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1998-2024 MEDIA PROJECTS

Generalized Hospitals: The Luke Luke & Laura Laura story ...Just one more thing! **Stereo, Color, Vilm, 59:00,4K, 2024**

Generalized Hospitals: The Luke Luke and Laura Laura story ...Just one more thing! is the latest collaboration by Darrin Martin and Torsten Zenas Burns reframing elements of nostalgic popular culture into contemporary dialogue with soap operatic tropes, fictional televisual humor, and interspecies relationships. Characters from daytime drama, 1970's children programming, gameshows, and sequential art history are reimagined and re-contextualized to consider new potential mutations and cohabitations to thrive in a changing environment.

Transformation is unboxed, and memory solicited through easter eggs, lidar animations, appropriations, and original videos interweaving recognizable characters from television commingled with their new doubled variants.

Just one more thing.... Our forecasted performative rituals may suggest ways that these characters merge human and non-human characteristics of past trauma into new bodies of possibility.

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TORSTEN ZENAS BURNS – HEROLD / SWAMP-MAN-THING

DARRIN MARTIN – HEROLD / SWAMP-MAN-THING

MIRIAM DYM – ED MIRAGO / DR. LIFECOACH

JOSH COLWELL– HIMSELF / SWAMP-MAN-THING

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MATT FISHER - SWAMP-MAN-THING

JAMIL HELLU - HEROLD

TELEVISUAL GUEST STARS

ANTHONY GEARY – HIMSELF / LUKE SPENCER

GENIE FRANCIS - HERSELF / LAURA SPENCER

TRISTAN ROGERS - ROBERT SCORPIO

ELIZABETH TAYLOR – HERSELF / HELENA CASSADINE

JOHN COLICOS- MIKOS CASSADINE / BALTAR

ROY THINNES – HIMSELF / DR. PHIL BREWER

PETER FALK- COLUMBO

CHARLES NELSON RILEY – HIMSELF / HOODOO

PAUL LYNDE – HIMSELF
LOU FERRIGNOU – HIMSELF / THE INCREDIBLE HULK
BILL BIXBY - HIMSELF / THE INCREDIBLE HULK
MR. ROGERS - HIMSELF
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STAN LEE, ROY THOMAS, GERRY CONWAY, GRAY MORROW - THE MAN THING - CREATOR
JACK KIRBY AND STAN LEE - THE THING – CREATOR
MATCH GAME 74
THE HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
JOHN CARPENTER - THE THING
SYD & MARTY KROFT - LIDSVILLE / H.R. PUFNSTUF
THE INCREDIBLE HULK TV SHOW
BATTLESTAR GALACTICA TV SHOW
MR. RODGERS NEIGHBORHOOD
THE SIXTH SENSE TV SHOW
THE MUPPETS / JIM HENSON

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