PROFESSIONAL SPEAKERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS



KAREN RONTOWSKI

A NATIONAL CLUB, COLLEGE, MILITARY AND CORPORATE FAVORITE

Originally from Pittsfield, MA Karen started out in the entertainment business as a cigarette girl in Las Vegas nearly sixteen years ago. Back then her days were spent selling cigarettes in the casino at Caesar's and her nights were spent performing and learning the business of stand up at the Riviera Comedy club. A few years later Karen moved to San Diego CA. In her new "second home" Karen quickly became a regular at The Comedy Store and at The Improv.

Today Karen is a favorite at corporate events and private parties everywhere. Her career has taken her to three countries and 45 of the 50 states. Her credits include working with such acts as Bob Hope, Ray Charles and the monkeys. She has been featured in spots on Comedy Central and has been a featured performer on the Bob and Tom Show. She is a feature writer in the soon to be released book "Road Stores" by Rich Shydner and Mark Schiff as well as The 1998 Women's Lip edited by Roz Warren and Moxxie Greeting Cards. She just recently made her acting debut playing the lead role of Sue Burrows in the upcoming movie short "Return to Sender".

Her comedy influences are Gracie Allen (who she refers to as the "Goddess" of all Comedy) Bob Newhart, Jerry Sienfeld and Phylis Dillar.

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CLIENT LIST

VENUES

Alaska Pierce Street Annex

Arizona Laffs (Tucson)

Improv (Tempe)

California Comedy Magic Club (Hermosa Beach)

Comedy Store (La Jolla, Hollywood)

Improv (San Diego, Hollywood)

Comedy Isle (San Diego)

Comedy Night (Oceanside)

Coach House (Santa Barbara)

Indiana Crackers (Indianapolis)

Improv (Evansville)

Iowa Funny Bone (Des Moines)

Kentucky Comedy Off Broadway (Lexington)

Comedy Caravan (Louisville)

Louisiana Funny Bone

Maryland Slapsticks (Baltimore)

Michigan The Bob (Grand Rapids)

Comedy Club (Lansing)

Minnesota Acme, Knucklehead's (Minneapolis)

Mississippi Funny Bone (Gulf Port)

Missouri Funny Bone (Springfield)

Stanford's (Kansas City)

Nevada Riviera, Catch a Rising Star, Maxim

(all in Las Vegas)

Just for Laughs (Reno)

New Mexico Laffs (Albuquerque)

New York Funny Bone (Buffalo)

Wise Guys (Syracuse)

Ohio Hilarities (Cleveland)

Improv (Cleveland)

Hilarities (Akron)

Oklahoma Capitol City (Tulsa)

Texas Capitol City (Austin, San Antonio)

Laffs (Fort Worth, Arlington)

Utah Laughs (Ogden)

Wisconsin Funny Bone (Green Bay)

TELEVISION APPEARANCES

HB0

Comedy Central

Bob Hope Young Comedians Special

Power of Laughter (NBC)

MTV Spring Break

Short Attention Span Theater

Lead in Movie short "Return to Sender"

with Bill Cobbs

CORPORATE EVENTS

Merrill Lynch

Purchase Pro

Allcon Eye Care

RSA Data Security

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CALSMACK

Children's Hospital

McMillin Realty

Air Force

San Diego Music Awards

Big Sisters

Union Bank

San Diego Women's Conference

Ojai School District

Rotary Clubs

Host Charity PSA program Black Tie Oscar Events

Thousand Smiles Foundation

Autism Society

CONCERTS / OTHER EVENTS

Ray Charles in Concert

Monkees

SPLASH (Riviera, Las Vegas)

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TESTIMONIALS

"Don't miss out on the fun! Comedy with Class"

The San Diego Tribune

"...the best comedy I've seen in a long time!"

The Minneapolis Star Tribune

"Both your standing ovations were well deserved"

Purchase Pro

"She turned a boring event into a night of laughter and fun"

Merrill Lynch