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THE FALCON THEATRE

Presents

An Evening with Jack Klugman

OPENING SEPTEMBER 20th, 8 pm

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THE FALCON THEATRE begins its second season with the one-man show, **AN EVENING WITH JACK KLUGMAN**, starring Jack Klugman

Three-time Emmy Award winner Jack Klugman opens the Falcon's second season with his new one-man show. The evening will offer an intimate dialogue between the audience and Mr. Klugman as he shares stories from his over half-a-century in show business. Klugman will speak about working with such legendary figures as Humphrey Bogart, Henry Fonda, Ethel Merman, Judy Garland, and Tony Randall, as well as sharing his battle and recovery from throat cancer.

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JACK KLUGMAN was born on April 27, 1922, in Philadelphia, PA, the youngest of six children. Growing up in South Philadelphia, PA, Klugman knew he wanted to be an actor, and following his WWII army service, he used his GI bill to attend Carnegie Tech in Pittsburgh. After hustling small roles and summer stock parts, his first big break on the New York stage came appearing opposite Kim Stanley in *St. Joan* and in *Stevedore* with Rod Steiger. He made his Broadway debut in the 1952 revival of Clifford Odet's *Golden Boy* with Lee J. Cobb and John Garfield. Other early Broadway appearances include *The Odd Couple*, *Gypsy* (with Ethel Merman), *Tchin-Tchin* and *The Sudden and Accidental Re-Education of Hore Johnson*. He also toured the country with Henry Fonda in the acclaimed Broadway comedy, *Mister Roberts*.

His numerous film appearances include: *Timetable* (1956), *Twelve Angry Men* (1957), *Cry Terror* (1958), *Days of Wine and Roses* (1962), *Act One*, *The Yellow Canary* and *I Could Go on Singing* (1963), *Hail, Mafia* (1965), *The Detective* (1968), *Goodbye Columbus* (1969), *Who Says I Can't Ride a Rainbow* (1971), *The Two Minute Warning* (1976), and *Dear God* (1996).

Besides *The Odd Couple* (1970-75), and *Quincy, M.E.* (1976-83), his other television series were *The Defenders* (1963-64), *Harris Against the World* (1964-65) and *You Again?* (1986-87). He also appeared several times on Rod Sterling's classic television anthology, *The Twilight Zone*.

His star-studded career has earned him many prestigious awards, including three Emmy awards, his first for Best Actor in a Dramatic Series for *The Defenders*, and two for Best Actor in a Comedy Series for *The Odd Couple*. Other accolades include: a Golden Globe award for *The Odd Couple*, a Tony award nomination for Best Actor in a Musical for *Gypsy*, and even a Chloe award for his role in an Eagle Brand Snacks commercial.

It is theatre, however, that has afforded Mr. Klugman his most artistically rewarding experiences. He returned to the Broadway stage in the late 1980's in Herb Gardner's Tony award-winning play, *I'm Not Rappaport* and in the 1993 revival of *Three Men on a Horse*. In 1996, he and Tony Randall reprised their hugely popular television roles in the London revival of Neil Simon's *The Odd Couple*. Again with Tony Randall, he starred in the 1997 Broadway revival of *The Sunshine Boys* with Mr. Randall's company, the National Actors' Theatre.

Mr. Klugman recently completed touring the U.S. and Canada, starring in Ernest Thompson's *On Golden Pond*.

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AN EVENING WITH JACK KLUGMAN begins previews on Friday, September 12th, and opens Saturday, September 20th. It will run through October 19th 2003. Performances are Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8pm and Sundays at 4pm. **Ticket prices for adults range from \$25.00 to \$37.50.**

**THE FALCON THEATRE is located at 4252 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, in Burbank.
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