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**Y&R**

## A New Man For Hilary!

**THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Hilary has spent the last few months flying solo after her most recent relationships crashed and burned. This week, the vixen goes on a blind date, hoping to bring some love back into her life!**

The In Depth Story: Phyllis actually is responsible for pushing her friend to go on the date, which she has set up. But to take the pressure off, Phyllis drags a grumbling Billy along to make it a foursome for the evening. Of course, Billy would much rather spend time with his lady love alone, but to liven things up during the dinner, he persuades Phyllis to make a friendly wager: He'll bet her \$100 that Hilary's date will end in utter failure!

At that moment, though, Hilary arrives — looking drop-dead gorgeous — which has Phyllis confidently accepting Billy's bet. After all, she reasons, what man *wouldn't* find himself spellbound by Hilary's beauty?

As it turns out, Billy isn't

alone in his skepticism over the setup, for Hilary is her typical sarcastic self when she spots the empty chair and wonders where this amazing guy that Phyllis wanted her to meet is. Ever the matchmaker, Phyllis tries to calm Hilary's nerves by insisting that he's just running a little late. She then goes on to rave about the mysterious man, noting that he is a successful executive looking for a serious relationship — *not* a one-night stand. In fact, Phyllis believes that Hilary will be smitten because he is smart, cultured and ridiculously cute!

Not surprisingly, Hilary is

intrigued... and then more than a little shocked when her pal waves Ravi over to their table and introduces him as her date! A couple of months ago, Hilary would have eaten a good guy like Ravi for lunch. Yet the realization that she



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**Hilary is hoping to find love again, but fate may have other ideas for Devon and his ex!**

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wants to share her life with someone has the vixen making a valiant effort to engage Ravi's interest. Unfortunately for Hilary, Billy is so determined to win his bet with Phyllis that he tries to sabotage the potential love match by pointing out all of the differences between her and Ravi!

Even as Phyllis busily repairs the damage caused by her beau's interference, Billy is given a trump card when he spots Devon entering the GCAC and quickly invites Hilary's ex-husband to join them!

Hevon fans have long argued that Devon and Hilary still have feelings for each other — which certainly seems to be the case as the exes lock eyes across the table! While Hilary began the evening on a blind date with Ravi, hoping to find a new man with whom she could share her life, might she instead be on the verge of rekindling the flame she once sparked with Devon?

## Hilary's History

*Nothing about Hilary is... well, easy — including her love life! In fact, Ravi might be wise to consider her rocky romantic entanglements since arriving in Genoa City before proceeding!*

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**Mason.** The bedmates plotted to destroy Neil, whom Hilary blamed for her mom's death, and his family. Upon realizing that she'd only been using him for her end game, Mason dropped Hilary like a hot potato.

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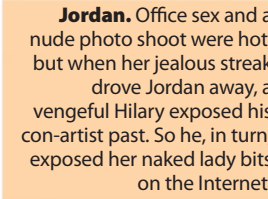


**Neil.** After he forgave her for slandering his family, and she had a change of heart regarding his part in her mom's death, Neil made Hilary his bride. Unfortunately for the groom, she'd already started to fall for his son!



**Devon.** The billionaire had a torrid affair with his stepmom while Hilary was wed to his then-blind dad. While they eventually were able to get married themselves, their union couldn't survive Hilary's blind ambition!

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**Jordan.** Office sex and a nude photo shoot were hot, but when her jealous streak drove Jordan away, a vengeful Hilary exposed his con-artist past. So he, in turn, exposed her naked lady bits on the Internet.



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**B&B** Watch  
Out, Bill!

As if **THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL**'s Bill didn't have enough reasons to be miserable of late, he's about to find out that hell hath no fury like a protective father named Ridge!

The In Depth Story: Reviled by his son, denied his fantasy of a future with Steffy and filled with self-loathing over violating his coda of family first, Dollar Bill is a broken man these days. This week, if Ridge has anything to say about it, there may be some *more* parts of Bill — physically speaking, that is — that follow suit!

After Steffy confesses to Ridge the real reason behind her recent breakup with Liam, her flabbergasted father copes with the news the only way he knows how: by assuming that Bill took advantage of his daughter! Surely, Steffy would *never* have slept

**"It's a very dicey situation for Bill right now."**

with Bill of her own accord, he reasons, which means Bill must be the guilty party!

Realizing that her father is angrier than she has ever seen him, Steffy tries to protect Bill by insisting to Ridge that their night was consensual. Her explanation, however, falls on deaf

ears, and you can only imagine the sort of rage Bill will encounter when Ridge shows up to read him the riot act!

"It's a very dicey situation for Bill right now," concedes his portrayer, Don Diamont. But the actor believes there's nothing Ridge can dole out that would measure up to the pain Bill is already experiencing in losing the



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**Ridge isn't just angry that Bill's filthy paws were on Steffy but that he also got the last package of Oreos at the market!**



**"Yes, sweetheart, I know you're pregnant. But Daddy likes to think of that as being an immaculate conception."**

love of his son. "He knows that it's within the realm of possibility that this will be unforgivable," says Diamont. "Most importantly, he needs Liam to for-

give Steffy. Bill will happily take the bullet if that baby can be raised by married parents."

On the other hand, Diamont suspects that his alter ego will only issue so many apologies before he draws a line. "He's not the sort of guy who's going to beat himself up forever," says the actor. "Bill and Steffy didn't end up making love out of nowhere; Liam set that in motion. If he doesn't want to take any responsibility and just play the victim, well then, that's on him."

## **B&B** Hope & Liam Reconnect!

Having arrived at Liam's hotel room this week, B&B's Hope reminisces with her ex-lover about their past together — including their romantic wedding in Italy. The walk down memory lane is exactly the sort of "escape" Liam currently needs from his tormented existence, and in Hope, he finds a small bright spark in his otherwise bleak day.

"Even though she's been through so much, Hope is still able to maintain a very positive, unjaded outlook," says her portray-er, Annika Noelle. "She still sees the world as 'glass half-full.'"

During this week's tete-a-tete, Hope confides in Liam that her time spent soul-searching away from Los Angeles has given her a much stronger sense of who she is. Might a renewed longing for Liam also be part of the bargain, especially now that she sees that the life he built without her has been reduced to shambles?

**"When I ordered from room service, I wasn't expecting my ex-wife."**



## **GH** The Dark Side Of Sonny!

**GENERAL HOSPITAL's reformed mobster, Julian, is trying hard to stay on the straight and narrow — but he's about to find out exactly why Port Charles' godfather, Sonny, is feared by those who dare to cross him!**

**The In Depth Story:** Longtime viewers will remember that when first we met a young Sonny Corinthos, he was running a strip club at which some pretty bad things happened. (Just ask Scotty, who

will happily regale you with tales of the time his underage daughter, Karen, spent dancing at the Paradise Lounge and being plied with pills by its proprietor!) But these days, it's easy for viewers to forget who Sonny really is.

Last week, however, that changed when Sonny paid a call on



**"I don't care if this isn't your bar, Julian," declared Sonny. "My wife says she wants a drink, you get my wife a drink!"**

**"There are very real, very illegal activities that [Sonny] engages in."**

Julian, a longtime rival, to issue a warning. "We actually said, 'Let's remind the world what Sonny does,'"

recalls co-head writer Shelly Altman. "We've played the gangster with the heart of gold, and that may be true to a certain extent. But we thought this was a great

opportunity to show the other side of Sonny, the darker side that engages in illegal activities."

And while it's true that Sonny still eschews anything related to drugs or running guns, "there are other very real, very illegal activities that he engages in," reminds Altman. "And we felt as if it was really important to show that other side of Sonny's life, too."





"Guess I should call the cleaning crew about that stain."

## **DAYS** Who Killed Andre?

**DAYS OF OUR LIVES'** Andre didn't exactly have a lot of people on his "friends" list, but who hated him enough to want him dead? As the investigation into his murder begins this week, there are more than a few surprising suspects on the list!

The In Depth Story: Abigail walks in on a shocking scene when she finds Andre dead on his office floor! As the hunt for the double-crosser's killer begins, might the unique murder weapon that's found give Rafe and Hope a promising clue?

Knowing that they'll be amongst the first to be questioned, Andre's cohorts, Vivian and Stefan, will race to get their story straight. Meanwhile, Sonny grows suspicious after overhearing a conversation between Brady and Eve in which his cousin

confesses to a murder! But is it Andre that Brady killed?

Roman, too, wants answers, and retired or not, the cop in him can't help but try to get them. However, Hope thinks that's a bad idea, and for a good reason: The killer might be someone close to him!

As Rafe and Eli take the search in another direction, Abigail does some sleuthing of her own, and questions Gabi about her last interaction with Andre. Sadly, finding the killer won't do anything to alleviate Chad and Kate's bitter grief!

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# Ins & Out

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## **Y&R** Might Jack's Son Be Headed To Genoa City?

**PSST!**

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS fans recently perked up when Jack's MIA son, Kyle, cast the final vote — via proxy — to oust his dad from the CEO spot at Jabot. With all of the turmoil happening within the Abbott family these days, we can't help but think that the time is right for Kyle to return to Genoa City for good!

The In Depth Story: Understandably, the mere mention of the character — last played by Lachlan Buchanan from 2015-'16 — ignited a wave of Internet speculation on whether the sudser would be bringing him back. Certainly, Kyle's return to the canvas would



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It was Buchanan's Kyle who helped Jack learn how to walk again after being shot by crazy Patty.

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make sense, considering the plethora of problems plaguing the Abbott family these days, from his dad's feud with Aunt Ashley to grandma Dina's battle with Alzheimer's and the clan's war with the diabolical Graham.

Unfortunately, at this

point, it appears as though a homecoming for Kyle is only wishful thinking on the part of the audience. An insider tells *Soaps In Depth* that "there are no plans to bring the character back."

Of course, should the soap's powers that be ever

change its mind, we'd like to suggest the following hunks from *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL*, *DAYS OF OUR LIVES* and *GENERAL HOSPITAL* as possible recasts:

**(Turn the page for more Ins & Outs!)**



LESLEY BOHM

**JUSTIN GASTON**

(ex-Ben, DAYS): He's already played a troubled young man dealing with daddy issues. Plus, as Kyle, he'd be playing the half cousin of his real-life wife, Melissa Ordway (Abby)!



JIM WARREN

**ROBERT PALMER WATKINS**

(ex-Dillon, GH): Not only has he already played a member of a dysfunctional soap dynasty, but he's good pals with Camryn Grimes (Mariah) and Robert Adamson (Noah).



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**BRANDON BEEMER**

(ex-Owen, B&B; ex-Shawn, DAYS): We were completely mesmerized by Beemer's baby blues both during his run as Salem's nice-guy cop on DAYS and cougar Jackie's boy toy on B&B.



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**PIERSON FODÉ**

(ex-Thomas, B&B): The hunk received two Daytime Emmy nominations for his turn as the fashion designer, who, like Kyle, often struggled with his complicated relationship with his father.



JIM WARREN

**BRYAN CRAIG**

(ex-Morgan, GH): The popular young actor won two consecutive Emmys for his angst-filled portrayal of a bipolar mobster's bipolar son before moving on to film and primetime roles.

# Ins&Outs (continued)

Y&R cont'd

## Meet The Newcomers!

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Arturo (left) is sure to charm the ladies, while Simone hopes to rise to the top of the music charts.

**IN** Former telenovela star Jason Canela has been cast on Y&R as Arturo, a charismatic building contractor who knows how to charm the ladies. Which Genoa City gal in particular will catch his eye? Find out by tuning in on Friday, February 2! In addition to his telenovela work, Canela played Omar on Fox's baseball drama, *PITCH*, opposite soap grad Mark Consuelos (Matéo, *ALL MY CHILDREN*).

In other casting news, Shanica Knowles has been cast in the short-term role of Simone, an up-and-coming singer whom Devon takes under his wing at his record label. Among the actress and singer's previous television credits are a recurring gig as Miley's school rival, Amber, on Disney Channel's *HANNAH MONTANA*, and the 2016 Lifetime biopic *Surviving Compton*. Knowles — who is a cousin of singers Beyonce and Solange Knowles — makes her Y&R debut on Friday, February 9.

B&B

## Donna's Back — And On The Prowl!

**IN** On the heels of her Christmas appearance, Jennifer Gareis (Donna) announced on Instagram earlier this month that she's returning to B&B. "Look who is back!" she captioned a boomerang photo of herself standing in front of

the soap's logo in the hallway at CBS Television City. "Which storyline is the best fit for me? Or should I say, which guy?"

A spokeswoman for B&B confirms that Gareis will be back on screen for several episodes in early February.

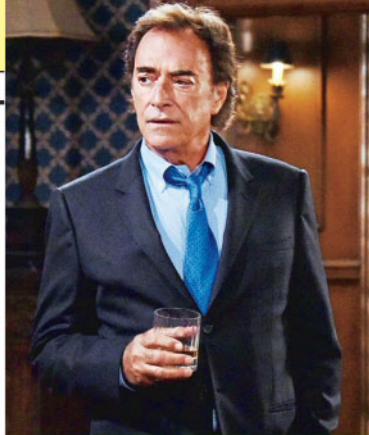


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Might Donna help mend Bill's broken heart?

## **DAYS** He's A Goner!

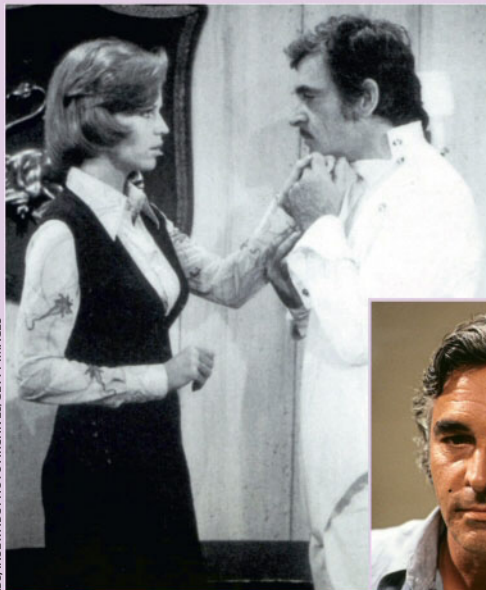
**OUT** Andre's shocking murder on **DAYS** marks the end of portrayer Thaa Penghlis' run as the duplicitous Di-Mera. The actor originally joined the cast of the NBC soap in 1981 and played both Andre and the character's brother, Tony, on and off in the decades since. He returned to the soap full-time in April 2016, following a stint as GH's Victor Cassadine, and inked a two-year contract. For details on the investigation into Andre's murder, turn to News, page 7.



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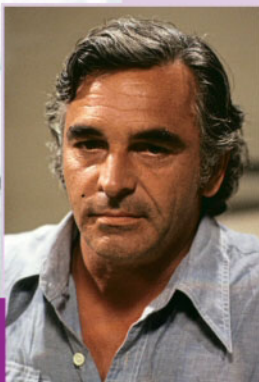
**DAYS' Andre is drinking Scotch with the angels — er, Satan — these days.**

## Soap Alum Passes Away



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**When Phillip left Katherine for a pregnant Jill (above), she tried to kill them both!**



Donnelly Rhodes — who had a brief, but memorable Y&R stint as Phillip Chancellor II back in 1974-'75 — has died at the age of 80 after a long battle with cancer. The actor may have been widely known for his roles on the comedy SOAP and sci-fi cult favorite BATTLESTAR GALACTICA, but daytime fans will forever re-

member him as being the man caught in the middle of a love triangle with Genoa City rivals Katherine and Jill (then Brenda Dickson). In fact, it was their tug-of-war over Phillip that sparked their legendary feud.

# Set Your D

## **B&B** Ridge Hits The Roof!

On **Monday, January 22**, Ridge has a meltdown upon finding out that Bill slept with Steffy! When Brooke learns what happened between her ex and his daughter-in-law on **Tuesday, January 23**, she fears what will happen next. Sure enough, even as she's fretting, Ridge is poised to attack his long-time nemesis for his transgression!



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## Battle Stations!

When Hope makes it clear that she's in town to stay on **Wednesday, January 24**, Steffy reacts by informing the blonde that she's having Liam's baby! Realizing that even if Steffy is out of the picture, there might be another rival on the horizon, Sally convinces Darlita to help her find out what they can about the recently-returned Hope!

## New Alliance!

Steffy is astonished when on **Thursday, January 25**, Liam lays out his plan for their future. Meanwhile, a wicked new scheme could be set in motion when on **Friday, January 26**, Ridge proposes that he and Liam join forces to exact revenge against the man they both loathe!



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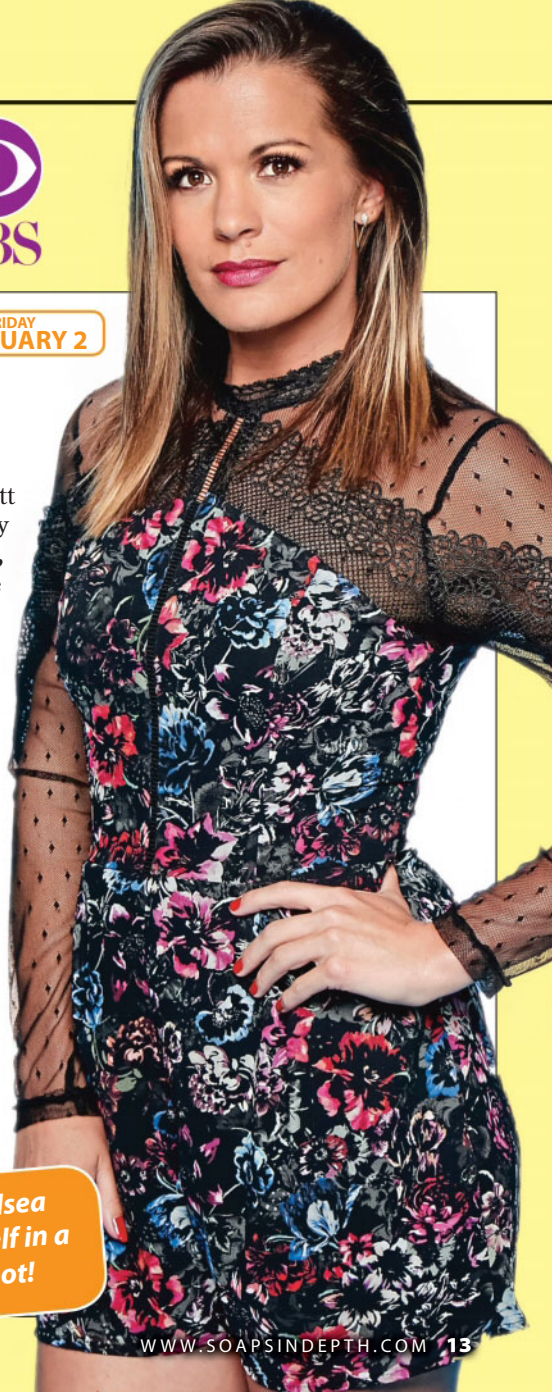
Y&R

FRIDAY  
FEBRUARY 2

## Trouble For Chelsea!

The week starts off with the Abbott family having to make an absolutely heartbreaking decision on **Monday, January 29**. How will it impact the already fractured clan's dynamic moving forward? That same day, Cane catches Lily in a lie. (Which, let's face it, is sort of a nice change of pace. After all, it's usually been him telling the fibs in the past!) As a formerly-wed pair decide they must present a united front on **Tuesday, January 30**, Ashley proves she's a force to be reckoned with! What will it mean when Victor decides to call a truce with someone on **Wednesday, January 31**? And will Devon be able to help calm the troubled waters between former best friends Tessa and Mariah on **Thursday, February 1**? Finally, as Nikki makes a rather unexpected connection on **Friday, February 2**, Chelsea will have to figure out how to react after she is backed into a corner!

*Poor Chelsea finds herself in a tight spot!*



# Set Your DVR (continued)



**GH** Jordan can't help but be concerned on **Monday, January 22**, while Anna hopes that she can get through to Sonny on that same day. Obrecht decides she must face her fears on **Tuesday, January 23**. Jason takes a stand, as proven by his declaration on **Wednesday, January 24**. Anna has a few questions on **Monday, January 29**, and she makes a pretty unexpected move on **Tuesday, January 30**. Unfortunately, the news she receives on **Thursday, February 1**, is not



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what she was hoping to hear. And when Sonny needs someone to talk to on **Friday, February 2**, he takes Jason into his confidence.

**DAYS** In case you haven't heard, there's been a murder in Salem! And while most of the town spends the week caught up in trying to figure out who killed Andre (see News, page 7), life goes on for their friends and neighbors. On **Tuesday, January 23**, Will chats with Marlena about the attraction to Paul that he just can't fight. That same day, the shocking cause of Steve's recent dizzy spells is revealed, even as Kayla continues to fret about her hubby on **Wednes-**

**day, January 24**. Eric's continuing attempts to hide his true feelings for Jennifer lead to them having a heated argument on **Thursday, January 25**. Might he finally have to be honest?



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## BACKSTAGE BUDDIES

A few folks got the star treatment at a recent *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL* studio fan event



▲ The fans kicked off the day in the CBS Screening Room with a Q&A session with two people who had *all* the answers — even if they wouldn't spill them — executive producer and headwriter Bradley Bell and co-headwriter Michael Minnis!



▲ After taking a VIP tour of the studios and watching some classic *B&B* episodes, lunch was served — and with it came the stars themselves! There was posing for photos with Thorsten Kaye (Ridge) and autograph-signing with his TV son, Anthony Turpel (R.J.)! ▶





**"It's not every day that your face ends up on a Christmas sweater,"** Karla Mosley (Maya) shared on Instagram. **"Love our fans!"** Rena Sofer, however, was slightly... less enthusiastic about the garment! **"Where's Quinn?"** the actress asked in a video she posted on-line. **"Oh, look, she's the lump of coal!"** It's tough to be Quinn, but she obviously pulled through to get this pic with Heather Tom (Katie) for the fans! ▼▼



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**Katherine Kelly Lang (Brooke)** likely got plenty of questions of her own after the studio tour — plus, the fans got to watch B&B's latest episode while dining with the cast! ▼



# OnTheTown

Your favorite stars caught in the act!



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▲ Kate Linder (Esther, *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS*), *FLIP OR FLOP*'s Christina El Moussa and *THE BRADY BUNCH*'s Maureen McCormick (Rebecca, *PASSIONS*) all helped the Los Angeles Mission make sure that no one went hungry on Skid Row this past holiday season.

◀ Wildfires have been tearing through California, but at least there are folks like *THIS IS US*' Jon Huertas and Patrika Darbo (Shirley, *B&B*) looking out for all manner of creatures at the Jameson Animal Rescue Ranch's Napa Wood: A Wildlife Relief Benefit For The Animals Of Napa Valley.



◀ **SHAMELESS'** Cameron Monaghan and **THIS IS US'** Justin Hartley (ex-Adam, Y&R) were just the tip of the iceberg when it came to the dapper gents that were at the 2017 GQ Men Of The Year party!

There were hugs for all as Eva Longoria (ex-Isabella, Y&R) and Amber Ridinger McLaughlin honored the arts and young artists at **ÄRT MAISON** and the National YoungArts Foundation's celebration of the Daniel Arsham Fellowship. ▶

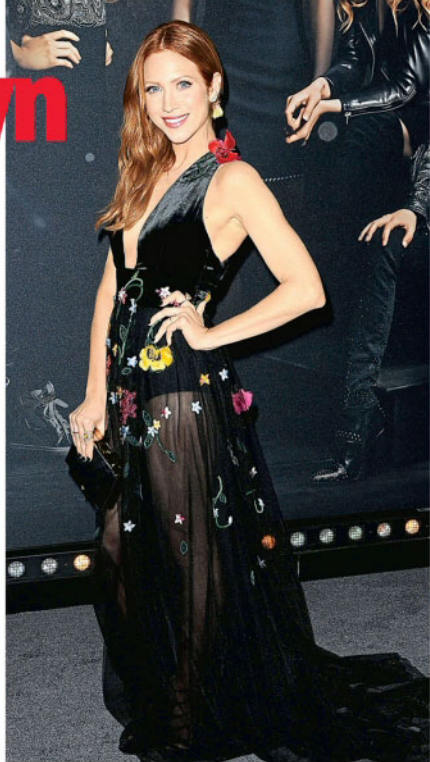


◀ There were almost as many laughs when Kim Matula (ex-Hope, B&B) and Dylan McDermott visited **EXTRA** as there are on their new **FOX** comedy, **LA TO VEGAS!**

# OnTheTown

Your favorite stars caught in the act!

It looks like **GUIDING LIGHT** alums **Brittany Snow** (Susan) and **Laura Bell Bundy** (Marah) had their movie-premiere poses down pat — Snow for *Pitch Perfect 3* and Bundy (who was in the original Robin Williams *Jumanji* classic) for *Jumanji: Welcome To The Jungle!* ▶▶



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It was a bit harder for Ian Ziering (Cameron, *GL*) to pose at the new *Jumanji* premiere with an arm around each of his daughters, Mia and Penna!

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Your favorite stars caught in the act!



◀ Cirque du Soleil brought their *Luzia* show out to Los Angeles, which gave Mario Lopez (ex-Christian, *B&B*), wife Courtney, and Roselyn Sanchez (Pilar, *AS THE WORLD TURNS*) and husband Eric Winter (ex-Rex, *DAYS OF OUR LIVES*) the perfect reason to check it out!



We thought we would take this time to look back at The Actor Fund's 2017 Looking Ahead Awards, which honored the youth cast of *THIS IS US* — and gave us the chance to spend some time with veteran actress Kellie Martin and Lindsay Price (ex-Michael, *B&B*)! ▶



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# it's war!

*As Jack and Ashley head to court, is it the end for the Abbott family?*



**T**his week on **THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS**, the gulf between Jack and Ashley has never been wider as they hunker down with their respective lawyers for a last-minute strategizing session before they head to court. Will their relationship survive the upcoming legal showdown?

## Sibling Rivalry

The Abbott family mansion becomes ground zero as Ashley meets with her legal counsel, Tony, in the dining room, while Jack powwows with Michael in the living room. The close proximity of the opposing parties allows Tony to play a few mind games, such as encouraging

Ashley to laugh... knowing that it will irritate Jack!

Thankfully, Michael recognizes the underhanded tactic, warning Jack not to let it get under his skin. Ironically, Jack's biggest aggravation is Ashley's attempt to be cordial, hoping they can be civil after arbitration. "As far as Jack is concerned, Ashley is talking to herself," says Peter Bergman (Jack). "Ashley has been anything but civil! For her to be giving out advice on being civil... she has been driving this whole [fight for Jabot]!"

Bergman, however, thinks there's a bigger story behind Ashley's desire to oust

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Jack and Ashley may have shared their last Abbott breakfast together.

Jack. “Something changed in Ashley when [Dina] exposed her [paternity] secret,” he speculates. “She has to teach him what it means to be an Abbott. Underneath this thing is a burning ambition to prove herself every bit as much of an Abbott as Jack or Traci or anybody else!”

“Ashley doesn’t recognize that she is behaving differently,” he adds. “But Jack sees it. She’s coming on every bit as headstrong as him!”

### Decision Time!

While Jack is confident that he will retain control of the cosmetics company, he

recognizes that there will be a toll. “He believes that he will win [in arbitration], but it will be a Pyrrhic victory for him,” sighs Bergman. “He will lose something even as he wins. So he is heavy of heart when he goes to court, thinking that he might win.”

Well... Jack *thought* he’d win until he meets the arbitrator — a tough, no-nonsense

woman. In fact, a woman a lot like Ashley! “That’s not lost on Jack at all!” Bergman acknowledges with a grin. “His heart sinks a little!”

And Jack is smart to worry — the outcome of this case is anything but a sure thing! “All I can tell you,” says Bergman, “is that when the judge tells them that she will make her decision shortly, Jack is the least confident that he’s been.

“And Ashley is no more confident than he is,” he hastens to add. “When the judge comes back, her decision changes everything in the Abbott household... possibly forever!”

The Young & The Restless

# busted!

*After being exposed by Mariah, how low will Tessa go?*

**T**HE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Tessa betrayed Mariah in the worst way possible when she swiped her diary and used her former bestie's private thoughts — many of which dealt with Mariah's confusion regarding her sexual identity and feelings for her gal pal — to write a very public song. Yet this week, Tessa is the one who is exposed after Mariah accuses her of stealing the journal on *THE HILARY HOUR*. Will the dark-haired beauty admit what she did and beg for forgiveness, or will she double down on her deceit and wage an all-out war against Mariah?

## Getting To The Truth

As the week begins, Devon is determined to get to the bottom of his ex-girlfriend's accusation against his company's top artist. Unfortunately for Tessa, he's not alone. Her boyfriend, Noah, also wants to hear what she has to say regarding his sister's attack! "Tessa is feeling super guilty right now," admits her portrayer, Cait Fairbanks. "She acted out of desperation when she took Mariah's journal. She couldn't think of

anything to write. She was blocked, because she wasn't being honest about her own feelings and letting herself be truly vulnerable.

"Originally, she took the journal thinking, 'Oh, this might inspire me and wind up turning into something,'" she adds. "But she got so caught up in what Mariah [had written], she used it in her song. She really didn't do it to be vindictive. It was an act of desperation!"

## Desperate Measures

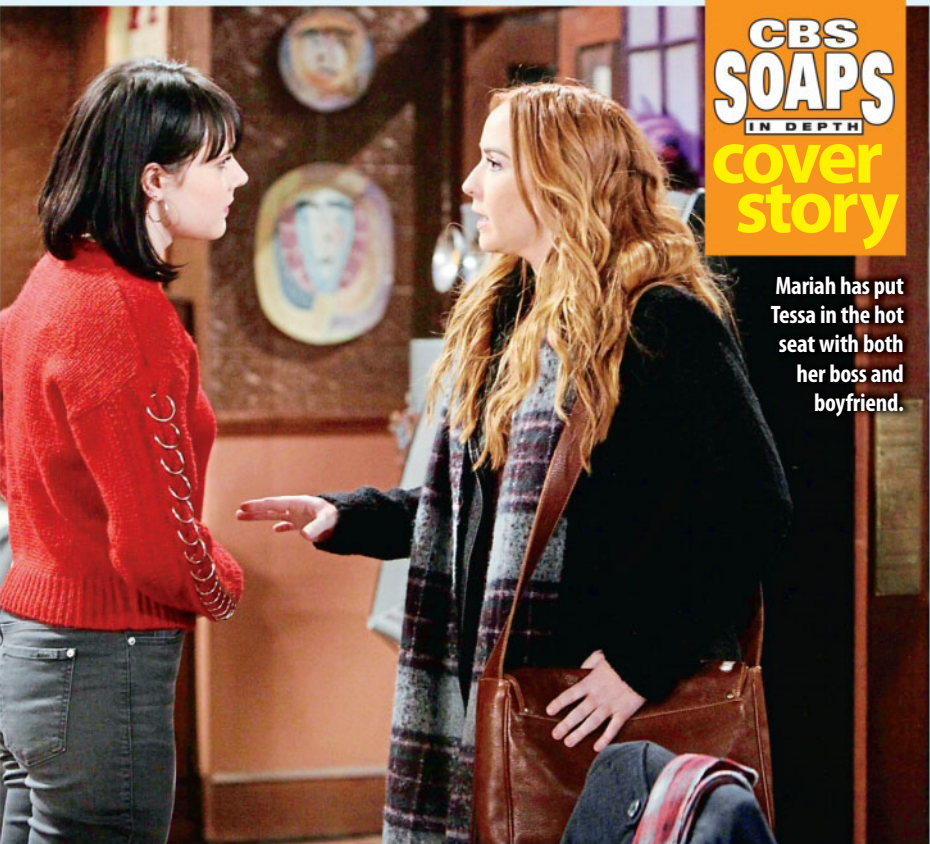
Ah, but Tessa is still feeling pretty desperate, especially as she faces Devon and Noah, and their demands for the truth! "Even the best people act desperately," Fairbanks defends. "But one lie becomes another, and that becomes a hundred lies. It's hard to backtrack after a certain point, so Tessa is trying to cover up.

"Tessa is not Mariah, Noah or Devon," adds the actress. "She does not have



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**Mariah has put  
Tessa in the hot  
seat with both  
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boyfriend.**

money or family to fall back on. This is her one shot [at a music career]. At the end of the day, she thinks that she can manipulate enough people to get what she needs!"

### **Confession Time?**

Well, unless the guilt crushes her first! "I do think Tessa is basically an honest person, so as she goes forward, her guilt might show more and more," concedes Fairbanks. "But I think Tessa is a survivalist, and she will do whatever she has to do to survive. She is always going

to protect herself — which is where this stems from. She grabbed the journal, wrote the song and is now lying about it. But it's about surviving, it's not about hurting anyone!"

Of course, Mariah might not see it quite the same way! In fact, is it possible for these two women to ever re-establish the close bond that they once had? "Tessa crossed a line," admits Fairbanks. "The trust is now gone. If they have a chance to be friends again, they will need to start at ground zero and work their way back!" ■

# 5 Things We're Loving Right Now...

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**Victoria's office.** Finally, she doesn't have to take all of her meetings while sitting behind Daddy's desk!

**Hope's return.** Bet Steffy wishes she could go back to the days when Sally was her only romantic rival!

2

THE BOLD & THE  
BEAUTIFUL



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3

THE YOUNG &amp; THE RESTLESS

**Marla Adams.**

The soap vet's portrayal of Dina's condition has been stunning to watch.

**The bloody handprint.**

Liam literally left his mark on his distraught dad, Bill.

4

THE BOLD &amp; THE BEAUTIFUL



5

THE YOUNG &amp; THE RESTLESS

**Kangaroo Boy.** Cane may not like the nickname Billy recently bestowed upon him, but we sure do.

**Brooke's rush.** The ink on her divorce papers isn't even dry, and she's already dashing down the aisle with Ridge. ■

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# Hottest Stories

Looking back — and ahead!

**THIS  
WEEK**

## **B&B** Liam & Sally's "First Move"!

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's Sally gave Liam his space in the aftermath of their near-death smooch, but now that his marriage to Steffy is in a tailspin, will the redhead stake her claim?

If so, she'll be facing some stiff competition. Not only is Steffy intent on patching things up with the father of her unborn child, but Liam's former sweetheart, Hope, is now back in the picture wanting only the best for her ex... (and by "the best," she likely means herself!)

During her initial interaction with Hope, Sally was less than subtle about calling dibs on the Spencer hunk, should his marriage



Liam hated it when his fireplace interrupted his conversations.

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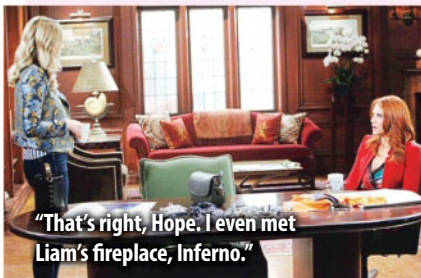
end in divorce. "She's going to fight for what she wants, and it's Liam," notes Courtney Hope (Sally). "I don't think Sally really knows the full history between him and Hope, but you can bet she is researching it!"

As for how to proceed with Liam, the actress believes her alter ego will take a more tactful and tender approach when it

comes to making her move. "I think it will be more about really taking care of him emotionally, in the same way that he took care of her once," Hope

says. "Sally had a man that she loved [Thomas] leave her for another woman, so I think she can kind of empathize with him. I don't think she's going to instantly jump in and try to date him, because Sally does understand the grace period of needing to heal."

On the other hand, when it comes to relationships on this show, fortune favors the bold (no pun intended). "I think she definitely sees this as her chance, but not in a malicious way," says Hope. "I think a solid foundation of friendship will end up being their first move forward into a deeper connection, if that's where the future takes them!"



"That's right, Hope. I even met Liam's fireplace, Inferno."

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## Cane Took On A Young Rival!

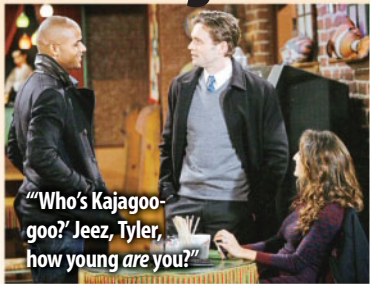
Five years ago, THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Cane and Lily had been through a lot, so it was hard to imagine anything — or anyone — coming between them. Then again, the couple had never had to deal with a guy like Tyler!

“If anyone could give Cane a run for his money, it would be Tyler,” confessed Daniel Goddard (Cane). “This is someone who is younger and impresses Lily workwise.”

While Tyler had been obvious about his attraction to Lily, Cane be damned, the Aussie's greatest threat might have been his own insecurities. “When you're

older than the girl, and all of a sudden some younger guy comes along,” suggests Goddard, “there's a part of you that will ask, ‘Should I be jealous?’

“Tyler's fun, and Lily's



“Who's Kajagoo-goo? Jeez, Tyler, how young are you?”

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missed that fun,” he continued. “Can you work through a situation where some guy likes your wife and has no respect for the husband when he's talking to the wife?”

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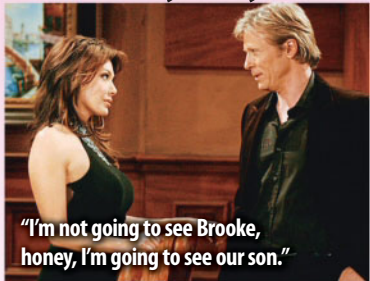
## Would Nick Stand By Taylor?

Ten years ago, B&B's Nick had chosen to stay with Taylor even after finding out that Brooke was the biological mother of his new baby. But would the bond he developed with his ex over their child ultimately trump the commitment he made to his wife?

Jack Wagner felt that his former character never took his marriage vows lightly. “I think he has really fallen in love with Taylor,” he said. And

while the pull toward Brooke might have been a strong one, Wagner believed that his alter ego also had enough sense not to fall back into a relationship that was as dysfunctional as it was passion-filled.

However, the knowledge that he and Brooke have a child together might have swayed Nick more than he wanted to



“I'm not going to see Brooke, honey, I'm going to see our son.”

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admit, especially if it had anything to do with his son's ultimate happiness. “Having a child has always been his No. 1 priority,” said Wagner. “This child has been a long time coming for Nick.”

# WeSpeakOut!

See if you agree with our outspoken editors' opinions!

## Y&R Pot, Meet Kettle

Perhaps someone needs to remind THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Nick about that old saying regarding people in glass houses... Oh, wait, Abby sort of did that when her brother took her to task for having kissed Scott. "How can you do this to Sharon?" he demanded angrily, prompting his little sister to shoot back, "Asks her cheating husband!" Oh, snap! Abby might not ever get into the boxing ring

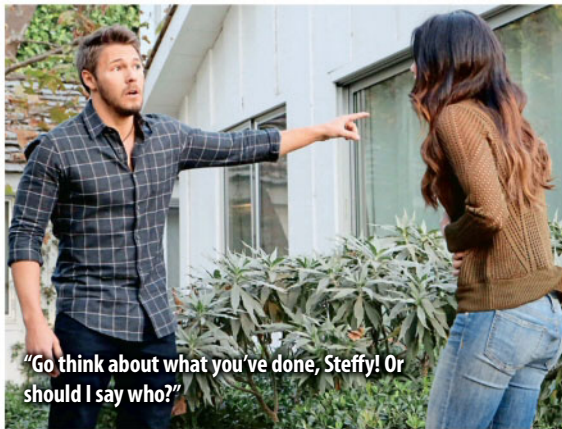
like Victor, but she sure knows how to deliver a few wicked punches! Did Nick have the grace to look a little sheepish at Abby's caustic retort, given that his position on that high horse seemed pretty wobbly? Nah, he just continued to blast the beauty for her bad behavior. Nick may think that his dad is the devil, but this sort of willful denial and hypocrisy reminds us that the hunk may have more in common with Victor than he realizes!

## B&B A STEP TOO FAR?

We have loved every moment of the big drama to come out of the reveal that THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's Steffy slept with her father-in-law. Some, however, took issue with how heated emotions got between Liam and his wife, especially when Steffy wound up on her knees while her husband snapped, "Shut up!" Now, we get that on this show, you're as likely to sleep with an in-law or practically-family member as you are to work in the fashion industry. But here in the real world, such a sin is still a pretty big deal, and the fall-

out needed to be huge. Scott Clifton and Jacqueline MacInnes Wood delivered stunning performances which left us calling friends to say, "Did you see that?" and hitting the rewind button. Meanwhile, it was a

nice touch to have Liam initially suspect that Wyatt was the person Steffy cheated with. And Bill, you might want to think about how you've been living your life, given that several people immediately jumped to the



"Go think about what you've done, Steffy! Or should I say who?"



"I'd ask you to sit, Nick... but I really don't want you to."

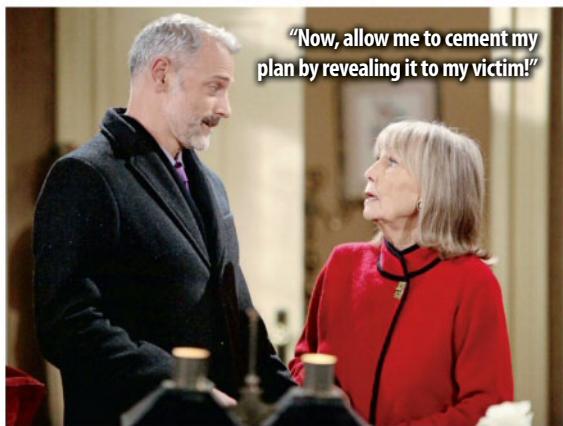
conclusion that you might have drugged Steffy in order to use her as part of a revenge scheme!

## Y&R WORST-LAID PLANS

Graham, pull up a chair, because we need to have a talk. Listen, we get that you're a bad guy, but we still kinda like you. And that's why we want to offer you a little advice. We're a little perplexed as to why — after swooping in and removing Dina from the Abbott home — you thought it was a good idea to go hang out at the GCAC. You know, the place where everyone in town spends all of their free time. Even

more confusing was your plan to, five minutes later, reveal to Dina that instead of taking her on a cruise, you planned to stick her in a managed-care facility. Did you somehow think she'd be delighted by this bit of

news? We've seen a lot of people with villainous intent pass through Genoa City, and feel like you're just not living up to your potential. Why not rush Dina down the aisle to solidify your control *(continues)* ▶



"Now, allow me to cement my plan by revealing it to my victim!"

# WeSpeakOut! (cont'd)

over her? We get it, you're relatively new to this whole mustache-twirling thing. But as we said, we like you, so we're hoping that you step up your game before it's too late!

## **B&B** OUT OF THE BLUE

We're always pleasantly surprised when Carter is tasked with doing something on the show other than delivering legal docu-



Since Carter didn't take time to flash back to his romance with Maya, we will!

YOU WIN SOME.

**Y&R's Cane finally kissed his estranged better half...**



YOU LOSE SOME.

... only to have her then leave for Paris on business!

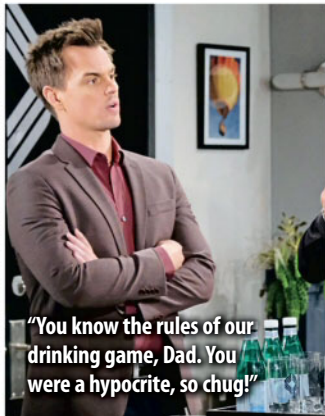
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ments or ushering in "I do's." But we were almost as shocked as Maya when he decided to profess his love and, basically, make a play for the happily married woman. The scene came out of the absolute blue and, as a result, was downright jarring. It would have been simple enough to show Carter looking at Maya with a bit of longing during a Forrester family gathering, or maybe have him overhear an argument between her and Rick — the kind of thing every couple experiences that ultimately means nothing — and allow himself to be-

come wistful. While Carter was making his offputting confession to Maya, Rick was spending a little time with Nicole. Now, maybe the show is planning to have this foursome do a little switcheroo, and we'd certainly love to see them all get more screentime. But here's hoping any story that might arise from the situation feels more natural than these scenes did!

## **B&B** FAMILY AFFAIRS

When Wyatt told Bill he was nervous about interacting with a new nephew, we had to wonder if he's completely forgotten that he has a little (very little)



"You know the rules of our drinking game, Dad. You were a hypocrite, so chug!"

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## IS IT JUST US?

... or did you scratch your head at Jill's decision to appoint Y&R's Billy as co-CEO with Cane? Sure, we understand that she might want her son

to do more with his life than belly up to the bar for a breakfast Bloody Mary. But we'd also think that she would remember that whenever Cane and Billy are around one another, the result is a little like what happens when gasoline meets an open flame! In fact, the last time the two worked together, Cane's efforts to frame Billy set off an explosive chain of events which resulted in Victoria having to turn to her father in order to keep Brash & Sassy afloat! If Jill is serious about protecting the Chancellor legacy, she might want to rethink her plan to have these two heading up the company!

**One thing they all agree on:  
Cat videos are adorable.**



## Y&R

### QUICK HITS

As much as we enjoy seeing Lauren and Paul involved in the lives of oth-

er characters, it's time to give them a story of their own. Exec producer/headwriter Mal Young has shown that he really loves mining history for story, and these two have a lot to work with! • How great has it been having Traci on the canvas, acting as the heart of the Abbott family? She's exactly the kind of grounded, real character that soaps need more of. Y&R ought to sign Beth Maitland to a long-term contract so that we get a whole lot more of Traci in the future. ■

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brother named Will, whose mama just happens to be the woman he's currently bedding on a regular basis! Meanwhile, the fact that Bill slept with Steffy should definitely calm any concerns Wyatt and Katie have regarding his dad's reaction to their

relationship. Even Bill — who's been known to indulge in a healthy dose of hypocrisy from time to time — can't possibly judge his ex-wife and son's relationship, given that they're both single. Then again, this is Bill so... all bets are off!



**"Seriously, Ashley... how do you people even survive without me?"**

# InDepthAnswers

Got burning questions? Lay them on us!

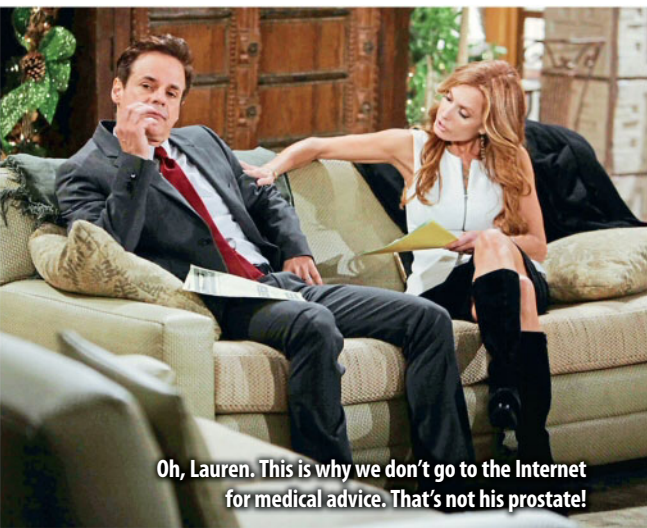
**Q.** A couple years ago, Michael was diagnosed with cancer on **THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS**. He saw a doctor a few times and then... nothing. What happened?

Carlye  
via E-mail

**A.** You are not alone in noticing Michael's disappearing cancer storyline, Carlye! In 2014, Michael (played by Christian Jules LeBlanc) worried when his sex life with Lauren suddenly began to suffer. He went to the doctor hoping to be prescribed

a Viagra-like drug, but during the examination, the legal eagle discovered that he had Stage 3 prostate cancer. The diagnosis prompted Michael to push his wife toward Cane, which understandably caused problems for Lily and her spouse! Just as

the story was heating up, it suddenly was put on the backburner when Charles Pratt Jr. took over as executive producer/headwriter. According to sources, Pratt was less than thrilled with the story and took it in a different direction. There was one brief instance where Michael mentioned that his cancer was in remission, so we can only assume that he is, at least for now, doing better!



Oh, Lauren. This is why we don't go to the Internet for medical advice. That's not his prostate!

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## DID YOU KNOW...

**B&B** In 1987, the show's first episode centered around a Forrester fashion show.

**Y&R** When the soap premiered, Richard Nixon was two months into his second term as president of the United States.

**Q.** Has B&B's Steffy ever cheated on a guy before this past time when she slept with Bill?

*Phyllis  
via E-mail*

**A.** Steffy is more used to being the "other woman" than a woman who cheats on her lovers. She did turn down a proposal from boyfriend Marcus after becoming attracted to Rick, but we wouldn't necessarily classify that as a betrayal. The closest she ever came to full-on cheating prior to this recent incident with Bill was when, after drinking too much, she fell asleep in bed with Wyatt wearing only her skivvies! (Naturally, her then beau, Liam, assumed the worst when he walked in on this scene, and then, like now, he promptly walked out on his lady love!) ■



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Pearce's VANDAL character has good taste!

**Q.** I read that Sean Carrigan (ex-Stitch, Y&R) was on AMERICAN CRIME STORY, but I never saw him on the show. Can you tell me who he played?

*Terri  
via E-mail*

**A.** Never fear, you didn't miss Carrigan's appearance... you simply had the wrong show. Carrigan actually appeared on AMERICAN VANDAL. The Netflix documentary focuses on the investigation into who painted something obscene onto the cars of 27 teachers at a high school. Carrigan appears as the school's football coach and phys ed teacher, Mr. Rafferty. It turns out that THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's Ashlyn Pearce is also in the series... as a student who is clearly crushing on Carrigan's Coach Rafferty!



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## Feature Interview

*THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's John McCook (Eric) and Rena Sofer (Quinn) get real about their working relationship!*

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**Y**ou can tell a lot about a person by talking to their colleague, and considering how much time THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's Rena Sofer (Quinn) and John McCook (Eric) have spent working together over the past year and a half, they have an awful lot to reveal about their TV better half. For instance...

**When did you first meet?**

**HE SAID:** "When she first came on the show. They put our characters together, and it was nice, but the magic didn't ignite the way it has now. They discovered a whole new way to go with Quinn, and I give Rena credit for that. She brought so much more to the character than just being a pretty jewelry designer. That's what made it so fun for our characters to be discovered in bed years later."

**SHE SAID:** "John was the very first person to call me when I joined the cast. He said, 'Welcome to the show; we're so excited to have you here.'"

**What do you recall being your first impression of one another?**

**HE SAID:** "Well, of course, I thought she was beautiful. She was very professional and very focused on her work. No-nonsense. I didn't see her humor at

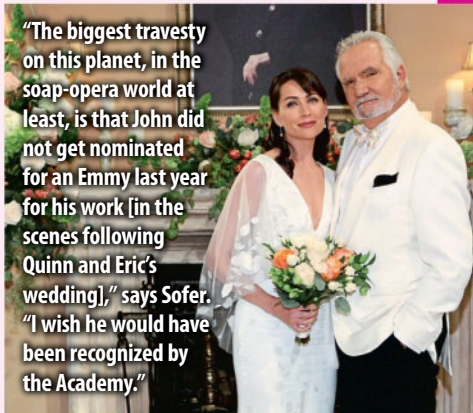
"The biggest travesty on this planet, in the soap-opera world at least, is that John did not get nominated for an Emmy last year for his work [in the scenes following Quinn and Eric's wedding]," says Sofer. "I wish he would have been recognized by the Academy."

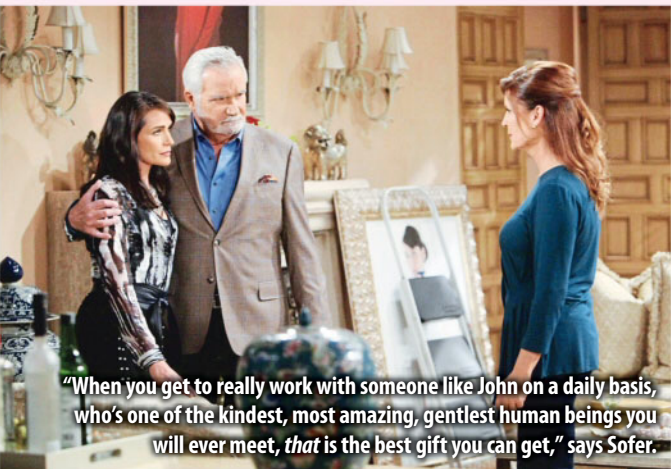
first. It was there, but I didn't see it yet."

**SHE SAID:** "I thought he was very sweet. He loves to hug you and touch you. If you don't really know someone, at first you can be [like] 'Oh!' But now, if he doesn't grab hold of me, I'm like, 'What'd I do? What's wrong?'"

(continues) ▶

# She Said





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*"When you get to really work with someone like John on a daily basis, who's one of the kindest, most amazing, gentlest human beings you will ever meet, that is the best gift you can get,"* says Sofer.

*"Rena and I are both so happy to have this story and have it affect so many people and have it go on for so long,"* McCook says. *"It's not just some little 'event.' I think [their love story] is going to last for a little while. I hope so!"*

### **When did you first know that your storyline was working?**

**HE SAID:** "Those first scenes in the bed... I knew right away. We liked how they wrote us, and because we liked it, we were able to play it well."

**SHE SAID:** "The very moment I read that script [where Quinn and Eric were in bed together] — and it was a surprise to all of us; none of us knew. I turned the page and was like, 'Wait, what?!?' It felt right. It was a story about two people who were lonely and found each other. There was something beautiful about it."

### **Have you learned anything in the course of working with each other?**

**HE SAID:** "I love how Rena puts her whole self in the scene. It isn't always there with other actors. Sometimes you put yourself out there, and it's not reciprocated. So I've learned to go there with her."

**SHE SAID:** "Just his kindness. I try to learn from his patience and kindness."

### **What's been your favorite Eric/Quinn scene to date?**

**HE SAID:** "I loved the conflict when he found out she and Ridge had been [kissing]. How angry it made him and how hurt... I loved doing that scene with her."

**SHE SAID:** "The wedding, because it was just so moving. Nobody showed up, which broke Eric's heart, and John was so incredible in those scenes. Reading the scripts made me cry. For Quinn to gather the courage to walk down those steps and [offer to] let him go, then he wouldn't [allow it]... It was just my favorite."

### **My co-star knows I hate it when...**

**HE SAID:** "I don't hate anything! She knows that about me!"

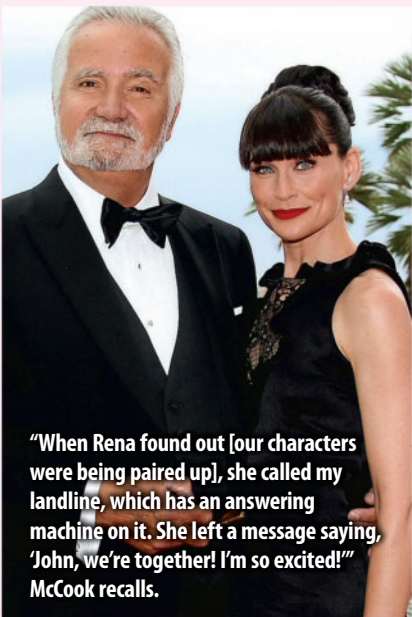
**SHE SAID:** "I hate it when actors don't know their lines."

### **When are you two likeliest to crack up?**

**HE SAID:** "I don't think we've ever broken up in a scene. I love making her



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**“When Rena found out [our characters were being paired up], she called my landline, which has an answering machine on it. She left a message saying, ‘John, we’re together! I’m so excited!’”**  
**McCook recalls.**

laugh, though. Because it seemed to me when I first knew her that it was going to be hard to make her laugh. I was wrong about that.”

**SHE SAID:** “John makes me laugh all the time. He’s just funny!”

### ***Anything your co-star gives you a hard time about?***

**HE SAID:** “When I forget my lines... because she never does!”

**SHE SAID:** “Probably when I’m like, ‘Let’s go, let’s shoot it, let’s move!’ A lot of people are like, ‘Just relax!’”

### ***Anything you were really surprised to discover about each other?***

**HE SAID:** “I was surprised to learn what a great mom she is. She loves her daughters [and] her ex-stepdaughter.”

**SHE SAID:** “He tells a really amazing story about Liza Minnelli in Vegas, and I’m surprised he didn’t join... that’s all I’m going to say. He can tell you the rest.”

### ***What’s the nicest thing your co-star has ever done for you?***

**HE SAID:** “When I’m in the hair and makeup chair, she comes up and gives me a hug and a kiss on the cheek in the morning. It’s a very sweet, uncomplicated thing, and you don’t necessarily expect it from her.”

**SHE SAID:** “There are so many. John’s just nice every single day. But the nicest thing is... he has jelly beans in his dressing room, but they’re big. I like smaller Jelly Bellies. So he went out and bought Jelly Bellies, which he only has in there for me.”

— Amy Helmes

Sound Off



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# I Love It

## Hot Topic: Katie's Love Life

Though Thorne ultimately declined her offer, the fact that *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL*'s Katie suggested that the hunk shack up with her (if only platonically) says an awful lot about her state of mind these days with re-

gard to men: namely, anything goes! She's having fun just "hooking up," and, after years of watching her big sisters play vixen, Katie now wants in on the action, so to speak. It's been fun watching her and Wyatt mix it up in the bedroom with their silly role-playing antics

(two words: Wyatt's "mustache"), yet while Katie may be trying out a new attitude when it comes to romance, we suspect her "playing the field" routine is really just a defense mechanism. Is she really not looking for a serious relationship, or is her cavalier stance simply

a way of protecting her already-fragile heart? Whatever the case, it's rare that we get to see the beautiful brunette this blissed-out... having a secret luv-ahhh clearly agrees with her!

**"You want to... just sit and talk?"** asked Wyatt.  
**"That's kinky!"**

## OUR TAKE



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## YOUR TAKE

### You Go, Girl

It's nice to see a strong and independent woman like Katie. Soaps are a place to enjoy a little fantasy. Not all of it has to be about getting and keeping a man.

Betty Hendrickson  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Oh, Behave!

I think Katie should grow up and act like a mother instead of a teenager with hot pants, turning into another Brooke!

Judith Benware  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Free Agent

Katie should continue to play the field until she is ready to commit to someone.

Bobbye Smith  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Time To Go Public

I love Katie and Wyatt together! I'd love to see them take their relationship further and let everyone know they are a couple.

Sally Deeser  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Too Much Sex?

Nobody is that horny. Where is her kid? This is all she does anymore, and Wyatt is way too young



**Donna made it clear that if Katie passes on Thorne, she'd like a shot!**

for her. Why can't she get someone new, not everyone's sloppy leftovers?

Peggy Gasper Contino  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Make The Switch

Personally, I think it's gross that Katie's sleeping with her son's brother. It's a little too incestuous for my taste. I think she should be paired with Thorne. He isn't really in love with Brooke... he just wants a way to get back at Ridge.

Adrienne Lewis  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

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## Pain, Pain, Go Away

■ Triathlon training isn't without some serious aches and pains for *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL*'s Katherine Kelly Lang (Brooke), but she luckily has some tools to combat the sore muscles. "I use this thing called NormaTec that pushes the lactic acid out of your legs," she explains of the high-tech device. "You put on these boot sleeves that go all the way up your legs, then you start the machine and it tightens and pumps the blood, which really takes the soreness away and prepares your legs for training the next day." Lang also relies on a more tried-and-true option for restoring her muscles. "Ice baths, or salt baths, depending on how I feel," she says. "I also get a lot of massages. I really have to take care of my body. What's weird is, if I'm not working out, that's when I start to really have aches and pains. When I don't train as much, I feel it!"

Lang's boots were made for... recovering!

## Belle Of The Ball

■ Being a castmember on *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS* at the age of 15 meant Heather Tom (Katie) didn't have a typical high school experience. "I didn't go to prom, because I wasn't in school, and most of my friends, even if

they went, didn't go with the person of their choice."

So when Tom's 21st birthday rolled around, the actress decided to throw her own prom for herself and her good pals.



Who needs a high school prom when you can plan your own?

"The theme was 'Somewhere Over The Rainbow,'" she recalls with a chuckle. "It was nuts. Our [venue] had this long driveway, so we put balloons arching over this very long driveway like rainbows. We had corsages... my boyfriend at the time got a limo, and we went to a hotel afterward." Guess it only goes to show it's never too late to make up for the memories you might have missed!

### THAT'S A FACT

Like Tom, *B&B*'s Katie was thrown a faux "prom" later in life, when her family thought she was dying!

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## Music That Matters

■ Jacob Young (Rick) has been having a blast performing country tunes at various venues over the past year, but when he can find a way to raise a little money for a good cause while he's at it, he feels doubly blessed. Last summer, for example, he performed a show in Elkton, MD, to help raise money for the town's high school marching band. "They hadn't had new uniforms in 20 years or something crazy like that," says the actor. As part of the show, Young invited some members of the band to come up on stage with him to play Neil Diamond's "Sweet Caroline," and he also recruited some young ladies from the high



Young was happy to croon for a cause.

school's choir to sing back-up vocals on a Chris Stapleton song. "The event went really well, and everyone seemed to love it," he says. "We were able to write a check to the school for \$6,000 to buy the band's new uniforms, plus some new instruments that were needed."

JIM WARREN

# Singled Out

*One of these  
is not like the others*

**Which of the following  
characters has never  
suffered the heartache of  
a miscarriage?**

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b. Amber

GILLES TOUCAS



c. Katie

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d. Bridget

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e. Sally

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f. Hope





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## Feature Interview

# YIFYIFY

**Born:** April 24 in Enid, OK.

**Pacemaker:** Luckinbill wasn't fazed by the speed at which the soap had begun shooting since he left. "You just have to stay on your toes!" he says.

**Calling The Shots:** While the hunk hasn't slipped into the director's chair yet, "I never say no to anything in this business! I love entertainment. I'm sure I'll do everything," he muses, "from catering to wardrobe, by the time this run is over!"

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*Thad Luckinbill reflects on his return as THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' J.T.*

# COMEBACK KID

**t** had Luckinbill spent 11 years on THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS transforming his alter ego, J.T., from a cocky, rebellious teen (who'd left his drunken buddy, Billy, to perish in the snow) to a pretty decent guy following in P.I. Paul's footsteps. It's those memories — and fondness for the character — that have Luckinbill temporarily returning to the suds-er after an eight-year absence. "When I first started on Y&R, I was supposed to be on for five or six episodes," recalls the actor. "But it was one of those interesting things, where the show developed the story with Billy and Raul — all these young guys in high school.

"I was sort of the delinquent friend," he continues with a laugh. "But it grew into something. Fans embraced the character, the writers kept writing really cool stuff and made J.T. into a really fun character to watch. I will always appreciate that. It's one



**"Seeing Eric Braeden (Victor), Christian [Jules] LeBlanc (Michael), Peter Bergman (Jack) and Jess Walton (Jill) is fun,"** shares the returnee. **"They are the DNA of this show, and I enjoyed catching up and laughing with them."**

of the reasons I came back. The role wasn't something that was given to me, per se — it wasn't a contractual role in the beginning. It was something that was created by the writers, fans and me. That's why it's important to me. No one created this character but me, and I think that's kind of cool in this soap climate to have some- (continues) ▶

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▲ **“He’s a good kid!” Luckinbill says of Tristan Lake Leabu, who plays Reed. “I think they did a good job finding the right guy to play J.T. and Victoria’s son.”**

**“Part of coming back was working with Amelia [Heinle, Victoria] again, which is exciting,” the hunk says of his ex. “She is a great actress!”**



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thing that unique.”

Luckinbill also believes that there was more to be explored with the character. “I like that this story had some meat, with J.T. having some issues to work out,” he shares, noting that his alter ego’s estrangement from Mac and tense relationship with son Reed is exciting for him to sink his teeth into. “Clearly, there is resentment and confusion between J.T. and Reed. And there’s family drama and antics that will need to be ironed out. I’m having fun doing that!”

### A Different Hat

Since leaving Y&R, Luckinbill has popped up both on the big and small screen. And in 2013, the Oklahoma native slipped behind the camera to form the production company Black Label Media (BLM) with his twin

brother, Trent, and Molly Smith (producer of *The Blind Side*). The trio have ushered in a slew of movies, including the critically-acclaimed, box office hits *Sicario* and *La La Land*. “I didn’t think we would have come as far as we have in such a short time,” Luckinbill confesses as he reflects upon BLM’s success. “But that’s a tribute to good partners and good material, and finding the right filmmakers. Not everything we’ve done has worked, but the majority of it has, and we’ve worked really hard to find a niche.”

Interestingly, this month fans will be able to watch the hunk both on Y&R and the silver screen, with BLM’s latest release, *12 Strong*. “It’s a war movie based on the Green Berets, who were the first guys into Afghanistan after 9/11,” shares the actor/producer. “It’s a true story based on

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the book *Horse Soldiers*. Their mission was recently declassified. I play one of the soldiers on the secret mission. It's an amazing story."

## No Small Parts

Indeed, telling stories is what drives Luckinbill — whether that story unfolds in

◀ Luckinbill and Christel Khalil (Lily) found common ground in suddenly having *SORAS*'d on-screen kids. "We laughed about it!" says the actor, with *Y&R*'s former teen scene. "The soap world is like dog years in how fast you age!"

daytime or movie theaters. "I've always appreciated guys like James Franco (ex-Franco, *GENERAL HOSPITAL*) who have done everything. He's an entertainer. He wants to try everything. He did a soap the same year he was nominated for an Oscar. I think that's awesome!" he says. "That should be applauded!"

"Personally, I don't care [about Hollywood's stereotypes and stigmas]," he goes on. "I enjoy acting. I enjoy producing. I enjoy it all, and this is a chance for me to come back to *Y&R* and do something that I enjoy a lot!"

— Julie McElwain

## ANATOMY OF A PRODUCER

Luckinbill says that one of the things he likes about being part of a production company is that he and his colleagues get involved in projects during all phases. "That's the fun — a project can come in all shapes and sizes. Sometimes you read an article or book, and you're like, 'Oh, God, this has got to be a movie or TV show!' Sometimes it comes with a script, director and talent already attached, and you like it because it's a great package." BLM developed the Oscar-nominated *Sicario* from just a script. "I remember that I was so affected when I read the script one night that I had to stop reading because I'd never go to sleep! I finished it the next day, but I thought that would make an amazing movie, and luckily, the rest of the team felt the same way!"



Luckinbill loves every step of the producing process.

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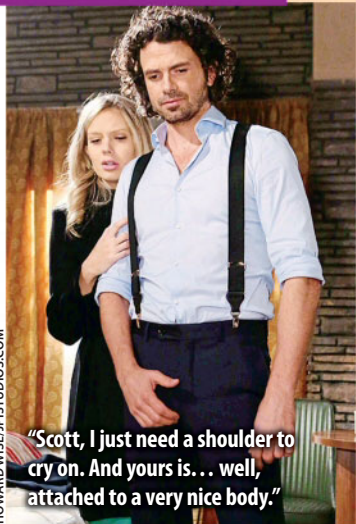
## Y&R Hot Topic: Will Scott Head Right Into Abby's Arms?

Romantic triangles aren't actually at their most entertaining when they begin, but, rather, when

they end. Certainly we wanted to grab a bag of popcorn when THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Nick told Sharon that he'd seen Scott kissing

another woman. Sharon Case (Sharon) offered a spot-on performance that ranged from shock to hurt to furious as her alter ego discovered that daughter Mariah had known, but kept quiet, before confronting Scott about how he'd betrayed her. Scott earned at least a little credit for confessing that he'd done more than kiss Abby! After unleashing on Scott, Sharon took her wrath to the GCAC, where she blasted Abby with angry words, which gave way to an exchange of slaps and then a full-on catfight... all under the watchful eyes and open-mouthed astonishment of fellow diners Chelsea and Lauren! Sure, the scenes were wicked fun, but we had to wonder what's next... is it really the end for Scott and Sharon? If so, could he end up with Abby? More importantly, does Nick's obsession with Sharon's love life spell trouble for his future with Chelsea? We'll keep the popcorn close as we wait to see!

### OUR TAKE



"Scott, I just need a shoulder to cry on. And yours is... well, attached to a very nice body."

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## YOUR TAKE

### The Unforgiven

Abby has some nerve! She is the one who constantly kept pursuing Scott, knowing that he moved in with another woman. She has no self respect. Once a cheater, always a cheater!

Julie Ramnarais  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Bad Boys

Seems like everyone is so upset with Abby. What about Scott? Abby didn't do this by herself!

Also, Nick needs to handle his own life and stay out of Sharon's. By the way, I think that Scott and Abby have much more chemistry than he had with Sharon. And let's not forget, Scott and Sharon are not married!

Odesa Townsend  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Repetitive Behavior

Abby just can't help herself. She just loves sleeping with men that are taken. Scott knew better — he cheated also. But you would think Abby should have learned the first time around. What kind of woman does that make her? I'm Team Sharon on this go-around!

Barbara Earnsworth Bronson  
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"Talk to the hand, Scott!  
Wait, it doesn't wanna hear  
your excuses, either!"

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### Getting Silly

The entire [Abby/Scott] plot was dumb. They were freaked out about being locked up and had sex. They were still locked up the next morning, but came to their senses after having sex, and were calm before they got out of the room. Shame on them!

Elyse Wuest  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

### Busy Body, Nick!

Nick is just about the biggest wuss! Mr. Goody-Two Shoes makes me sick. Sharon got exactly what she deserved. Abby and Scott should make a good couple.

Juanita Dalgo  
via *Soaps In Depth* Facebook page

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## Following In His Footsteps

■ Joshua Morrow (Nick) might have some competition in the acting realm if his middle son, Crew, has anything to say about it. “He’s obsessed with acting!” grins the hunk. “He wants to be on *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS* and asks me all the time. I’m like, ‘Dude, I don’t make those decisions!’ But he loves school plays and making videos all the time with his friends. I will guarantee that he will end up in this field in some way.” Morrow says he’ll gladly support whatever his son chooses — but with a caveat. “Acting is a rough life. If that’s what you want to do, spend some time chasing it — but know your dream might not happen,” he says in issuing a warning to others whose kids might be in the same boat. “A lot of parents are afraid to say that. But a lot of people spend their lives chasing the dream. I think there’s a period of time to do it, and then there’s a time where you need to accept reality if it’s not working.”

**“Crew wants to be a professional YouTuber!” reveals Morrow.**



## It's All Relative

Fans may think that Hilary regards Mariah with a lot of contempt, but Mishael Morgan doesn't see it quite the same way. "I think she is actually impressed with Mariah," reveals Hilary's alter ego. "When Hilary first came to Genoa City, she was working as Cane's assistant, so she's impressed by anyone who shows ambition. Mariah actually blackmailed Hilary into giving her a job at GC BUZZ, and from that day on,

### THAT'S A FACT

Morgan loved the movie *Soapdish*.

JIM WARREN

I kind of read every scene with them as a situation where Hilary might hate on Mariah, but at the



"Hilary sees potential in Mariah," suggests her portrayer.

same time, she's impressed by her ability to step up to her." While viewers sometimes think Hilary is cruel to her co-host, Morgan says the relationship is far less sinister. "Mariah im-

presses her on many levels, but Hilary thinks she needs to teach her something. In Hilary's mind, they have a sisterly bond," laughs Morgan. "Hilary thinks she's making Mariah better!"

## Office Rivalry

Most people wouldn't want to do battle in the workplace, but Judith Chapman loves it when alter ego Gloria butts heads at the office. "I love working with all the women on Y&R, but Ashley and Gloria are such oil and water," she raves. "Y&R could just write the bejesus out of it! The characters are so different." While Chapman is thrilled with how her character has evolved over

time, she's also fond of Gloria's trashy roots. "I never want her to be too refined," laughs Chapman. "But that's why she clashes with Ashley, who is just so perfect! I'm hoping that there will always be a contest of wills between them! It's fun to play the natural irritation they have with each other!"



Chapman loves when Gloria gets fired up with Eileen Davidson's Ashley.

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We want to know what you think about the CBS soaps!

## Bold & Beautiful

In Depth asked...

**Do you think Bill could ruin Wyatt and Katie's relationship?**

**Reader Reaction:**

**57%**  
NO WAY  
**43%**  
OF COURSE!

Thanks to Steffy and Liam, readers feel like Bill has enough distractions to keep Katie and Wyatt off his radar... for now!

## Young & Restless

In Depth asked...

**Do you think Ashley or Jack should be running Jabot?**

**Reader Reaction:**

**58%**  
JACK  
**42%**  
ASHLEY

Jack managed to edge out his sister, but readers pretty much agree that there's dirty dealings all around!



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This issue's question...

**Do you want to see Ridge, Thorne or Rick running Forrester?**

This issue's question...

**Is it time for Victor and Nikki to reconcile for real?**

## TOP 5 ACTORS

(as voted by Soaps In Depth readers)



**1**

Last Issue: **1**

**Daniel Goddard**  
(Cane, Y&R)



**2**

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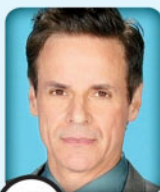
**Bryton James**  
(Devon, Y&R)



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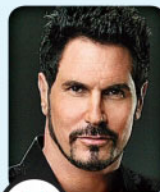
**Jason Thompson**  
(Billy, Y&R)



**4**

Last Issue: **4**

**Christian Jules LeBlanc**  
(Michael, Y&R)



**5**

Last Issue: **5**

**Don Diamont**  
(Bill, B&B)

# TALK BACK TO SOAPS IN DEPTH:

# TOP 10 COUPLES

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**1** Last Issue: **1**

Lily & Cane  
Ashby, Y&R



**2** Last Issue: **2**

Hilary Curtis &  
Devon Hamilton, Y&R



**3** Last Issue: **9**

Sharon Collins &  
Scott Grainger, Y&R



**4** Last Issue: **4**

Lauren & Michael  
Baldwin, Y&R



**5** Last Issue: **3**

Phyllis Summers &  
Billy Abbott, Y&R



**6** Last Issue: **5**

Quinn & Eric  
Forrester, B&B



**7** Last Issue: **6**

Brooke Logan &  
Bill Spencer, B&B



**8** Last Issue: **7**

Brooke Logan &  
Ridge Forrester, B&B



**9** Last Issue: **8**

Katie Logan &  
Wyatt Spencer, B&B



**10** Last Issue: **10**

Chelsea Lawson &  
Nick Newman, Y&R

# TOP 5 ACTRESSES

(as voted by Soaps In Depth readers)



**1** Last Issue: **1**

Christel Khalil  
(Lily, Y&R)



**2** Last Issue: **2**

Mishaal Morgan  
(Hilary, Y&R)



**3** Last Issue: **4**

Tracey E. Bregman  
(Lauren, Y&R)



**4** Last Issue: **5**

Sharon Case  
(Sharon, Y&R)



**5** Last Issue: **3**

Gina Tognoni  
(Phyllis, Y&R)

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## OLD FRIENDS, *new lives*

AS THE WORLD TURNS *alumnus*  
Peter Parros (Ben) has his  
destiny well in hand

# GOOD Judgment

**A**S THE WORLD TURNS' Dr. Ben Harris was such a straight arrow that "he did not believe in premarital sex," his portrayal, Peter Parros, reminds *Soaps In Depth*. "In all the years that I was there, I don't know if I had two love scenes."

What the actor remembers well, however, is how his character reacted to girlfriend Jessica's rape back in 2003. "Because intimacy was so important for Ben," he suggests, "for somebody to have forced himself on her in that way... that was some really emotional stuff."

### Out Of The Frying Pan, Into The Fire?

Parros continues to deliver soapy fare today as Judge David Harrington on OWN's *THE HAVES AND THE HAVE NOTS* (Tuesdays at 9 p.m. EST). While dealing with his divorce from Veronica



HAHN'S "David likes his women challenging," says his portrayal, "but also wants to be the protective gentleman," like he is with Erica.

— a viper so fiendish, she'd make the Wicked Witch Of The West recoil in horror — David has become romantically involved with a con artist named Erica. "David knows that she isn't a completely innocent kind of girl, but he thinks he can control her," Parros maintains. "He's not in love with her... he just doesn't want to be alone."

### Father Knows Best

Truth be told, the actor surmises, "If Veronica were to get [mental] treatment or come around and be different, I think

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Above: "People always rooted for Ben to find his love anchor," the ATWT alum reflects. "He thought he'd found it with Jessica."

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COURTESY OF OWN

for David, their relationship could still be repaired."

However, as it stands, Veronica's committed the ultimate betrayal by putting their son, Jeffrey (played by GUIDING LIGHT's Remy, Gavin Houston), in jail for murder, and in the coming episodes, David steps in to fix it. "I met Gavin when we were both in New York doing the Procter & Gamble soaps," Parros shares. "When we were last shooting in Atlanta, we shared a house... We had some time to hang out. It felt like a little father/son bonding."

### Leap Of Faith

Recently, Parros starred in the Urban Movie Channel original *Our Dream Christmas* and can frequently be found on his 33-foot Hans Christian sailboat in

Los Angeles. He's also been writing and producing, with his pet project being *Kids Of The King* and *Earthbound Angel*, two youth-oriented, spiritual-themed comic books that he penned. "I like superheroes and action and fantasy stories to have a good, moral message to them," he explains. "A lot of the black superheroes, when the movies come out, have a negative spin."

### A Daytime Comeback?

Parros is happy with his current commitments but says that he'd consider returning to daytime under certain conditions. "I like working," he admits. "If it was a character that I really connected with and the schedule was flexible enough, I think I would do it again." ■

— Kelli M. Larson

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# Firs

ATWT



ATWT's Sabrina (pictured — or maybe not?) used her resemblance to Frannie to seduce her sibling rival's fiancé!

*Some of the world's biggest primetime and movie stars got their starts on CBS soaps. For instance...*

## **Julianne Moore**

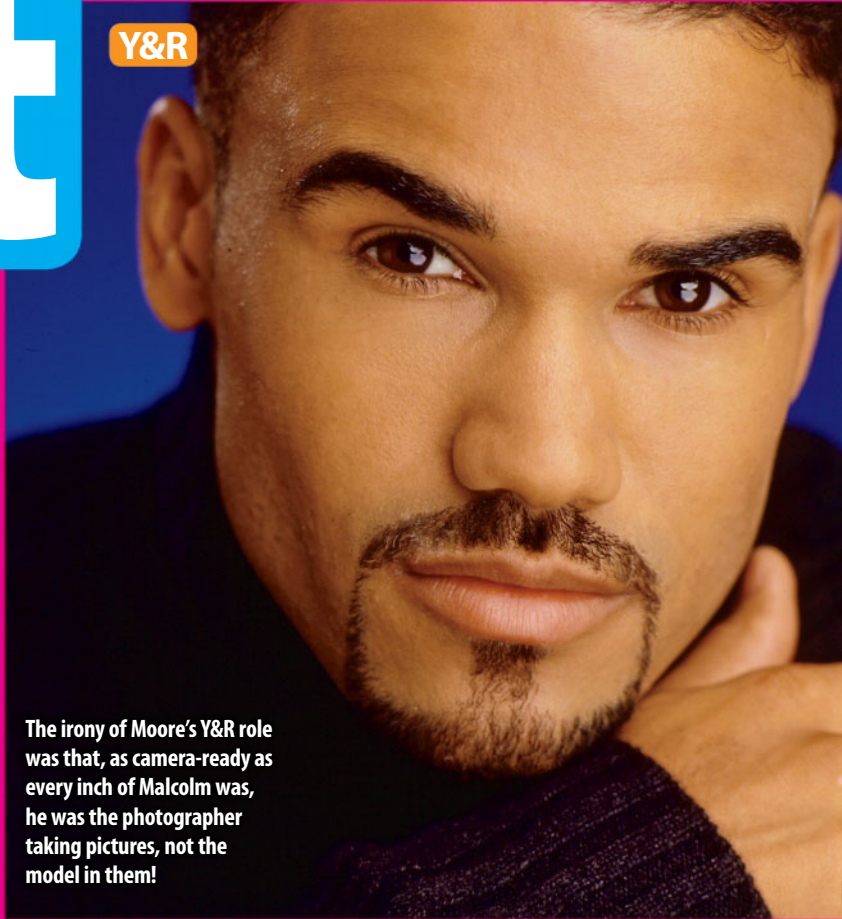
By now, Moore has won just about every award under the sun that an actress can win, including the Oscar (for 2015's *Still Alice*). But in 1986, she was still a star on the rise when she was cast by *AS THE WORLD TURNS* as twins Frannie and Sabrina Hughes. Decades after she'd become a capital-B, capital-D Big Deal, the Daytime Emmy winner returned to her roots for a guest appearance near the end of the soap's run.

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Y&amp;R



The irony of Moore's Y&R role was that, as camera-ready as every inch of Malcolm was, he was the photographer taking pictures, not the model in them!

JONATHAN EXLEY

## Shemar Moore

After his gripping portrayal of THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS' Malcolm Winters proved to soap fans that he was more than just eye candy — although he was certainly that, too — the Daytime Emmy winner moved to primetime, where, after a run of more than a decade on CRIMINAL MINDS, he now stars in his own series, a reboot of S.W.A.T.

*(section continues)* ►

ATWT



Here's Ryan poised on the verge of stardom. Which looks a lot like an ordinary doorway.

The wedding of ATWT supercouple Betsy and Steve was the CBS soap's equivalent of GENERAL HOSPITAL's Luke-and-Laura nuptials.



## Meg Ryan

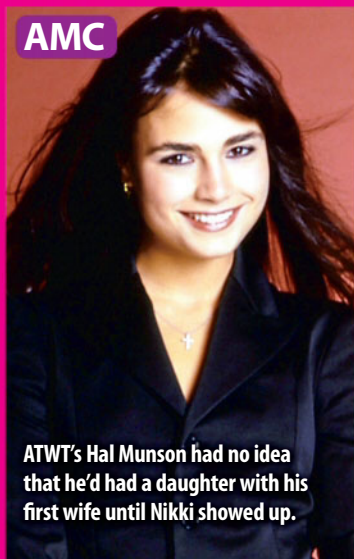
With her infectious smile, Ryan always seemed destined to become a romcom heroine. Even as far back as when she got her big break — playing Betsy Stewart on ATWT in 1982 — love stories were her specialty. Since then,

of course, she's made moviegoers sigh in everything from *When Harry Met Sally...* to *You've Got Mail*.

## Jordana Brewster

Following an appearance on ALL MY CHILDREN as Anita Santos, Brewster began her acting career in earnest in 1995 with a six-year run as mischievous teen Nikki Munson on ATWT. Since then her rise to fame has been, shall we say, fast and furious — she's sped through half a dozen movies in the *Fast And The Furious* franchise as well as taken primetime by storm (starring in reboots of both DALLAS and LETHAL WEAPON).

AMC



ATWT's Hal Munson had no idea that he'd had a daughter with his first wife until Nikki showed up.

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Y&R



## David Hasselhoff

Laugh all you want, but there's no denying that The Hoff is one of the world's biggest stars. (You know his name, don't you?) So we'd say he's done pretty well for himself since his 1975-'82 run as dreamy Dr. Snapper Foster on Y&R. In addition to his hit series, KNIGHT RIDER and BAYWATCH, the actor is as beloved a pop star overseas as, say, Springsteen is in the US.

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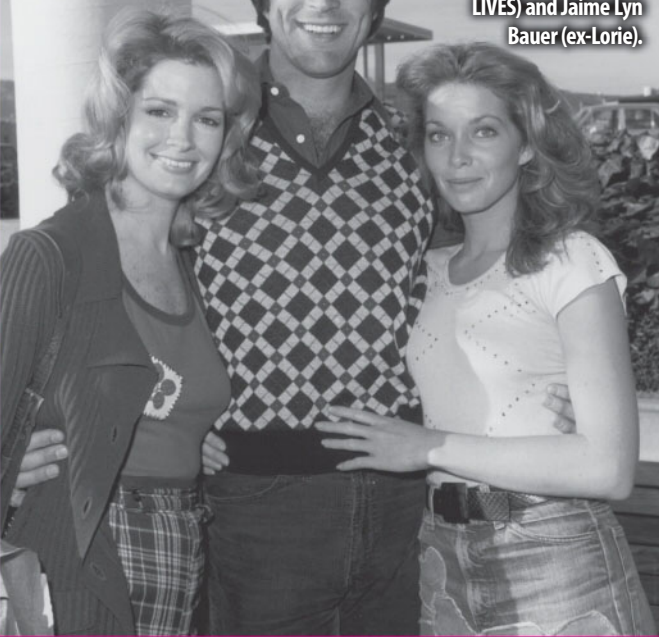
Since his early days on Y&R, The Hoff has set a Guinness World Record as the most-watched man on TV.

The travails of Y&R's Snapper and wife Chris fueled story on the soap for years.



**Y&R**

Among the soap stud's Y&R co-stars were Deidre Hall (ex-Barbara; now Marlena, *DAYS OF OUR LIVES*) and Jaime Lyn Bauer (ex-Lorie).



## **Tom Selleck**

You may not even recognize the *BLUE BLOODS* star without his trademark mustache. But when he was still years away from landing his iconic role of *MAGNUM, P.I.*, he dared to go bare on Y&R as Jed Andrews, who not only was Lorie Brooks' publisher but the co-author of their own steamy romance novel... if you know what we mean. (And we think you do.)

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## **Susan Sarandon**

Back in the early 1970s, before the future Oscar winner (for *Dead Man Walking*) had even taken part in *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*, she killed it on *SEARCH FOR TOMORROW* as Sarah Fairbanks. And we mean "killed it" literally — Sarandon looks so glum in the photograph on the right because her character had a murder on her guilty conscience!

**SFT**



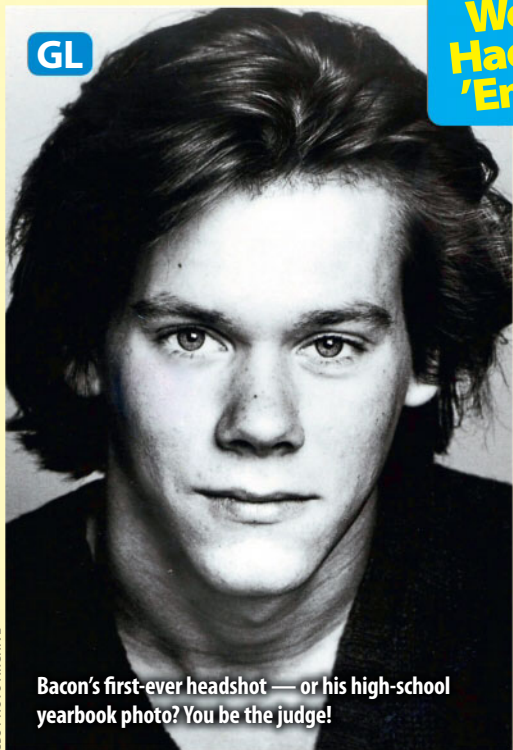
Sarandon also briefly appeared on *A WORLD APART*.

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Bacon's first-ever headshot — or his high-school yearbook photo? You be the judge!

CBS PHOTO ARCHIVE

## Kevin Bacon

When teens took over the soaps in the early 1980s, this future superstar was front and center, painting a riveting portrait of teenage alcoholic Tim Werner on **GUIDING LIGHT**. From there, it was only a matter of (very little) time before he was the toast of the town, an actor so talented and ubiquitous that even we could probably connect the dots and play **Six Degrees Of Kevin Bacon**. (Interviewed GL's Holly, Maureen Garrett, whose love interest on the show was Ed, to whom Tim confessed his drinking problem — did it in only three degrees!) ■

Well, that's *one* way to avoid drinking, Tim!



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# FarOut-Takes

Say What???



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NO SPOILERS!  
NO SPOILERS!  
LA LA LA!

MIRROR,  
MIRROR... OH, WHO  
AM I KIDDING?  
WE BOTH KNOW  
WHO'S THE *FINEST*  
IN THE LAND!



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IN HINDSIGHT,  
MAYBE A CUP OF COFFEE  
IN THE PARK IN WISCONSIN  
IN THE DEAD OF WINTER  
*WASN'T* THE HOTTEST  
IDEA EVER.



NOT THAT I HAVEN'T SEEN IT BEFORE, BUT DID YOU *REALLY* MEAN TO SEND THAT TO ME?

MY NAME IS SHEILA, I'LL BE YOUR STALKER TODAY.



NOW SEEMS LIKE A GOOD TIME TO TELL YOU LADIES THAT *NONE* OF MY FANTASIES ABOUT TWO WOMEN FIGHTING OVER ME EVER INCLUDED MY *MOTHER*.



SO YOU'RE SAYING ALL I HAVE TO DO IS TURN HER OFF AND THEN TURN HER *BACK ON?*



# Special FANTASTICAL BEASTS

Former soap scribe  
Danielle Paige  
tackles a different  
kind of drama



## Guiding Light

During her 10-year run as a GUIDING LIGHT scribe, Danielle Paige's favorite characters to write for were the teenagers, so it's fitting that, in her post-soap career, she's combined her knack for young-adult chatter and love of fairy tales, authoring the *New York Times*-bestselling series *Dorothy Must Die* and *Stealing Snow*. "I translated my soap-writing skills — how to make unbelievable things believable — to fantasy fiction," she smiles.



## Ice, Ice Baby

Following her hugely-successful Oz-set books, Paige moved to a chillier setting for her new series, *Stealing Snow*. "Everyone thinks it's Snow White, but think teenage *Frozen*," she says of her modern-day reimagining of the Hans Christian Andersen fable. "It's an origin story of how [my Snow] becomes evil. She doesn't know she's the snow queen yet. She's 17 and in a mental hospital because she has this dark energy and anger issues... and escapes."

The second *Snow* installment is due out next year, and also Paige has plans for an origin story about Cinderella's fairy godmother. But she hasn't ruled out a return to the fantasy world of daytime! "I still watch soaps," smiles the Emmy winner. "I am such a fan."

— Michelle Moro Parkerton



"I wrote one of Matt Bomer's last episodes," Paige recalls, "before Ben was killed. He and Marina were about to have sex for the first time, and he had to tell her he was a male prostitute."



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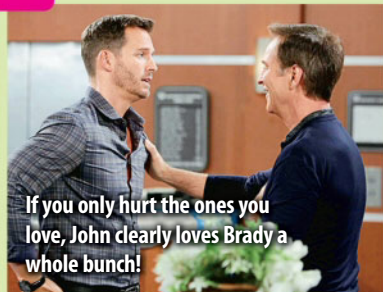
## JOHN

*An in-depth look at one of Salem's most complicated men*

**J**ohn may only have just recently learned the truth about who he is and where he came from, but he lived 10 people's worth of experiences before figuring it out. While he'd love to turn around and forget a good portion of them (or at least the ones he hasn't already been brainwashed out of!), life doesn't work quite like that. In fact, so much has happened to him that one might even say that he's done just about everything from A to Z! See if you agree? ■

**A** **Assassin:** What Stefano programmed John to be in the hope of eliminating Colleen Brady.

**B** **Brady:** The son John loved enough to seduce Kristen to protect!



If you only hurt the ones you love, John clearly loves Brady a whole bunch!

**C** **Clinic:** John — with Marlena by his side — recovered from a stroke at a facility in Switzerland.

For a sometime secret agent, John sure doesn't have many secrets from us!

# N A to Z

**D** **Divorce:** Marlena might be the true love of John's life, but he's ended two of their marriages, and their other two were invalidated.

**E** **EJ DiMera:** He shot the bullet that landed John in a coma.



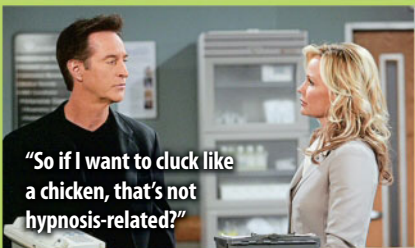
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"Wait, your getaway car is a boat? On land? Are you new at this?"

**F** **Father:** For a while there, John believed himself to be a priest... and even donned a collar!

**G** **Gina:** The Von Amberg princess whom Hope believed herself to be when she wed John in Alamania.

**H** **Hypnosis:** Therapeutic technique Dr. Taylor employed to "help" John remember his past.



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"So if I want to cluck like a chicken, that's not hypnosis-related?"

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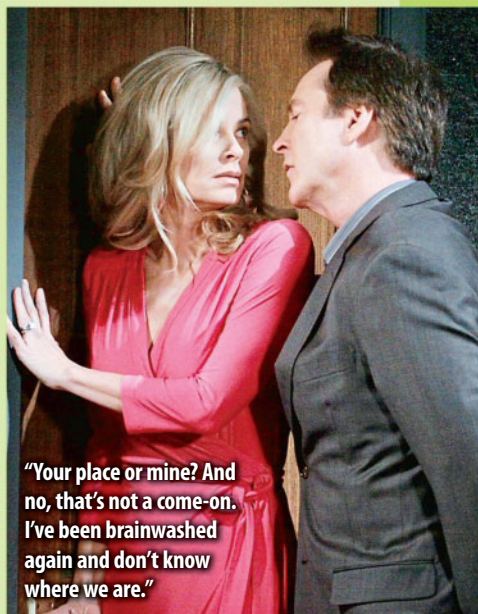
Take This Job And Love It ..... **78**  
*Kassie DePaiva (Eve) tells us what it's really like behind the scenes!*

**I** **ISA:** The international intelligence agency by which John has often been employed.

**J** **Jungle:** Where John and Hope went at Stefano's behest to obtain a cure for Roman's disease.

**K** **Kristen:** Alice actually helped push John into a relationship with Stefano's then-secret daughter!

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"Your place or mine? And no, that's not a come-on. I've been brainwashed again and don't know where we are."

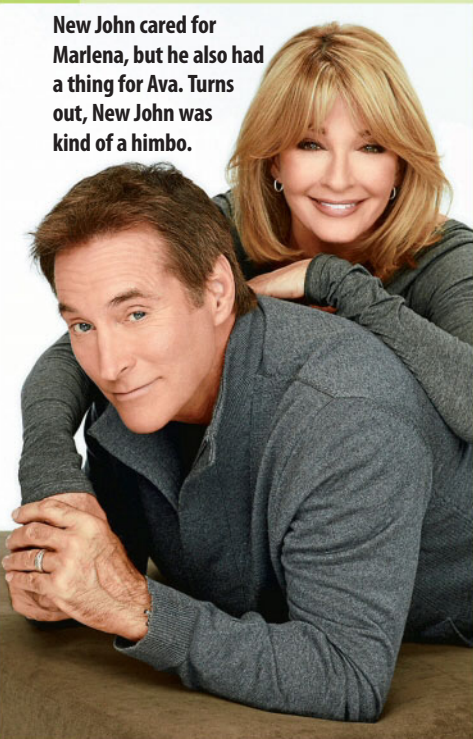
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**L** **Leopold Alamaín:** John's adoptive father who died of a heart attack following an earthquake.

**M** **Melaswen:** New Salem spelled backwards, the location where John was injured trying to rescue the not-really-dead victims of the Salem Stalker.

**N** **"New" John:** What people referred to John as after he was given a new personality by Dr. Rolf.

New John cared for Marlena, but he also had a thing for Ava. Turns out, New John was kind of a himbo.



MITCHELL HAASETH/NBC

**O** **Orphanage:** John was dumped there by mom Colleen, who couldn't afford to raise him.

**P** **Paul:** The gay baseball player that John learned he had fathered with former lover Tori Narita.



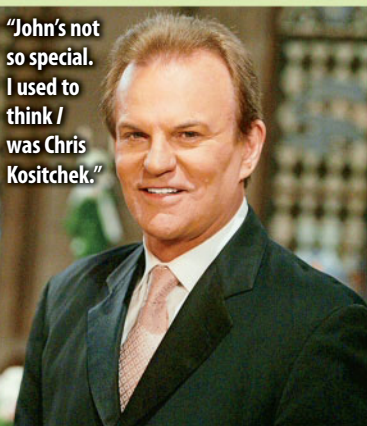
"Pitch and catch?"

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**Q** **Quit:** John gave up on memory-retrieving therapy after one session, unaware the doctor was lying and it was actually working!

**R** **Roman:** The presumed-dead cop that an amnesiac John once thought himself to be.

"John's not so special. I used to think I was Chris Kositchek."



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# DAYS OF OUR LIVES

BONUS SECTION

**S** **Susan:** The strange woman that John wed and began raising a child with, all the while believing that she was Kristen DiMera.

"There goes Kristen jacking my style again!"



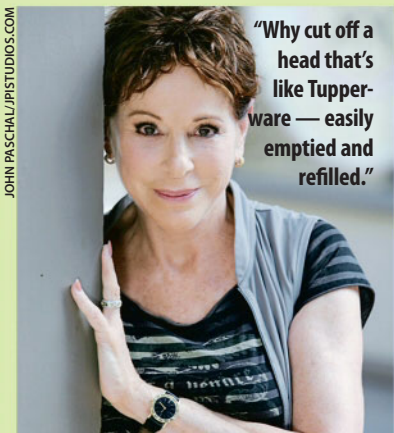
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**T** **Tattoo:** When Marlena first caught a glimpse of the phoenix inked on John's back, she thought he might actually be Stefano!

**U** **University:** Salem's educational institution for which John served as a board member.

**V** **Vivian:** John's adoptive aunt who intervened when Stefano planned to send him to the guillotine in Paris.

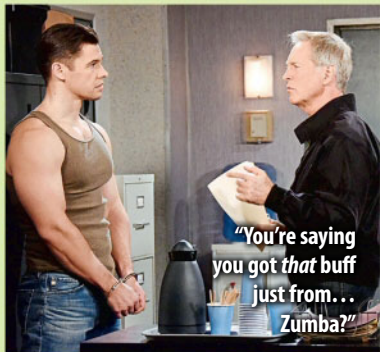
"Why cut off a head that's like Tupperware — easily emptied and refilled."



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**W** **Woman In White:** Kristen's mom, Rachel, who helped clear John when he was accused of murdering Tony.

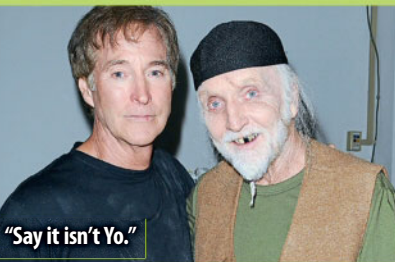
**X** **Xander:** Kiria-kis villain who agreed to help John's former rival, Orpheus, exact revenge.



"You're saying you got that buff just from... Zumba?"

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**Y** **Yo Ling:** Moniker that John's ailing biodad, Timothy Robicheaux, was using when going after his estranged son's blood.



"Say it isn't Yo."

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**Z** **Zealous:** John has moved mountains in his effort to learn the truth about his identity.

# Private Lives

EX

## You Go, Girl!

Unlike most of us, DAYS OF OUR LIVES' Sal Stowers (Lani) wasn't scrambling to work off those pesky, post-holiday pounds. Why? Because she started a new routine last fall and kept herself in check. "It's the most intense workout," she says of the Orangetheory Fitness gym program she joined, "but you feel like a boss working out there!" In essence, the combination of interval training with cardio exercises seems simple enough, but Stowers says that it's not for the faint of heart. "It's a group class, so I start on the rowing machine and they'll say, 'Okay, you've got three minutes, do a 200 meter row,'" she explains. "Then you go to the floor and do a [weight-resistance] circuit. But the most intense part is the treadmill, because you might push for three minutes — that's like an uncomfortable run — and then you'll go as fast as you can for another minute before jumping back on the rower. It's hard-core, but fun!"

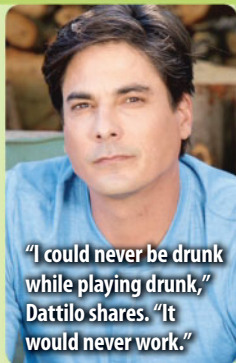


**"It's incredible!"**  
Stowers enthuses  
of her new fitness  
routine.

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## The Method To His Madness

We're glad to see DAYS' Lucas on the path to sobriety, but we've gotta hand it to his portrayer, Bryan R. Dattilo, for playing the man's intoxication so convincingly. "I need to be totally clean and focused to play out-of-control drunk," he admits of his approach. "And I have to know my lines extremely well to be able to fill in the blanks with the mannerisms and the tendencies of being drunk." Another of the actor's tricks was to observe his own behavior while tipsy. "I videoed myself," he shares, "which was funny because you never *think* that's how you act when you're drunk, but it is." Of course, there are many ways that people are affected while imbibing, and Dattilo enjoyed exploring them all. "At first, you might have a couple drinks and you're a good time. The third one turns you sarcastic, the fourth turns you into a butthead, and the fifth makes you an idiot who can't be next to anyone," he laughs. "It's interesting how that plays."



**"I could never be drunk while playing drunk,"**  
Dattilo shares. "It would never work."

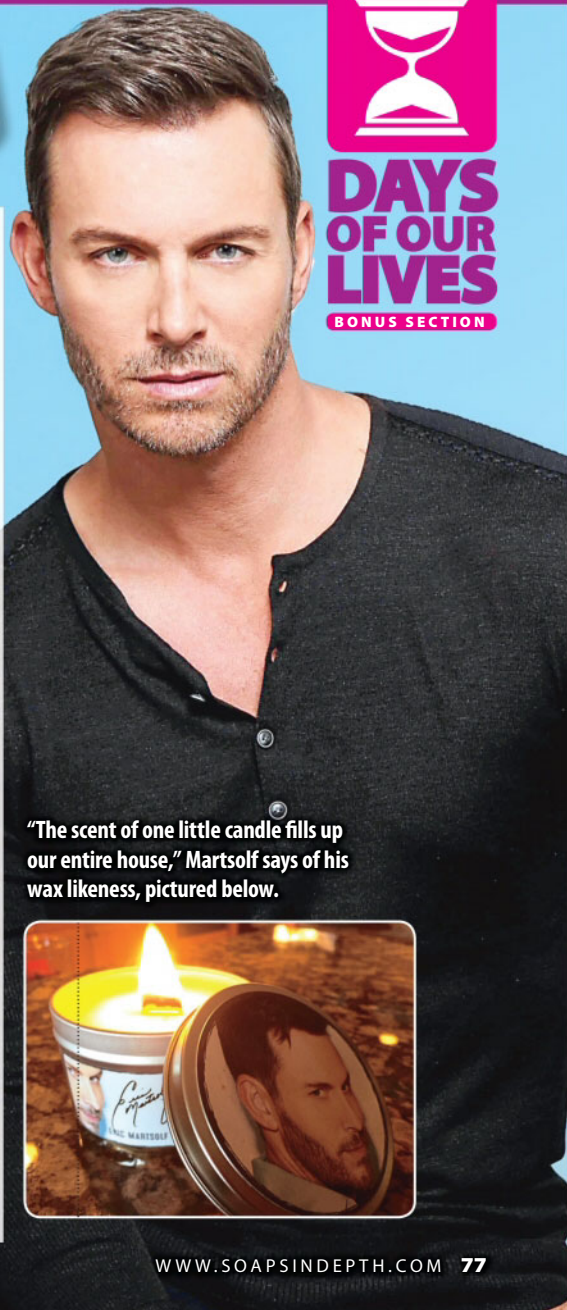
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**XPOSED!**



**DAYS  
OF OUR  
LIVES**

BONUS SECTION



### Get The Glow

Wouldn't you love to have something that lights up your room much like a great idea lights up the face of DAYS' Brady, Eric Martsolf? Thanks to the actor's collaboration with Shining Sol Candle Company, now you can! Named "Sultry," Martsolf's soy candle features a wooden wick, comes in an adorable travel tin and has a unique scent. "I chose a scent similar to Jean Paul Gaultier cologne — vanilla with a little coconut," he shares. "It's like a summer night, when you've just gotten off the beach and you've showered but you still have that suntan lotion smell." Shining Sol's collection of Starstruck candles not only feature celebrities, but also contain a fun bonus. "I'm a huge fan of *Willie Wonka & The Chocolate Factory*, so I thought it would be cool to have a golden ticket of some kind," Martsolf says of the coin that was placed, by his suggestion, under select lids. "The winner gets a personal phone call from the person featured on the candle." You can check out the entire Starstruck celebrity collection at [www.shiningsol.com](http://www.shiningsol.com).

"The scent of one little candle fills up our entire house," Martsolf says of his wax likeness, pictured below.





**DAYS  
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**BONUS SECTION**

*DAYS OF OUR  
LIVES' Kassie  
DePaiva (Eve)  
shares what life  
in Salem is really  
like when the  
cameras aren't  
rolling!*



# Take This Job & Love It!

**When I get to work, the first thing I do is...**

"Walk into the makeup room and say hi."

**My favorite days on the set are the ones where I get to...**

"Laugh a lot! The whole Kiriakis clan is fun. I always laugh with them."

**The thing that surprised me most about the set is...**

"How truly kind everyone is."

**When I'm waiting to get called to the set, I'm usually...**

"Powdering my nose."

**My favorite set is...**

"Probably the Kiriakis mansion because it's big and beautiful."

**If I'm having a light day at work, I usually...**

"Have a lot more fun!"

**Just before the camera starts to roll on a scene, I usually feel...**

"Nervous. I have anxiety. It's how I've always been, and it's because I care about my work."

**One thing fans would be surprised to know about me at DAYS OF OUR LIVES is...**

"I still get nervous before each scene."

**My most embarrassing moment would have to be the time that...**

"I don't have a specific answer for that one. I embarrass myself all the time!"

**The last thing I do before leaving work for the day is...**

"Usually tell Richard Bloore, the costume designer, to have a good day. He's on my way out." ■



Stage fright still gets to DePaiva, even after all these years in daytime.

If you're craving more crazy than even the corrupt Maxine PD usually delivers, tune in for the Wednesday, January 24, episode of OWN's *IF LOVING YOU IS WRONG*. Things are going off the rails! Kelly's portrayal, Edwina Findley Dickerson, shares why her character's plight might be the worst of 'em all.

### Dark Days For Kelly

"Travis framed Kelly for Ramsey's murder, and of course she didn't do it because she loved Ramsey!" Dick-

# DESPERATE

*IF LOVING YOU IS WRONG's Kelly is really in a pickle now!*

erson reminds viewers. "It got to a point where she could not contain herself anymore — she let it rip! Unfortunately, now she's facing the real ramifications of what she did."

While sitting in police custody for the crime that she did commit, Kelly has a lot to think about — including possibly losing her son — but she's saying nothing, and she's lost her attorney, Ian.

Meanwhile, Lushion and Natalie are caring for young Justice, who is also in a bad way. "This whole thing started out with Justice thinking he was protecting her, but he was really advancing Travis' agenda," Dickerson explains. "And now that Travis is gone, he's thinking, 'Why is my mom also gone?'"

# TIMES

### Eddie's Gone Mad!

While Alex would normally be there for her friend, she's got a lot on her plate at the moment with Randal continuing to torment her and Brad, and the truth about who might have doctored her baby's paternity tests still looming. Together with his attorney pal, Larry, Randal also ticked off Eddie when they tried to suffocate him, and on Wednesday, January 31, the cop launches a sordid scheme of revenge.

"It's absolutely incredible that no matter what Eddie does, no matter what happens to him," Dickerson laughs, "he





"Much like a child, Randal is trying to do everything he can to taunt the people who really are

rising above his shenanigans," Dickerson observes of his ongoing feud with Alex. ▼

**PRIME  
TIME**  
**SOAPS IN DEPTH**



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**Above: How could Kelly's outlook be anything but bleak when she's gazing through prison bars?**

knows he's invincible and will go to the ends of the earth to prove [it]."

### **Esperanza's Sexy Situation**

That being the case, Esperanza had best keep her guard up with her ex while being pursued by charming co-worker Steven. "Esperanza wants to take more control of her life and is willing to take some risks," Dickerson observes. "I see her relationship with Steven as being risky, and there's the question of, 'Where is it going to go? Is it love? Or are they just playing around?'"

### **Marcie's Playing With Fire**

Meanwhile, a pregnant Marcie just might be setting herself up to be knocked down by trying to divorce Randal while dating someone who works for his friend — as well as her lawyer! — Larry. "It's sort of the fast and furious," suggests Dickerson, "because the characters are getting more desperate.

"Things are coming to a head," she continues, "and so much has come out that some people are really fighting to stay alive, including Kelly." ■

— Kelli M. Larson

# gold star

## The Bold & The Beautiful

*THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's Scott Clifton wrung every ounce of pathos from Liam's heartbreak*

While *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's* Liam may have survived the wrack and ruin of being trapped in the Spectra building when it imploded a few months back, his emotional collapse upon learning of his wife and father's unspeakable betrayal proved exponentially more devastating. Scott Clifton (Liam) gave his all in the portrayal of a man reduced to shards of anguish and anger, and for that, he earns our Gold Star!

### Confusion And Contempt

Nausea and disgust were plain on Liam's face as he tried to understand Steffy's betrayal. "Can you imagine anything, anything at all, that would hurt me more than this? Or is that the point?" he wondered, a note of incredulity in his voice.

Though typically gentle, patient and kind, Liam was anything but as he questioned what kind of fool his wife took

We suspect that, come Emmy time, Clifton will get a statuette to replace this Gold Star.

him for, and not even her wails of sorrow could elicit pity from him. "Do you see a sucker?" he asked before eventu-

## standout scene

### Y&R *The Blame Game*

It's entirely natural for couples to turn on each other when a child goes missing under the care of one guardian. Such was the case when *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS's* Nick learned that his son, Christian, had disappeared while Chel-

Chelsea and Nick's relationship is on the only patch of thin ice in Wisconsin in winter.

ally storming out of the house he now deemed “a lie.”

Weeping, Steffy ran after her husband, giving Liam one more opportunity to lash out at her for robbing him of his life’s only real aim: to ensure a happy existence for the baby they’d conceived. “There’s nothing more important than giving stability and love to our child, and you took that away from me. You took that away from our child!” At the very heart of Liam’s anger was the recognition that his own child was now doomed to the same sort of broken home in which he’d been raised.

## Taking It To The Mat

By the time he confronted his father, Liam had regained an eerie composure, one that gave us (and Bill) much apprehension. He was an incendiary device on the brink of exploding, scoffing when Bill magnanimously presented him with the deed to the cliff house.

sea had been watching him and her own son, Connor, during a business meeting at the GCAC. “I’m still trying to absorb this,” admitted a terrified Nick. “His entire life, he’s been around people who know him. He’s never been alone. He knows all he has to do is

cry, and I’m gonna come running. But despite all the hovering and the sweating over [every] snuffle or fall, those thousands of moments that I’ve looked out for him, I give him to you, and...”

The accusation in Nick’s eyes had Chelsea scrambling to defend herself, reminding the hunk that he hadn’t been there. “Neither were you — not for those few moments it took my son to disappear,” he shot back. “You walked away.”

The indictment was as brutal as a slap, and tears filled the fashionista’s eyes. “Are you done making me feel worse than I already do?” she demanded, her voice breaking.

“Does that seem like a fair trade to you?” he wondered.

Once the proverbial cat was sprung from the bag, there was hardness in Liam’s voice and a bleakness in his eyes, as if a light within his soul had been officially extinguished. Bill tried to forcibly restrain his son from walking out of the room but was met with fury, as Liam angrily tried to escape his father’s stranglehold. Later, lamenting the irony that he was destined to be the same sort of absentee father that Bill had been, Liam crushed the symbol of the Spencer legacy — the sword necklace — in his fist until it drew blood.

With each tensing of his jaw, tremor in his voice and tear in his eye, Clifton outdid himself (to an almost exhausting degree) in this series of scenes. There’s a reason this actor has a hat trick’s worth of Emmys for this role already, and why we daresay he’ll be in the running again for this particular storyline! ★

“Because that would be impossible... The moment that I lost Christian and realized I couldn’t find him... it’s been hell ever since that moment!”

The raw emotions between Nick and Chelsea were palpable and real, with their portrayals, Joshua Morrow and Melissa Claire Egan, hitting every note perfectly. Later, the couple would weep tears of joy when they finally discovered Christian’s whereabouts. But we know that the words that they said — that Nick said in particular — during that highly charged moment cannot be unsaid and may ripple far into the future of this not-so-united duo!



# StarTalk

The hot topic of the week

**Q:** What TV show were you obsessed with as a kid?

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**Sharon Case**  
(Sharon, Y&R)

"LAVERNE & SHIRLEY! I just loved them! I see my life like theirs, me and my girlfriends and all of their silliness!"

**Anthony Turpel**  
(R.J., B&B)

"I had a lot. As a really young kid, I was into BLUE'S CLUES and BARNEY. LAZY-TOWN was another one I watched. There was also STAR WARS: THE CLONE WARS back in 2008."



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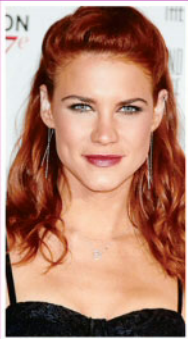
### Melissa Ordway (Abby, Y&R)

"A lot of people don't remember this show, but it's called MAPLE TOWN. It was on Nickelodeon. It's a cartoon town of bears and forest animals. I actually had all the doll furniture and everything they sold that went along with the cartoon. My mom gave it to me, and my daughter plays with it now. It's so cool. I'm like, 'Oh, I remember this!' It was my favorite show!"



### Courtney Hope (Sally, B&B)

"I went through a huge BOY MEETS WORLD phase. Actually, in the movie I just did, *Friend Zone*, the girl who played Topanga on BOY MEETS WORLD [Danielle Fishel] was shadowing the director and I about collapsed! I totally played it cool, but the whole time I was like, 'Oh my God!' I was also obsessed with RUGRATS. I watched a lot of cartoon things like HEY, ARNOLD! and DOUG and all that when I was growing up."



### Katherine Kelly Lang (Brooke, B&B)

"Well, my dad only let us watch THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF DISNEY on Sunday nights. That was a long time ago, in the late '60s and early '70s. That's what we were allowed to watch, so that was probably my favorite thing."

### Joshua Morrow (Nick, Y&R)

"THE DUKES OF HAZZARD, for sure. I had a massive, massive crush on Daisy Duke. I bought an old Mustang and painted it just like the General Lee. I had cats named Rosco P. Coltrane, Daisy Duke and Boss Hogg. THE DUKES OF HAZZARD was pretty much always my thing!"



### Patrika Darbo (Shirley, B&B)

"Oh, I watched DARK SHADOWS! You definitely had to be home for that! And MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN. Of course, I was a little older for that, but it was iconic."

# All-Star Scrapbook

Step back in time with your favorite actors' photos

Who can forget Jess Walton's stunning turn as Cleopatra when *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS*' Jill dressed up for a masquerade ball in the 1990s? The actress herself sure can't! "I was kind of amazed," she marvels, "because at that time, I was 43, and [Y&R's costume designer, the late Greg York] had me in this low-cut thing where my belly was exposed." Then she adds with a laugh: "But it came off pretty well! I had a pretty good belly at that time. I had some abdominals going on there! It's a gorgeous costume. I walked in there with two slaves who were naked from the waist up, and they were fanning me with these big fans! I used to joke that I had to bring my own friends to the party because nobody at the party could stand Jill. I wish they'd replay that episode!"



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# PlotPoints

Your at-a-glance guide to who, what, where, when and why



## KISSED

**Y&R** Lily and Cane



## CONFESSED

**B&B** Bill admitted his true feelings for Steffy to Justin.



## FLYING TO PARIS

**Y&R** Abby and Lily



## RETURNED

**B&B** Hope

**Y&R** Graham



## RECEIVED CUSTODY

**Y&R** Graham, of Dina



## SIGNED

**B&B** Bill and Brooke's divorce papers



## PLED GUILTY

**Y&R** Reed, to DUI



## FOUGHT IN COURT

**Y&R** The Abbotts, against Graham



## FORGIVEN

**Y&R** Abby, by Sharon



## CALLED DIBS

**B&B** Sally told Hope she wanted Liam if his marriage went kaput.



## INVITED

**Y&R** Sharon asked Kathy and her family to stay with her.



## PLOTTING

**B&B** Rick and Thorne, against Ridge



## THEFT

**Y&R** Graham stole drugs from the Jabot lab.

**Y&R** Tessa took Mariah's diary.



## QUIT HIS JOB

**B&B** Liam



## MADE LOVE

**Y&R** Victoria and J.T.

**Y&R** Lily and Cane



## MOVED

**B&B** Liam packed up.

**Y&R** Reed moved in with Nikki and Victor.



## SET A DATE

**B&B** Brooke and Ridge announced their impending nuptials.



## REUNITED

**Y&R** Lily and Cane



"I'm not one to point fingers," **THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS'** Jack began, only to realize he was doing exactly that.

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"Liam, if you're the one quitting, why are you packing up all *my* stuff?" asked **THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's** Wyatt.

## Storyline Recaps

# Bold & Beautiful

### Liam Shocks Steffy!

While packing up his office at Spencer Publications, Liam had a run-in with his father, who urged him not to turn his back on Steffy and their unborn child. Sally later found Liam about to exit the building and realized quickly that he was in a real state. Worried, she followed him to the hotel where he'd been staying and pressed him for information, refusing to let him dodge her questions. Liam finally told Sally that he no longer worked for Spencer Publications and would therefore be unable to continue helping her relocate Spectra to a new building. When he later returned to the beach house, Steffy hoped he was there to work things out. She desperately tried convincing her husband that they could (and should) overcome her infidelity for the sake of their baby. After this meeting, Steffy found her way to Bill, who was in shock when she relayed Liam's final words to her!

### HOPE'S HOME!

Ridge surprised Brooke by bringing her daughter, Hope, back to Los Angeles, and the blonde told her overjoyed mother she intended



**"I wrote a poem to express how hurt I am, Steffy. Want to hear it? Too bad! You don't deserve my poem! And it was good, too!"**

to stick around. Brooke's feelings of joy soon turned to dismay, however, when Hope and Rick launched into a sibling squabble. After catching up with Pam, Hope met Sally in an encounter that was rife with tension. Hope noticed that Sally seemed to have feelings for Liam, and the redhead admitted she and the hunk had kissed. While discussing the man in question's current marital woes, Hope wondered what was behind Liam's split with Steffy. Sally made it clear to the blonde that if Liam should become a free agent again, she had dibs on his heart! Hope eventually reached out to Liam, offering him her friendship and support during this difficult time in his life.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*(Brooke and Ridge argue about Thorne.)*

**RIDGE:** For the record, I love my little brother. I'm just going to love him a lot more if he's not living with my fiancée, okay?

### BILL TAKES SOME HEAT

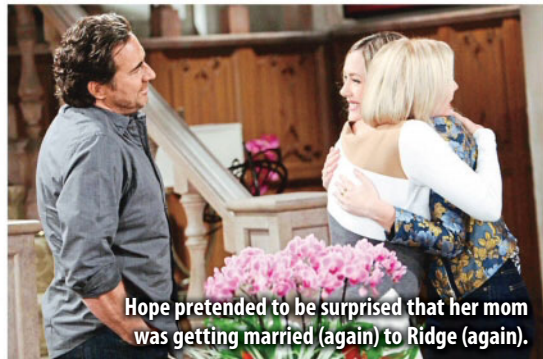
After Liam quit his job, Wyatt was gobsmacked to discover the reason why. He confronted his father and went off on him, disgusted that he could have bedded

# Sneak Preview

**Will a stroll down Memory Lane rekindle old feelings?**

**Someone is doing a little bit of digging!**

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Hope pretended to be surprised that her mom was getting married (again) to Ridge (again).

his own son's wife! Soon after Wyatt left, Katie arrived to give Bill a piece of her mind regarding his abominable behavior. Bill was a wreck, and later revealed to Justin the true extent of his feelings for Steffy. When Carter approached him with Brooke's divorce papers, Bill didn't even bother putting up a fight. Bill later found himself on the hot seat when Ridge barged into his office. He wondered if the "dressmaker" had found out about his affair with Steffy and was there to unleash. Steffy feared what her dad's

reaction might be if he found out about her indiscretion with Bill.

## **WILL BROOKE REALLY MARRY RIDGE AGAIN?**

Maya urged Rick to confront Ridge about any lingering feelings he might have for Quinn. Ridge, meanwhile, was happy to be moving full-steam-ahead toward tying the knot with Brooke. After

enjoying a romantic breakfast in bed, Ridge informed Brooke that Carter was at that very moment serving Bill his divorce papers, meaning they'd be free to get married soon. Thorne and Rick continued to plead their case with Eric, each convinced that Ridge was not a suitable husband for Brooke. Moreover, the guys urged Eric to oust their big brother from the company and let them step

up to lead in his place. Ridge and Brooke held a family meeting to announce their plans to become husband and wife again. Ridge made it clear that Thorne would be invited only if he could get on board with their romantic reunion and be supportive. Hoping Bill might throw up a roadblock, Thorne was disappointed to hear that Brooke's latest husband had signed the divorce papers. Nicole offered Thorne some sage advice regarding how he might best move forward where his feelings for Brooke were concerned.

## Storyline Recaps

# Young & Restless

### Cane Woos Lily!

Lily and Cane continued to grow closer, prompting Lily to suggest they consider putting the divorce on hold. Cane responded by pulling her into a passionate kiss! While Cane was optimistic over their relationship, he was disappointed when Lily accompanied Abby to Paris on a business trip. When Billy encouraged him to pursue his estranged wife, Cane flew to Paris and convinced Lily to extend her stay. Then he wined and dined her into bed! Afterward, the couple agreed to give their marriage another chance!

### VICTORIA AND J.T. MAKE LOVE!

J.T. met with Victoria to discuss Reed's upcoming DUI hearing, while Mattie apologized to Reed for getting him in trouble. Alas, Reed blasted her, which J.T. witnessed and began to worry that his son was out of control! At the hearing, Reed pleaded guilty, but Mattie unwittingly caused the teen to lose his temper, which had the judge giving him a harsher punishment! Later, Reed overheard his parents talking about sending him to boarding school, prompting him to sneak out of the house. He



Cane and Lily proved once and for all that Paris really is for lovers!

tried to crash at Billy's, but when Nikki got wind of her grandson's whereabouts, she hauled him to the ranch. There, Reed was astonished when Victor ordered him to do chores and homework! Alone, Victoria and J.T. fought about Reed's behavior and their own past. Tempers turned to passion, and the two made love! The next day, the former spouses agreed that their hooking up was a one-time thing... and promptly did it again. Alas, Victor was not pleased to find out what was going on, and immediately ordered his daughter to stop seeing J.T.!

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*(Jill's reputation precedes her...)*

**BILLY:** Oh, so this is a temporary gig. Until you hound me to make it permanent?

**JILL:** I'd put a no-hounding clause in the contract!

### THE FIGHT FOR DINA!

Jack, Ashley and Traci decided to put Dina in a health-care facility. While Jack and Ashley toured facilities, Traci was stunned when Graham arrived at the Abbott

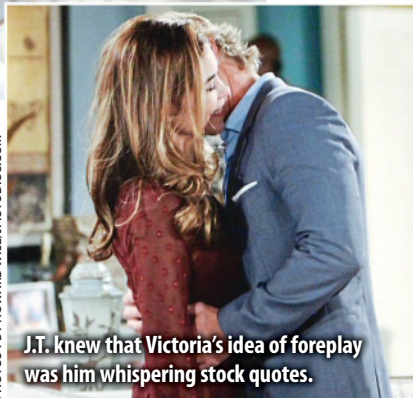


# Sneak Preview

**Noah is stunned by what he hears!**

**A fight between siblings turns nasty!**

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**J.T. knew that Victoria's idea of foreplay was him whispering stock quotes.**

mansion to collect Dina! Traci immediately notified Jack and Ashley, who raced home, with a furious Jack tossing Graham out of the house! Alas, the silver fox returned with the police and a court order allowing him to take Dina. Traci called Paul to intercede, but he said he couldn't overrule a court order. During the court hearing, Ashley and Traci brought their mom's journal to show the judge that Dina had recorded her thoughts on having Alzheimer's — and not trusting Graham! Despite their concerns for their

mother, Jack and Ashley still fought over the Jabot CEO position, with her insisting on going forward with arbitration. Later, Ashley was shocked to discover the Jabot lab had been broken into, with dangerous drugs stolen. Meanwhile, Graham hid from Dina that he'd stolen the Jabot pharmaceuticals. He invited Ashley over and

feigned a diabetic attack that forced her to handle a syringe, which he placed in the refrigerator. After making the connection between the theft from Jabot's lab and the syringe, Ashley wondered exactly what the villain was up to!

## GENOA CITY NEWS

Scott tried persuading Lauren to invest in #Hashtag so he could distance himself from Abby. Sharon threw an "I'm Just Fine" party to persuade everyone that she was moving on from Scott — which also meant forgiving Abby, although she warned her former sister-in-law/stepdaughter that they'd never be friends! Later, Sharon met Kathy and her children. After discovering they were homeless, Sharon invited them to move in with her for a few days, which prompted Nick to wonder about his ex-wife's motives. When Nikki recognized Kathy from their Christmas encounter, she decided to team up with Nick to build low-income housing! Under pressure to produce music, Tessa stole Mariah's journal, using it for inspiration for her next song!

# Storyline Recaps

What you missed on  
all the other shows



## GENERAL HOSPITAL

With Cassandra comatose and in WSB custody, Erich's confession fell apart and Valentin covered for a guilty Nina. Pregnant Maxie feared Faison would steal her baby — especially once Nathan and Lulu's Web story about his paternity went viral. After Spinelli contacted PK Sinclair, Sonny and Jason convinced the author to meet by promising to facilitate a show-down with Faison. Jason gave Sam a divorce, but they tabled the issue of Danny's custody. Jake finally took a small step toward accepting his father. To Carly's delight, Josslyn and Oscar weren't planning to have sex as she'd suspected, but were instead plotting an alternate school dance because a school administrator was bullying a classmate who identifies with the other sex. Kim, meanwhile, was thrilled to



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**"This is Port Charles, Jim. We play Rock, Scissor, Paper, Gun here. Guess which one wins."**

see Oscar bonding with his dad... but reminded Drew she was their son's boss. After Ned and Laura joined the mayoral race, developer Jim Harvey happily backed the Quartermaine contender. Claiming to be Betsy's ex, Harvey also offered to buy "Bobby's" studio, but Franco — who set a date to marry Elizabeth in February — didn't bite. Alexis couldn't dissuade Molly from leading a rent strike against her landlord. After Julian had a brick thrown through his window, Sonny claimed innocence... and informed the barman of his new protection fees. Paternity testing confirmed that Nelle was, in fact, carrying Michael's baby. Ava happily went under for one last reconstructive surgery, only to come to and find herself immediately being caught up with someone from her past!



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**"I get that the kid's mine. What I don't get is why a duck would have a phone. This makes no sense."**



**Who will be on the receiving end of the undeniably grand gesture made by Amy?**

## DAYS OF OUR LIVES

Andre made a heartfelt confession to Kate, but their evening ended up being interrupted by an unexpected adversary. Chad's suspicion of Andre grew, but Abigail came to her brother-in-law's defense. Vivian and Stefan secretly discussed their plans for DiMera. Stefano's long-lost son also managed to get under Abigail's skin. She accused Stefan of trying to stir up trouble between her and Chad, even as Vivian questioned Stefan about his feelings for Abigail. Chad, meanwhile, was determined to bury his brother, so he hired John to dig up some dirt on him — which got Vivian plenty nervous! As the truth came closer and closer to being discovered, she managed to upset Stefan by suggesting they resort to extreme measures! Abe learned some surprising news as Theo said farewell to his family and friends and left for treatment. Still wracked with guilt over the disastrous turn of events, JJ quit the force, only to find new life after overhearing Lani's secret! He plead with her not to end her pregnancy, but Lani could only feel guilty over JJ's certainty that he was going to be a father. And Gabi had questions of her own when she found Lani's earring in Eli's room! Believing that Eric was no longer interested in her, Jennifer agreed to go on a date with someone else. Eric, though, was plenty jealous when he spot-



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**"No, Lani, I don't want pineapple on my pizza. What kind of monster do you think I am?"**

ted her with another man! Lucas, on the other hand, had no intention of wasting an opportunity for love, so as soon as he got out of rehab, he asked Chloe out on a date. Gabi was dealt a devastating blow. It looked as if everything would change when Salem was rocked by a murder no one saw coming!



**How far will a pair of coconspirators go in order to get what they believe they deserve?**

### y&r word search answers

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### b&b singled out answer

(from page 46)

e. Sally is the only woman on this list (at least to our current knowledge) who has never sustained the grief of losing an unborn child.

Soap  
style  
you  
decide!

Which of the stars' looks get your vote? Friend us on Facebook to let your voice be heard!



The  
winner!  
10% 90%

## Darkly Dapper

By pairing this dark suit with a collarless shirt, *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS*' Robert Adamson (Noah) looks ready to party in style!



## What Were They Thinking?



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**The winner!**

**27%** **73%**

## Prim & Proper

With its longer hemline and more timeless silhouette, this emerald dress proves a perfect backdrop for lacy embellishment on *AS THE WORLD TURNS*' Ashley Williams (Dani).

(continued)

## "Chokers" Wild!

A staple in women's jewelry boxes for centuries, choker-style necklaces are as simple as they are universally appealing! Don't believe us? Look at the ones donned by these lovely ladies!



**Kim Matula**  
(ex-Hope, *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL*)



**Eileen Davidson**  
(Ashley, *Y&R*)



**Adrienne Frantz** (ex-Amber, *B&B/Y&R*)

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**Sofia Pernas**  
(ex-Marisa, *Y&R*)

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### ROMANCE!

Among other stars, **THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL**'s Heather Tom (Katie) shares her Valentine's Day plans.

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### WHAT'S NEXT!

Will Y&R's Nick be knocking on Sharon's door more often? Find out in our February sweeps preview.



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