



**"HOME & FAMILY"**

**HIGHLIGHTS FOR UPCOMING "HOME & FAMILY" EPISODE  
THURSDAY, MAY 18**

**"Home & Family" Airs Monday through Friday  
(10a.m. ET/PT, 9C – 12p.m. ET/PT, 11C)  
on Hallmark Channel**

Below are highlights from the upcoming **Thursday, May 18, 2017** telecast of "Home & Family" on Hallmark Channel. "Home & Family," currently in its fifth season, is the only daytime lifestyle series on cable television with 52 consecutive weeks of new episodes. Emmy® Winner **Mark Steines** and two-time Emmy® nominee **Debbie Matenopoulos** host the fifth season of the two-time Daytime Emmy® Nominated Hallmark Channel Original Lifestyle Series. "Home & Family" airs new original episodes Monday through Friday (10a.m. ET/PT, 9C – 12p.m. ET/PT, 11C) on Hallmark Channel.

**THURSDAY, May 18** - Mark Steines and Debbie Matenopoulos welcome actress **Joanna Going** from the show "Kingdom." Actress and singer **LeToya Luckett** talks about OWN's "Greenleaf." Chef **Rose Lawrence** has homemade Pop Tarts. Veterinarian **Dr. Oscar Chavez** makes delicious and nutritious food for dogs. Kym Douglas is here with sticky beauty. Orly Shani creates trendy ombre pom pom earrings. Ken Wingard shows us a DIY cardboard window valance. Lawrence Zarian answers viewer questions. Save money with Hollywood Steals and Sandie Newton. Our family is taste testing each other's strange food combinations and they discuss their cringeworthy moments.

The fifth season of "Home & Family" features even more fresh advice from experts at the top of their fields. "Family members" dishing tips and tricks that help viewers live their best lives include Hollywood beauty specialist Kym Douglas, healthy living advocate Sophie Uliano, design expert Paige Hemmis, medical expert Matt Iseman, landscape and garden designer Shirley Bovshow, chef Fabio Viviani, decorator Ken Wingard, pediatrician Dr. J.J. Levenstein, family man Matt Rogers, renegade chef Dan Kohler, men's fashion expert Lawrence Zarian, fashion designer Orly Shani and mommy lifestyle expert Kristin Smith. Together with Mark and Debbie, these captivating experts make "Home & Family" the "Ultimate How-To" show, and a series honored for its excellence with two Daytime Emmy® nominations.

"Home & Family" features not only the best in lifestyle advice, but also plays host to some of Hollywood's biggest stars and most exciting music acts. Recent guests that have visited include: Dolly Parton, Marisa Tomei, Queen Latifah, Guy Fieri, Kristin Davis, James Brolin, Venus Williams, Wolfgang Puck, Lucy Hale, Kelly Osbourne, Michelle Rodriguez, Regis Philbin, Betty White, Carol Burnett, Joe Montana, Mike Love, Susan Lucci, and Rocco DiSpirito. The series reaches viewers' homes from its own 2,800 square foot working home at Universal Studios.

Woody Fraser is the creator of "Home & Family." Marty Tenney and Tracy Verna Soiseth are executive producers. Rob George is the director of "Home & Family" from Woody Fraser Enterprises. "Home & Family" is broadcast in 1080i, Hallmark Channel's selected HD Format. This program carries a TV-G parental guideline.

For more information on "Home & Family" please visit:

<http://www.hallmarkchannel.com/home-and-family>

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