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'NORTHERN LIGHTS OF CHRISTMAS'

Cast Bios

ASHLEY WILLIAMS (Zoey Hathaway) – Ashley Williams is one of Hollywood's most versatile actresses and continues to bring her talents to comedies and dramas in film, television and theatre. She most recently starred in the Hallmark Channel original "Christmas in Evergreen: Letters to Santa," and she starred in the TV Land series "The Jim Gaffigan Show," in which she played Jeannie Gaffigan, Jim's TV wife, who was the grounding, yet zany, wind beneath his wings.

Williams also appeared alongside Jessica Chastain and Oscar Issac in the critically acclaimed film *A Most Violent Year*. In past years she starred in the Warner Bros. film *Something Borrowed*, alongside Kate Hudson and Ginnifer Goodwin. Her other film credits include the Oscar®-nominated indie *Margin Call*, which debuted at the Sundance Film Festival and starred Kevin Spacey, Jeremy Irons and Zachary Quinto.

Williams first won over audiences as a teenager when she played Meg Ryan's daughter, Danielle Andropoulos, on "As the World Turns." Later, she starred alongside Mark Feuerstein in the NBC series "Good Morning Miami" and in the Lifetime telefilm "Montana Sky." Williams also had a memorable recurring role on the comedy "How I Met Your Mother" as Victoria, "the one that got away" for Ted, played by Josh Radnor. She was so popular on the show that she won an online poll conducted by the production staff as to the character fans would most like to see the as "The Mother." Her other television credits include recurring roles on the Holly Hunter series "Saving Grace," "Warehouse 13" and "Huff," as well as guest-starring roles on "FBI," "Instinct," "The New Adventures of Old Christine," "Monk," "The Mentalist," "The Good Wife," "Psych," "Girls" and "Law and Order: SVU," to name just a few.

In recent years, Williams began producing movies for Hallmark Channel, debuting with "Love on a Limb," which aired as part of the network's "Fall Harvest" Programming Event in 2016 to record breaking ratings and stunning reviews. She now has more films in development with Hallmark and is looking forward to shooting her next producing foray, "Christmas at the Madison" with her older sister Kimberly Williams-Paisley. She loves working with the executives at Hallmark who have empowered her creatively in ways she never could have imagined as an actress. In addition to her ongoing behind-the-camera work for Hallmark Channel, Williams has starred in the Hallmark Channel Original Movies "Christmas in the City," "October Kiss," "Love on a Limb" and "Christmas in Evergreen."

Born in Westchester, New York, Williams studied at Boston University's renowned School of Theatre Arts, and spent a year abroad at LAMDA and RADA in London. She was a member of the acting company at the prestigious Williamstown Theatre Festival at Williams College. Her first job out of college was understudying both Rachel Weisz and Gretchen Mol in the Off-Broadway play *The Shape of Things*, written and directed by Neil LaBute. At various times during the run of the play, Williams performed both roles. She also starred alongside Wendie Malick in

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the Off-Broadway production of *Burleigh Grimes* and opposite Tom Skerritt and Sebastian Arcelus in the Broadway production of *A Time to Kill*, based on the best-selling John Grisham novel.

With a natural skill for writing, Williams has penned several moving and personal pieces about her miscarriage and her mother’s longtime battle with Alzheimer’s disease for People.com and Medium.com. In addition to these other passions, Williams is a birth doula, offering emotional, physical and informational support to mothers and their partners leading up to labor, through childbirth, and throughout postpartum. She currently splits her time between Los Angeles and New York with her husband and two young sons.

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COREY SEVIER (Alec Wynn) – Born in Ajax, Ontario, Corey Sevier’s career in front of the camera began as a baby model at the tender age of six months. Modelling soon led to work in commercials. At seven years old, he landed his first acting job in the ABC mini-series “Family Pictures,” alongside screen veterans Angelica Houston and Sam Neill.

He landed the role of Timmy in the ‘90s version of the prolific series “Lassie,” which aired on Animal Planet for four seasons and earned him a Gemini nomination. He starred in the PAX Television series “Little Men,” and had recurring roles as Seth Gunderson in the Hallmark Channel series “Debbie Macomber’s Cedar Cove” and as David Hudson in ABC’s “Mistresses.” Sevier starred in the steamy FOX drama “North Shore.”

Sevier has guest-starred in numerous well-known series, among them “Psych,” “CSI: Miami,” “Smallville,” “Supernatural” and “Murdoch Mysteries.” Recently, he starred in the Lifetime movie “The Wrong Bed: Naked Pursuit,” and PixL Entertainment’s “Mr. Write” and “Win, Lose or Love,” UPTv’s “The Tree That Saved Christmas” and he co-starred in the Hallmark Channel original movie “The Art of Us.”

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