

# TV Comedy

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All shows run 26 to 30 minutes unless noted. Some include original commercials.

Note: The "Volumes" indicate how the episodes are sold 4-to-a-disc on DVD-R. BetaSP and DVCam masters are sold per episode and are not limited to these groupings.

- 2) Adventures of Ozzie & Harriet -- 30 discs = 113 shows
- 7) The Jack Benny Show -- 6 discs = 24 episodes  
    Bonus disc -- Jack Benny Visits Walt Disney
- 9) I Married Joan -- 6 discs = 24 episodes
- 11) The Beverly Hillbillies -- 13 discs = 52 episodes
- 14) George Burns and Gracie Allen -- 3 discs = 13 episodes
- 15) The Lucy Show -- 7 discs = 30 episodes
- 17) The Red Skelton Show -- 5 discs = 20 episodes
- 19) Private Secretary -- 4 discs = 16 episodes
- 21) Colgate Comedy Hour (with Abbott and Costello) -- 5 discs with 10 hour shows
- 22) Trouble With Father (The Stu Irwin Show) -- 5 discs / 20 episodes
- 24) The Bob Cummings Show (Love That Bob) -- 5 discs = 20 shows
- 26) Petticoat Junction -- 5 discs / 20 shows
- 28) Christmas TV Shows -- 6 discs / 24 shows
- 30) My Little Margie -- 6 discs / 24 shows

## Ozzie & Harriet Shows --

The shows that run 28-29 min. contain the original commercials. The shorter shows do not have commercials. Ricky sings in some episodes that are not noted.

Vol. 1

**SUGGESTION BOX:** Ozzie builds a suggestion box so each of the family can write down how they feel about the others. Original air date 11/20/53. 29:22

**THE LAW CLERK:** Dave wants to get a job as a law clerk based on his own merit, but finds that everyone is out to help him. Original air date 10/21/59. 29:14

**BUILT-IN TV SET:** Ozzie gets nothing but trouble when Joe gives him an old TV set. Guest Star: Alvy Moore. 5/10/61. Ricky sings "Traveling Man." 24:56

Vol. 2:

**LAMP FOR DAVE AND JUNE:** June just has to have a new lamp but Dave says they don't have enough money. Original air date 2/1/62. 29:10

**NO NEWS FOR HARRIET:** Harriet is disappointed because Ozzie forgets to tell her anything that happens during his day. Enter Joe Randolph with a suggestion: make up stuff! Original air date 6/8/60. 29:20

**OZZIE, JOE AND THE FASHION MODELS:** While on a fishing trip, Ozzie and Joe are joined by two models doing a layout for a magazine. 10/2/63. 22:10

Vol. 3:

**THE CAR MIX-UP:** Harriet accidentally drives off in the wrong car! Original air date 1/27/56. 29:23

**THE DUENNA:** When Dave dates a Spanish girl Ozzie goes along to accompany her guardian who's a knockout and very amorous! Guest Stars: Lucita, Lina Romay. Original air date 2/6/57. 29:20

**THE DANCING LESSON:** To surprise the girls at the Womens Club Dance Night, Ozzie and Joe secretly take dancing lessons from two beautiful instructors. Guest Stars: Mary Jane Croft, Juli Reding, Lola Valadez. 9/28/61. 22:00

Vol. 4:

**TUTTI-FRUTTI ICE CREAM:** After reading an article about a policeman finding a lost boy and giving him tutti-frutti ice cream, the Nelson family go on a madcap search all over town to find that particular flavor, and eventually get lost! Original air date 12/11/57. 29:18

**ROAD RACE:** Ozzie pits his junky jalopy against David & Ricky's hot rod. Original air date 1/8/58. 29:17

**DECORATING DAVE'S OFFICE:** After June gets the bug to re-decorate Dave's office, he tries to find a way to tell her he has hired a professional (and female!) decorator. Guest Star: Sally Kellerman. 3/21/63. 22:33

Vol. 5:

**THE MAGIC OF THREE:** Oz and his friends become waiters at the women's club banquet. With original commercials. 5/21/58. 28:16

**THE EXPLODING BOOK:** Dave and Rick plan revenge on Wally who gave David a gag gift to give to his girlfriend. Guest Star: Luana Patten. With original commercials. 3/14/59. Ricky sings "You Tear Me Up." 29:18

**THE BIRD'S NEST:** A robin builds a nest in the Nelson's broken rain gutter. 5/7/54. 24:45

Vol. 6:

**THE BRIDGE GROUP:** Ozzie tries to change his routine then feels left out when the new neighbor takes his place with the guys. With original commercials. Guest Stars: Steve Brodie, Gordon Jones. 6/4/58. 29:17

**DAVID THE SLEUTH:** Dave plays detective in order to follow a sinister character. 11/18/59. 29:17

**THE READING ROOM:** Ozzie tries to get Harriet, Dave and Rick to do more reading. 2/20/57. 26:47

Vol. 7:

**A LETTER ABOUT HARRIET:** Harriet and Clara want their men to enter a newspaper contest; writing an essay on "Why I Love My Wife". Original air date 4/1/64. 27:50

**THE PETITION:** Dave and Ricky investigate a suspicious law client, but they need her signature to verify she is who she says she is. Original air date 1/6/65. 29:00

**OLD BAND PAVILLION:** Ozzie tries to start a band at the men's club to give a concert in the park. Guest Stars: Edgar Buchanan, Hal Smith. 2/26/58. 26:30

Vol. 8:

**THE PAJAMA GAME:** Ozzie & Thorny both get locked out of their house in their pajamas. Original air date 4/1/55. 29:23

**A BALL OF TIN FOIL:** Ozzie rents a trailer to clear the garage of all the junk, but the small job quickly turns into something bigger. Original air date 11/25/55. 29:22

**A DAY IN BED:** Ozzie decides to stay home in bed for one whole day to relax. 3/23/56. 23:54

Vol. 9:

**OZZIE'S TRIPLE BANANA SURPRISE:** Ozzie has a restless night after eating two huge Triple Banana Surprise sundaes, and dreams about some strange phone calls...or is it a dream? Original air date 11/20/57. 29:16

**RICK GETS EVEN:** Rick borrows David's car just in time for a pretty girl to smash up the fender! She facetiously offers to be Rick's "slave" to pay off the debt, but to her chagrin, Rick accepts her offer. Guest Star: Tuesday Weld. Original air date 12/16/59. Ricky sings "Somebody." 29:16

**TWO SMALL BOYS AND A DOG:** Dave has a problem when their little friends Steve and Barry find a dog and insist that Dave decides which one gets to keep him. Guest Stars: Barry Livingstone, Roberta Shore, Joe Flynn. 2/15/61. 25:43

**SEA CAPTAIN:** A sea captain, old buddy of Ozzie's from Rutgers, comes to visit. 10/7/1959

Vol. 10:

**DAVE AND THE FRATERNITY LEASE:** The lease on the fraternity house is expiring and the landlady wants to turn it into a sorority, so Rick goes to Dave for help. 4/18/63. 22:10

**THE ODD BOLT:** Ozzie finds an odd bolt while cleaning out a chest of drawers and drives himself and everyone else crazy trying to find out where it came from. Original air date 12/10/54. 29:04

**THE INITIATION:** Thorny gets worried when his son is about to be initiated into the guy's club. Thorny's afraid because of Ozzie's hair-raising stories of his old club's initiations. Original air date 3/5/54. 29:22

**THE GIRL WHO LOSES THINGS:** Everywhere Rick goes he keeps bumping into "the girl who loses things." He gets into trouble with his girlfriend Joyce and enlists Wally to bail him out. 1/4/1961

Vol. 11 -- Christmas Specials

**THE GIRL IN THE EMPORIUM:** Ricky and Wally spend all their Christmas shopping money trying to impress a cute girl at the emporium. Original air date 12/14/60.

**THE CHRISTMAS TREE LOT:** Rick and Dave sell Christmas trees to raise the money to buy Ozzie a present. Ozzie sings and plays the guitar! Guest Stars: Gavin Gordon, Barbara Pepper. Rick sings. 12/18/57.

**A BUSY CHRISTMAS** (12/19/1956)

Ozzie is talked into acting as Santa for the Men's Club and also as Scrooge in a short play. He also is asked to sing Christmas Carols with all three things being on the same night. He tries hard to get a Christmas tree and put up decorations on the house but finds it impossible with the other commitments.

**THE LATE CHRISTMAS GIFT** (12/26/1952)

Ozzie and David are recipients of belated Christmas gifts from Grandma Nelson.

Vol. 12:

**DAVE'S GOLF STORY:** Dave hits a hole-in-one while golfing with Wally, who decides to write an article about it in the school newspaper, using himself as the hero. Original air date 3/8/61. 29:20

**A MATTER OF INCHES:** Ozzie promises David he will give him \$50 when he is the same height as Oz. 12/17/54. 22:23

**RICK'S RIDING LESSONS:** Rick gives guitar lessons to a beautiful girl in exchange for riding lessons. Guest Stars: Venetia Stevenson, Ray Teal. Original commercials. Rick sings. 11/19/58. 29:17

**DAVID PICKS UP THE TAB:** David invites the family out for dinner at a nightclub. Original air date 11/21/56. 29:21

Vol. 13:

**BOY'S PAPER ROUTE:** Dave and Ricky try to earn more money by taking paper routes, but Ozzie ends up doing it, and makes a mess of things! Original air date 10/2/53. 26:39

**BARKING DOG:** The neighbor's dog keeps Ozzie awake the night before his fishing trip. Original air date 11/16/61. 29:03

**THE MOTORCYCLE:** Ozzie and Harriet try to talk David out of buying a motorcycle. Guest Star: Lucien Littlefield. With original commercials. 12/10/58. 29:13

**TIGERS GO TO A DANCE** Harriet's women's club is sponsoring a dance for 7-10 yr old girls but can't get any boys to attend. Ozzie bribes the Tigers baseball team (of which he is an honorary member) with new baseball equipment if they will attend and dance with the girls. 11/1/1962

Vol. 14:

**THE BACHELOR:** The story of how Oz, Harriet and Darby get a long-time bachelor friend married. Guest Star: John Archer. With original commercials. 4/16/58. 29:19

**DAVID'S 17th BIRTHDAY:** David invites an "older" girl to his 17th birthday party. While he tries to keep his age a secret, Harriet shows the girl home movies of Dave as a baby! 10/23/53. 26:22

**THE LITTLE BLACK BOX:** After explaining why women are more curious than men, Ozzie is challenged by Harriet and Clara that he can't keep from opening a little black box before Saturday. Original air date 5/13/59. 29:18

**RICK AND THE MAID OF HONOR** Jimmy is getting married to Roberta, but the fraternity brothers kid Jimmy about getting married. 9/27/1962

Vol. 15:

**LITTLE HANDPRINTS IN THE SIDEWALK:** When they re-do their sidewalk, Ozzie and Harriet must try to find a place to keep the cement block with Dave and Ricky's handprints. 4/19/62. 29:03

**JEALOUS JOE RANDOLPH:** When Ozzie helps Clara pick out a fishing pole for Joe's birthday, Joe begins to suspect that Ozzie is running around with his wife. Original air date 2/4/59. 29:14

**HIS BROTHER'S GIRL:** Big trouble when Dave falls for Rick's new girlfriend. Original air date 10/19/60. 22:23

**PAINTING FROM THE PAST** An old girlfriend returns a painting that Rick did for her many years ago. The painting then becomes an object of jealousy between Kris and Rick. Wally to the rescue. 3/17/1965

Vol. 16:

**A ROSE A DAY:** Harriet tells a story of how Ozzie sent her a rose every day when he was away on a trip, but Ozzie doesn't remember doing it, and if he didn't, who did? Original air date 9/22/65. 28:36

**A BEDTIME STORY:** The Dean gets Ricky and his friends to help the school set a record for staying in bed for the longest time. Original air date 3/31/65. 27:08

**A SWEATER FOR RICK:** Rick's girlfriend plans to knit him a sweater for a present. 11/9/60. 29:17

**RICK GROWS A BEARD:** Rick's new beard sets off a 'chin reaction' among his male friends and relatives, who decide to grow their own. 1/20/1965

Vol. 17:

**MANLY ARTS:** Dave and Ricky do some menial tasks for a private investigator, and Mom and Dad begin to worry that they'll get hurt. Original air date 3/29/61. 29:19

**A QUESTION OF SUITS AND TIES:** The girls sorority vows that they will have nothing more to do with Dave and Ricky's frat until they start dressing better. In Black and White. Original air date 4/5/61. 29:13

**DAVID'S ALMOST IN-LAWS:** Ozzie and Harriet think Dave is getting married when they are invited to dinner at a girl's house. 11/23/60. 28:20

**A FRIEND IN NEED:** After Rick lends his buddy \$100, Ozzie begins to wonder if he has any real friends. Guest Star: Hal Smith. 11/16/1960.

Vol. 18:

**FATHER'S NIGHT AT THE FRATERNITY:** Dave, Rick, Wally and the guys plan a Dad's Night to hit them up for money for the fraternity pool. With original commercials. 12/2/59. 29:19

**THE PUPPY:** Trouble starts when the puppy that Ozzie and the boys gave Harriet runs away. 28:07

**THE TABLE AND THE PAINTING:** Joe gives the Nelsons a dreadful table he just made, so to get back at him, the Nelsons give Joe an equally bad painting that Ozzie did. Original air date 11/2/60. 29:18

**RICK COUNTS THE BALLOTS:** Rick has a hard time keeping the results of the prom queen election a secret. 12/28/1960.

Vol. 19:

**RICK'S BROKEN ARM:** Rick pretends to have a broken arm to help out Wally. Now all the girls are so concerned and helpful that he decides to keep the cast on for a while. 3/15/61.

**A LAWNMOWER FOR OZZIE:** It's been a long time since Joe borrowed Ozzie's lawn mower and Ozzie's fed up. With a hacksaw, Oz and Rick try to break into Joe's garage to get it back. Guest Stars: Bill Hummer, Barry Livingston. 12/7/60.

**THE SPECIAL CAKE:** One year ago Dave proposed to June. She thinks he has special plans. He does. A poker game with Rick, Wally and the guys. 1/18/62.

**THE KAPPA GAMMA PARTY** David tries to hold a rush party for his fraternity at the Nelson home--without the rest of the family getting in the way. 10/3/56

Vol. 20:

**AN EVENING WITH HAMLET:** Ozzie & gang read Hamlet. Guest Star: John Carradine, 4/23/54

**HALLOWEEN PARTY:** Halloween with the Nelsons. Guest Star: Jerry Mathers. 10/31/52

**THE PANCAKE MIX:** Ricky plans to make his first million by exploiting the "double your money back" guarantee on a box of pancake mix. Original air date 3/10/53.

**THE NEW CHAIRS:** All Ozzie wants are two new chairs for the living room, but the department store gets the order a little wrong! 9/18/53.

Vol. 21 -

**SEPARATE ROOMS:** When Ozzie advocates for separate bedrooms for the boys, Harriet thinks he is hinting for his own separate bedroom. 2/6/53.

**THE BANJO PLAYERS:** Rick and his band get their first engagement to play at a sorority dance. Ozzie and his friend think they might be able to play banjos at the dance. 10/31/56.

**OZZIE AND THE SPACE AGE:** To win a contest, Oz tries to fake a photo of a flying saucer. 1/28/59.

**THE PENNIES:** Ozzie, entrusted with a jar filled with pennies that the kids in the neighborhood have collected, takes it to a poker game, unaware that the jar contains some scarce and collectible cents. 10/28/64.

Vol. 22:

**RICKY THE MILKMAN:** Rick takes over a friend's milk delivery route as a short-term favor. 12/14/61.

**THE EDITOR:** Harriet becomes editor of the women's club newsletter. 3/27/57.

**OZZIE'S DAUGHTERS:** Ozzie becomes a temporary father to two teenage girl houseguests. 11/5/58.

**PIANO FOR THE FRATERNITY:** The Fraternity needs a piano for their Christmas party. 12/21/60.

Vol. 23:

**Rick Sends a Picture:** Confusion over a picture Rick autographs. 11/15/1962.

**David & the Teenager:** Teenage girl has a crush on David. 2/7/1963.

**The Swami:** Ozzie performs a mind reading act at the women's club dance. 1/8/1964

**A Wife in the Office:** June becomes Dave's secretary while his regular one is on vacation. 2/5/1964.

**Treasurer's Report:** Oz uses Rick's tape recorder to give his report at the men's club. 10/16/1957.

Vol. 24:

**SELLING RICK'S DRUMS:** Dave schemes to sell Rick's drums so he can meet a girl first. 4/19/1961.

**E.S.P.:** Joe and Ozzie fool the girls into thinking they have E.S.P. 4/26/1961.

**JUNE AND THE GREAT OUTDOORS:** David takes June on her first camping trip. 1/10/1963

**THE PUPPY:** Ozzie and the boys give Harriet a puppy and it runs away. 1/16/1957

Vol. 25:

**The Big Dog:** Rick gives Kris a Great Dane for her birthday. 1/27/65.

**The Desk Photo:** Kris decides that Rick should have her picture on his desk. 3/3/65.

**A Hairstyle for Harriet:** Ozzie does his best to keep Harriet from changing her hairstyle. 1/9/57.

**The Jet Pilot:** Ozzie is chosen as the first civilian passenger to fly in a new jet plane. 3/13/57.

Vol. 26:

**Ricky the Drummer:** Ricky starts playing drums for the school dance, but aspires to more. 4/10/1957.

**The Fourteen Mile Hike:** Ozzie's nature hike with a group of boys will prevent him from playing in the golf tournament. 12/4/1957.

**Flying Down to Lunch:** Joe and Ozzie impulsively decide to take a small plane to Mexico for lunch. 11/17/1965.

**Dave Goofs Off:** Dave attempts to impress the senior partner at the law firm. 3/9/1960.

Vol. 27:

**The Pills:** Ozzie takes pills to win a weight losing contest with Thorny. 10/17/1952.

**Ping Pong Tournament:** Ozzie must decide which son to enter the tournament with. 3/19/1954.

**Rick's Raise:** David must decide whether to give Rick a raise at work. 2/17/1965.

**Breakfast for Harriet:** Harriet comes down with a terrible cold and Ozzie plays nursemaid. 2/24/1965.

Vol. 28:

**David Goes Back to Work:** It is Dave's first day back to work after getting married to June. He keeps trying to phone her and even meet for lunch but work keeps getting in the way. 10/26/1961

**The Prowler:** Ozzie pretends to go fishing to avoid playing bridge with Joe and Clara. 10/13/1965.

**A Cruise for Harriet:** Harriet cons Oz into taking her on a cruise instead of fishing. 6/11/1958.

**Rick's Dinner Guest:** Rick invites his girlfriend's family over for dinner on the night of Ozzie's big poker game. 1/21/1959.

Vol. 29:

**The Fraternity Rents Out a Room:** Rick and Wally move into an empty room in the frat house. Guest: Wally Cox. 10/19/1961.

**Making Wally Study:** Rick and the gang have trouble keeping Wally's mind on the books. 2/22/1962.

**The Little Houseguest:** The neighbor's son wants a baby boy to play with but gets a sister. 3/22/1961.

**The Girl That Loses Things:** New girl at school keeps hanging around Rick. Guest: Roberta Shore. 1/4/1961.

Vol. 30:

**Kris Plays Cupid:** Kris tries to get Ginger and Wally back together. 11/25/1964.

**David Hires a Secretary:** David needs a temp while his secretary is on vacation. 11/30/1960.

**Kelly's Important Papers:** Ozzie and Harriet need to deliver papers to David's boss. 3/1/1961.

**An Old Friend of June's:** Dave invites June's old boy friend to dinner, then gets stuck at the office with his beautiful new secretary. 12/13/1962.

# Jack Benny Shows

Vol. 1:

## **Goldie, Fields and Glide**

With Guests Bing Crosby and George Burns.

## **Honolulu Trip**

With guest Marilyn Monroe.

## **Fred Allen Show**

With guests Fred Allen and Edie Cantor

## **How Jack Met Mary**

Flashback to when Jack met his wife Mary Livingstone.

Vol. 2:

## **Humphrey Bogart Show**

## **Jack Casting for TV Special**

## **Jack Alone on New Years Eve**

## **Jack Dreams He's Married to Mary**

Vol. 3:

## **The Liberace Show 1/17/1954**

## **Lunch Counter Murder**

## **New Year's Day Show**

## **Talent Show 1/6/1957**

Vol. 4:

## **Jack Gets Robbed**

Aka, "4 O'Clock in the Morning" show.

## **Jack Rents His House 2/6/1953**

## **Jack's Hong Kong Suit 11/8/1953**

## **Jam Session at Jack's 10/11/1953**

With guests Fred MacMurray, Tony Martin, Dick Powell, Dan Dailey, Kirk Douglas.

Vol. 5:

## **Beverly Hills Police Station 11/18/1956**

Jack's Maxwell is Stolen.

## **Bob Hope Show 5/23/1954**

With Bob Hope, Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis.

## **Christmas Shopping Show 12/15/1957**

With Mel Blanc.

## **Don Wilson's 27th Anniversary with Jack 1/15/1961**

Vol. 6:

## **Dorothy Shay (Hillbilly Show) 11/4/1951**

With Bob Crosby, Mel Blanc.

## **4 O'Clock in Morning Show 2/6/1955**

**Irene Dunne Show** 12/6/1953  
With Irene Dunne, Vincent Price.  
**Johnnie Ray Show** 11/15/1953  
With guests Johnnie Ray, Danny Thomas.

Vol. 7

Bonus Disc: **Jack Benny Hour** Show -- Jack Visits Walt Disney.  
Plus East Seals Teleparade of Stars -- with Jack, Liberace, Bob Crosby and more.

# I Married Joan -- 24 episodes on 6 DVDs

Vol. 1:

## **The Lady & the Prizefighter** (3/2/1955)

Joan enters Wally in a charity fight and he accidentally knocks out a professional boxer.

## **Wall Safe** (10/13/1954)

Joan finds a treasure map in a hidden safe.

## **Joan's Haircut** (7/7/1954)

A disastrous trip to the beauty parlor.

## **Changing Houses** (3/31/1954)

The Stevens family moves from their Early American house to a modern one. Their happiness is short-lived.

Vol. 2:

## **Talent Scout** (6/17/1953)

Joan gets suckered by two phony "Hollywood" talent agents. The judge uses her as bait to catch them.

## **Bad Boy** (1/7/1953)

The Stevens learn parenting when they take a juvenile delinquent into their house.

## **Honeymoon** (6/24/1953)

The judge plays marriage counselor to a couple having problems. He tells them about the honeymoon he and Joan somehow managed to live through.

## **Home Movies** (12/8/1954)

The Stevens get back from their trip to Hawaii.

Vol. 3:

## **New House** (9/29/1954)

The Stevens are ready to move into another house--if only another couple hadn't gotten there first.

## **Neighbors** (6/10/1953)

The Stevens' are delighted to learn that their neighbors, who regularly have parties til 4 A.M., are moving. Joan finds peaceful people to buy the house.

## **Alienation of Affections** (10/20/1954)

Joan innocently comes between a stranger and his wife, who wants to sue Joan.

## **Sister Pat** (11/4/1953)

Joan's teenage sister moves in and takes over the house, so Bradley gets even by inviting all of his cousins over - as many as he can afford to hire, that is!

Vol. 4:

## **Dreams** (12/24/1952)

Joan gets together with three old friends from school. Their success leads her to daydream about what she could have become.

## **The Jail Bird** (3/23/1953)

Joan seems like a kleptomaniac thanks to a sticky-fingered crow she finds in her kitchen.

## **Clothes Budget** 11/3/1954)

Joan spends her entire year's clothing budget on a new evening gown for a charity ball.

## **Brad's Class Reunion** (11/19/1952)

Joan does everything she can to keep Brad from attending his class reunion after discovering an

essay he wrote about a girl in high school.

Vol. 5:

**The Allergy** (2/2/1955)

Joan can't stop sneezing. Her doctor tells her she's allergic to something...or someone. She naturally assumes it's her husband.

**Jealousy** (4/7/1954)

Joan takes home a suave guest lecturer from the Women's Club to get Brad jealous.

**Home of the Week** (3/17/1954)

Joan gets her home photographed, in error, for the Sunday supplement.

**Acrobats** (12/31/1952)

Joan has a run-in with a woman important to Brad's career. She disguises herself when they all have dinner together and gets mixed up with acrobats.

Vol. 6:

**Mabel's Dress** (1/27/1954)

A dress meant for Mable is sent to Joan by mistake.

**Bev's Boyfriend** (12/2/1953)

Joan's little sister Beverly is smitten with a guy who's more interested in his hot rod than her. Cupid

Joan is happy to help.

**Mountain Lodge** (3/10/1954)

When Brad and Joan separately write \$1000 checks on their joint account, something is going to bounce.

**Brad's Broken Toe** (7/8/1953)

Brad calls Joan a hypochondriac, then he breaks a toe and needs her sympathy.

# Beverly Hillbillies

Vol. 1:

## **The Clampett's Strike Oil**

Sep. 26, 1962. In the first episode Jed Clampett strikes oil, sells his land and moves to a 35 room mansion in Beverly Hills.

## **Getting Settled**

Oct. 3, 1962. When they arrive at their new mansion they are mistaken for backwoods servants.

## **Meanwhile, Back at the Cabin**

Oct. 10, 1962. The Clampetts find that the comforts of the mansion do not always compare with the comforts of their shack back home.

## **The Clampetts Meet Mrs. Drysdale**

Oct. 17, 1962. When Mr. Drysdale describes Mrs. Drysdale as being a hypochondriac, the Clampetts assume she must be a drunk.

Vol. 2:

## **Jed Buys Stock**

Oct. 24, 1962. When Drysdale suggest buying good stock, Jed quickly buys some cows, pigs and chickens. Meanwhile, Granny has plans to sober up Mrs. Drysdale, who the family believes is a lush.

## **Trick or Treat**

Oct. 31, 1962. The Clampetts are feeling homesick. They are mostly all alone in Beverly Hills, and none of their neighbors are visiting them. So they decide to go visit their new neighbors. Little do they know, it is Halloween, a holiday they have never heard of.

## **The Servants**

Nov. 7, 1962. Drysdale attempts another step in social renovation of the Clampetts by lending them his servants.

## **Jethro Goes to School**

Nov. 14, 1962. A private school teacher is shocked to learn that her new fifth grade student is Jethro.

Vol. 3:

## **Elly's First Date**

Nov. 21, 1962. Elly May is set up with Sonny Drysdale, who is at first unsure about it until he sees her by the pool. At the mansion, Elly is learning about courting and sparring. When they meet, the date ends very soon, after Sonny tries to kiss Elly's hand, but she thinks he is trying to bite her.

## **Pygmalion and Elly**

Nov. 28, 1962. Sonny Drysdale plays Pygmalion and Julius Caesar as he resumes his courtship of Elly May.

## **Elly Races Jethrine**

Dec. 5, 1962. Will Sonny propose to Elly? Can Pearl marry her daughter off? Utter confusion ensues.

## **The Great Feud**

Dec. 12, 1962. Sonny jilts Elly and the Clampetts load their shootin' irons for a match with the Drysdals.

Vol. 4:

## **Home For Christmas**

Jan. 16, 1963. The Clampetts take their first plane ride for a Christmas visit back home with Cousin Pearl.

## **No Place Like Home**

Dec. 26, 1962. Home for Christmas, the Clampetts help Pearl woo Mr. Brewster, a big oil company executive.

## **Jed Rescues Pearl**

Jan. 2, 1963. Pearl attempts to snag Mr. Brewster until he makes a ridiculous public announcement.

## **Back to California**

Jan. 9, 1963. Jed is confronted with too many cooks when he invites Pearl and Jethrine to Beverly Hills.

Vol. 5:

## **Jed's Dilemma**

Jan. 16, 1963. Jed takes the family on a sight seeing tour of Beverly Hills to cool a feud between Granny and Pearl.

## **Jed Saves Drysdale's Marriage**

Jan. 23, 1963. Drysdale's marriage is threatened when he gets a new housekeeper while his wife is away.

## **Elly's Animals**

Jan. 30, 1963. Police and Elly's animals converge on the Clampett estate when Pearl starts giving yodeling lessons.

## **Jed Throws a Wing Ding**

Feb. 6, 1963. Two of Pearl's ardent suitors come to visit her in Beverly Hills.

Vol. 6:

## **Jed Plays Solomon**

Feb. 13, 1963. Granny's plan to stop Pearl's yodeling backfires when the police come and find her still.

## **Duke Steals a Wife**

Feb. 20, 1963. Duke, Jed's bloodhound, becomes matchmaker for his master and Mlle. Denise, a glamorous Frenchwoman.

## **Jed Buys the Freeway**

Feb. 27, 1963. A confidence man tries to sell Jed the Hollywood Bowl and and Freeway.

## **Jed Becomes a Banker**

March 6, 1963. Jed is made a bank vice president so he can compete in an interbank skeet shoot.

Vol. 7:

## **The Family Tree**

March 13, 1963. An expert on American history finds evidence that Jed's family preceded the Mayflower to America.

## **Jed Cuts the Family Tree**

March 20, 1963. Mrs. Smith Standish is spending more time with the Clampetts, desperate to find out if the Clampetts did in fact precede the 'Mayflower.'

## **Granny's Spring Tonic**

March 27, 1963. It's Spring Tonic time, and Granny hands it around to the family, giving Jed a double dose. While at the bank, Gloria transforms herself from a plain secretary to a gorgeous one, with her sights set on Jed.

## **Jed Pays His Income Tax**

April 3, 1963. Granny thinks a man from the IRS is a revenuer and chases him off with her gun.

Vol. 8:

## **The Clampetts and the Dodgers**

April 10, 1963. Leo Durocher wants to sign Jethro as a pitcher on the Dodgers.

## **Duke Becomes a Father**

April 17, 1963. Jed falls for a beautiful Beverly Hills matron.

## **The Clampetts Entertain**

April 24, 1963. Drysdale comes up for a raise when he lands the Clampett account.

## **The Clampetts in Court**

May 1, 1963. As the Clampetts are going to the bank, a car bumps into them. When the Johnsons in the car learn how much money the Clampetts have, they decide to sue them.

Vol. 9:

## **The Clampetts Get Psychoanalyzed**

May 8, 1963. An unlucky psychiatrist somehow winds up with Jethro as a patient.

## **The Psychiatrist Gets Clampetted**

May 15, 1963. The psychiatrist shows an interest in Granny's mountain remedies.

## **Elly Becomes a Secretary**

May 22, 1963. The Clampetts offer to help out at Drysdale's bank.

## **Jethro's Friend**

May 29, 1963. The Clampetts show Jethro's friend how to have some fun.

Vol. 10:

## **Jed Gets the Misery**

Sep. 25, 1963. Jed is feeling poorly, and the family is worried about him. To make Elly feel better, Jed reveals that he is

faking an illness to please Granny. When Drysdale hears of this, he decides to help out to and fakes sick as well.

### **Hair Raising Holiday**

Oct. 2, 1963. A doctor blows the whistle on Granny's mountain- medicine practice.

### **Granny's Garden**

Oct. 9, 1963. Granny wants to plough the front lawn of the mansion to grow vegetables.

### **Elly Starts to School**

Oct. 16, 1963. Elly May is preparing for her first day of the Willows, a finishing school Mrs. Drysdale recommended where she hopes the girls will offend Elly and run the Clampetts out of town.

Vol. 11:

### **The Clampett Look**

Oct. 23, 1963. A new fashion -- "The Clampett Look" -- comes to Beverly Hills.

### **Jethro's First Love**

Oct. 30, 1963. Jethro falls in love with a stripper named Chickadee Laverne and takes her home to meet the family.

### **Chickadee Returns**

Nov. 6, 1963. Chickadee (Barbara Nichols) returns with a new act.

### **The Clampetts are Overdrawn**

Nov. 13, 1963. Jed's bank statement is switched with an unemployed actor with a similar name.

Vol. 12:

### **The Clampetts Go Hollywood**

Nov. 20, 1963. Jake and Opal Clampett are continuing to stay at the Clampett mansion. Jethro and Elly both decide they want to get in the movie business, and the two get help from Jake and Opal.

### **Turkey Day**

Nov. 27, 1963. Mrs. Drysdale's turkey escapes into the Clampett household and finds a home.

### **The Garden Party**

Dec. 4, 1963. Mrs. Drysdale is having a garden party and tells the Clampetts not to attend. However, they misunderstand and think she wants them to come.

### **Elly Needs a Maw**

Dec. 11, 1963. Jed visits the bank to tell Drysdale that he plans to go back home to look for a wife so Elly May can finally have a mother. Drysdale tries to think of a bride for Jed, and when Mrs. Fenwick visits, he decides that she would be perfect.

Vol. 13:

### **The Clampetts Get Culture**

Dec. 18, 1963. The Clampetts are having no success with getting acquainted with their neighbors. But they change their minds when they finally get the friendly treatment they were looking for - carolers Drysdale and wife, Jane, Mrs. Potts, and Janet Trego.

### **Christmas at the Clampetts**

Dec. 25, 1963. It is Christmas time, and the Clampetts receive beautiful gifts from the Drysdales, including a boat and a television set. However, they mistake the gifts for other things, the TV set for a washing machine, etc.

### **A Man for Elly**

Jan. 1, 1964. Granny loves one TV Western star, Quirt Manly, and Granny already has him set up for Elly May, because she knows he is probably the only who can tame the vine-swinging girl.

### **The Giant Jackrabbit**

Jan. 8, 1964. A kangaroo invades the world of the Clampetts, but Granny thinks it's a big rabbit.

Vol. 14:

### **The Girl From Home**

Jan. 15, 1964. An old beau shows up to marry Jethro for his money.

### **Lafe Lingers On**

Jan. 22, 1964. Lafe Crick returns to the Clampett mansion looking to get rich off of Jed's money. He tries to get a job at the bank guarding Jed's money, only to get a few million of it. Granny has her doubts.

### **The Race for the Queen**

Feb. 5, 1964. Bob Cummings plays himself and must judge a beauty contest.

# Burns & Allen

Live shows from the first two seasons preserved through the Kinescope process. The focus is soft.

Vol. 1:

## **Surprise Birthday Party**

11-8-1951. Gracie plans a surprise party for George's birthday.

## **The Beverly Hills Uplift Society**

10-11-1951. Gracie and her Uplifters Society are locked out of their clubhouse because Gracie forgot to pay the rent.

## **The Kleebob Card Game**

10-12-1950. In the opening episode, Gracie and Blanche want to go to the movies and George and Harry want to go to the fights. George tries to trick Gracie with a made-up card game called "Kleebob".

## **Jack Benny Steals George's Joke**

4-24-1952. A feud between George and Jack Benny is the result of Jack stealing one of George's jokes.

Vol. 2:

## **Harry Morton's Private Secretary**

11-23-1950. When Harry Morton hires a new secretary, Blanche and Gracie suspect that he has hired a beautiful girl.

## **The Property Tax Assessor**

11-9-1950. Gracie finds a dent in the fender of the car. To keep George from noticing, she tries to convince George that the Burns and Mortons should walk to a football game rather than drive.

## **The Income Tax Man**

3-1-1951. The income tax man gets frustrated trying to understand Gracie's tax deductions.

## **Teenage Girl Spends the Weekend**

4-26-1951. Emily Vanderlip stays with the Burns while her parents are out of town and Gracie tries to help her with her schoolwork.

Vol. 3:

## **Space Patrol Kids Visit**

8-16-1951. Trouble starts when Mamie Kelly and her three children park their trailer in the Burns backyard.

## **Free Trip to Hawaii**

10-9-1952. Gracie gets mixed up.

## **Gracie's Checking Account**

12-7-1950. Gracie returns George's Xmas gifts before he has seen them because he always exchanges them anyway. The banker, Mr. Vanderlip has a talk with the Burns about Gracie's odd check writing system.

## **Home Wedding**

9/13/1951. To repay Mrs. Nelson for a tremendous favor she once did for her, Gracie holds a wedding at their home for Mrs. Nelson's daughter.

# **The Lucy Show**

CBS TV Series that ran from 1962 to 1974. Each episode approx. 26 min.

Cast: Lucille Ball, Vivian Vance, Gale Gordon.

Vol 1:

## **Lucy Meets Robert Goulet**

Oct. 30, 1967.

## **Lucy Gets Jack Benny's Account**

Oct. 16, 1967.

## **Lucy the Bean Queen**

Sep. 26, 1966.

## **Lucy Meets Sheldon Leonard**

Mar. 6, 1967.

Vol 2:

## **Viv Visits Lucy**

Jan. 9, 1967. With guest Vivian Vance.

## **Lucy Meets the Law**

Feb. 13, 1967. Lucy jailed.

## **Lucy the Starmaker**

Oct. 2, 1967. With Guest Frankie Avalon.

## **Main Street, USA**

Jan. 23, 1967. Lucy vs. freeway.

Vol 3:

## **Lucy and George Burns**

Sep. 12, 1966. With guest George Burns.

## **Lucy and the Submarine**

Sep. 19, 1966. Lucy sneaks on a sub and it leaves.

## **Lucy and Paul Winchell**

Oct. 3, 1966. Lucy stands in for Paul's dummy.

## **Lucy and the Ring-A-Ding-Ding**

Oct. 10, 1966. Ring gets stuck on her finger.

Vol 4:

## **Lucy Goes to London**

Oct. 17, 1966. Lucy wins a trip to London.

## **Lucy Gets a Roommate**

Oct. 31, 1966. Who turns out to be Carol Burnett!

## **Lucy and Carol in Palm Springs**

Nov. 7, 1966. They attend a golf tournament.

## **Lucy and Phil Silvers**

Dec. 12, 1966. Silvers is efficiency expert.

Vol 5:

**Lucy Gets Caught in the Draft**

Nov. 14, 1966. With Jim Nabors as Gomer Pyle.

**Lucy and John Wayne**

Nov. 21, 1966. Lucy visits Wayne on movie set.

**Lucy and Pat Collins**

Nov. 28, 1966. Lucy runs into hypnotist Pat Collins.

**Lucy and the Monkey**

Dec. 5, 1966. Overworked Lucy thinks Mr. Mooney is a monkey.

Vol 6:

**Lucy's Substitute Secretary**

Jan. 2, 1967. While on vacation, Lucy spies on her replacement secretary.

**Lucy the Baby Sitter**

Jan. 16, 1967. Lucy baby sits for chimps.

**Lucy the Fight Manager**

Feb. 20, 1967. With Don Rickles as former boxer.

**Lucy and Tennessee Ernie Ford**

Feb. 27, 1967. Lucy goes after Ernie's account.

Vol 7:

**Lucy Meets the Berles**

Sep. 11, 1967. With Mr. Milton Berle and wife.

**Lucy Gets Trapped**

Sep. 18, 1967. Lucy skips work but gets her photo in the paper.

**Lucy and the French Movie Star**

Sep. 25, 1967. Lucy gets account of star Jacques DuPre.

**Little Old Lucy**

Oct. 23, 1967. Lucy makes up as old lady to date elderly bank president.

Vol 8:

**Lucy and Viv Put in a Shower**

Jan. 28, 1963. Aka. Lucy the Plumber.

**Lucy's Barbershop Quartet**

Feb. 4, 1963. With guests Vivian Vance and Hans Conreid.

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**Jack Benny Show**

"Goldie, Fields & Glide"

**Jack Benny Show**

"Honolulu Show" with Marilyn Monroe.

# Red Skelton Show

Vol 1:

## **Freddie's Masterpiece**

3-8-1955. Freddie has a valuable Da Vinci painting that art collector Vincent Price craves.

## **Clem's Oil**

1-1-1957. Clem gets rich from oil on his land and puts his girl on TV. Guests Carol Channing, Peter Lorre.

## **Deadeye and the Indians**

2-9-1954. Guest Ed Sullivan.

## **The United Nations Show**

9-27-1960. Red performs solo routines before an audience in the United Nations building.

Vol 2:

## **Clem the Artist**

4-22-1958. Is Clem a great artist? With guests John Caradine and Franklin Pangborn.

## **Freddie and the Spies**

1-13-1959. When a stranger gives Freddie a mysterious box, spies try to steal it. With Edward Everett Horton.

## **Navy Men**

5-15-1956. With guests Buster Crabbe and Jamie Farr.

## **Freddie Needs a Lawyer**

6-12-1962. When Freddie sleeps overnight in the library, he gets arrested and needs lawyer Mickey Rooney.

Vol 3:

## **George Appleby's Garage**

2-21-1958. Guests Mary Beth Hughes, Franklin Pangborn.

## **Mr. Lasagna**

1-1-1955. Guests George Raft and Reginald Denny.

## **Quiz Show: You Take Your Chances**

10-23-1963. Red appears on a quiz show. With guests Marilyn Maxwell, Steve Dunne.

## **The South**

2-27-1962. Guests Charlie Ruggles, Marie Windsor.

Vol 4:

## **Cauliflower Goes to Hollywood**

6-23-1959. McPug tries out for a role as a boxer in a movie directed by Vincent Price.

## **Bolivar's Beauty Salon**

2-4-1958. Guest Nancy Walker.

## **Trailer Park**

1-25-1955. Guests Mary McCarty, Reginald Denny.

## **The Look Awards**

3-8-1955. In a special show Red hands out "Look" magazine awards to Alfred Hitchcock, Walt Disney, Bing Crosby, Judy Garland and others.

Vol 5:

## **Freddie and the Yuletide Doll**

5-15-1956. With guest Cara Williams.

**Cop and the Anthem**

12-21-1954. Freddie tries to get put into prison to have a warm Christmas. Based on a story by O' Henry.

**Thanksgiving Show**

11-20-1956. Red in a skit about the Pilgrims and the first Thanksgiving.

**Nat King Cole Guest**

Singer Nat King Cole is featured along with Skelton comedy skits.

# Private Secretary

Ann Sothern is Susie, private secretary to talent agent Peter Sands (Don Porter), in this delightful series of comic adventures that ran on TV Sunday nights from 1953 to 1957. Susie, with long-suffering receptionist Vi Praskins (Ann Tyrrell), keeps the office of International Artists humming in the world of insecure actors, snobby writers and big-shot producers, while continuing to prove that the employees are often smarter than their employer! "Private Secretary" (AKA "Susie") was nominated for five Emmy Awards and continues to enchant all who come under Susie's lively secretarial spell.

Vol. 1:

**What Every Secretary Knows:** Peter desperately wants to make a deal for two of his rising singing stars with an opera impresario. Susie and the maestro's wife plot to get the two bigheaded big shots together.

**How To Handle a Boss:** Susie busts her writer's block when she asks a reporter friend to "ghost write" an article for her in a magazine. The result lands her in hot water with everybody in the office!

**Not Quite Paradise:** Vi's Aunt Martha gets the crazy idea that her niece and Peter are engaged to be married - and that Susie is the competition that must be eliminated!

**Three's A Crowd:** Susie finds herself in the role of "leading lady" in a love triangle with a new, eager-to-please playwright and a slick Broadway producer.

Vol. 2:

**Cat In A Hot Tin File:** When a stray feline wanders into the office, Vi and Susie try to hide it from Peter and a hysterical, allergic actress. Watch for John Banner (Sergeant Shultz of Hogan's Heroes) as a restaurant owner.

**Dollars and Sense:** After Susie goes on a shopping spree, she begs Vi and Peter to manage her money and keep her on a strict allowance. But the lure of the department store sale can't dampen her spendthrift ways. It takes a sleazy pawnbroker (Mel Welles) to do that!

**Old Dogs, New Tricks:** A snooty child actor needs to be taken down a notch or two - and Susie's just the person to do it!

**That's No Lady, That's An Agent:** Peter becomes smitten with rival talent agent Blanche Colvey (Hillary Brooke) and it's up to Susie to protect her boss from Colvey's cutthroat scheme to steal a big opera star (Sig Ruman) from the agency.

Vol. 3:

## **Two and Two Make Five**

3/3/1957 As Mr. Sands searches for a cartoon voice for a new commercial, Susie faces IRS auditing. Guest: Mel Blanc.

## **Thy Name Is Sands**

3/17/1957 Susie tries to convince Mr. Sands that he needs glasses. Last show in the series.

## **Her Best Enemy**

12/9/1956. Cagey Calhoun schemes to borrow a new contract written by Mr. Sands.

## **The Little Caesar of Bleeker Street**

4/1/1956. When Susie's diamond ring disappears, all clues point to a young shoeshine boy.

Vol. 4:

**Passing the Buck**

4/29/1956. Susie and Mr. Sands let a play slip through their hands when they delay reading it.

**Sow's Ear**

10/14/1956. Susie teaches Cagney Calhoun some manners so he can win more clients, but does not expect him to go after Mr. Sand's prize client/

**Elusive**

6/10/1956. Susi tries to track down a reclusive retired actress to appear in a play.

**The Efficiency Expert**

2/17/1957. Mr. Sands hires an efficiency expert to straighten out his office.

# Colgate Comedy Hour

Vol. 1:

10/19/52 Hosted by Abbott & Costello. With guests Elizabeth Scott, Gisele Mackenzie, Bobby Barber, Milt Bronson, Dudley Dickerson, Sid Fields, The Four Pipers and Al Goodman.

4/26/53 Hosted by Abbott & Costello. With guests Hoagy Carmichael, Teresa Brewer, Amin Brothers acrobats, Sid Fields, The Four Pipers and Al Goodman Orchestra.

Vol. 2:

1/11/53 Hosted by Abbott & Costello.

With guests Victor Borge, Allan Jones, Gisele MacKenzie, The Four Pipers.

4/18/54 Hosted by Abbott and Costello.

With guests Jane Russell, Rhonda Fleming, Connie Haines, Beryl Davis, Nestor Paiva, Benny Rubin, Jim Hayward.

Sketches: Magic Routine, Bud and Lou visit the Latin Country of Bolamania.

Vol. 3:

11/18/51 Hosted by Abbott and Costello. With guests George Raft, Louis Armstrong, Sid Fields, Joe Kirk, The Pied Pipers, Rosette Shaw, Al Goodman.

10/14/1951 Hosted by Abbott and Costello. With guests Phil Regan, Gale Storm, Tony Curtis.

Vol 4:

1/13/52 Hosted by Abbott and Costello. With guests Errol Flynn, Rhonda Fleming, Bruce Cabot, Sid Fields, Joe Kirk, The Pied Pipers, George Raft, Al Goodman.

Sketches: The "Old Niagra Falls" routine.

2/28/54 "ANYTHING GOES"

Special hour version of the stage musical with Ethel Merman, Frank Sinatra, Bert Lahr.

Vol. 5:

3/21/54 Hosted by Abbott & Costello. With guests Les Paul, Mary Ford, Janik & Arnaud, Fred Darian.

5/23/54 Hosted by Abbott and Costello. With guests Hoagy Carmichael, Peggy Lee, Bill Finegan, Peter Leeds, The Pied Pipers, Eddie Sauter.

Who's on First routine as performed by A&C on Colgate Comedy Hour 3/11/1951.

# Trouble with Father

(1950-55) Stu Erwin played a high school principal who balanced his job and his family - his wife June and their two daughters, Joyce and Jackie.

Vol. 1:

## **Many Happy Returns** 6/16/1951

June gets a temporary job at a florist in order to buy Stu a long covered shotgun for his birthday. Her employer turns out to be a bookie and June finds herself in a jam.

## **Father's Pet** 11/28/1952

The family is talked into raising guppies as pets.

## **Business** 2/1/1952

Stu invests his bonus check in a dress store, then must take over managing it.

## **Problem Party** 12/23/1950

Joyce's invitation party turns out to be a real problem when Jackie seeks revenge for not being invited by bringing home a skeleton that gets mixed up with Joyce's boyfriend who is in a skeleton costume. With guest Margaret Hamilton.

Vol. 2:

## **Springtime for Father** 7/14/1951

Stu and Harry decide to go on a camping trip in the North Woods after talking about for years. They spend hundreds on a tent, guns, and other equipment. Meanwhile, June and Adele have their hearts set on a glamorous vacation to New York City.

## **Youth, It's Wonderful** 4/3/1953

June is bitten by a vanity bug and considers anything to roll back the clock on her looks.

## **The Big Game** 12/14/1951

Stu ponders how to avoid vandalism before the big football game, then finds his daughter has a statue belonging to the other team in his basement.

## **Thank You, Mr. Jarvis** 12/9/1950

The Erwins find that a "gentleman's gentleman" is just not for them after they win a most formal and correct English butler.

Vol. 3:

## **Father Gets into the Act** 12/16/1950

Everyone wants to get into the act when a movie company comes to town. After Joyce and Jackie have been snared by a fake drama coach, June goes into his office to tell him off and leaves as another pupil.

## **The French Influence** 3/2/1955

June is convinced her life needs freshness so she takes lessons from a Frenchman.

## **Hate the Sofa** 10/19/1951

Stu get mad at his wife when he sees a couch being delivered to their house thinking that she is spending money they have saved for a vacation.

## **Barbecue** 7/28/1951

Joyce and Nancy's parents interfere in order to help their daughters in their feud over Drexel. The Erwins give a barbecue in order to lure the boy to their house.

Vol. 4:

## **Black Saturday** 3/24/1951

When the neighbors get a dishwasher, June becomes jealous so Stu decides to build her a

dishwasher from of a do-it-yourself kit with help of handyman Willie.

**Pearl Necklace** 4/6/1955

Stu forgets their anniversary at the same time he is hiding a valuable pearl necklace for a friend.

**Fair Exchange** 2/6/1953

Stu brings home a foreign exchange teacher from South America, which precipitates a feud with the neighbors.

**June Goes Back to School**

June and Adele go back to school, and the first class is taught by Stu and Harry.

# The Bob Cummings Show (Love That Bob)

(1955-59) Cast: Bob Cummings, Ann Davis, Dwayne Hickman, Rosemary DeCamp. Cummings plays Bob Collins, a hot photographer we're supposed to believe is a freewheeling playboy, living in squeaky clean 1950s Hollywood. Bob's business consists almost exclusively of shooting glamour girls, who Bob pursues with a singleness of purpose.

## Vol. 1:

### **Bob Judges a Beauty Contest**

12/16/1958. Bob is a judge in an Air Force beauty contest, but they really want Peter Lawford (who guest stars).

### **Bob Gets Harvey a Raise**

3/11/1958. Bob poses as Harvey to secure a big business deal with an out of town buyer.

### **Bob Saves Harvey**

3/18/1958. Bob tries again to land the same buyer.

### **Bob Goes to the Moon**

4/1/1958. Bob tries to impress a girl by telling her he will take a rocket to the moon.

## Vol. 2:

### **Bob and the Ravishing Realtor**

10/14/1958. Bob falls for a beautiful real estate agent that Margaret engages to sell their house.

### **Bob and Schultzy Reunite**

9/23/1958. Schultzy quits to take a job at a rocket factory and Bob hires a ditzy replacement. Both are miserable.

### **Grandpa Attends a Convention**

5/6/1958. Grandpa Collins returns to attend a convention of military buddies.

### **Grandpa's Christmas Visit**

12/22/1952. Bob's grandpa visits and tries to steal Bob's date at a Christmas Eve party.

## Vol. 3:

### **Bob's Forgotten Fiancee**

12/16/1958. Bob's friend tries to convince him he has proposed to a girl, then forgotten it until she shows up to get married.

### **Bob Digs Rock and Roll**

3/11/1958. Chuck asks Bob to help get his girlfriend's mind off a rock and roll singer.

### **Grandpa's Old Buddy**

3/18/1958. Grandpa and his old friend Charlie (Andy Clyde) plan to run off with two of Bob's models.

### **Bob Goes Bird Watching**

6/17/1958. Bob tries to get Bill to sidetrack Pamela so he can get to know her beautiful bird-watching friend.

## Vol. 4:

### **Bob Retrenches**

4/8/1958. Bob lavishes everyone with gifts when he thinks he's getting a big tax refund.

### **Collins the Crooner**

12/9/1958. A newspaper columnist prints that Bob is going to record an album—prompting everyone to get into his act.

### **Bob and the Dumb Blonde**

9/30/1958. Shultzy attempts to sway Bob's interest in his "Marilyn Monroe-ish" temporary secretary.

**Bob in Orbit**

11/18/1958. Wacky Grandpa fly's his plane and bombs the base which causes a big mess for Bob.

Vol. 5:

**Bob Plays Margaret's Game**

12/23/1958. Margaret gets upset at Bob teaching Chuck about women, so she sets out to teach him a lesson.

**Grandpa Moves West**

12/30/1958. Everyone thinks that Grandpa has taken up with a young girl acrobat, but it turns out that it's just a chimpanzee.

**Bob Becomes a Stage Uncle**

11/25/1958. Bob's had it with nephew Chuck's constant singing, so Margaret gets guest star Ozzie Nelson to tell him Chuck can be a star.

**Bob Butters Beck: Beck Butters Better**

12/2/1958. Bob woos a disc jockey to promote a record that Chuck made.

# Petticoat Junction

(1963-1968) Approx. 26 min. each show.

Edgar Buchanan (Joseph P. "Uncle Joe" Carson), Jeannine Riley (Billie Jo Bradley (1963-1965)), Pat Woodell (Bobbie Jo Bradley (1963-1965)), Smiley Burnette (Charley Pratt (1963-1967)), Rufe Davis (Floyd Smoot (1963-1968, recurring afterwards)), Frank Cady (Sam Drucker), Bea Benaderet (Kate Bradley (1963-1968)), Linda Henning (Betty Jo Bradley Elliott).

## Vol. 1:

### **Spur Line to Shady Rest**

9/24/1963. The C&FW Railroad's trouble-shooter Homer Bedloe comes to Hooterville to find out why their branch isn't connected to the main line.

### **Quick, Hide the Railroad**

10/1/1963. Homer Bedloe of the C&FW Railroad makes the first of many attempts to shut down the Cannonball. Kate decides he can't close it if he can't find it, so she hides the train.

### **The President Who Came to Dinner**

10/8/1963. C&FW President, Norman Curtis, journeys to Hooterville to take matters into his own hands as far as dissolving the Cannonball, but becomes enchanted by the people of the valley.

### **Is There a Doctor in the Roundhouse?**

10/15/1963. No one can attend Kate's Shady Rest Jamboree after Norman Curtis makes the Cannonball inoperative.

## Vol. 2:

### **The Courtship of Floyd Smoot**

10/22/1963. Kate pretends to fall in love with Floyd after his bad experience with a mail-order bride.

### **Please Buy My Violets**

10/29/1963. Joe goes into the cologne business.

### **The Ringer**

11/5/1963. The Shady Rest Horseshoe Tournament rolls around, and Pixley Fats is it's main contender. He might have a little speed bump though, in the form of the tournament's first female player, Betty Jo.

### **Kate's Recipe for Hot Rhubarb**

11/12/1963. It's time for Bobbie Jo to put down the books and set out to get a significant other.

## Vol. 3:

### **The Little Train Robbery**

11/19/1963. The Cannonball's bank shipment is the target of two young train robbers.

### **Bedloe Strikes Again**

11/26/1963. Homer Bedloe returns to Hooterville to take another crack at shutting down the Cannonball.

### **Uncle Joe's Replacement**

12/3/1963. Uncle Joe's convinced he's being replaced when Kate hires Herbie Bates to be assistant manager of the hotel.

### **Honeymoon Hotel**

12/10/1963. Uncle Joe's latest scheme involves turning the Shady Rest into a Honeymooners getaway. But when his status as temporary Justice of the Peace turns out to be invalid, can Kate and the girls keep the couple he "married" busy until Sam Drucker can be found to make their union legal?

## Vol. 4:

### **A Night at the Hooterville Hilton**

12/17/1963. A brochure describing the incomparable Shady Rest Hotel of the future is prematurely mailed to a Hooterville travel columnist.

### **Herby Gets Drafted**

12/31/1963. Herby Bates, who is sweet on Billie Jo, won't be seeing much more of her--he's just been drafted.

### **Bobbie Jo and the Beatnik**

1/7/1964. Bobbie Jo is entranced with poet Alan Landman, a visiting beatnik who is passing through Hooterville.

### **My Daughter the Doctor**

1/14/1964. Billie Jo receives a \$500 insurance endowment, which her late father set aside for his first-born to become a doctor. But Billie Jo wants to go to Hollywood to become an actress.

## **Vol. 5:**

### **Hooterville vs. Hollywood**

1/21/1964. Kate confers with Judge Drucker to see if she can legally prevent Billie Jo from going to Hollywood.

### **Visit from a Big Star**

1/28/1964. A movie-idol wants to hide away from it all at the Shady Rest.

### **Last Chance Farm**

2/4/1964. Uncle Joe tells two plump ladies that Shady Rest is a reducing farm, where their loss is the management's gain.

### **The Very Old Antique**

2/11/1964. Homer Bedloe returns to Hooterville with a retired railroad tycoon who's interested in buying the Cannonball.

Also: **Petticoat Junction Christmas Show** -- On Vol. 4 of Christmas Shows.

# Christmas TV Shows

Every popular TV series from the 1950s to today celebrated Christmas or New Years with a special show. This is a collection of some of those gems.

Vol. 1:

## **Date With the Angels** (1957)

Betty White and Bill Williams family comedy.  
"Santa's Helper"

## **Meet Corliss Archer** (1954)

Ann Baker stars in teenage comedy show.  
"Christmas Show"

## **Where's Raymond?** (1953-54)

Ray Bolger comedy. Through a little girl's imagination Ray becomes a cab driver, a pixie-like floorwalker in a toy shop, an old vaudevillian, his own imaginary wife, Sambo the doll, and Santa Claus.

## **The Ruggles** (1949-1952)

Charlie Ruggles stars in situation comedy.  
"Christmas Eve - 1952"

Vol. 2:

## **Adventures of Robin Hood** (12/23/1957)

"The Christmas Goose."

## **Adventures of Long John Silver** (12/23/1958)

"The Orphan's Christmas"

## **Captain Gallant of Foreign Legion** (12/25/55)

"The Boy Who Found Christmas." For Christmas this year, Capt. Gallant has promised Cuffy a trip to America. However, all of the Legions' gifts are stolen from the caravan, and it looks like the captain won't be able to let Cuffy go on his promised trip. Cuffy runs away to try to find the missing presents, and learns what Christmas is really about.

## **Racket Squad** (12/25/1952)

"The Christmas Caper."

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**THE GIRL IN THE EMPORIUM:** Ricky and Wally spend all their Christmas shopping money trying to impress a cute girl at the emporium. Original air date 12/14/60.

**THE CHRISTMAS TREE LOT:** Rick and Dave sell Christmas trees to raise the money to buy Ozzie a present. Ozzie sings and plays the guitar! Guest Stars: Gavin Gordon, Barbara Pepper. Rick sings. 12/18/57.

## **A Busy Christmas** (12/19/1956)

Ozzie is talked into acting as Santa for the Men's Club and also as Scrooge in a short play. He also is asked to sing Christmas Carols with all three things being on the same night. He tries hard to get a Christmas tree and put up decorations on the house but finds it impossible with the other commitments.

## **The Late Christmas Gift** (12/26/1952)

Ozzie and David are recipients of belated Christmas gifts from Grandma Nelson.

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## **Petticoat Junction Christmas**

### **Home For Christmas**

Jan. 16, 1963. The Clampetts take their first plane ride for a Christmas visit back home with Cousin Pearl.

### **The Beverly Hillbillies** (12/25/1963)

"Christmas at the Clampetts" The Clampetts receive beautiful gifts from the Drysdales, including a boat and a television set. However, they mistake the gifts for other things, the TV set for a washing machine, and the boat as someone else's. The Drysdales also give the Clampetts a pet chimpanzee, which they mistake for a sailor.

### **Love That Bob** (12/22/1955)

"Grandpa's Christmas Visit" Bob's grandfather Josh Collins pays a visit and proves to be more of a wolf than his grandson. Bob tries to set Grandpa up with a sweet old lady on Christmas Eve—but he steals Bob's date instead. (This one is included in Love That Bob volumes.)

## Vol 5: Red Skelton Show

### **Freddie and the Yuletide Doll**

5-15-1956. With guest Cara Williams.

### **Cop and the Anthem**

12-21-1954. Freddie tries to get put into prison to have a warm Christmas. Based on a story by O' Henry.

### **Thanksgiving Show**

11-20-1956. Red in a skit about the Pilgrims and the first Thanksgiving.

### **Nat King Cole Guest**

Singer Nat King Cole is featured along with Skelton comedy skits.

Vol. 6:

### **The Answer** Dec. 23, 1954.

"Four Star Playhouse" with David Niven. A successful Hollywood writer returns home for the holidays and meets a down-on-his-luck writer.

### **The Gift** Dec. 24, 1953.

"Four Star Playhouse" with Charles Boyer, Ann Doran. A businessman becomes moody each year at Christmas because it reminds him of his estranged son, who chose to become a geologist instead of following in his father's footsteps.

### **Christmas Shopping Show** Dec. 15, 1957.

"Jack Benny Show" with Mel Blanc, Dennis Day, Rochester.

### **The Big Little Jesus** 12/24/1953.

"Dragnet." A statue of baby Jesus is stolen from a church, and Friday must find it before Christmas.

Vol. 7: Odd Shorts

### **Santa and the Three Bears**

(1970) Color, 47 min. Directed by Barry Mahon, Tony Benedict. Animated. SANTA AND THE THREE BEARS was first released in theatres and then found a home on USA Network, where it ran for years as their token holiday special. Abridged, all-animated version.

### **The Night Before Christmas**

(1940s) 10 min. Classic telling of the famous poem.

### **A Howdy Doody Christmas**

(1950s) 10 min. Excerpt from Howdy Doody TV show.

### **The Christmas Carol**

(1950s) 23 min. Dickens' famous tale, narrated by Vincent Price.

### **The Little Match Girl**

(1954) 10 min. Live action version of the famous story.

### **Santa Claus Story**

(1940s) 10 min. Santa delivers toys, etc.

### **A Christmas Dream**

(1940s) 10 min. Live action. Little girl, Santa, doll....

# My Little Margie

Margie Albright (played by Gale Storm), is the vivacious, irrepressible, 21-year-old daughter of Vernon Albright (Charles Farrell), a widowed executive at the investment-counseling firm of Honeywell & Todd.

## Vol. 1:

**Miss Whoozis** 1/5/1955 Margie gets a job modeling clothes for a fashion designer. When she wants to date the photographer, she breaches her contract by posing for another campaign.

**Unexpected Guest** 1/19/1955 When Mr. Honeywell lends the Albright's apartment to a client and then Margie and Vern return unexpectedly, they pretend to be the maid and butler.

**Star of Khyber** 9/22/1954 Margie tries to help a private detective find a maharaja's stolen jewel, but only succeeds in making everyone think she's involved in the theft.

**Honeyboy Honeywell** 4/21/1954 Convinced Mr. Honeywell would be a better boss if he were married, Margie gets him a date at lonely hearts club.

## Vol. 2:

**Hawaii Story** 2/23/1955. When a client of Vern's prefers younger men, Margie has to pretend she is 12 years old.

**Margie & the Shah** 5/12/1954. Despite Vern's objections, Margie is determined to meet Vern's old fraternity brother, the Shah of Zena...even if it means sneaking into his hotel room.

**Vern's Winter Vacation** 11/24/1954 Margie poses as Freddie's bride after he wins a trip to Palm Beach by using a phony story.

**Papa & Mambo** 4/20/1955. Mr. Honeywell has promised Vern that he will step down and give Vern the presidency of the company, but when the time comes, he's not ready to retire. He says that if Vern gets a contract with an important client, he will step down, but if Mr. Honeywell himself gets it, he will remain president.

## Vol. 3:

**San Francisco Story** 12/1/1954. In San Francisco, Vern's rival tricks Margie into interfering in a Chinese family feud, not realizing one of the men is Vern's client.

**Margie's Millionth Member** 12/23/1953. The set and costumes used in the "My Little Margie" episode "Margie's Millionth Member" are from "Rocky Jones Space Ranger!"

**Corpus Delecti** 3/23/1955. Freddie has a new job working for a private eye and when he and Margie find a murderer's diary in an old trunk they decide to investigate. The trail ends up leading them to one of Vern's clients.

**Margie Baby Sits** 2/17/1954. Margie and Vern babysit for client's grandson who happens to be an obnoxious brat. What Margie doesn't realize is that the old lady neighbor who is helping them amuse the child is actually a thief.

## Vol. 4:

**Margie's Phantom Lover** 10/28/1953. Vern and Mr. Honeywell make Margie believe she has a secret admirer to keep her from entering an auto race. When Margie tries to find out who the secret admirer is, Vern's new client gets involved.

**The Missing Link** 10/25/1952. When Margie is conned into buying the contract of a has-been wrestler she tries to make back her money by claiming she and Freddie are big game hunters who have returned from the wilderness with the missing link.

**Hillbilly Margie** 9/22/1954. When a group of mountain folk inherit stock in Honeywell & Todd, Margie and Vern must pose as hillbillies to get it back.

**Vern's Mother-In-Law** 2/2/1955. Vern tells the story of how he married Margie's mother and was hired by Honeywell & Todd.

Vol. 5:

**To Health With Yoga** 4/30/1953. Margie tries to meet the author of a book on yoga by telling some fibs that keep growing.

**A Horse on Vern** 5/14/1953. Margie gets a job as a newspaper reporter but runs into some trouble over a missing horse.

**Vern's New Girlfriend** 6/4/1953. Margie tries to prevent a gold-digging blonde from hooking her father.

**Delinquent Margie** 6/18/1953. Mrs. Odetts enlists the help of Margie and Vern to get \$6000 dollars out of her trust fund so she can buy a hot rod car.

Vol. 6:

**What's Cooking?** 12/2/1953. Margie invites Mr. Honeywell and a prospective client to dinner. She lets Freddie, who now has a job selling cookware, make the dinner. What she doesn't know is that Vern's client is a competitor of Freddie's company.

**Meet Mr. Murphy** 12/30/1953. Margie agrees to babysit for a chimpanzee that belongs to one of Vern's clients. Vern, not realizing who the chimp belongs to, pays Freddie to kidnap it. When Margie learns of the plan, she tells Freddie to go ahead with it to teach Vern a lesson.

**Trapped Freddy** 3/12/1953. Vern promises Margie a new car if she won't see Freddie for one month. Unaware that Freddie is already there, Margie agrees, then must try to hide him from Vern.

**Buried Treasure** 4/2/1953. When the Albrights buy a run-down country house, Vern tries to keep Margie occupied by planting a phony treasure map.