

JACQUELINE HICKS

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Highly creative, focused and upbeat filmmaker and director. Strong passion for creating independent films, but eager to be a part of a professional film team.

J-HI PRODUCTIONS (Own company)

DIRECTOR, FILMMAKER, SCREENWRITER

2010-Present

Wrote, directed, produced and self-funded an independent feature film titled, "Your Girl Is Mine: The Beginning". This film was the backstory to a screenplay called, "Your Girl...Is Mine", a thriller featuring Black lead actors. The film was an Official Entry in the International Roxbury Film Festival. The script was a Round Two Quarter-Finalist in The Page Awards and a Preliminary Finalist in the Creative World Awards Competition.

Trailer available here: <https://youtu.be/xZ6kTFgJsp8>.

Check out Episode #1 here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OeoEyNxqcII&t=15s>

Film available online upon request.

Currently in progress:

Film: "APPICIDE" Logline: A man addicted to games and tired of his nagging spouse, downloads an app that guarantees to kill her. (Short. 10 pages. In the vein of "Twilight Zone" or "Black Mirror")

JUBILEE CHRISTIAN CHURCH "JUBILEE THEATRE"- BOSTON, MA

1999-2007

Jubilee is the largest non-denominational church in Boston with over 7,000 diverse members.

Director- Theatrical Arts

Led the ministry in a minimum of two major plays per year and as many skits throughout the year as possible. Majority of plays were gospel comedies or dramas, written by me. Most are available on YouTube or on DVD. In supporting roles for other aspiring playwrights, performed the role as Stage Manager, runner, and typically any other role associated with running a play production for audiences of 5,000 or more.

Some clips of plays here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JNU6oQJv0GQ>

OTHER

1995-Present

Actress and Crew

In most independent films or plays, have either been an actress in a featured role, or part of the crew. Or both at the same time. Have also been an extra in a variety of films, e.g., "Gone, Baby, Gone", and "Mystic River". Indie film, "Supa Dupa" by Director Elijah Starr is available free on YouTube here: <https://www.amazon.com/SupaDupa-elijAH-starr/dp/B07BH625QB/ref=nodl>

EDUCATION

Film and Comedy:

Self-taught.

Acting:

Character Development: Jacqui Parker- Director Our Place Theatre

Scene Study/Monologues: Rick Lombardo-Director New Repertory Theatre

Stage Management and Directing: Robyn Rease- Director Jubilee Theatre- Boston

FAVORITE PRODUCTIONS WRITTEN, DIRECTED AND PRODUCED BY JACQUELINE HICKS

Also available on DVD and/or YouTube. Please ask for the links, or visit my website. www.jacquelinehicks.com

Old School Love (Gospel Musical Comedy) A woman abused by her husband, receives a call from her former true love, a now successful, yet unsaved singer, who sincerely wants her back. She's determined not to meet him, but a brother this fine, well...

Grandma Finna Die! (Gospel Musical Comedy) Near-billionaire Grandma is about to die and her money hungry family plots to treat her nicely in their home in her last days to ensure they get in that will. But Grandma's get a plan to save her family-by any means necessary.

Somebody's Callin' My Name (Spiritual Drama) -Set in the 70s, two brothers with vastly different political and social views must decide what to do when their father seems to have been murdered by their childhood white friend. Watch a clip now: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lwvNhkvy55A>

Mama Can't Help You Now! (Gospel Musical Comedy) A gold-digging hussy used to having her way with her mama and her many men, finds herself in a predicament when she's arrested and her faithful, always there Mama, can't bail her out.

Rain/Reign - Gospel Musical Comedy) Based in the 60s, a teen singer in a secular singing group meets resistance from his old school, pastor father when he tries to transform his secular singing group into doing a new thing- contemporary gospel.