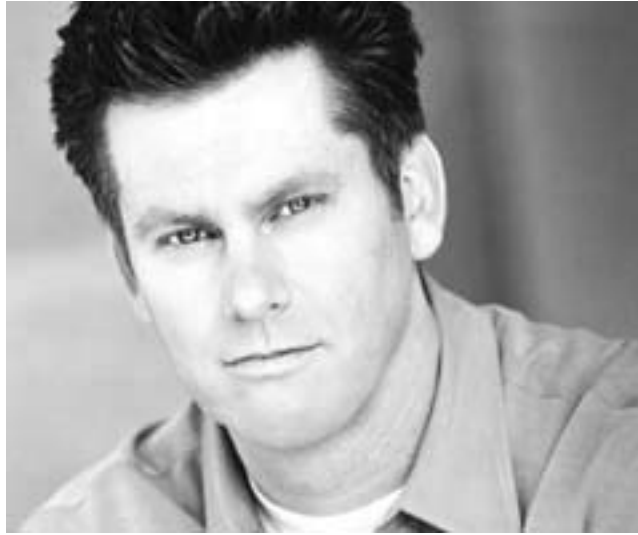

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Personal Bio

Brian Regan's comedy bridges the continental divides of age and race. All people, young and old, male and female, and from every corner of the earth, enjoy tapping into the universality of Brian Regan's show. His peculiar observations from things seemingly simple keep fans coming back time and time again for updates from Brian's unique comedy world.

As a kid, Brian was a huge fan of Johnny Carson but his fascination with stand-up comedy really kicked in when Steve Martin came on the scene. It was Martin's silly, but smart, comedic genius that inspired Brian.

At Heidelberg College in Tiffin, Ohio, Brian began his dream of becoming a comedian. As a freshman, having fallen so far behind in his major - economics - that he knew he could never catch up, Brian went to his football coach for advice. Knowing Brian was kind of funny, the coach recommended the Communication and Theater Arts Department. It was within this world that Brian began his quest for a career in comedy. From speech class to plays, Brian developed his love for performing and getting laughs.

In the early 80's, when the Heidelberg years were done, Brian started performing at a small comedy club in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, an hour's drive from his hometown of Miami. Since he was just starting, Brian was more than just a comic - he was a busboy, a dishwasher, and a cook. Oftentimes, Brian had to wrap up his shows to flip burgers for people in the crowd. They might not have liked those early jokes, but boy did they love those burgers! Over a two and a half year period, Brian actually became a better comic than cook. It was time to hit the road.

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During the mid-80's Brian found plenty of work in the booming 80's comedy world. Clubs like "Giggles" and "Sir Laughs a Lot" welcomed the budding comic as he traveled about, first by bus, then by car, then... by aeroplane!

In '86 Brian moved to New York City, where he based himself until '94. Still hitting the road plenty during those years, Brian used his time in New York to learn the difference between getting laughs, and getting good laughs. Brian kept his comedy broad enough to work anywhere in the country, but interesting enough to make a name for himself in the demanding New York City scene. The tightrope paid off when he won \$10,000 in the K-Rock - Miller Lite Funniest Person in New York contest in 1988.

From there things kicked into high gear. Brian moved to headliner status and began nailing down national T.V. appearances: MTV Half Hour Comedy Hour, Pat Sajak, Arsenio Hall, and...every comic's dream - The Tonight Show with Johnny Carson. By the early 90's Regan had developed into one of the top stand-up comedians in the country.

From then until now, Brian Regan's highlights have included his own specials on both Showtime and Comedy Central, being featured in Coca Cola's Concession Stand Comedy in movie theaters throughout the country, regular appearances on both Conan O'Brien and the Late Show with David Letterman, and opening regularly in the nation's best theaters for Jerry Seinfeld.

Brian's die-hard fans continue to fill comedy clubs throughout the country because they know his act is constantly changing. So, sit back, order yourself a delicious comedy club burger, and please enjoy the comedy of Brian Regan.

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