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00:00:00,270 --> 00:00:03,110
From the Alex Trebek Stage at Sony Pictures

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00:00:03,110 --> 00:00:04,690
Studios, this

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00:00:05,140 --> 00:00:07,850
is Inside Jeopardy!

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00:00:09,559 --> 00:00:10,319
Ah,

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00:00:10,379 --> 00:00:10,910
Johnny.

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00:00:11,280 --> 00:00:12,430
That's what I needed today.

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00:00:12,500 --> 00:00:12,910
Hello.

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00:00:13,329 --> 00:00:16,829
Welcome back to Inside Jeopardy!,
your exclusive and official

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00:00:16,860 --> 00:00:19,139
podcast destination for all things
happening in the world of Jeopardy!.

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00:00:19,170 --> 00:00:19,600
Jeopardy.

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00:00:19,620 --> 00:00:21,120
It is January the 29th.

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00:00:21,140 --> 00:00:23,910
I'm almost at the end of dry January.

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00:00:23,910 --> 00:00:25,190
Maybe that's why I'm so punchy.

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00:00:25,350 --> 00:00:27,150
I walked into the studio
and said, I'm feeling pretty

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00:00:27,169 --> 00:00:27,739
punchy today.

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00:00:27,739 --> 00:00:28,139
Yes.

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00:00:28,470 --> 00:00:31,249
Well, having been with you at the
beginning of your dry January when

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00:00:31,250 --> 00:00:33,989
we were at the Emmys, I'm excited
for this month to end as well.

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00:00:35,589 --> 00:00:39,720
I am Michael Davies joined here
by the person, my long suffering,

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00:00:39,780 --> 00:00:43,819
my long suffering, uh, partner
in Jeopardy and in Podceraphos.

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00:00:44,280 --> 00:00:45,420
Here we are, Michael.

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00:00:45,470 --> 00:00:48,339
As you mentioned, it's the end of
January nearly, and that means.

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00:00:48,410 --> 00:00:51,380
February is upon us and we've
been talking about it for months.

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00:00:51,380 --> 00:00:54,450
That means the TOC is upon us.

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00:00:54,940 --> 00:01:01,870
27 champions coming back for a chance

at a spot in masters and really

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00:01:01,870 --> 00:01:05,370
just ultimate bragging rights saying
for the rest of your life, I'm a

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00:01:05,370 --> 00:01:07,090
tournament of champions winner.

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00:01:07,200 --> 00:01:07,490
Yeah.

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00:01:07,660 --> 00:01:08,350
Including.

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00:01:08,720 --> 00:01:12,550
Celebrity champion Ike Barinholtz
coming back, uh, the first

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00:01:12,560 --> 00:01:14,450
celebrity to compete in the TOC.

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00:01:14,760 --> 00:01:19,599
Um, he's coming in with humility, he's
coming in with very low expectations

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00:01:19,599 --> 00:01:22,870
of his own performance, and he's just
excited to meet all the other players.

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00:01:22,889 --> 00:01:23,289
Yes,

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00:01:23,300 --> 00:01:27,690
he obviously loved the chance to win
Celebrity Jeopardy, but he's excited to,

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00:01:27,690 --> 00:01:29,510
like you said, just be among He's a fan.

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00:01:29,540 --> 00:01:32,760
his fellow peers, and uh,

that's all gonna kick off.

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00:01:33,230 --> 00:01:34,810

In just a week, which is hard to believe.

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00:01:34,880 --> 00:01:38,170

But right now on the pod, we've got
a lot in store for our listeners.

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00:01:38,170 --> 00:01:41,560

You know, last week we wrapped up the
quarterfinals for the Champions Wildcard.

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00:01:41,570 --> 00:01:44,030

And of course, our Celebrity Jeopardy!

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00:01:44,039 --> 00:01:47,570

Championship came to that
very exciting conclusion.

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00:01:47,869 --> 00:01:53,100

Lisa and Walter being crowned our
winner after a Fantastic final game

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00:01:53,420 --> 00:01:55,430

against Mo Rocca and Katie Nolan.

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00:01:55,690 --> 00:01:58,450

We're actually going to talk with
Lisa Anne a little later in the pod

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00:01:58,750 --> 00:02:00,520

about that come from behind victory.

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00:02:00,520 --> 00:02:03,190

Can't wait to catch up with her,
but first it's time to take a look

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00:02:03,190 --> 00:02:05,109

back at This Week in Jeopardy!

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00:02:05,109 --> 00:02:05,589

History.

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00:02:10,779 --> 00:02:12,389

Let's go to Carolyn Collins now.

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00:02:12,619 --> 00:02:19,510

She had 13, 400 and she wrote down the one in the Americas, South America, La Paz.

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00:02:19,519 --> 00:02:20,379

You are correct.

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00:02:20,709 --> 00:02:26,640

And your wager, everything you had, that puts you in the lead with 26, 800.

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00:02:26,640 --> 00:02:30,989

And it takes us to Arthur Chiu, our champion, who had 18, 200.

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00:02:31,320 --> 00:02:33,279

He came up with La Paz also.

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00:02:33,279 --> 00:02:36,740

The other one is Vaduz, the capital of Liechtenstein.

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00:02:37,060 --> 00:02:38,619

And you are going to add how much money?

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00:02:39,989 --> 00:02:40,780

Interesting wager.

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00:02:40,780 --> 00:02:41,660

8, 600.

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00:02:41,660 --> 00:02:44,440

That takes you to 26, 800.

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00:02:44,450 --> 00:02:45,480

We have a tie.

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00:02:45,600 --> 00:02:47,359

We have co winners today.

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00:02:47,920 --> 00:02:50,160

Arthur Chu has a two day total of 64, 000.

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00:02:51,359 --> 00:02:53,930

Carolyn Collins has 26, 800.

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00:02:54,810 --> 00:02:57,460

And both of them come back
to play again tomorrow.

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00:02:58,040 --> 00:02:58,780

It's going to be exciting.

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00:02:58,800 --> 00:02:59,390

Come and join us.

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00:03:01,815 --> 00:03:06,084

Yes, it was this week back in
season 30 when Arthur Chu made his

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00:03:06,084 --> 00:03:07,734

debut on the Alex Trebek stage.

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00:03:07,795 --> 00:03:11,814

He kicked off his run earning over
30, 000, but it was his second game

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00:03:11,815 --> 00:03:14,974

that you just heard the clip from
that may be the most memorable of all.

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00:03:14,975 --> 00:03:19,124

It resulted in a tie between Arthur and
his fellow competitor, Carolyn Collins.

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00:03:19,595 --> 00:03:23,865

Now back then, we didn't have our
current Tiebreaker rule in place.

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00:03:23,875 --> 00:03:27,545

So they both came back the
next day as co champions.

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00:03:27,935 --> 00:03:31,944

Arthur did end up defeating Carol, and
he went on to become an 11 day champion,

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00:03:32,295 --> 00:03:36,704

earning nearly 300, 000 and securing
his spot in the Tournament of Champions,

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00:03:37,125 --> 00:03:39,374

where he finished second, just behind

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00:03:39,414 --> 00:03:40,384

Ben Ingram.

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00:03:40,574 --> 00:03:43,995

Yeah, I remember watching this
on air and was reminded of it.

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00:03:44,265 --> 00:03:46,565

You know, when I came to Jeopardy!

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00:03:46,565 --> 00:03:50,464

two and a half years ago and the
legends of our game, Arthur Chew

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00:03:50,464 --> 00:03:52,204

sits on a lot of leaderboards.

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00:03:52,424 --> 00:03:54,734

Um, he sits up there amongst

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00:03:54,734 --> 00:03:55,385

the greats.

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00:03:55,464 --> 00:03:59,144

Yes, and certainly, you know, some like
to comment he's one of the villains

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00:03:59,144 --> 00:04:02,704
of the show, as people might say
about James or some of the others.

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00:04:02,734 --> 00:04:03,894
But, uh, certainly.

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00:04:04,015 --> 00:04:07,885
Proved that he had what it took to
succeed on the Alex Trebek stage.

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00:04:08,355 --> 00:04:11,315
All right, well now let's head
into last week's game highlights.

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00:04:11,325 --> 00:04:14,565
We kicked off the week with our fifth
Champions Wildcard quarterfinal game.

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00:04:14,855 --> 00:04:17,174
Holly Hassel, Daniel Moore, Ron Chung.

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00:04:17,384 --> 00:04:20,745
Daniel got off to a great start
ending the Jeopardy round with 9,

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00:04:20,745 --> 00:04:23,615
600, but Ron responded correctly
to both of the Daily Doubles and

94
00:04:23,615 --> 00:04:27,705
Double Jeopardy to take that narrow
lead over Daniel heading into final.

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00:04:28,040 --> 00:04:31,940
It was a triple stumper and
therefore Ron protected his lead.

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00:04:32,220 --> 00:04:34,710
Ken actually asked Ron about
this in the post game chat.

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00:04:34,710 --> 00:04:37,370
You know, he said, were you
looking for those daily doubles?

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00:04:37,370 --> 00:04:40,000
And Ron joked, no, I was a
little scared to get them.

99
00:04:40,000 --> 00:04:40,570
To be honest.

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00:04:40,580 --> 00:04:43,130
I knew I had to try to find
them, but I didn't like it.

101
00:04:43,330 --> 00:04:43,580
Yeah.

102
00:04:43,770 --> 00:04:47,859
Uh, lots of talk online about
that, uh, final Jeopardy wages.

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00:04:48,189 --> 00:04:50,389
But I think one thing you've
got to understand is that during

104
00:04:50,389 --> 00:04:54,709
elite competition amongst these
players, they always assume.

105
00:04:55,289 --> 00:04:57,570
That their fellow competitors
are going to get it right.

106
00:04:57,669 --> 00:05:00,510
Obviously, had they wagered less,
they could have gotten the win, but

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00:05:00,510 --> 00:05:02,940
they're always assuming that their,
that their fellow players are going to

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00:05:02,940 --> 00:05:03,400

get it right.

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00:05:03,519 --> 00:05:05,009

Yep, that's a Jeopardy!

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00:05:05,010 --> 00:05:06,750

champion for you, or at least a Jeopardy!

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00:05:06,750 --> 00:05:07,090

player.

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00:05:07,550 --> 00:05:09,499

And now, a quick word from our sponsor.

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00:05:10,049 --> 00:05:10,949

Selling a little,

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00:05:12,189 --> 00:05:12,789

or a lot.

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00:05:14,020 --> 00:05:16,950

Shopify helps you do your
thing however you cha ching.

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00:05:16,970 --> 00:05:20,340

Shopify is the global commerce
platform that helps you sell at

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00:05:20,400 --> 00:05:21,840

every stage of your business.

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00:05:21,900 --> 00:05:25,900

From the launch your online shop
stage, to the first real life store

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00:05:25,900 --> 00:05:29,759

stage, all the way to the did we
just hit a million orders stage.

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00:05:30,210 --> 00:05:31,799

Shopify's there to help you grow.

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00:05:32,250 --> 00:05:35,739

From their all in one e commerce
platform to their in person point of

122

00:05:35,739 --> 00:05:40,369

sale system, wherever and whatever you're
selling, Shopify's got you covered.

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00:05:40,830 --> 00:05:44,059

Shopify powers 10 percent
of all e commerce in the U.

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00:05:44,060 --> 00:05:44,370

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00:05:44,480 --> 00:05:48,280

Plus, they have the internet's best
converting checkout, 36 percent

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00:05:48,290 --> 00:05:51,490

better on average compared to
other leading commerce platforms.

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00:05:51,610 --> 00:05:55,260

What I love about Shopify is how simple
they've made it to grow your business.

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00:05:55,550 --> 00:05:58,850

You can manage inventory, track
payments, and view real time

129

00:05:58,860 --> 00:06:00,670

insights all in one place.

130

00:06:00,800 --> 00:06:04,380

Shopify is there to support your
success every step of the way, because

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00:06:04,380 --> 00:06:06,730

businesses that grow, grow with Shopify.

132

00:06:06,730 --> 00:06:10,449

Sign up for a 1 per month
trial period at Shopify.

133
00:06:10,489 --> 00:06:12,730
com slash Jeopardy, all lowercase.

134
00:06:13,220 --> 00:06:14,169
Go to Shopify.

135
00:06:14,170 --> 00:06:18,380
com slash Jeopardy now to grow your
business no matter what stage you're in.

136
00:06:18,770 --> 00:06:19,570
Shopify.

137
00:06:19,570 --> 00:06:20,780
com slash

138
00:06:20,940 --> 00:06:21,480
Jeopardy.

139
00:06:21,914 --> 00:06:23,885
Now, back to Inside Jeopardy.

140
00:06:24,495 --> 00:06:27,235
Well, moving on to Tuesday's
matchup between Robby Ramirez,

141
00:06:27,325 --> 00:06:29,065
Lynn DeVito, and Zanny Brown.

142
00:06:29,075 --> 00:06:32,245
Zanny, right up the heels of her
second chance victory, was on

143
00:06:32,265 --> 00:06:36,954
fire in the Jeopardy round, ending
with 11, 400 and a huge lead.

144
00:06:37,265 --> 00:06:40,775
But Robby came roaring back in double

Jeopardy, and then he held the lead,

145

00:06:41,150 --> 00:06:46,710
Until he missed that big 5, 800 daily
double, but then Zanny missed a 3, 000

146

00:06:46,720 --> 00:06:50,320
daily double to give the lead back to
Robby, which he carried into final.

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00:06:50,729 --> 00:06:53,249
And there he was able to come
up with the correct response.

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00:06:53,260 --> 00:06:57,389
Zanny was not, so it was Robby
who advanced to the finals.

149

00:06:57,880 --> 00:07:01,370
I don't know if everyone listening
can recall Robbie, but he's a pretty

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00:07:01,410 --> 00:07:05,940
tall contestant, and as Ken stood
next to him in those host pics that

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00:07:05,940 --> 00:07:11,139
he does, he joked, But Gandalf,
how do we get the rings to Mordor?

152

00:07:11,140 --> 00:07:14,649
And it was just a classic Ken moment that
you didn't get to see at home, but really.

153

00:07:15,104 --> 00:07:18,065
did kind of capture what it looked
like in that height difference moment.

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00:07:18,565 --> 00:07:22,974
Well, on Wednesday, we saw Dylan Hupp,
Lloyd C and Kelly Berry take the stage.

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00:07:23,034 --> 00:07:27,135

Lloyd took a small lead into double Jeopardy, continued to build on it,

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00:07:27,135 --> 00:07:32,104
but Dylan found the first daily double and scored 5, 000 to close the gap.

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00:07:32,434 --> 00:07:36,515
Lloyd nearly earned a runaway by the end of the round, but Dylan was able

158

00:07:36,515 --> 00:07:38,065
to come within striking distance.

159

00:07:38,509 --> 00:07:43,150
After another triple stumper, Lloyd's minimal wager allowed him to take the win

160

00:07:43,460 --> 00:07:45,650
and secure his spot in the semi finals.

161

00:07:45,710 --> 00:07:49,499
He had an impressive 30 correct responses in that game, Michael, and

162

00:07:49,859 --> 00:07:54,359
that's tying only Juveria in Champions Wildcard for that many correct responses.

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00:07:54,359 --> 00:07:55,059
Yeah, whenever

164

00:07:55,059 --> 00:07:58,669
we see a 30 in any form of the game, we're impressed.

165

00:07:58,669 --> 00:08:01,229
When it's against elite competition, it's even more impressive.

166

00:08:01,359 --> 00:08:06,009
Yes, and I always think our writers are impressive, but this board in

167

00:08:06,020 --> 00:08:09,669
the Jeopardy round, If you love
Taylor Swift, you loved this board.

168

00:08:09,699 --> 00:08:15,859
We had Love Story, Our Song, Bad Blood,
Shake It Off, We Are Never Ever Getting

169

00:08:15,869 --> 00:08:19,079
Back Together, and The Error's Tour.

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00:08:19,309 --> 00:08:19,749
Yeah, there's

171

00:08:19,759 --> 00:08:22,629
somebody who works on our show
who's a massive Taylor Swift fan.

172

00:08:22,629 --> 00:08:24,579
I'm just trying to remember exactly.

173

00:08:24,945 --> 00:08:25,645
Could she be

174

00:08:25,645 --> 00:08:28,065
in this room, a certain podcast producer?

175

00:08:28,065 --> 00:08:30,375
I don't know, but you know what,
she's turned me into a Swiftie,

176

00:08:30,385 --> 00:08:33,954
so you've got another fan,
Taylor, because of Alexa in me.

177

00:08:34,345 --> 00:08:38,935
Moving on to Thursday with Johanna
Stoborak, Connor Sears, and Alec Chow.

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00:08:38,935 --> 00:08:41,475
All three players were neck and

neck throughout the Jeopardy round.

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00:08:41,475 --> 00:08:44,675
Connor and Alec battling back
and forth in double Jeopardy, but

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00:08:44,715 --> 00:08:48,725
ultimately it was Alec who took a
small lead in final over Connor.

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00:08:48,949 --> 00:08:51,540
with Johanna in third place,
but still in contention.

182

00:08:51,939 --> 00:08:55,100
Alec, the only player to come up
with the correct response in final.

183

00:08:55,240 --> 00:08:57,330
He's on to the semi finals.

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00:08:57,419 --> 00:08:59,610
Now this was another fun
category in this game.

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00:08:59,610 --> 00:09:02,820
Questionable science in pop songs.

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00:09:03,310 --> 00:09:05,270
Does every rose have its thorn?

187

00:09:05,699 --> 00:09:08,159
Does thunder only happen
when it's raining?

188

00:09:08,449 --> 00:09:11,770
Are planets moving at the speed
of light, like Coldplay says,

189

00:09:11,770 --> 00:09:13,780
and can you set fire to the rain?

190

00:09:14,065 --> 00:09:14,365
Yeah.

191
00:09:15,085 --> 00:09:16,075
According to Adele, you can.

192
00:09:16,115 --> 00:09:17,275
According to Adele, you can.

193
00:09:17,695 --> 00:09:22,215
Love when our writers come up with
even different ways to look at music.

194
00:09:22,355 --> 00:09:23,465
And certainly pop music.

195
00:09:23,615 --> 00:09:26,704
Well, we closed out the quarterfinals
on Friday with Tamara Gattas,

196
00:09:26,735 --> 00:09:29,134
Michael Minkus, and Itai Sofer.

197
00:09:29,135 --> 00:09:30,704
Michael put on a strong performance.

198
00:09:30,704 --> 00:09:33,665
He ended the Jeopardy run with
8, 000 and steadily built on his

199
00:09:33,665 --> 00:09:34,985
lead throughout Double Jeopardy.

200
00:09:35,035 --> 00:09:39,365
Tamara put up a fight, scoring
4, 500 on the first Daily Double.

201
00:09:39,625 --> 00:09:42,605
However, she lost 7, 000 on
the last one, allowing Michael

202
00:09:42,605 --> 00:09:44,345

to pull off a runaway win.

203

00:09:44,665 --> 00:09:48,615
Etai, I want to point out, he
is just loving being immersed in

204

00:09:48,645 --> 00:09:51,675
the trivia community, so after
his win, he went to Las Vegas.

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00:09:51,785 --> 00:09:57,285
He met Matea Roach, who recognized
him, and he met Sam Buttrey, who he

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00:09:57,285 --> 00:10:00,245
told, you know, when I get on the
show, I'm going to say bring it.

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00:10:00,825 --> 00:10:04,855
Unfortunately It was actually Michael who
got to say bring it on the last clue in

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00:10:04,855 --> 00:10:08,125
the Jeopardy round, but you know I love
those run ins with the fans of the show.

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00:10:08,135 --> 00:10:08,425
Wow, there

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00:10:08,425 --> 00:10:10,804
was a whole Vegas weekend for
Jeopardy that I missed out on.

211

00:10:10,804 --> 00:10:12,164
Apparently we didn't get an invite,

212

00:10:12,165 --> 00:10:12,455
Michael.

213

00:10:12,464 --> 00:10:16,234
Yeah, I don't see that as being a Matea
town, but then you uh, but you never know.

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00:10:16,265 --> 00:10:16,915
You never know.

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00:10:17,084 --> 00:10:21,425
Well, now let's head back to
Tuesday night, uh, in primetime.

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00:10:21,760 --> 00:10:23,880
for the Celebrity Jeopardy final.

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00:10:23,920 --> 00:10:27,560
Wow, what a tight Jeopardy round with Mo
taking a small lead into Double Jeopardy.

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00:10:27,560 --> 00:10:31,719
But then it was Lisa Anne who controlled
the board until Katie found the first

219

00:10:31,720 --> 00:10:33,670
Daily Double in her namesake category.

220

00:10:33,820 --> 00:10:36,260
Kind of rhymes with
Katie to close the gap.

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00:10:36,339 --> 00:10:39,529
All three players continued to battle
it out in Triple Jeopardy, but with

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00:10:39,529 --> 00:10:44,650
the help of a 10, 400 True Daily
Double, kind of close to the end,

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00:10:44,800 --> 00:10:49,150
Mo took the lead into final with
Katie just 1, 600 behind Lisa Anne.

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00:10:49,495 --> 00:10:53,285
Trailing behind that, but Lisa
Anne was the only player to come up

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00:10:53,325 --> 00:10:55,115

with the correct response in final.

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00:10:55,425 --> 00:11:00,085

The butler did it, going from third to first place to secure the win and the

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00:11:00,095 --> 00:11:03,215

one million dollar prize for her charity.

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00:11:03,685 --> 00:11:08,855

I think the best comments I saw about this game were just the compliments on

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00:11:08,855 --> 00:11:13,165

the actual level of the material and the level of gameplay by all three of our

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00:11:13,165 --> 00:11:13,625

finalists.

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00:11:14,035 --> 00:11:16,875

And this was a big thing going into this season, we wanted to raise

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00:11:16,875 --> 00:11:20,194

the writing level and we wanted to therefore raise the gameplay level of

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00:11:20,194 --> 00:11:24,114

the contestants, you know, it's not universally true in every episode, we

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00:11:24,114 --> 00:11:28,185

can't test these people, I guess we could do, but we would, we would lose a

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00:11:28,185 --> 00:11:28,444

lot.

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00:11:28,494 --> 00:11:31,194

We can test our regular contestants and you still don't know what

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00:11:31,194 --> 00:11:32,615
they will do when they get on the

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00:11:33,265 --> 00:11:33,305
stage.

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00:11:33,305 --> 00:11:36,735
You're we, you know, we, we
sort of had to go on like people

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00:11:36,735 --> 00:11:37,645
we knew as smart, you know.

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00:11:38,225 --> 00:11:42,035
It's interesting, all three of these
players, I mean, very coincidentally,

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00:11:42,265 --> 00:11:47,045
are people I've worked with in the past,
or spoken to, uh, about working with in

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00:11:47,045 --> 00:11:51,425
the past, you know, Mo, I've, uh, has
been on pilots I've made, I've met with

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00:11:51,425 --> 00:11:54,484
him before, Lisa Ann, I've talked about
doing a talk show, Katie Nolan actually

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00:11:54,485 --> 00:11:59,260
produced a talk show, uh, with her,
And I sort of know how special she is.

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00:11:59,490 --> 00:12:02,210
They are all such big fans of Jeopardy!

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00:12:02,590 --> 00:12:07,050
And that's something that really comes
across in their every interaction,

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00:12:07,050 --> 00:12:11,380
the way they play the game, the way

they sort of name check our champions,

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00:12:11,410 --> 00:12:14,910
the sort of, the, the respect that
they have for the institution.

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00:12:15,210 --> 00:12:21,970
Um, and this was a really, you know, It
just was a really great way to finish off

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00:12:22,060 --> 00:12:24,980
a really enjoyable season of this brand.

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00:12:25,540 --> 00:12:25,860
Yes,

253

00:12:25,880 --> 00:12:29,840
and you brought up the namesake
category of Kinda Rhymes With Katie.

254

00:12:30,100 --> 00:12:32,990
We also had Lisa, Anne, or Walter.

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00:12:33,089 --> 00:12:35,629
And then, I think a category
no one will ever forget.

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00:12:35,730 --> 00:12:38,629
Mo Rocca, Drinking Vodka With Katie.

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00:12:38,780 --> 00:12:39,390
Chewbacca.

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00:12:39,530 --> 00:12:43,480
Yeah, it's, um, uh, Bobby Patton,
who is the head writer of Celebrity

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00:12:43,480 --> 00:12:47,290
Jeopardy, told me that when, uh,
writer David Levenson Wilk worked on

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00:12:47,290 --> 00:12:50,510

this category, you know, there is a quota that exists for all writers.

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00:12:50,510 --> 00:12:52,520

They have to write a certain amount of material this year.

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00:12:52,950 --> 00:12:55,109

No writer in the history of Jeopardy.

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00:12:55,435 --> 00:13:01,084

has ever blown their quota so much by taking so long to write a single category.

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00:13:01,214 --> 00:13:05,074

It became the joke amongst all the writers that, uh, David was taking so

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00:13:05,074 --> 00:13:08,634

long to write it, but it was certainly worth it when, uh, we read it at the end.

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00:13:08,714 --> 00:13:08,964

And

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00:13:08,964 --> 00:13:12,874

Lisa Anne, no sooner did she claim a victory, she went on Jimmy Kimmel,

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00:13:13,145 --> 00:13:16,334

proudly displaying her champion trophy.

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00:13:16,650 --> 00:13:17,910

And she's just like us.

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00:13:17,910 --> 00:13:20,520

She's, she actually got asked by Jimmy, is she dating anyone?

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00:13:20,520 --> 00:13:22,680

She's like, no, I just want to, I want to date someone who wants to

272
00:13:22,680 --> 00:13:24,360
hang out and go to trivia night.

273
00:13:25,070 --> 00:13:25,590
That's so good.

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00:13:25,590 --> 00:13:26,230
Well, wow.

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00:13:26,240 --> 00:13:29,520
Maybe, maybe this podcast can
sort of serve as her Tinder.

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00:13:29,829 --> 00:13:32,849
Ah, well, we're going to catch
up with her soon, but that is

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00:13:32,849 --> 00:13:34,730
a wrap on Celebrity Jeopardy!

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00:13:34,730 --> 00:13:37,699
Congratulations to all three of
our finalists for your incredible

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00:13:37,699 --> 00:13:39,540
performances throughout the season.

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00:13:40,050 --> 00:13:42,249
Let's get into this week's host chat.

281
00:13:42,619 --> 00:13:46,179
An audience member asked Ken,
do you have a library card?

282
00:13:46,949 --> 00:13:47,209
I

283
00:13:47,220 --> 00:13:47,510
do!

284
00:13:47,699 --> 00:13:50,139

I have several library cards,
that's a great question.

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00:13:50,529 --> 00:13:53,159
I guess I don't know where they
are because I just use my phone.

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00:13:53,530 --> 00:13:55,810
But yeah, we were always big
library users in my family.

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00:13:55,810 --> 00:13:57,500
The kids love the library.

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00:13:57,530 --> 00:14:00,510
Um, my youngest kid is actually
going to be an intern at the Seattle

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00:14:00,510 --> 00:14:02,289
Public Library starting next month.

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00:14:02,300 --> 00:14:03,829
So, are you a librarian, ma'am?

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00:14:04,890 --> 00:14:06,510
My mom was an elementary school librarian.

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00:14:06,520 --> 00:14:07,270
You are a hero.

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00:14:07,289 --> 00:14:08,790
Thank you to all librarians

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00:14:08,819 --> 00:14:09,803
for what they do.

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00:14:09,803 --> 00:14:10,306
Welcome to

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00:14:10,306 --> 00:14:10,557
Jeopardy!

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00:14:10,557 --> 00:14:13,069

So he talks about all of
his now being digital.

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00:14:14,030 --> 00:14:16,780

Do you have any hard copy
library cards anymore, Michael?

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00:14:17,339 --> 00:14:22,040

I still have a hard copy library
card for the Bridgehampton Library

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00:14:22,040 --> 00:14:23,189

in Bridgehampton, New York.

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00:14:23,405 --> 00:14:26,405

beautiful little library
right there on Main Street.

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00:14:26,454 --> 00:14:28,224

And I go in there with my library card.

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00:14:28,224 --> 00:14:30,555

It's one of my favorite
possessions is my library card.

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00:14:30,655 --> 00:14:32,015

Yeah, I think it says a lot about you.

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00:14:32,025 --> 00:14:34,534

We have one as well, only because
my children, you know, they can't

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00:14:34,535 --> 00:14:37,024

have a credit card, but I tell
them you can have a library card.

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00:14:37,024 --> 00:14:38,294

So that works.

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00:14:38,724 --> 00:14:42,454

Well, it is time now to welcome

to the pod Celebrity Jeopardy

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00:14:42,454 --> 00:14:44,234
champion, Lisa and Walter.

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00:14:44,234 --> 00:14:46,564
Lisa, thank you for
being with us here today.

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00:14:47,805 --> 00:14:53,685
Lisa and How does life feel different
knowing that you are a Celebrity Jeopardy!

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00:14:53,695 --> 00:14:54,205
champion?

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00:14:54,865 --> 00:14:56,335
You know what, Michael?

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00:14:56,375 --> 00:15:01,275
I have to tell you that, honestly,
I went home that night, and not

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00:15:01,275 --> 00:15:06,015
even any joking around, I was in
the car going home after winning.

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00:15:06,594 --> 00:15:09,954
First of all, stunned, because
it was such a wild win.

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00:15:09,984 --> 00:15:10,954
Oh, yeah, we'll get to that.

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00:15:11,714 --> 00:15:12,784
Yeah, I know we will.

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00:15:13,084 --> 00:15:22,169
But I just went, I think I can relax
now, like I did something that so was

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00:15:22,550 --> 00:15:28,290

something that I had been dreaming about
for literally most of my life and just

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00:15:28,290 --> 00:15:33,019
like it was a pipe dream, like if I ever
got on Jeopardy, you know, I went it.

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00:15:33,259 --> 00:15:35,689
Oh, the world's gonna know that I'm smart.

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00:15:36,040 --> 00:15:38,849
I don't just have like,
you know, a great figure.

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00:15:40,930 --> 00:15:41,989
Yeah, that's stupid.

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00:15:42,009 --> 00:15:42,939
But you know what I mean?

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00:15:42,949 --> 00:15:47,279
Like, like, I'm not just an actor
that makes them laugh like that.

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00:15:47,279 --> 00:15:48,089
I know a few things.

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00:15:48,625 --> 00:15:49,215
Yeah, definitely.

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00:15:49,215 --> 00:15:54,645
I mean, look, comedians historically
have done very well on this show.

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00:15:54,755 --> 00:16:00,055
You know, you, you succeed the great
Ike Barinholtz, you know, Patton Oswalt

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00:16:00,105 --> 00:16:02,985
did superbly, uh, on our show last year.

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00:16:03,135 --> 00:16:05,820

I mean, you'll notice this
year from just the field.

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00:16:05,830 --> 00:16:07,020
We had a lot of comedians.

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00:16:07,150 --> 00:16:11,760
You beat a few comedians on
this program or comedic hosts.

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00:16:11,930 --> 00:16:14,650
So you definitely, you definitely
proved the brains were there

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00:16:14,699 --> 00:16:16,000
and the competitive spirit.

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00:16:16,790 --> 00:16:19,250
Yeah, well, great point.

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00:16:19,290 --> 00:16:22,899
The second thing that you said,
because the first one, like we know

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00:16:22,899 --> 00:16:27,649
it as comics, even though our onstage
persona might be goofy, whatever

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00:16:27,790 --> 00:16:29,490
it is that you go for as a comic.

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00:16:30,050 --> 00:16:34,810
Is your voice on stage, but
what you draw from is a wealth

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00:16:34,860 --> 00:16:37,340
of knowledge about the world.

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00:16:37,350 --> 00:16:38,040
In my case.

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00:16:38,595 --> 00:16:41,995

I grew up reading history, reading
for, I was reading it almost, I

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00:16:42,015 --> 00:16:43,485
think two and a half years old.

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00:16:43,485 --> 00:16:47,894
My mom started teaching me
and she was the trivia buff.

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00:16:48,114 --> 00:16:52,814
So anytime she got an opportunity
to start talking about the world, we

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00:16:52,814 --> 00:16:54,664
would listen to talk radio in the car.

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00:16:54,814 --> 00:16:59,344
And that would just set her off on a
tangent that she would start explaining.

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00:16:59,750 --> 00:17:03,220
The world to us and I guess some of it
stuck because a lot of times I'll blurt

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00:17:03,220 --> 00:17:07,869
out an answer the semi finals I knew
the answer when the other contestants

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00:17:07,869 --> 00:17:11,179
didn't and I blurted it out right away
I'm like, oh the coronation of Queen

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00:17:11,179 --> 00:17:15,379
Elizabeth and my ex husband who always
watches with me watches Jeopardy It

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00:17:15,379 --> 00:17:20,185
was like how do you know that and
I'm like, I just know it I don't know

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00:17:20,365 --> 00:17:20,794
why.

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00:17:20,834 --> 00:17:23,734

Well, we'll get to also, we will
get to how good you are at final

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00:17:23,734 --> 00:17:27,155

Jeopardy because that's definitely an
element of, of, of your performance,

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00:17:27,395 --> 00:17:28,655

but, uh, that is all fascinating

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00:17:28,655 --> 00:17:29,004

stuff.

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00:17:29,074 --> 00:17:33,555

Well, and we always say people who are
good at Jeopardy are people who are people

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00:17:33,555 --> 00:17:36,705

who watch the show, who love the show,
and I think that really shined with you.

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00:17:36,955 --> 00:17:39,710

I loved when you said, you know, I
was I was too famous to go on the

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00:17:39,710 --> 00:17:43,380

regular show, but I wasn't quite famous
enough to go on Celebrity Jeopardy.

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00:17:43,380 --> 00:17:46,170

And then we just got you in this,
this perfect window for you to shine.

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00:17:46,170 --> 00:17:46,700

The perfect

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00:17:46,700 --> 00:17:47,300

pocket.

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00:17:47,350 --> 00:17:50,210

I was, I'm like Eliza
Doolittle for my whole life.

368
00:17:50,210 --> 00:17:53,610
I don't fit in either world,
but now, but now here I am.

369
00:17:53,620 --> 00:17:53,950
Yes.

370
00:17:53,950 --> 00:17:56,720
And going back to the comics,
I think that, uh, sorry,

371
00:17:56,830 --> 00:17:57,860
this is how my brain works.

372
00:17:57,870 --> 00:18:02,330
You see, it's like here and
then went over there somewhere.

373
00:18:02,610 --> 00:18:05,475
Um, Comics know a whole bunch
about a whole bunch of different

374
00:18:05,475 --> 00:18:07,245
things, and we pull from it.

375
00:18:07,465 --> 00:18:10,105
So that's why I think we tend
to be, even though people don't

376
00:18:10,115 --> 00:18:11,414
realize it, we tend to be smarter.

377
00:18:11,414 --> 00:18:16,005
But the competition is because we're one
person on the stage, and we have to win.

378
00:18:16,015 --> 00:18:18,515
Like, you can't let hecklers win over you.

379

00:18:18,515 --> 00:18:21,164
You, you have to win when you're on stage.

380
00:18:21,164 --> 00:18:23,075
So we tend to be pretty
competitive, I think.

381
00:18:23,095 --> 00:18:23,565
Yeah, and

382
00:18:23,575 --> 00:18:29,905
look, and like your fellow finalists,
Moe and Katie Nolan, you are an

383
00:18:29,905 --> 00:18:31,925
enormous fan of the television program.

384
00:18:32,155 --> 00:18:34,064
You know, you've watched
the program for years.

385
00:18:34,064 --> 00:18:36,554
You talked about watching
it, uh, with your mother.

386
00:18:36,804 --> 00:18:39,585
So, talk more about that experience.

387
00:18:39,585 --> 00:18:44,135
The, the, the difference of watching it
and then playing it, uh, on the stage.

388
00:18:44,975 --> 00:18:45,284
Okay,

389
00:18:45,284 --> 00:18:50,214
well, first of all, the watching of
it, since I was a kid and I would stay

390
00:18:50,214 --> 00:18:53,875
home sick from school, you know, they'd
re air it, although it always came on.

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00:18:53,905 --> 00:18:56,495

From my memory, it always
came on in the evening.

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00:18:56,754 --> 00:19:01,515

I think when you watched that show, When
you watch Jeopardy, as opposed to other

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00:19:01,515 --> 00:19:05,785

game shows, which are fun and I enjoyed
watching those over the years too, but

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00:19:06,005 --> 00:19:10,315

they don't have the gravitas, there's
not the respect associated with it.

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00:19:10,514 --> 00:19:13,744

I mean, believe me, when I walked
on the set here, And people are

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00:19:13,745 --> 00:19:17,835

like, Oh my God, you're a Jeopardy,
at this point, semi finalist.

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00:19:18,565 --> 00:19:21,915

The respect that comes with it, it's
like, Oh, you're really smart then.

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00:19:22,575 --> 00:19:25,905

And so it's just a connection,
and I think it taught me a lot.

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00:19:25,944 --> 00:19:28,944

It was something that happened in
my house a couple nights ago, and I

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00:19:28,974 --> 00:19:32,254

gave the answer, and it was something
that I learned watching Jeopardy,

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00:19:32,765 --> 00:19:34,255

and like, just the past week.

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00:19:34,525 --> 00:19:35,775

And they said, How do you know that?

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00:19:35,775 --> 00:19:37,295

And I said, Well, this
one was from Jeopardy.

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00:19:37,445 --> 00:19:40,285

Like, that one I can pinpoint,
because I just watched it.

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00:19:41,035 --> 00:19:45,725

I think over the years you get so familiar
with the playing of the game and kind

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00:19:45,725 --> 00:19:47,504

of the differences of the categories.

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00:19:47,685 --> 00:19:50,955

So that part when you get on the
stage gives you a little leg up if

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00:19:50,965 --> 00:19:54,495

you're, if you've been a long time
watcher and what the categories can be.

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00:19:54,835 --> 00:19:58,895

The thing that you're not prepared
for as a long time viewer and,

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00:19:58,905 --> 00:20:01,415

and, and fan of the show is this.

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00:20:01,524 --> 00:20:01,815

Yeah.

412

00:20:02,389 --> 00:20:02,860

The buzzer.

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00:20:02,909 --> 00:20:04,419

She's showing us the buzzer, everyone.

414
00:20:04,679 --> 00:20:11,600
The buzzer is the, the unknown factor
that until you actually do it, there is

415
00:20:11,610 --> 00:20:14,919
no way to, to have experience with it.

416
00:20:14,939 --> 00:20:18,739
It's like, you can't just buzz in first
when you know the answer, because I'm

417
00:20:18,739 --> 00:20:23,469
a fast reader, you know, I get there
halfway, you know, before he's done.

418
00:20:23,885 --> 00:20:25,815
And then you're buzzing and it's now

419
00:20:25,815 --> 00:20:26,485
you're locked out.

420
00:20:26,535 --> 00:20:32,415
Yeah, and statistically, you were
in the final against the very best,

421
00:20:32,665 --> 00:20:36,615
Katie Nolan, and maybe one of the
second, third best, Mo Rucker.

422
00:20:36,695 --> 00:20:38,114
Both great on the buzzer,

423
00:20:38,115 --> 00:20:38,665
fast on it.

424
00:20:39,054 --> 00:20:41,465
Unbelievably fast on the buzzer.

425
00:20:41,855 --> 00:20:46,735
I came nowhere near them in the,
I don't know, Katie Nolan must be

426

00:20:46,735 --> 00:20:49,874
an athlete herself because that
fast twitch muscle thing she's got.

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00:20:49,975 --> 00:20:50,054
Woo!

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00:20:50,635 --> 00:20:52,274
Uh, I think it's video games.

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00:20:52,274 --> 00:20:55,904
I think she will admit it's, it's from
playing, playing Spider Man video games

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00:20:55,905 --> 00:20:56,155
a lot.

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00:20:56,470 --> 00:20:59,770
Well, and you admitted it would take
you into like the double jeopardy

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00:20:59,770 --> 00:21:03,470
round is when you could kind of start
feeling your, your mojo on the buzzer.

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00:21:03,470 --> 00:21:05,420
I think you said you tried
to sprinkle some holy water

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00:21:05,420 --> 00:21:06,530
or something on it in between

435

00:21:06,540 --> 00:21:06,980
breaks.

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00:21:08,100 --> 00:21:09,849
I, I actually did.

437

00:21:10,180 --> 00:21:12,619
Y'all are going to think I'm
kidding, but a friend of mine,

438

00:21:12,850 --> 00:21:16,239
a friend of mine in Florida sent
me some holy water from Lords.

439

00:21:16,900 --> 00:21:19,410
And I, and I put some on my hand.

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00:21:19,430 --> 00:21:21,970
I'm not saying to everybody
that's what you should do.

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00:21:22,010 --> 00:21:26,555
I'm just saying that for me, maybe I,
Connected it with, okay, now I have luck.

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00:21:26,985 --> 00:21:29,235
Well, and you mentioned, you
know, Oh, I saw it on Jeopardy!

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00:21:29,235 --> 00:21:31,024
So of course I knew it,
I have to thank Jeopardy!

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00:21:31,024 --> 00:21:33,155
But that's what sets you apart, Lisa Anne.

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00:21:33,424 --> 00:21:36,895
It's not only hearing something,
but it's retaining that knowledge.

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00:21:36,924 --> 00:21:39,034
And that is what makes a great Jeopardy!

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00:21:39,034 --> 00:21:39,564
champion.

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00:21:39,814 --> 00:21:42,964
Because you're genuinely interested
in so many different things that, you

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00:21:42,965 --> 00:21:45,784
know, all of us remember things we're

interested in, but the fact that you

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00:21:45,784 --> 00:21:48,855
heard it and retained it, I just don't
want you to have that as a throwaway

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00:21:48,855 --> 00:21:50,245
because not everyone watches Jeopardy!

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00:21:50,495 --> 00:21:53,034
I'm on the stage sometimes and I
don't remember everything that I

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00:21:53,044 --> 00:21:53,725
saw or heard.

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00:21:53,910 --> 00:21:54,470
Well, thank you.

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00:21:54,470 --> 00:21:55,810
That is very nice of you.

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00:21:55,810 --> 00:21:58,030
And yes, I think you hit
the nail on the head.

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00:21:58,070 --> 00:22:00,250
I do remember things,
but there were things.

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00:22:00,705 --> 00:22:06,205
That I've heard several times, many
times, and I still don't remember it

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00:22:06,495 --> 00:22:11,355
because I never, I never really got
it, you know, I didn't keep it because

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00:22:11,395 --> 00:22:16,294
as you say, I wasn't as interested in
it, the stuff that I'm interested in,

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00:22:16,304 --> 00:22:20,004
you know, like, you know, the opera
category, I might not have rung in

462
00:22:20,004 --> 00:22:24,204
first every, but I knew every single
one because my father, the physicist

463
00:22:24,224 --> 00:22:26,810
from NASA, and, was an opera fan.

464
00:22:26,990 --> 00:22:28,050
We listened to everything.

465
00:22:28,260 --> 00:22:31,899
So when you hear things and the
way my mother used to tell it to

466
00:22:31,899 --> 00:22:34,609
us in the car, it was like a story.

467
00:22:34,879 --> 00:22:39,240
And when I used to read history, which
I did for fun, it was a story to me.

468
00:22:39,240 --> 00:22:40,280
It was like a movie.

469
00:22:40,540 --> 00:22:41,649
They were characters.

470
00:22:42,090 --> 00:22:44,919
So I think that's why I
was so interested in it.

471
00:22:45,210 --> 00:22:45,510
Can I tell

472
00:22:45,510 --> 00:22:48,860
you the other thing that
makes Celebrity Jeopardy?

473

00:22:49,310 --> 00:22:51,290
Champions, our elite Celebrity Jeopardy!

474
00:22:51,320 --> 00:22:53,260
players and our elite Celebrity Jeopardy!

475
00:22:53,260 --> 00:22:53,740
champions.

476
00:22:53,810 --> 00:22:58,570
What makes you so extraordinary is
that, yes, you're doing the Jeopardy!

477
00:22:58,590 --> 00:23:02,459
thing of retaining information and being
super competitive and getting on the

478
00:23:02,459 --> 00:23:05,370
buzzer and doing the math that you have
to do on the Daily Double and doing the

479
00:23:05,370 --> 00:23:10,209
math you have to do on Final, but you're
also being entertainers at the same time.

480
00:23:10,219 --> 00:23:13,679
You're telling great stories, you're
cracking jokes, you're being funny,

481
00:23:13,860 --> 00:23:15,039
you're doing all the other stuff.

482
00:23:15,040 --> 00:23:15,969
I mean, I should say.

483
00:23:16,245 --> 00:23:19,145
Lisa Anne, the first time we ever spoke
to each other, the first time we met,

484
00:23:19,155 --> 00:23:23,415
was because I was passionately chasing
you to do a talk show, because I think

485
00:23:23,425 --> 00:23:28,634
you are, like, once Abbott Elementary is
done, once Abbott Elementary is done, once

486
00:23:28,634 --> 00:23:33,135
we get to this, I still think you are,
like, the great late night talk show host

487
00:23:33,145 --> 00:23:35,414
in waiting, but you are doing amazing.

488
00:23:35,575 --> 00:23:40,425
All of that at the same time, which
is, um, which, you know, I thank you

489
00:23:40,425 --> 00:23:44,605
for as a producer to have you up on
stage and, and you leading and then

490
00:23:44,835 --> 00:23:48,615
Katie and Mo and being so funny and
entertaining at the point that you're

491
00:23:48,615 --> 00:23:50,705
playing this very competitive tense game.

492
00:23:51,094 --> 00:23:51,885
Oh, you are.

493
00:23:51,915 --> 00:23:54,895
First of all, first of all, thank you.

494
00:23:55,225 --> 00:23:57,675
Not just for those lovely compliments.

495
00:23:57,675 --> 00:23:59,445
I mean, I think that is who I am.

496
00:23:59,445 --> 00:24:01,185
If I'm in a room and there's an audience.

497

00:24:01,700 --> 00:24:04,650
I'm going to try to entertain
because I'm deeply needy in that way.

498
00:24:04,650 --> 00:24:08,210
I mean, I want to entertain.

499
00:24:08,210 --> 00:24:09,200
I want to make them happy.

500
00:24:09,200 --> 00:24:11,540
I want to make people laugh
and have them enjoy it.

501
00:24:11,590 --> 00:24:13,210
And that's why we're doing the show.

502
00:24:13,210 --> 00:24:15,069
And also of course, to
raise money for the charity.

503
00:24:15,330 --> 00:24:18,250
So, you know, that makes me feel
good when people are laughing

504
00:24:18,250 --> 00:24:19,090
and enjoying themselves.

505
00:24:19,420 --> 00:24:23,170
But to say like you're suited for
a talk show, a late night talk show

506
00:24:23,170 --> 00:24:24,940
in particular, that was my goal.

507
00:24:24,960 --> 00:24:27,390
That was what I wanted to do before.

508
00:24:27,790 --> 00:24:31,680
I think it was when Joan Rivers
was the only woman to have one.

509

00:24:31,940 --> 00:24:33,830
I was like, why are they just giving up?

510
00:24:33,850 --> 00:24:36,910
They have a woman for like a week and a half and they're like, Oh, we're good now.

511
00:24:37,270 --> 00:24:42,429
But I remember very well us meeting and talking about doing something together.

512
00:24:42,430 --> 00:24:43,634
And we wound up.

513
00:24:43,925 --> 00:24:47,615
At the end of a very long meeting, I think it was several hours with

514
00:24:47,615 --> 00:24:52,004
some other people and we were in the lobby of some hotel in Beverly Hills

515
00:24:52,045 --> 00:24:56,635
and we just kept on talking for hours because I thought you were fascinating.

516
00:24:56,825 --> 00:25:00,744
And that's the thing is that I think when you're interested in people, and

517
00:25:00,744 --> 00:25:04,015
that's what the talk show thing comes into, the entertainer thing comes in.

518
00:25:04,425 --> 00:25:07,495
When I'm talking to people, even though I love to talk, I was a radio

519
00:25:07,495 --> 00:25:11,205
host for three years, I could talk for three hours, I don't need backup.

520
00:25:11,685 --> 00:25:15,665

But I want to, I want to learn from people
like I want to hear what your world is,

521

00:25:15,695 --> 00:25:20,165
what you do for a living, where you're
from and what, what do they eat there?

522

00:25:20,414 --> 00:25:24,655
You know, I think that's part of
it too, is just loving to learn.

523

00:25:24,975 --> 00:25:25,294
All right,

524

00:25:25,294 --> 00:25:26,735
well, I want to take it into the game.

525

00:25:26,735 --> 00:25:29,594
Lisa and you had been waiting
all these years to play Jeopardy.

526

00:25:29,745 --> 00:25:33,014
You come into the quarterfinals,
you're up against Brian Baumgartner

527

00:25:33,014 --> 00:25:37,804
and Timothy Simons, and you pull off a
runaway, you head into final jeopardy.

528

00:25:37,824 --> 00:25:41,645
It doesn't even matter if you come up
with a correct response, but you do.

529

00:25:42,134 --> 00:25:43,285
And you're a champion forever.

530

00:25:43,535 --> 00:25:44,555
You're a jeopardy champion.

531

00:25:45,254 --> 00:25:46,905
And I was, I was fine with that.

532

00:25:46,905 --> 00:25:48,384
I was like, okay, I'm good now.

533
00:25:48,814 --> 00:25:49,534
I won one.

534
00:25:49,855 --> 00:25:50,765
I'm, I'm happy.

535
00:25:51,225 --> 00:25:54,835
I thought that it was crazy because
at the beginning, as you say,

536
00:25:55,065 --> 00:25:56,395
I didn't figure out the button.

537
00:25:56,814 --> 00:26:01,014
Until I think maybe halfway through
the second round and then there were

538
00:26:01,014 --> 00:26:04,845
just a couple of real kind of lucky.

539
00:26:04,885 --> 00:26:09,315
I think a daily double and then Tim
got one wrong, but it helped me.

540
00:26:09,315 --> 00:26:11,865
I want to say it was, um, Bores, Bores.

541
00:26:14,335 --> 00:26:16,065
So he said Bores poor.

542
00:26:16,274 --> 00:26:20,975
I would never have remembered Bores my I'm
sorry, dad, but I wouldn't have remembered

543
00:26:21,014 --> 00:26:23,225
Bores, but I, I knew it had to run.

544
00:26:23,254 --> 00:26:25,635
That's where the historic

gameplay comes in.

545

00:26:25,835 --> 00:26:27,455

So that's what gave me Bores poor.

546

00:26:27,455 --> 00:26:30,895

So I think there were a couple of
lucky things that gave me that runaway.

547

00:26:31,215 --> 00:26:34,575

But I tell you what,
going into that last one.

548

00:26:34,935 --> 00:26:38,925

I didn't know that I had it in the
bag, and that I just had to be careful.

549

00:26:39,245 --> 00:26:43,835

Like, and finally I went, oh, oh, I
just have to not be a dope when I bet.

550

00:26:44,094 --> 00:26:48,424

So then your semi final, Mira Sorvino, who
took down Peter Schrager in her quarter

551

00:26:48,424 --> 00:26:49,994

final, like a very, very good Jeopardy!

552

00:26:49,995 --> 00:26:54,855

player, and then Utkar Shambhudkar,
another comic, comedic actor,

553

00:26:54,875 --> 00:26:59,095

very, very smart guy, uh, and
once again, triple Jeopardy!

554

00:26:59,345 --> 00:27:02,235

The Daily Doubles, that's
where you come into your own.

555

00:27:02,785 --> 00:27:07,035

Yeah, it was wild because, you
know, there's a time in my head

556

00:27:07,235 --> 00:27:09,005
where I'm super competitive.

557

00:27:09,315 --> 00:27:12,035
And I'm like, oh God, you
know, she's pulling ahead.

558

00:27:12,214 --> 00:27:15,575
And then I know that if I panic,
that's what's going to block me.

559

00:27:15,585 --> 00:27:16,705
It's going to get in the way.

560

00:27:16,934 --> 00:27:20,995
Instead of just let the answer
come and go with my first thought.

561

00:27:21,365 --> 00:27:23,495
Because there were times
when I had a first thought.

562

00:27:23,785 --> 00:27:24,865
And I knew it was right.

563

00:27:25,055 --> 00:27:26,745
And then I went, no, maybe it's this.

564

00:27:26,745 --> 00:27:28,325
And then I blurt out Chattanooga.

565

00:27:28,355 --> 00:27:31,745
And my girlfriend, my best
friend, Elaine Hendricks, the mean

566

00:27:31,745 --> 00:27:33,035
girlfriend on the parent trap.

567

00:27:33,324 --> 00:27:38,474
She's texting me in real time going,
you were just there Chattanooga.

568

00:27:38,515 --> 00:27:39,465

She's from Tennessee.

569

00:27:39,755 --> 00:27:41,645

I was like, I know, I
know it was Nashville.

570

00:27:41,665 --> 00:27:44,215

I know it was, I just,
I second guessed myself.

571

00:27:44,605 --> 00:27:48,545

So I think you just have to kind of relax
into it and let the gameplay happen.

572

00:27:48,545 --> 00:27:51,665

And that's what the later
rounds were for, for me in that.

573

00:27:51,885 --> 00:27:55,485

But, but I did get to a point
where I was like, you know what?

574

00:27:55,504 --> 00:27:56,224

It's okay.

575

00:27:56,445 --> 00:27:57,945

Mira Sorbino speaks Mandarin.

576

00:27:58,125 --> 00:27:59,425

Like everybody knows she's a genius.

577

00:27:59,704 --> 00:28:04,345

If she wins, I'm not going to look
like a jerk if Mira takes this one.

578

00:28:04,514 --> 00:28:05,625

Like, it'll be okay.

579

00:28:05,655 --> 00:28:06,645

Lisa, relax.

580

00:28:06,645 --> 00:28:07,225

It'll be okay.

581

00:28:07,405 --> 00:28:09,055

And once I relaxed, it was actually.

582

00:28:09,294 --> 00:28:09,854

Much better.

583

00:28:09,904 --> 00:28:13,394

Well, when you had that slight lead heading into Final Jeopardy, we revealed a

584

00:28:13,394 --> 00:28:15,664

category and it's award winning actresses.

585

00:28:15,725 --> 00:28:18,144

And of course, you're up next to an Oscar winner.

586

00:28:18,354 --> 00:28:19,344

And here comes the clue.

587

00:28:19,804 --> 00:28:24,004

You know, her 2019 Oscar win and 2021 Emmy win were both

588

00:28:24,014 --> 00:28:25,444

for portraying a British queen.

589

00:28:25,834 --> 00:28:29,425

You're thinking, Wait, she's gonna get this, but you know

590

00:28:29,425 --> 00:28:31,274

it, which was Olivia Colman.

591

00:28:31,455 --> 00:28:33,354

She doesn't know it, and you win!

592

00:28:34,495 --> 00:28:35,954
Unbelievable, and guess what?

593
00:28:35,965 --> 00:28:39,174
The first thought that popped into
my mind on this one was Helen Mirren.

594
00:28:39,235 --> 00:28:39,864
Ah.

595
00:28:39,914 --> 00:28:43,975
But then I said, nope, she
didn't win an Oscar recently.

596
00:28:43,984 --> 00:28:46,384
That was, the Queen was years ago,
and I don't remember if she won,

597
00:28:46,384 --> 00:28:50,215
but I know Olivia Colman won for
the favorite, and then that brought

598
00:28:50,215 --> 00:28:51,614
me to she was also in The Crown.

599
00:28:52,254 --> 00:28:55,764
So, I thought Olivia Colman first for
the favorite, and then I knew I was

600
00:28:55,764 --> 00:28:58,084
right, but what did I know if they
were going to get it right or wrong?

601
00:28:58,304 --> 00:28:58,764
Lucky!

602
00:28:58,834 --> 00:28:59,735
Well, not lucky.

603
00:28:59,804 --> 00:29:00,735
You gotta No.

604

00:29:00,745 --> 00:29:03,294
When you know the answer to final
as you proved you did again and

605
00:29:03,294 --> 00:29:04,294
again and again, it helps you.

606
00:29:04,485 --> 00:29:06,964
Uh, post game, you said
two things that struck me.

607
00:29:06,965 --> 00:29:10,225
One, my mom would be so proud of
me for being confident, having fun

608
00:29:10,225 --> 00:29:11,415
with it, and just going for it.

609
00:29:11,810 --> 00:29:14,700
That was obviously clearly the emotion
was written on your face and all the

610
00:29:14,700 --> 00:29:15,920
memories of watching with your mother.

611
00:29:16,190 --> 00:29:18,240
And then this wonderful
interaction with Ken.

612
00:29:18,400 --> 00:29:20,759
Ken says, Lisa Anne, how will
you prepare for the finals?

613
00:29:20,780 --> 00:29:23,820
You say, I'll be learning the capitals
of everything in the entire world.

614
00:29:23,959 --> 00:29:27,049
And in the meantime, I hope to get
a handsome husband like Mira has.

615
00:29:27,880 --> 00:29:30,000
Ken says, I wish you

luck in both pursuits.

616

00:29:30,000 --> 00:29:31,859

I

617

00:29:31,939 --> 00:29:32,544

just want to know.

618

00:29:32,685 --> 00:29:33,615

Is Ken single?

619

00:29:34,725 --> 00:29:38,045

Well, you know, he's married to his high school sweetheart and

620

00:29:38,055 --> 00:29:41,405

they are still together today with their two beautiful children.

621

00:29:41,845 --> 00:29:42,325

Oh, wow.

622

00:29:42,394 --> 00:29:42,835

I know.

623

00:29:42,915 --> 00:29:43,175

I know.

624

00:29:43,224 --> 00:29:44,893

Well, I'm glad they made it.

625

00:29:44,893 --> 00:29:46,104

Yeah, they've made it.

626

00:29:46,104 --> 00:29:49,574

But, you know, let's talk about Mira's husband, because her whole family was

627

00:29:49,574 --> 00:29:51,564

in the audience and they are beautiful.

628

00:29:52,285 --> 00:29:53,014
Oh, my God.

629
00:29:53,174 --> 00:29:53,684
Like, they were.

630
00:29:53,854 --> 00:29:57,494
What's the line from, uh, Steel
Magnolias, it's like they're

631
00:29:57,524 --> 00:29:59,254
carved out of cream cheese.

632
00:30:00,184 --> 00:30:01,984
I mean, they're just,
they're all stunning.

633
00:30:01,994 --> 00:30:02,704
They're absolutely beautiful.

634
00:30:03,185 --> 00:30:03,915
Beautiful.

635
00:30:04,145 --> 00:30:05,985
And, and of course, Mira is too.

636
00:30:05,995 --> 00:30:07,085
Lovely family.

637
00:30:07,345 --> 00:30:08,625
She's lov and they were all there.

638
00:30:08,665 --> 00:30:12,175
I literally looked out in the crowd
like, why is my family not here?

639
00:30:13,355 --> 00:30:16,044
Why, why are they too busy
to come to Mommy's Jeopardy?

640
00:30:16,275 --> 00:30:20,154
Yes, but then we knew you were coming back

because, you know, you had a few minutes

641

00:30:20,155 --> 00:30:24,575
to revel in your semi final win and then,
of course, you're headed to the finals.

642

00:30:24,645 --> 00:30:26,135
A million dollars on the line.

643

00:30:26,415 --> 00:30:29,215
What was that time in between
those two games like for you?

644

00:30:29,430 --> 00:30:29,710
It was

645

00:30:29,720 --> 00:30:30,360
hard.

646

00:30:30,780 --> 00:30:32,630
It was, I was really excited.

647

00:30:32,690 --> 00:30:34,100
I was super excited.

648

00:30:34,470 --> 00:30:37,070
And of course thinking,
what am I going to wear?

649

00:30:37,320 --> 00:30:38,390
By the way, bad choice.

650

00:30:38,659 --> 00:30:40,690
I picked a bad choice of what to wear.

651

00:30:40,720 --> 00:30:46,259
I picked a leather jacket, which
looked great, but it doesn't breathe

652

00:30:46,260 --> 00:30:47,509
and you're under the hot lights.

653
00:30:47,590 --> 00:30:50,550
And I was literally, I was not drop sweat.

654
00:30:50,790 --> 00:30:51,260
It was.

655
00:30:51,430 --> 00:30:52,690
fake leather sweat.

656
00:30:52,780 --> 00:30:53,100
Yeah.

657
00:30:53,100 --> 00:30:56,140
And I was like, it was a bad
choice for that entire round.

658
00:30:56,190 --> 00:31:02,770
But, um, I was nervous in that I
wanted to show well, I had no idea

659
00:31:02,790 --> 00:31:08,380
how the other two were going to play
because I hadn't seen their game yet.

660
00:31:08,449 --> 00:31:09,059
Remember?

661
00:31:09,490 --> 00:31:12,730
So I didn't know what they
were like to play against.

662
00:31:13,200 --> 00:31:15,340
I knew there were a couple of
people that were super smart.

663
00:31:15,340 --> 00:31:16,300
And of course I know.

664
00:31:16,690 --> 00:31:21,670
You know, Mira from before, that's why I
knew she was going to be party competition

665
00:31:21,670 --> 00:31:24,310
because we had done events together.

666
00:31:24,310 --> 00:31:28,390
And I knew that she had all this history
of education, but I didn't know what

667
00:31:28,390 --> 00:31:29,769
the other two were going to be like.

668
00:31:30,425 --> 00:31:32,205
They were tougher than I imagined.

669
00:31:32,315 --> 00:31:32,935
I don't think

670
00:31:32,935 --> 00:31:34,575
you'd met Katie Nolan before.

671
00:31:34,965 --> 00:31:35,405
No.

672
00:31:35,455 --> 00:31:36,915
Had you met Mo Rocca before?

673
00:31:37,325 --> 00:31:41,675
No, but we have such kind of a similarity
in our backgrounds that we exchanged

674
00:31:41,675 --> 00:31:44,834
information and we're gonna get
together the next time I'm in New York.

675
00:31:44,845 --> 00:31:45,085
He's

676
00:31:45,085 --> 00:31:45,394
a doll.

677
00:31:45,394 --> 00:31:45,754
Yeah.

678
00:31:46,104 --> 00:31:51,375
I know that Katie and Mo, having spoken
to both of them since Just came into

679
00:31:51,375 --> 00:31:54,975
this with enormous respect for you,
left with even more respect for you.

680
00:31:55,555 --> 00:31:59,364
Um, and one of the elements of
Jeopardy that I really enjoy, I enjoy

681
00:31:59,364 --> 00:32:02,584
it in elite Jeopardy competition,
I enjoyed in celebrity Jeopardy, is

682
00:32:02,585 --> 00:32:06,424
what we tend to see is this wonderful
fraternity and sorority between our

683
00:32:06,424 --> 00:32:08,994
players who respect each other a lot.

684
00:32:09,024 --> 00:32:12,545
And that was just really at play during
the entire final between the three of you.

685
00:32:13,005 --> 00:32:14,035
Oh, a hundred percent.

686
00:32:14,045 --> 00:32:17,985
I mean, we have great affinity and
respect for each other, not just as

687
00:32:18,155 --> 00:32:22,675
fellow nerds, smart people, but you
know, as performers too, and as people.

688
00:32:22,875 --> 00:32:25,755
Katie's gameplay in the,
in the semifinals, she's

689

00:32:25,765 --> 00:32:28,374
so funny and so delightful.

690

00:32:28,675 --> 00:32:32,825
Like you just go, I
really enjoy these people.

691

00:32:32,825 --> 00:32:34,225
Like I could hang out with them.

692

00:32:34,415 --> 00:32:37,675
I count myself a miraculous event.

693

00:32:38,200 --> 00:32:41,300
That I wound up winning
at all, as you know.

694

00:32:41,390 --> 00:32:41,690
Well, we

695

00:32:41,690 --> 00:32:41,800
do.

696

00:32:41,930 --> 00:32:43,330
We head into Final Jeopardy.

697

00:32:43,340 --> 00:32:44,410
You are in third place.

698

00:32:44,430 --> 00:32:48,000
Mo had that huge daily double, so
he's got a slight lead over Katie.

699

00:32:48,000 --> 00:32:51,659
And, you know, hey, you're gonna go home
with a lot of money for charity still.

700

00:32:52,020 --> 00:32:54,690
We reveal the category Literary Clichés.

701

00:32:55,260 --> 00:32:59,840

Many mystery fans blame The Door,
a 1930 Mary Roberts Reinhardt

702

00:32:59,870 --> 00:33:04,420
novel in which a servant kills a
nurse, for this four word cliché.

703

00:33:04,830 --> 00:33:06,410
How quickly did it come to you?

704

00:33:06,580 --> 00:33:08,270
Tell me what's happening
in those 30 seconds.

705

00:33:08,290 --> 00:33:08,970
Good luck, players.

706

00:33:09,549 --> 00:33:10,209
Immediately.

707

00:33:10,650 --> 00:33:11,040
Wow.

708

00:33:11,410 --> 00:33:12,150
immediately.

709

00:33:12,230 --> 00:33:12,760
Servant.

710

00:33:13,260 --> 00:33:13,980
The butler did it.

711

00:33:14,370 --> 00:33:14,770
Wow.

712

00:33:14,990 --> 00:33:15,440
That's it.

713

00:33:15,470 --> 00:33:16,490
It's a cliché.

714

00:33:16,490 --> 00:33:17,200
It's a joke.

715
00:33:17,250 --> 00:33:22,720
Cliche that as a as a creator, a show
writer, you know, the butler did it.

716
00:33:23,069 --> 00:33:28,789
And my mother was a huge
mystery novel fanatic.

717
00:33:29,260 --> 00:33:32,639
Like she would reread mysteries
and just and I'm like, Ma,

718
00:33:32,639 --> 00:33:33,629
didn't you read that before?

719
00:33:33,629 --> 00:33:36,270
She's like, Yeah, but
it's been like 10 years.

720
00:33:37,385 --> 00:33:37,995
read it again.

721
00:33:38,225 --> 00:33:41,545
So I think the combination and that's
actually made me very emotional

722
00:33:41,545 --> 00:33:46,554
because, you know, I, I was very
close to my mom and she passed right

723
00:33:46,554 --> 00:33:48,855
after we shot the pilot of Abbott.

724
00:33:48,884 --> 00:33:51,225
So she hasn't gotten to
see the success for me.

725
00:33:51,395 --> 00:33:54,524
She was always worried about me
because I'm a single mom raising four

726

00:33:54,524 --> 00:33:56,615
kids in Los Angeles, very expensive.

727

00:33:57,065 --> 00:34:01,025
And I wish that she could have
seen some of this success.

728

00:34:01,395 --> 00:34:05,445
But on that one, everyone goes, Oh, you
feel them around you when they pass.

729

00:34:05,705 --> 00:34:10,145
I never have until Jeopardy,
until Final Jeopardy.

730

00:34:10,805 --> 00:34:14,105
I mean, literally it was like my mother
saying to me, it's a Butler did it.

731

00:34:14,274 --> 00:34:15,975
And then I went, okay, thanks

732

00:34:15,975 --> 00:34:16,225
mom.

733

00:34:16,650 --> 00:34:21,790
Well, the Alex Trebek stage is a very
special, it's a magical, uh, place.

734

00:34:21,930 --> 00:34:25,820
It's, uh, I felt the presence of
my own parents there, occasionally.

735

00:34:25,870 --> 00:34:27,530
Um, so it's a, it's a really

736

00:34:27,530 --> 00:34:28,100
special place.

737

00:34:28,360 --> 00:34:31,449
I just want to take it back real quick

to Final Jeopardy, because it came to

738

00:34:31,450 --> 00:34:36,710
you so fast, but you were the only one
who had the correct response, so in that

739

00:34:36,710 --> 00:34:40,800
moment, were you thinking, of course
they got it right, and Moe's taking this?

740

00:34:40,860 --> 00:34:41,220
Yep.

741

00:34:41,770 --> 00:34:42,350
100%.

742

00:34:42,865 --> 00:34:43,685
100%.

743

00:34:44,025 --> 00:34:47,655
There was not a second where I
thought, I've got it in the bag.

744

00:34:47,965 --> 00:34:50,095
And so I thought, oh, this was great.

745

00:34:50,125 --> 00:34:52,785
At least I'm, at least I'm
acquitting myself well.

746

00:34:53,115 --> 00:34:55,605
In the final Jeopardy, I'm
not going to look like a dope.

747

00:34:55,905 --> 00:34:56,644
I got it right.

748

00:34:57,415 --> 00:34:59,595
And it was Katie first, after me.

749

00:34:59,654 --> 00:35:01,395
And I went, oh, wow.

750

00:35:02,014 --> 00:35:03,744

And I was like, okay,
Mo's going to get it.

751

00:35:04,115 --> 00:35:09,065

And then, n no, and I literally,
I think I started shaking.

752

00:35:09,645 --> 00:35:10,045

You did.

753

00:35:11,215 --> 00:35:13,434

And I think you mouthed,
I'm going to faint.

754

00:35:13,925 --> 00:35:15,885

I, I felt, my knees got a little weird.

755

00:35:16,055 --> 00:35:20,014

Listen, I need to go back to my days as
a pom pom girl when we used to compete.

756

00:35:20,015 --> 00:35:22,744

To remember to bend my
knees a little bit so

757

00:35:22,744 --> 00:35:23,435

I didn't go down.

758

00:35:23,705 --> 00:35:26,389

And it was also the pleather, you
had the pleather sweats going on too.

759

00:35:26,389 --> 00:35:26,871

I had

760

00:35:26,871 --> 00:35:27,594

the pleather sweats.

761

00:35:27,985 --> 00:35:32,305

The world started spinning, and I heard

my mom's voice go and get it together.

762

00:35:32,415 --> 00:35:32,595

You

763

00:35:32,595 --> 00:35:35,855

also became emotional when you spoke afterwards about how much it

764

00:35:35,855 --> 00:35:38,435

meant to you to be able to support the Entertainment Community Fund.

765

00:35:38,885 --> 00:35:41,505

Um, this idea that all people who work in the entertainment

766

00:35:41,505 --> 00:35:43,415

community are rich and successful.

767

00:35:43,695 --> 00:35:47,395

Uh, it means so much to you to make that money for, uh, for the fund and

768

00:35:47,415 --> 00:35:50,715

for the industry, for your colleagues and co workers who mean so much to you.

769

00:35:51,460 --> 00:35:52,210

100%.

770

00:35:52,250 --> 00:35:55,330

I've seen that some of the other people that played this season,

771

00:35:55,560 --> 00:35:59,110

because obviously the labor action is so hard on so many people.

772

00:35:59,340 --> 00:36:04,539

And, and as you say, people think of actors as all of the big, the A listers

773

00:36:04,540 --> 00:36:08,379
and most actors are background and day
players and people that are struggling

774

00:36:08,379 --> 00:36:12,480
to make a living wage, just even if
they're working week after week, just like

775

00:36:12,480 --> 00:36:14,230
anybody, people are doing second jobs.

776

00:36:14,710 --> 00:36:17,280
You know, gig employees
to keep their lives going.

777

00:36:17,430 --> 00:36:20,480
And of course our, our
business is, um, no different.

778

00:36:20,800 --> 00:36:23,990
And the labor action
made it really difficult.

779

00:36:24,009 --> 00:36:29,089
So we had a fund going for our Abbott
crew that I gave all my residual money to.

780

00:36:29,089 --> 00:36:34,360
But this is for everybody that, that
entertainment community fund is for IOTC

781

00:36:34,380 --> 00:36:37,700
for all the people that do the rigging
and the makeup and the lights and the.

782

00:36:37,995 --> 00:36:41,325
You know, all of it, transportation,
all the people that are out

783

00:36:41,375 --> 00:36:42,985
of work when we go down.

784

00:36:43,275 --> 00:36:44,155
It's really nice.

785
00:36:44,385 --> 00:36:48,505
They reached out with a little email
and they're going to have me come in

786
00:36:48,505 --> 00:36:52,005
and look at some of the programs that
they're doing that this money can help.

787
00:36:52,045 --> 00:36:53,215
And they were real specific.

788
00:36:53,245 --> 00:36:56,964
They were like, this will provide
housing for seniors for a year.

789
00:36:57,195 --> 00:37:01,175
All of our seniors that are, that
look to entertainment community,

790
00:37:01,385 --> 00:37:02,845
that million dollars will do that.

791
00:37:03,205 --> 00:37:03,755
So

792
00:37:03,815 --> 00:37:06,715
I know that you're getting ready
to shoot Abbott Elementary.

793
00:37:06,745 --> 00:37:09,515
I know that you're so busy Thank
you for taking time for us.

794
00:37:09,515 --> 00:37:10,295
Thank you for taking time.

795
00:37:10,305 --> 00:37:14,514
Thank God We're all back to work and and
Hollywood not back to normal Hollywood

796
00:37:14,514 --> 00:37:18,125
will never be normal, but we're getting
we're getting closer There's really one

797
00:37:18,134 --> 00:37:24,525
final thing for me to do I think you're
aware that Ike Barinholtz will shortly

798
00:37:24,535 --> 00:37:27,730
be competing as celebrity champion.

799
00:37:28,340 --> 00:37:32,600
He is the first celebrity to ever compete
within our tournament of champions.

800
00:37:32,610 --> 00:37:35,730
He'll be taping tournaments of champions
along with our regular Jeopardy!

801
00:37:35,730 --> 00:37:38,530
winners over the next few weeks.

802
00:37:38,590 --> 00:37:41,330
It is my honor to invite you.

803
00:37:41,330 --> 00:37:45,800
It's non binding, Lisa Anne,
but you as a celebrity Jeopardy!

804
00:37:45,810 --> 00:37:51,425
champion are cordially and
respectfully invited To appear in

805
00:37:51,425 --> 00:37:53,065
our next Tournament of Champions.

806
00:37:53,115 --> 00:37:54,315
We would love to have you there.

807
00:37:54,415 --> 00:37:55,235
No pressure.

808
00:37:55,285 --> 00:37:57,175
It is not a requirement.

809
00:37:57,205 --> 00:37:59,985
We're not gonna hold back the
check to your charity for it.

810
00:38:00,215 --> 00:38:03,804
But that's how much we think
about the people who are able

811
00:38:03,804 --> 00:38:05,674
to win Celebrity Jeopardy.

812
00:38:06,250 --> 00:38:08,559
Oh my god, this

813
00:38:08,840 --> 00:38:11,210
has just really made my day.

814
00:38:11,840 --> 00:38:15,250
I'm terrified, but I'm going
to say an immediate yes.

815
00:38:15,400 --> 00:38:20,720
It is my, it will be my honor to
go on your tournament of champions

816
00:38:21,000 --> 00:38:24,489
and lose immediately to the best in

817
00:38:24,489 --> 00:38:25,019
the world.

818
00:38:25,280 --> 00:38:26,410
That sounds similar to what Ike

819
00:38:26,410 --> 00:38:26,710
said.

820
00:38:26,760 --> 00:38:29,900

That's very similar to what
Ike said, but it's uh But we

821
00:38:29,900 --> 00:38:31,430
regard you as fantastic players.

822
00:38:31,430 --> 00:38:32,090
We see the stat.

823
00:38:32,120 --> 00:38:33,740
I know what a competitor you are.

824
00:38:34,000 --> 00:38:37,190
Uh, we feel you as part of the
Jeopardy family, Lisa Anne.

825
00:38:37,190 --> 00:38:38,840
And you will be for us forever.

826
00:38:38,849 --> 00:38:41,400
Thank you for your years of watching.

827
00:38:41,700 --> 00:38:43,950
Um, thank you to your mother too.

828
00:38:44,420 --> 00:38:48,790
Um, and you know, one thing that we love
about the program is that so many people

829
00:38:48,790 --> 00:38:53,600
watch this program intergenerationally, so
many grandparents and parents, you know,

830
00:38:53,600 --> 00:38:55,330
raise their kids in front of this program.

831
00:38:55,330 --> 00:38:58,420
And that means that's a tremendous,
that's not a bad thing about our brand.

832
00:38:58,785 --> 00:39:03,525
Our most experienced viewers are a

wonderful thing about the Jeopardy brand.

833

00:39:03,525 --> 00:39:04,105

So thank you.

834

00:39:04,105 --> 00:39:05,585

We look forward to seeing you back.

835

00:39:06,335 --> 00:39:10,305

I look forward at some point to restarting conversations with you about a talk show.

836

00:39:10,305 --> 00:39:13,124

The irony is that I'm the one hosting the talk show interview

837

00:39:13,135 --> 00:39:15,315

with you, which is very perverse.

838

00:39:15,525 --> 00:39:17,014

Um, but thank you so much.

839

00:39:17,015 --> 00:39:17,805

Have a wonderful day.

840

00:39:17,815 --> 00:39:17,845

You're

841

00:39:18,165 --> 00:39:19,325

so good at it, Michael.

842

00:39:19,325 --> 00:39:21,555

And I would be thrilled to talk to you at any time.

843

00:39:21,575 --> 00:39:23,455

Let's close down another hotel bar.

844

00:39:23,790 --> 00:39:23,980

Um,

845

00:39:25,510 --> 00:39:25,880
thank you.

846
00:39:25,890 --> 00:39:28,040
Welcome to the Jeopardy family forever.

847
00:39:29,640 --> 00:39:31,860
both that you just really made my day.

848
00:39:31,890 --> 00:39:32,490
Thank you.

849
00:39:33,310 --> 00:39:33,940
Whoa.

850
00:39:34,020 --> 00:39:34,599
Look at that.

851
00:39:34,600 --> 00:39:36,440
We are starting a tradition, Sarah.

852
00:39:36,450 --> 00:39:38,919
I didn't tell you I was going to
invite her to the TOC before we did

853
00:39:38,919 --> 00:39:39,199
that.

854
00:39:39,480 --> 00:39:41,120
Um, tell me you were inviting Ike either.

855
00:39:41,120 --> 00:39:42,199
So it's just following the

856
00:39:42,200 --> 00:39:43,770
same tradition, but now it's a tradition.

857
00:39:44,390 --> 00:39:46,630
The celebrity Jeopardy
champion gets the ask.

858

00:39:46,670 --> 00:39:47,710
There's no obligation.

859
00:39:48,055 --> 00:39:51,835
But we, we asked them to come and
play Lisa and Walter will follow

860
00:39:51,845 --> 00:39:53,195
like that will be next year.

861
00:39:53,195 --> 00:39:58,135
Well, later this year for the next
TOC after the one we're about to

862
00:39:58,135 --> 00:39:58,595
produce.

863
00:39:58,845 --> 00:39:59,195
Yes.

864
00:39:59,225 --> 00:40:02,305
And if you're listening, Emma
Stone, as you now see, there

865
00:40:02,305 --> 00:40:04,625
is a path to regular jeopardy.

866
00:40:04,780 --> 00:40:05,030
Yeah.

867
00:40:05,040 --> 00:40:06,250
Through Celebrity Jeopardy.

868
00:40:06,280 --> 00:40:06,630
Yeah, Emma

869
00:40:06,650 --> 00:40:07,980
Stone watches Jeopardy.

870
00:40:08,020 --> 00:40:11,380
I think, uh, I think listening to
Inside Jeopardy may be a step too far.

871
00:40:11,380 --> 00:40:14,500
You think that's, baby, I'm just I
know, she has other things on her mind

872
00:40:14,670 --> 00:40:16,499
during this, uh, Academy Awards season.

873
00:40:16,500 --> 00:40:19,715
Well, yes, under On your nomination, Emma.

874
00:40:19,915 --> 00:40:22,305
Yes, well that brings us
to the end of today's show.

875
00:40:22,315 --> 00:40:23,725
For all of you who are listening.

876
00:40:23,905 --> 00:40:26,205
We're going to be back next
week to highlight the Champions

877
00:40:26,205 --> 00:40:29,175
Wildcard Semifinals and the
2 Day Total Point Affair.

878
00:40:29,495 --> 00:40:32,125
And we're going to speak with the
competition winner right here on the pod.

879
00:40:32,214 --> 00:40:35,254
Can't wait to hear about how they
feel they've punched their ticket

880
00:40:35,254 --> 00:40:36,915
to the TOC with Ike Bernholtz.

881
00:40:37,494 --> 00:40:40,435
Yep, the Champions Wildcard
Semifinals kick off today.

882
00:40:40,765 --> 00:40:44,055

So be sure to tune in for those
games and join us back here on

883

00:40:44,065 --> 00:40:45,775
Monday for another Inside Jeopardy.

884

00:40:46,025 --> 00:40:46,645
See you all then.

885

00:40:46,795 --> 00:40:46,975
See you

886

00:40:46,975 --> 00:40:47,325
then.