

A DEADLY THREAT TO MY FAMILY

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Johnson Production Group Press Kit

One-Liner

Has Serena truly been reformed after leaving a dangerous cult or is she actually recruiting her own niece to join up?

Synopsis

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Producers

Executive Producers
TIMOTHY O. JOHNSON
JOSEPH WILKA

Co-Executive Producer
LISA ALFORD

Producers
A.J. KELLY
JACOB HORN

Line Producer
TERRENCE KIRIOKOS

Key Cast

<u>CHARACTER</u>	<u>ACTOR</u>
Marielle Harris	JESSICA MORRIS
Serena Harris	GINA VITORI
Laurel	LELIA SYMINGTON
Aria Harris	ISABELLA MERCURIO

Key Cast Biographies

JESSICA MORRIS



Known for her portrayal of series regular Jennifer Rappaport on ABC's "One Life to Live", Jessica has cultivated her career as the leading lady in various television shows and independent films. Jessica starred in Lifetime TV's hit movie "Secret Lives Of Housewives" and has also had strong guest starring roles on popular primetime shows, including Fox's "Rosewood" and TNT's "Perception". Jessica recently recurred in Freeform's "Party of Five" remake and "The Upshaws" on Netflix. Jessica has also discovered her passion for screenwriting.

GINA VITORI



Originating from the Island that is Long in NY, Gina officially moved to Manhattan to pursue her dream at New York University's Tisch School of the Arts. After training with incredible teachers and fellow actors at the Atlantic Acting School and Stonestreet Studios, she received her BFA in Acting. (Then Lesly Kahn told her to forget everything she knows about acting, and UCB taught her to 'yes and'). She now lives in sunny Los Angeles, where she spends her days on screen battling sharks and stalkers, and off screen surfing and training Martial Arts.

Gina is known for her starring roles in the original SyFy movie, 'Frenzy', as well as becoming a bit of a 'Lifetime' leading lady - most recently in 'Deadly Girls Night Out'. She can also be seen co-starring on '9-1-1' on FOX, and 'The Affair' on Showtime. Other fun roles include a Lara Croft knockoff, alcoholic farmer, and a singing mermaid for a live 2000 seat audience in Alaska.

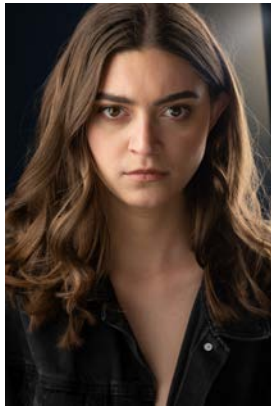
LELIA SYMINGTON



Your warrior princess next door, Lelia Symington is a bicoastal actress, singer and voiceover artist. You can see her starring opposite Teen Wolf's Tyler Posy in the film Brut Force streaming now on Tubi, or in Epic Film's The Jester streaming on Amazon. She is also known for her work on The Marksman and Street Survivors: The True Story of the Lynyrd Skynyrd Plane Crash.

Tune into the hero club podcast to catch her as a character and player in several seasons and play Georgia Durante in iHeart Radio's Wheel Woman. An NYU theatre and history grad, Lelia is fluent in French, a singer, trained in improv (UCB) and all kinds of fighting! Throw any dialect at her and watch her go.

ISABELLA MERCURIO



Isabella Mercurio is an American actress in theater, film and voice over. Whilst growing up in the Bay Area, she did over 30 shows at Contra Costa Civic Theatre, performed with West Edge Opera (previously "Berkeley Opera") and attended high school at Oakland School for the Arts with an emphasis in acting. She continued her studies in college at Chapman University where she received a BFA in Theatre Performance. Isabella is now based in Los Angeles studying under Amy Lyndon of the Lyndon Technique. She is best known for her work in Allison's Party and An Encounter on the Street.

Production Credits

Full Cast

Actors	Role
JESSICA MORRIS	Marielle Harris
GINA VITORI	Serena Harris
ISABELLA MERCURIO	Aria Harris
LELIA SYMINGTON	Laurel
MARK RICKETSON	Ryan Harris
TYLER PRICE	Olivia
SOFIA LOPEZ	Nina
MIGNON FARMANI	Jada
LISA COLE	Office Secretary
JACOB HORN	Coroner

Casting By

STELLA NOVA CSA

Production Designer

TYLER VOGEL

Director of Photography

NICHOLAS ALBERT

Edited By

QUINN ELSE

Music By

ANDREW SKRABUTENAS

Written By

ABBY KNIGHT

Directed By

ERIN LOVETT

Full Crew

MICHELLE B. MCGRAW

CAMERON PRICE

MIKE RADEFF

NATALIE BRADY

LEANDA HARLEY

BEATRIZ ARROCHA

KAITLYN CORWIN

CHASE DAVIS

TAYLOR SCHULTE

KELLY TORRES

SARAH KRASNIANSKI

GEORGE ELLETT

AMY FRYE

JOE MINISSALE

SCOTT BAKER

GABRIEL ANTONUCCIO

MARIO OSEGUERA

JEFF MARLOWE

ANDREW CHO

JOHN MANNING

DEVIN CONNER

DAN PROSTAK

PETE HOWELL

JOSH TOLON

CHRISTOPHER GRAJALES

DAVID KINCHEN

DAVID HUGHES

First Assistant Director

Second Assistant Director

2nd2nd Assistant Director

Art Director

Art PA

Co - Key Make-up Artist

Co - Key Make-up Artist

Make-up Asst

1st Assistant Camera

2nd Assistant Camera

Additional 2nd Assistant Camera

Steadicam Op

Media Manager

Stills Photographer

Gaffer – Jeff Marlowe

Additional Gaffer

Gaffer

Best Boy Electric

Additional Best Boy Electric

Key Grip

Best Boy Grip

Additional Best Boy Grip

CHRIS WILLIAMS	Swing
KATELYN ADKISSON	
BONNIE STAUCH	Costume Designer
LORENA BARROS	Onset Costumer
DYLAN HENNING	Production Sound Mixer
JULIAN ANDREWS	Additional Production Sound Mixer
MARILYN MILLER	Script Supervisor
MIRA HOFFMAN	Production Manager
KARIM PHELPS	Safety Coordinator
BRIAN MCKEANAY	Locations Manager
ALLISON NGUYEN	Production Assistants
SASHA KAMINSKY	
CHRISTOPHER PENTECOST	Sound Effects Editor, Re-Recording
PETER TREPKE	Dialogue Editor, Re-Recording Mixers
JOHNNY (HUY) LE	Sound Effects Editor
PATRICK EVANS	Post Production Supervisor
UMAMI COLOR AND FINISHING	Post Production Services
JEFF SPOTT	Colorist
ANTHONY CAMPAGNA	Finishing Artist
LUKE BUTLER	Digital Intermediate Producer
HOLLYWOOD SCRIPT CLEARANCE	Script Clearance
PRIVATE ISLAND AUDIO	ADR Facilities
QUINN ELSE	Visual Effects
GOODFORM	
ABACUS INSURANCE BROKERS, INC	Insurance
DEL MAR CATERING	Catering
RARE BREEDS	Cameras

Producer Biographies

TIMOTHY O. JOHNSON – Executive Producer

Timothy O. Johnson is among the most active and reliable producers in the business thanks to top rate productions and global distribution appeal. He is the managing partner of Johnson Production Group, a Canadian based operation that produces over 100 hours of dramatic television annually with hundreds of programs running internationally. The company is the leader supplier to Lifetime, Hallmark and other international outlets.

A graduate of the Marshall School of Business at the University of Southern California, he served as President of the USC Entertainment Management Association and a member of the Advisory Committee of the Center for Entrepreneurial Studies.

Johnson is also responsible for producing the international hit series, DR. QUINN, MEDICINE WOMAN for CBS for over 5 seasons. During his 100-episode tenure, 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.

Most recently, Johnson has produced the THE NOEL DIARY, being the #1 Film on Netflix's Top 10 list in December of 2022. He was also at the helm of the successful GIRL IN THE SHED: THE KIDNAPPING OF ABBY HERNANDEZ, as well as the V.C. Andrews series of films, to date including TWILIGHT'S CHILD, MIDNIGHT WHISPERS, and DAWN, all produced for Lifetime..

Johnson has produced over 400 movies and 15 globally released series for every major US network - including Netflix, Lifetime, Hallmark, ABC, Disney, CBS, NBC, Netfly, FOX and Sony.

JOHNSON PRODUCTION GROUP

The Johnson Production Group contracts globally to produce television 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.

LISA ALFORD – Producer

Lisa Alford is a development executive at Johnson Production Group. A Massachusetts native, Lisa has lived and worked in Los Angeles for over a decade, always in support of excellent storytelling. Prior to joining Johnson Production Group, Lisa worked as an executive at TriStar television where she specialized in identifying IP that supported TriStar's mission to feature diverse, authentic characters and champion underrepresented voices. Lisa came up at Sony Pictures Television where she worked as a production coordinator in the Television Movies and Miniseries department and in the writers room on the WGN hit series OUTSIDERS. In her current role, Lisa shepherds projects from the concept phase through story development, production, and post.

A.J. KELLY – Producer

Producer and co-founder of the creative production company, Goodform, A.J. Kelly has spent the past decade creating film, television, documentary, experiential and branded content. His work has won awards at top festivals including Cannes & SXSW, aired on premium networks and received multi-cultural acclaim.

Based in Los Angeles, A.J. believes in elevating content from diverse creative voices and providing an outlet for filmmakers to bring their stories to life.

JACOB HORN - Producer

Jacob Horn began his career in the entertainment industry by working his way up through Elijah Wood's production company, Spectrevison. With them, he was able to gain producing experience with directors such as Nacho Vigalondo and Josh Waller. After leaving Spectrevison, Jacob went out on his own to produce and direct his own content including several short films, a Christmas feature for Hallmark, and also becoming the Stunt Dept Manager on Once Upon A Time In Hollywood. At present, Jacob is the Head of Production for GoodFlix, a feature film production company where he oversees an annual slate of films.

TERRENCE KIRIOKOS – Line Producer

Terrence Kiriokos is a producer and unit production manager known for his work on *Who You Gonna Call?: A Ghostbusters Retrospective* (2014), *Boardwalk Empire* (2014), *Crime Story* (2021) and *Bundy Manor* (2022). He is a member of the Directors Guild of America, the Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, and IATSE Local 871.

Billing Block

LIFETIME Presents In Association with JOHNSON PRODUCTION GROUP
A DEADLY THREAT TO MY FAMILY starring JESSICA MORRIS GINA VITORI ISABELLA MERCURIO LELIA SYMINGTON MARK RICKETSON TYLER PRICE SOFIA LOPEZ MIGNON FARMANI and RIB HILLIS Casting By STELLA NOVA csa Production Designer TYLER VOGEL Director of Photography NICHOLAS ALBERT Edited By QUINN ELSE Music By ANDREW SKRABUTENAS Line Producer TERRENCE KIRIOKOS Co-Executive Producer LISA ALFORD Executive Producers JOSEPH WILKA TIMOTHY O. JOHNSON Producers A.J. KELLY JACOB HORN Written By ABBY KNIGHT Directed By ERIN LOVETT

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Lifetime

Meta Data

LONG (max 3000 characters) synopsis

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MEDIUM (max 500) synopsis

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SHORT (max 100 characters) synopsis

Has Serena been reformed after leaving a dangerous cult or is she actually recruiting her own niece?
(100)

5 KEY WORDS

Cult, recruiting, family, reform, target