Johnson Production Group

Press Kit

# One-Liner

When life gets more terrifying than anything she could have written…

# Synopsis

Successful crime novelist Nomi Gardner’s world has just been turned upside down: betrayed by her husband and ignored by the police, Nomi finds herself in a situation more terrifying than anything she’s written herself as she fights to save her children...

# Producers

Executive Producer

TIMOTHY O. JOHNSON

Executive Producer

OLIVER DE CAIGNY

Key Cast

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| CHARACTER  Nomi Gardner  Mark Gardner  Greta March |  | ACTOR  SARAH BUTLER  JIM THORBURN  LINDSAY MAXWELL |

# Key Cast Biographies

## SARAH BUTLER

A native of Puyallup, Washington, Butler was interested in the arts while growing up. She sang in choirs, entered singing competitions, and performed in high school and community theatre. She relocated to Los Angeles to study theatre at the University of Southern California, and then played Belle, the princess in Beauty and the Beast, for a year and a half at Disneyland. She dropped out of college, focused on finding a talent agent, and began auditioning for work in television and film.

Butler guest-starred on the television series CSI: Miami and CSI: NY.She was cast in the film A Couple of White Chicks at the Hair Dresser and the 2008 Syfy TV horror film Flu Bird Horror. She had a role that year on the web series Luke 11:17, directed by Don Stark. She also had a recurring role on the web series I Love Vampires.Butler won the lead in the 2010 rape and revenge thriller, I Spit on Your Grave, a remake of the 1978 cult film of the same title. Although initially put off by the film's nudity and violence, the film's strong character arc and "feminist edge" helped convince her to take the role.Butler starred as Jennifer Hills, a novelist who is brutally gang raped while staying at a cabin in the woods; her character then seeks revenge on her rapists. Directed by Steven R. Monroe, the film was released on October 8, 2010. Butler began filming the psychological thriller, The Stranger Within, alongside Estella Warren and William Baldwin in Mallorca, Spain in November 2011. The film was also scheduled to shoot in Copenhagen, Denmark and New York City.She joined the cast of the independent feature Treachery, starring Michael Biehn, which began filming in Los Angeles in June 2012. Butler starred in the 2013 horror film, The Demented, with Michael Welch and Kayla Ewell.

## JIM THORBURN

Jim was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia and raised in Calgary, Alberta.  With his quiet demeanour, strong work ethic and exemplary talent, this actor has proven to be a longstanding player in the entertainment industry, with a multidimensional career spanning over a decade.    
  
Growing up close to the Rocky Mountains,  Jim trained to be an elite ski racer, competing at an international level until his early twenties.  After retiring from ski racing Jim got a job working in the art and set decoration department on the massively successful Fox series “THE X-FILES”.  It was here he met Chris Carter and David Nutter who gave Jim his very first acting role on the groundbreaking Fox pilot “MILLENNIUM”.  
  
Since then Jim has amassed an impressive resume with roles on television include recurring on season two of SyFy's thriller drama "HELIX", as well as for two seasons on Showcase’s hit series “PARADISE FALLS” and on the first season of the award winning Showcase series “BLACKSTONE”.  Jim has guest starred on multiple shows including CW's "SUPERNATURAL",  CTV's "MOTIVE",  FOX’s “FRINGE”, CW’s “SMALLVILLE,  USA’s “PSYCH”, CTV’s “DEGRASSI:  THE NEXT GENERATION”,  CBC’s “REPUBLIC OF DOYLE”, SYFY's "CONTINUUM" and many more.   He has starred in numerous Hallmark Channel movies, most recently "THE TREE THAT SAVED CHRISTMAS" with Lacey Chabert and soon to be seen "FINDING FATHER CHRISTMAS" with Erin Krakow, Wendi Malick and Niall Matter, and "CHRISTMAS COOKIES" with Jill Wagner and Wes Brown.   
  
He was recently seen in the feature film "DEAD RISING 2:  ENDGAME" with Jesse Metcalf and Dennis Haysbert, other feature film credits include "THE DEAL" with Christian Slater and Selma Blair, and the Ole Bordenal thriller "THE POSSESSION" with Jeffrey Dean Morgan and Kyra Sedgwick.

## LINDSAY MAXWELL

Lindsay Maxwell is a Canadian film and television actress. Maxwell was born in Powell River, British Columbia, Canada. Her parents, Patrick "Pat" and Rena Maxwell, own a salon where she worked as a licensed hairdresser. Maxwell has mostly Irish lineage and also has Dutch lineage. She was nicknamed 'Luigi' and stands 5 ft 7 in, and has a dog named Toto.

# Production Credits

### Full Cast

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| [**Actors**](http://www.imdb.com/name/nm7589451/?ref_=ttfc_fc_cl_t1)  [SARAH BUTLER](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm1713632/?ref_=tt_cst_1)  [JIM THORBURN](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm0861184/?ref_=tt_cst_6)  [LINDSAY MAXWELL](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm1535265/?ref_=tt_cst_2)  [JOSH BYER](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm1064870/?ref_=tt_cst_10)  [BAILEY SKODJE](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm5397277/?ref_=tt_cst_8)  NEVEAH OLSEN  [MATTHEW MACCAULL](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm0531468/?ref_=tt_cst_3)  [JERRY WASSERMAN](https://pro-labs.imdb.com/name/nm0913682/?ref_=tt_cst_5)  KAREN HOLNESS  CHILTON CRANE  BENJAMIN WILKINSON  MACKENZIE GRAY  ALIYAH O’BRIEN  PHILLIP MITCHELL  ADRIAN ROMAN PETRIW  GARDINER MILLAR  COLBY CHARTRAND | **Role**  Nomi Gardner  Mark Gardner  Greta March  Lyle  Jane Gardner  Aiden  Oscar  Ted Curtis  Detective Krantz  Brenda  Donovan  Doctor  Officer Lowndes  Ian  Concierge  Resident  Mysterious Stranger |

### Produced by

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Timothy O. Johnson |  | executive producer |
| Oliver de Caigny |  | producer |
| Navid Soofi |  | supervising producer |

### Directed by

Jason Bourque

### Music by

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| Kevin Blumenfeld |  |

### Written by

Paul A. Birkett

### Cinematography by

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| Anthony C. Metchie, csc |  |

### Film Editing by

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| Jason Nielsen |  |

### Casting By

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| Judy Lee |  |

### Production Design by

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| Heather Coutts |  |

### Second Unit Director or Assistant Director

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| Brad Medhurst | First Assistant Director |
| Dawn Charette | Second Assistant Director |
| Stunt Department |  |
| Chad Sayn | Stunt Coordinator |
| Ivett Gonda | Nomi Stunt Double |
| Douglas Armstrong | Lyle Stunt Double |
| Phillip Mitchell | Oscar Stunt Double |
| Art Department |  |
| Tim Lanham | Set Decorator |
| Laura Maier | Assistant Set Decorator |
| David Olsen | Lead Dresser |
| Sarah Stapleton | Art Director |
| Jordan Macken | On Set Directors |
| Patty Facy |  |
| Rob Van Poelgeest | Dressers |
| Drake Matejka |  |
| Alex Rakhit |  |
| Cooper Debeck |  |
| Brittney Towson | Property Master |
| Michelle Kabatoff | On Set Props |
| Costume and Wardrobe Department |  |
| Kiara Desjarlais | Make-Up Artist |
| Elizabeth Mcleod | Hair Stylist |
| Nicole Mccormack | Swings |
| Cassidy Bergen |  |
| Emily Monk |  |
| Taylor Barron |  |
| Stacey Bradder | Costume Designer |
| Daniela Paez | Assistant Costume Designer |
| [Camera and Electrical Department](http://www.imdb.com/glossary/C#camera_department) |  |
| Colin Morrison | Camera Operator |
| Laurent Danis  Zoe Arthur | First Assistants Camera |
| Trevor Komori | Second Assistants Camera |
| Steven Singh  Maud Ducre |  |
| Daniel Leon Pitts | Gaffer |
| Taylor Nash | Best Boy |
| Evan Kehoe | Electric |
| Slatie Chu |  |
| Blake Alexus |  |
| Benjamin Purych |  |
| Patrick Shaw |  |
| Stephen Stichmann | Generator Operator |
| Oliver Rice | Key Grip |
| Scott Thomas | Dolly Grips |
| Jesse Young |  |
| Transportation Department |  |
| Peter Gibson | Transport Coordinator |
| Chris Wild | Transport Captain |
| Pete Fiddler  Tracy Murray | Drivers |
| Jeff Charlton |  |
| Doug Halvorson |  |
| Other Crew |  |
| Barry Hunt | Security Coordinator |
| John Rollins | Location Manager |
| Brendon Olsen | Assistant Location Manager |
| Brittany Olsen  Tyler Boyd | Location Assistants |
| Brad Boyd |  |
| Autumn Cawker |  |
| Jay Page | Production Sound Mixer |
| Donald Mensah | Boom Operator |
| Anita Reilly Mcgee | Script Supervisor |
| Megan Turnbull | Payroll Accountant |
| Paralee Cook | Production Coordinators |
| Matthew Santoro |  |
| Chris Ippolito | Assistant Production Coordinator |
| Macayla Woodley | Second Assistant Production Coordinator |
| Ana Pacheno | Third Assistant Director |
| Ashley Kipping | Craft Service/First Aid Coordinator |
| Quinn Bresch | Craft Service/First Aid |
| Chelsea Bresch |  |
| Austin Gourmet | Catering |
| Brandon Crewe |  |
| Nabil Minnikh |  |
| Konstantin Minnikh |  |
| Andrea Whitburn | Stand In |
| Casting |  |
| Ciarra Cook | Casting Assistant |
| La Hilts | Extras Casting |
| Jennifer Roberts | Extra Casting Assistant |
| Iman Javadi | Background Coordinator |
| Legal Department |  |
| Coastal Clearances | Script Clearances by |
| Chandler Fogden Aldous  Law Corporation | Legal Services by |
| Front Row Insurance  Brokers | Insurance by |
| Post Production Department |  |
| Leah Myers | Post Production Supervisor |
| Troy Weinreich | Assistant Editor |
| Devin Taylor | Second Assistant Editor |
| Evan Graves | Visual Effects |
| Matthew Santoro | Script Coordinator |
| Seán Travers | Colourist |
| Annuit Coeptis  Entertainment | Picture Post Production  Provided By |
| Finalé Post | Additional Post Services  Provided By |
| Cinescope Sound | Audio Post Production |
| Gregor Phillips | Supervising Sound Editor |
| Aaron Olson  Gregor Phillips | Re-Recording Mixers |
| Aaron Olson | Dialogue Editor |
| Craig George | SFX Editor |
| Alex Macia  Devon Quelch | Foley Artists |

# Producer Biographies

TIM JOHNSON – Executive Producer

Tim Johnson is among the most active and reliable producers in the business thanks to top rate productions and an 'on time, on budget' reputation. Previously, he managed the production of ABC's THE DAYS (MINDSHARE/TOUCHTONE.) Prior to forming Johnson Production Group and Ignite Entertainment, Tim served as Head of West Coast Programming Executive and launched the successful series DOC (88 episodes,) SUE THOMAS, FBI, MYSTERIOUS WAYS, JUST CAUSE, PONDEROSA, CHRISTY, ITS A MIRACLE AND MIRACLE PETS.

Johnson is also responsible for producing the international hit series, DR. QUINN, MEDICINE WOMAN for CBS PRODS/SULLIVAN COMPANY for over 5 seasons. During his 100-episode tenure, he also launched LIVE FROM THE RANCH with Orson Bean - a nationally syndicated talk show focusing on family values in America. He also developed and produced the original docu-drama COLD CASE for CBS network, which was the very first program to integrate television with the Internet.

Recent Projects:

For Better or For Worse – Executive Producer

Baby Bootcamp – Executive Producer

Ring By Spring – Executive Producer

Sole Custody – Executive Producer

The Cheating Pact – Executive Producer

Deadly Spa – Executive Producer

Walking the Halls – Executive Producer

June In January – Executive Producer

Christmas in the City – Executive Producer

Snow Bride – Executive Producer

Dirty Teacher – Executive Producer

The Surrogate – Executive Producer

Merry In-Laws – Executive Producer

A Bride for Christmas – Executive Producer

Naughty or Nice – Executive Producer

Christmas Crush– Executive Producer

Teenage Bank Heist– Executive Producer

How to Fall in Love – Executive Producer

Home Invasion (2011) – Executive Producer

Final Sale (2011) – Executive Producer

Confined (2010) – Executive Producer

Tornado Valley (2009) – Executive Producer

The Wedding Dance (2009) – Executive Producer

Trust (2009) – executive producer

Toxic Skies (2008) – executive producer

Storm seekers (2008) – executive producer

Making Mr. Right (2008) – executive producer

Love Sick (2008) – executive producer

Just Breathe (2008) – executive producer

Devils Diary (2007) – executive producer

Swarm (2007) – executive producer

## JOHNSON PRODUCTION GROUP

The Johnson Production Group contracts globally to produce television and motion picture content for international networks, studios and distributors. Based in Los Angeles and Vancouver, British Columbia, the company manages production, facilitates development and financing, procures distribution and guarantees quality and timely execution of its programs. While costs have gone up, so has the demand for quality. No longer is good enough, good enough. Johnson Production Group serves that segment when a show needs to be "A" quality, but produced efficiently enough to meet a locked budget. JPG specializes in value, protection of creative elements, and delivery of a quality finished product.

OLIVER DE CAIGNY - Producer

Oliver De Caigny is a Canadian producer originally from Belgium, his background in financing, production, and post production makes his a well-rounded producer for any type of production. His experience in financing and production agreements (film and TV series and movies-of-the week), distribution agreements (both domestic and foreign) as well as international co-productions, Canadian tax credit, Telefilm Canada and Canada Media Fund incentives provides him with a well-rounded background in development, production and distribution for motion pictures, television series and productions.

Recent Projects

Strange Empire (2014, 13 episodes) – Producer

Her Infidelity (2014) - Producer

Paper Angels (2014) - Producer

A Cookie Cutter Christmas (2014) - Producer

For Better or For Worse (2014) – Producer

A Ring By Spring (2014) – Producer

June In January (2014) – Producer

Baby Bootcamp (2013) – Producer

A Badge Of Betrayal (aka Sole Custody) (2013) – Producer

R.L. Stine’s: The Haunting Hour (53 Episodes) – Associate Producer

A Bride For Christmas (2013) – Producer

The Dating Coach (2012) – Producer

Radio Rebel (2012) – Executive Producer

Seattle Superstorm (2012) – Producer

## Billing Block

Johnson Production Group Presents “WOMAN ON THE RUN”  
 SARAH BUTLER JIM THORBURN & LINDSAY MAXWELL   
Music by KEVIN BLUMENFELD Director of Photography ANTHONIE METCHIE csc  
Casting by JUDY LEE Production Designer HEATHER COUTTS   
Edited by JASON NIELSEN Executive Producer TIMOTHY O. JOHNSON   
Produced by OLIVER DE CAIGNY Supervising Producer NAVID SOOFI  
Written by PAUL A. BIRKETT Directed by JASON BOURQUE

 

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Meta Data

LONG (max 540 characters) synopsis

Successful crime novelist Nomi Gardner’s world has just been turned upside down: betrayed by her husband and ignored by the police, Nomi finds herself in a situation more terrifying than anything she’s written herself as she fights to save her children...

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MEDIUM (max 180) synopsis

Successful crime novelist finds herself in a situation more terrifying than anything she’s written: betrayed by her husband, ignored by the police - she fights to save her children (180)

SHORT (max 54 characters) synopsis

Crime novelist finds herself in a terrifying situation (54)

5 KEY WORDS

Crime Novelist Woman Run Thriller