

Orgies & the meaning of Life

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PORTAL TO THE
3-DIMENSIONAL
WORLD IS IN
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THE FIRST MOVIE IN CINEMATIC HISTORY TO
COMBINE STICK FIGURES, SOFT CORE PORN,
AND THE SEARCH FOR **GOD**.



CYUR FILMS PRESENTS A BTG MOVIE "ORGIES AND THE MEANING OF LIFE"
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MUSIC SUPERVISOR & EXECUTIVE PRODUCER PETER STORMARE EXECUTIVE PRODUCER HOUSTON KING
PRODUCERS JESSICA BRODY LINDSAY WRAY BRAD T GOTTFRED
WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY BRAD T GOTTFRED

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[short synopsis]

ORGIES AND THE MEANING OF LIFE is an eccentric and exciting film illuminating the inner and outer life of Baxter Goode, a man trying to find an ending to his book (about a sex obsessed stick figure searching for a portal to the three dimensional world) even as his father, a best selling Christian author, tries to stop him. His life is further complicated by his search for the 'one', a woman he is sure will liberate him from his long addiction to orgy fantasies. Both of these pursuits are somehow connected to God, who may or may not be a stick figure, and Baxter's lesbian roommate, who may or may not be imaginary.

Employing live action, animation, and experimental story techniques to explore existential, professional, and sexual crisis, ORGIES AND THE MEANING OF LIFE promises to be one of the more unique movie going experiences you will ever have.

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[cast list]

Brad T Gottfred	"Baxter"
Lindsay Wray	"Allison"/"Flower Dress"
Katherine Carlson	"Denny"
Julie Hays	"Andrea"
Kathy Tinder	"Georgia"
Jackie Mah	"Leslie"
Lena Bookall	"Claire"
Brooks Douglass	"Jack Goode"
Gloria Grant	"Baxter's Mom"
Remy Thorne	"Child Baxter"
Ursula Vari	"Adelaide"
Taya Asimos	"Samantha"
Kelly Huddleston	"Rebecca"
Courtney Rackley	"Mystery Girl"
Bonnie Wickeraad	"Emma"
Michael Karma	"Theodore"
Tonya Kay	"Regine"
Mary Pringle	"Blonde Woman in her 50's"
Gezebel	"Theodore the Dog"
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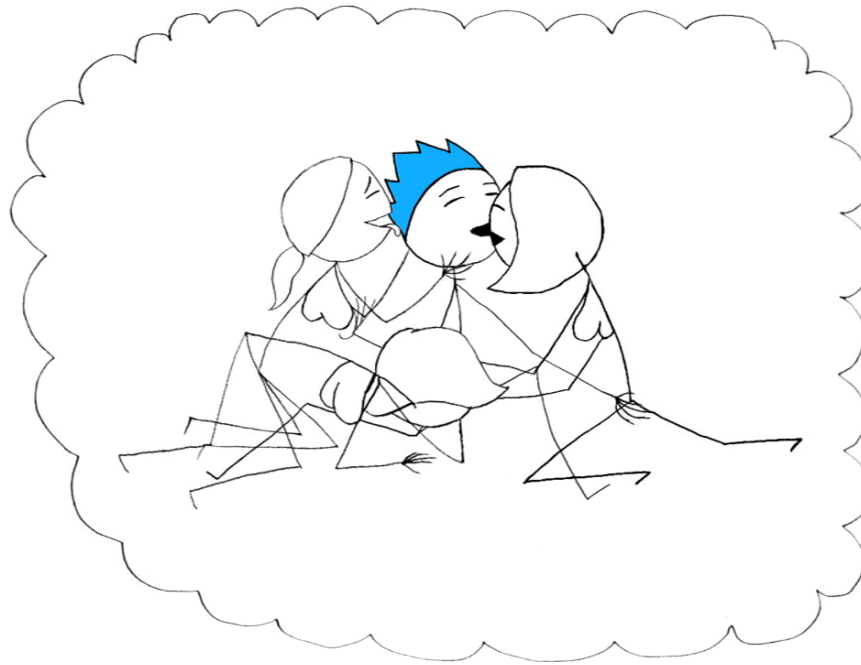
[crew list]

Brad T Gottfred	Writer/Director/Producer
Jessica Brody	Producer
Lindsay Wray	Producer
Houston King	Executive Producer
Jonathan Howard	Editor/Co-Producer
Erik Forssell	Director of Photography
Katherine Carlson	Associate Producer
Kerry Clarkson Valdivia	Art Director
Laura Galli	Costume Designer
Geoff Oki	Animator (Stick Figures)
Adrian Guillemet	Assistant Editor
Forrest Sandefer	Gaffer
Mike Rodriguez	Gaffer
Nick Medrud	Gaffer
Rick Herron	Camera Assistant
Stanley Lee	Camera Assistant
Rob Gokee	Composer
Raphael Luna	Sound/Boom Operator
Michel Tyabji	Sound/Boom Operator
Lee Ascher	Sound/Boom Operator
Melanie Latauska	Make-up
Nikki Rivadeniera	Make-up
Xiomara Menjivitie	Make-up
Karen Stein	Make-up
Brittani Darnell	Make-up
Viola Rock	Make-up
Alma Adamson	Make-up
Ryan Rothmaier	Consultant
Dave Faunces	Consultant
Daniella Roth	Consultant
Richard Middleton	Consultant
Tim Bartlett	Second Cinematographer
Molly Griffin	Still Photography
Laurent Weber	Still Photography

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[director's statement]

"Communication is difficult and complex, whether between strangers, family, lovers, or god. Whether this has anything to do with the film, I'm not even that sure. I do think it should be known that I did find the idea of exploring the meaning of existence through stick figure animation, orgies, and stranded turtles rather amusing."



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BRAD T GOTTFRED - Writer/Director/Producer

Brad T Gottfred's first feature film, *THE MOVIE HERO*, starred Jeremy Sisto (*Clueless*, *Six Feet Under*) and Peter Stormare (*Fargo*, *Prison Break*). It played at over 20 film festivals worldwide, winning numerous awards including First Prize at the Rhode Island Film Festival and the Audience Award at the Austin Film Festival. Called "exactly the kind of film worth seeing because of its individuality and creativity" by Ft. Lauderdale Sun-Sentinel, it was released on DVD by Anchor Bay Entertainment in November, 2006 and aired on Showtime in March of 2007. To view a trailer and more, please go to themoviehero.com. More of Brad's work, including short stories and short films, are available at his website, cyur.com.

JESSICA BRODY - Producer

Formerly a Manager of Acquisitions and Business Development for MGM Studios, Jessica has successfully transferred her industry experience and creative talent to the world of film and television production. After producing a promotional trailer for Rellim Reeb Television in 2005, Jessica went on to complete her first feature-length film with Writer/Director, Brad T. Gottfred in 2006 entitled, *ORGIES AND THE MEANING OF LIFE*. She has recently teamed up with Brad again to produce her second feature-length film, *SOUL REAPERS*, which is scheduled to begin shooting in late 2007. Jessica's debut novel, *THE FIDELITY FILES*, was recently acquired by St. Martin's Press for publication in early 2008.

LINDSAY WRAY - Producer

With over twenty years experience in the entertainment industry, through live theatre, commercials and film, Lindsay is proud to expand her horizons once again into the world of film producing. "Orgies & The Meaning of Life" provided a rare opportunity to develop a story both on and off camera. Lindsay received her BA in Theatre from The University of South Carolina in 1999. From there she moved to Atlanta, where she made a career as an ac-

tress and joined the Actors' Equity Association and the Screen Actors Guild. In 2001, she moved to Los Angeles, where she has been acting and producing new works with companies like Artists' Collective, The Los Angeles African American Theatre Company, and the Ark Theatre Company. Over the past four years she has been coordinating for film and commercial production companies like MJZ, Go Films, M80 Films, EUE Screengems, Blindfaith, First Look Media, Fabrication Films and, currently, Kommitted Films.

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JONATHAN HOWARD - Editor/Co-Producer

Jonathan Howard moved from Boston to Los Angeles in 1999 to make movies. He's worked as a director and editor of numerous independent short and feature narrative projects as well as documentaries. His short, *The Vanishing Point*, spent over a year as the highest rated short on Universal's Hypnotic.com. Jonathan recently directed and edited a movie judged as a finalist in the upcoming 48 Hour National Film Challenge and his short "A Home Run for Dad" is currently making its way around festivals. "Orgies and the Meaning of Life" is Jonathan's first gig as a feature film editor. To check out Jonathan's work, as well as samples of his photography, design and music, please visit apelike.net

PETER STORMARE - Music Supervisor/Executive Producer

Swedish-born actor/director Peter Stormare has an international flare that sets him apart from other performers. He recently starred in "Constantine" with Keanu Reeves and "Birth" with Nicole Kidman. Stormare has worked with exceptional directors throughout his career. He appeared in Penny Marshall's "Awakenings," Steven Spielberg's "Minority Report" and "The Lost World: Jurassic Park," the Coen brothers' "Fargo" and "The Big Lebowski," Joel Schumacher's "8MM" and Michael Bay's "Bad Boys II" and "Armageddon." Stormare's additional feature work includes Lars von Trier's "Dancer in the Dark," Lasse Hallstrom's "Chocolat," Wim Wenders' "The Million Dollar Hotel," John Woo's "Windtalkers." Stormare also starred in the hit television series "The Mentalist" and "The Mentalist: The Movie." He is also an accomplished musician, playing guitar and singing. He has released an album of rock music, "The Mentalist: The Movie Soundtrack." He has also appeared in the film "From Fat to Fit."



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