TV3 Group reported on 12 November 2009 that 3e's viewing figures had increased since moving to Sky 105. Its audience figures through an increase in live sports.[23] In May 2015 3e had 2.5% of the TV viewing audience. See also: Virgin Media One In 2010, 3e's parent company recorded losses at the station during 2009. A pre-tax loss of €5million investment until such time as the channel begins to make profits and when all liabilities at the station are paid as they fall due. 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These included showing repeats of Xpose and Emmerdale straight after TV3, followed by putting Xpose on at 17:30 instead of 18:30 and removing repeat showings of Emmerdale straight after TV3, followed by putting Xpose and Emmerdale straight after TV3, followed by putting Xpose on at 17:30 instead of 18:30 and removing repeat showings of Emmerdale straight after TV3, followed by putting Xpose and Emmerdale str 3e audience share, at first a small drop was seen. Xpose was returned to 18:30, while a Coronation Street omnibus was on a Sunday afternoon, however ultimately both ITV soaps were dropped from the 3e schedule. On 27 June 2016, 3e began to broadcast a kids programming block titled 3Kids. The programming block airs seven days a week from 07:00 to 10:00, which features shows such as Barney & Friends, Origanimals, Teletubbies, Ghosts of Time, The Wiggles, Stella and Sam, Winx Club, and Babar and the Adventures of Badou among others. [25] From Monday 9 January 2017, 3Kids moved to sister channel Be3. This was part of a major TV3 rebrand. [26] Since 30 August 2018 when be3 become Virgin Media Three, the 3Kids branding has not been used. However, children's shows were broadcast from 07:00-09:00 daily on Virgin Media Three and was branded as Virgin Media Three schedule [28] as such and since then, Virgin Media Television now no longer broadcasts any kids programming, such as, Cois Farraige an Irish surfing and surf culture show hosted by Jenny Buckley, Access Hollywood also hosted by Jenny Buckley, Day Shift a weekend morning music show, Game On a video games show, Night Shift a late night interactive music show hosted by Michelle Doherty, Quiz 6 a phone-in quiz show, where viewers could answer on screen puzzles to win cash and Take Six a movie show hosted by Taragh Loughrey Grant who was later replaced by Elsa Jones, Sean Munsanje and Serena Bellissimo. Channel 6 had cancelled all but Day Shift, Night Shift, Pop Scene and Take 6 by the time TV3 had bought the station. TV3 cancelled all of the remaining was replaced by repeats of TV3's XposéXTRA and The Holiday Show. Towards the end of 2009 TV3 began to produce more programming Xccelerate a weekly motoring shows to the channel as repeated by City Productions for TV3.[29] In 2010 TV3 started to repeat its morning and daytime shows to the channel as repeated. Ireland AM is repeated by City Productions for TV3.[29] In 2010 TV3 started to repeat its morning and daytime shows to the channel as repeated. 3e at 09:25 and Midday is repeated the following morning on 3e at 08:35. This continued with the introduction of TV3 daytime shows The Seven O'Clock Show, Saturday AM and Sunday AM. Other Irish programming from TV3, including Red Rock. Repeats of Red Rock moved to be3 as of 2017. As Channel 6 the channel provided no news and sport, and focused largely on home produced music and review programmes. In 2015 3e dropped its main evening news, and only airs bulletins called The Thread. In September 2017 3e started providing 60 minute news update in the afternoons on 3e, at 13:00, 14:00, 15:00 and 16:00, this is coupled with news programming on both TV3 and be3. Although designed as an entertainment channel, it started broadcasting news updates shortly after its rebrand to 3e in 2009. 3e News Update is a minute long news broadcast from TV3 News. 3e News Update was broadcast Monday to Friday at 18:59, 19:59, 20:59, and 21:59. The News Updates were presented by TV3 News presenters. CEO of the TV3 Group David McRedmond revealed in an interview with Hot Press on Thursday 8 October 2009 that 3e would produce a new news programme targeting a demographic between 15 and 34 years of age. The show will air every evening and it is expected to start
broadcasting at the end of October 2009,[30] however the show's launch was put back until the end of November 2009 at 18:00. It broadcasts Monday to Friday each week. The main news anchor is Paul Walsh and the cyber reporter is Cassie Stokes.[32] 3e News renamed as FYI(Fresh Young Independent) from 10 March 2010. The show's presenters remain on in their current roles and the format of an Interactive news aimed at 9:58.[33] In July 2014 it was announced that 3e was to drop FYI to be replaced by a 60-second news similar to the original TV3 News Update that aired on the channel, the news update will be called The Thread in reference to their new on-line blogging service .[34] In March 2015, 3e aired 5 nights of specialist topics as part of Debate Week[35] the shows were produced in association with IADT. From September 2009 TV3 Sport has provided live coverage of the UEFA Europa League (formerly the 2014. The fight between Irishman Conor McGregor and Diego Brandão, is the first UFC fight to be broadcast by an Irish FTA TV service. 3e provided extra coverage to the Rugby World Cup 2015 as part of TV3 rights agreement for the tournament. When Channel 6 launched the channel offered Irish viewers programming previously unavailable of other Irish channels these included: Heroes, House, Rachael Ray, My Name Is Earl, American Dad!, Dexter, Family Guy and The Closer. The channels these included: CSI, Frasier, Friends, Sex and the City, Scrubs, The Sopranos, Swingtown and The Wire.[37] When the TV3 Group re-branded 3e as a successor to Channel 6, many existing programming on TV3 began to air on the channel. One of the first major acquisitions for the channel is contact. TV3 Group re-branded 3e as a successor to Channel signed an agreement with HBO to air the first season of In Treatment. It also began to air episodes of Glee which has its first showing every Friday night at 21:00 on 3e before TV3 on Wednesday night. Popular Fox animated comedies began to air on 3e such as The Cleveland Show, Futurama Family Guy and American Dad! and other Fox programmes such as America's Got Talent and American Idol and the US version of The X-Factor. ITV programming began to air on the channel either as repeats or extended programming such as I'm a Celebrity...Get Me Out of Here!, Dancing on Ice, The X Factor, The Xtra Factor and Britain's Got Talent. 3e also simulcasted Five's reality TV series Don't Stop Believing in Summer 2010. Other British programmes include The Graham Norton Show, Fonejacker and The Only Way is Essex, which broadcast late night Friday and Saturday. 3e began to broadcast some popular Australian programmes these included Channel Ten's Underbelly and Bondi Rescue and Seven Network's Nothing to Declare. The critically acclaimed American comedies 30 Rock, Community, Hung and The Office US all air on the channel. The Seth MacFarlane animated comedies American Dad!, Family Guy and The Cleveland Show all air from 22:00 Monday to Friday. Weekend sitcoms include Accidentally on Purpose (which replaced repeats of Xposé in August 2011 Monday to Friday at 18:30) Better with You and The King of Queens air early evening at the weekend. Family comedies Everybody Hates Chris and Malcolm in the Middle broadcast during the daytime with alternating stripped schedules as one ends the other takes over. US family comedy Full House and Growing Pains aired at the weekend. American detective franchises CSI: Crime Scene Investigation, CSI: Miami, NCIS, NCIS: Los Angeles and JAG are broadcast on the channel include Dexter, The Closer, Chuck and House. American Sci-Fi and fantasy serials include Star Trek: Deep Space Nine and V. Teen drama Degrassi: The Next Generation and Friday Night Lights are shown weekend mornings. Daytime chat shows include The Steve Wilkos Show and The Jeremy Kyle Show. Other shows include 3rd Rock from the Sun, The King of Queens and That '70s Show. Programming includes U.S. imports such as The Big Bang Theory, CSI: Crime Scene Investigation, CSI: Miami, Family Guy, American Dad!, The Cleveland Show, Malcolm in the Middle, The Office (U.S.), Conan, House, The Steve Wilkos Show, Friends, Glee, The Middle and Modern Family. British imports include The Graham Norton Show, Take Me Out of Here! NOW!. As part of the 2012 autumn schedule 3e announced the following programmes as part of the line-up: Conan, American Idol, Family Guy, American Dad!, The Cleveland Show, Beavis and Butt-Head, Bob's Burgers, The Only Way Is Essex, Take Me Out, Britain's Got More Talent, The Jeremy Kyle Show USA, Nothing to Declare, Bondi Rescue and When Paddy Met Sally. As part of the three channel partnership 3e will be home of daytime chat shows The Steve Wilkos Show and The Jeremy Kyle Show as well as Judge Rinder. Big Brother also became exclusive to 3e. All repeat shows were moved to the new channel be3 including 3kids. After being positioned as a youth-focused channel As of 2024, Like Virgin Media Three and Virgin Media Two airs programming from the ITV Studios library such as Top Chef and The Real Housewives. At its launch in 2006 Channel 6 was only available on UPC Ireland on channel 106 and a few smaller cable services around the country. Later in 2008 at agreement was reached with Sky to move the channel to 105 a vacant position on Sky Ireland's EPG. Since 2011 3e has been available on Saorview. 3e was originally on Channel 6 on Saorview, TV3 later asked the BAI to instruct Saorview to move 3e to Channel 5, ahead of RTÉ News Now. The channel is available to 98% of homes through digital cable and satellite service such as Virgin Media Ireland, Magnet Networks, Smartvision and Sky Ireland. This section does not cite any sources. Please help improve this section by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed. (February 2017) (Learn how and when to remove this message) Many[who?] viewed Channel 6 as a much better service. Channel 6 had a wider variety of content and had introduced many new US first runs to Irish TV. While their Irish content was limited to in-studio music programming (Night Shift and Day Shift), many alternative Irish bands had been given the opportunity of appearing to a wider audience. programming caused an outcry from many in the music industry. As 3e and Virgin Media TWO, it has relied mainly on repeats of TV3 programming, US and English programming, March 2006 and they remained on the channel up to its re-brand to 3e in January 2009. The presentation package was produced by Cleverality. There were several idents during this period. The 'blue dot' in the centre of the 6 would be transformed from a symbol representing entertainment into the 'blue dot'. masks for drama and comedy, film reels, a television set etc. January 2009-2015: When re-branded as 3e in January 2009, the new idents were made by Dublin-based Image Now. The 3e idents consists of the 'e' bouncing around the screen next to the '3',[39][failed verification] one is generic while the other one has the 'e' in flames trying to put them out.[40] A third ident was added in October 2009 for use before soccer matches, it shows the 'e' kicking a football against the '3'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the '3'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features the 'e' kicking a football against the 'a'.[41] A fourth ident was added in October 2010, which features
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Along with that success came the chance to book some pretty high-profile guest stars. Family Guy has had dozens of guest stars because its producers have the clout to get the real celebrities to voice themselves, even if it's just in a brief 30-second cutaway gag. So, there's plenty to choose from. Here are the 9 Best Family Guy Guest Stars, Ranked. RELATED: The 5 Best (And 5 Worst) Episodes Of Family Guy Neil Patrick Harris Family Guy rags on How I Met Your Mother a lot, so it shows what a good sport Neil Patrick Harris is that he would guest-star on the show as his HIMYM character Barney Stinson. In this cutaway gag, Barney and Ted reveal their true feelings for each other, before Barney takes out a condom and tells Ted to "suit up." Harris, along with Josh Radnor and Jason Segel, would later play their HIMYM characters as King Stewie's jesters in the medieval-set episode "Peter's Progress." Stewie is unhappy with their idea of jokes and has them all killed by his archers. 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\$50 bet on Mike Tyson in a celebrity boxing match in which he was fighting actress Carol Channing, who played herself in the episode. Tyson punches her a bunch of times and roughs her up, but she doesn't go down. The spectators are astounding by it: "She's gettin' mad!" In the end, she wins the fight. While he was still on his way to the mother of all comebacks, Robert Downey Jr. guest-starred in an episode of Family Guy as Lois' long-lost brother Patrick. This was back in 2005, three years before Downey would take on the role of Tony Stark and become the biggest star in the world. RELATED: 11 Shows To Watch If You Like Family Guy The actor apparently called the producers and asked to be included in an episode, because his son was a big fan of the show. So, they wrote the role of Patrick in "The Fat Guy Strangler" for him and, according to Seth MacFarlane, he brought "[a] very kind of half crazy, and maybe just eccentric personality to that character that really worked out great." Drew Barrymore made a few appearances as Brian's dim-witted girlfriend Jillian Russell throughout the fifth season of Family Guy and she always played her stupidity with an optimism and gleefulness in her voice. On a DVD commentary, the fact that the producers got Barrymore to not only appear in the show, but play a recurring character, was described as "a big thing for Family Guy." It was a shame when Brian broke up with Jillian and she was written out of the show, and a great relief when she came back, as she's one of the funniest supporting characters in all of Family Guy. Long before he became one of the most celebrated actors in the world with the role of Walter White in Breaking Bad, Bryan Cranston was best known for playing Hal in the family sitcom Malcolm in the Middle. Cranston reprised the role in Family Guy. Hal and his kids are getting aggressively nagged by the mom, Lois, and when Hal has eventually had enough, he rips off the refrigerator door and uses it to kill her. Then he rejoices with the kids that they're finally free and walks out into the street. The best pop culture references in Family Guy take something lighthearted like Malcolm in the Middle and make them dark. When Peter and the guys first hear that Barry Manilow will be performing at the Quahog Performing Arts Center, they scoff at the idea. They all claim to hate his music and think his fans are idiots. But then it comes out that they all absolutely love him. RELATED: 25 Family Guy Quagmire Moments That Went Too Far "Oh my God, he's the best! I have everything he's ever recorded!" "Me too! In my car!" "We have to go to that concert." At the concert, Quagmire is invited up on stage where Manilow replaces the name "Mandy" with "Quagmire." Sometimes the best guest appearances on Family Guy are the ones that immortalize a relatively obscure celebrity. A prime example of this is when Peter finds himself behind Robert Loggia in the airport lobby. The clerk asks Loggia - the character actor from Big and Scarface who is famous for his distinctive voice - to spell his name. So, he says, "R as in Robert Loggia. O as in, 'Oh my God, it's Robert Loggia. O as in, 'B as in, 'B as in, 'B as in everyone loves Robert Loggia. R as in Robert Loggia. T as in, 'Tim, look over there - it's Robert Loggia!'" In the episode "Peterotica," Peter finds that he has a knack for writing erotic fiction and self-publishes a few erotic book parodies: Angela's Asses, Catcher in the Eye, Shaved New World, Harry Potter and the Half Black Chick etc. The audio books are recorded by Betty White, with The Golden Girls star providing her own voice for the episode. The sound of White's voice reading the graphic sexual content of Peter's literature is hilarious. She has the quintessential sweet old lady voice - she sounds like a grandma - which is what makes her the funniest candidate to read sex scenes on tape. James Woods had previously played himself in The Simpsons, but he didn't ruthlessly poke fun of everything he's infamous for - his relative obscurity, his predatory sex drive, how difficult he is to work with etc. - until his recurring appearances on Family Guy. He stole Peter's identity in "Back to the Woods," he hosted the dinner party where all the murders happened in "And Then There Were Fewer," he ruined Brian's TV pilot in "Brian Griffin's House of Payne," he crushed Tom Tucker's dreams in "Tom Tucker's d