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'SISTER OF THE BRIDE' **Cast Bios**

BECCA TOBIN (Stephanie) – Actress, singer, dancer and host, Becca Tobin first broke into the pop culture zeitgeist when she landed the role of Kitty on Fox Television’s internationally acclaimed show “Glee.” Currently, she hosts the hit celebrity podcast, “The Ladygang,” which received a People’s Choice Nomination and has a national tour this summer. Recently “The Ladygang” was made into a TV show on E! and features celebrity guests such as Darren Criss, Colton Underwood, Kat Graham and Bebe Rexha. Tobin has starred in the Hallmark Movies & Mysteries Original “A Song for Christmas,” and last year she starred in the network’s June Weddings movie “Love at First Dance.”

In addition to her acting work, Tobin has established a strong voice in the fashion community via her blog JuneMoss.com, which was praised as one of the “surprise celebrity blogs you should be reading” by WhoWhatWear.com.

Originally from Georgia, Tobin moved to New York City to attend the American Musical and Dramatic Academy. After graduating, she landed gigs in Broadway’s *Rock of Ages* and toured with the Trans-Siberian Orchestra.

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RYAN ROTTMAN (Ben) – Ryan Rottman was most recently seen on the big screen starring in *Billionaire Boys Club* alongside Ansel Egart, Taron Egerton and Emma Roberts. Prior to that, he starred in the AwesomenessTV Series “Guidance” and the MTV series “Happyland.” In addition, Rottman enjoyed recurring roles on the ABC Family hit series “The Lying Game,” The CW’s “90210,” as well as starring in TeenNick’s drama series “Gigantic.” His other select credits include guest starring on the ABC hit series “The Middle,” a recurring role on CBS’s “Viva Laughlin,” as well as a role in Columbia Pictures feature film *The House Bunny*. During the 2018 holiday season, Rottman starred in the Hallmark Movies & Mysteries Original “Christmas Wonderland” opposite Emily Osment.

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MICHAEL GROSS (Robert) - During his forty-five year career, actor Michael Gross, perhaps best known for his portrayal of father Steven Keaton on NBC’s award-winning “Family Ties,” has portrayed a remarkable range of characters, starred in dozens of television films, guest-starred in numerous television series, and was a series regular on the number one-rated daytime drama, “The Young and the Restless.” He has appeared on the Broadway stage, in numerous regional theatres, and was the recipient of the Obie Award for his off-Broadway theatre work.

On the big screen, Michael enjoys cult status among sci-fi and horror movie fans for his portrayal of survivalist Burt Gummer in the 1990 feature film "Tremors," its five sequels, and its Sci-Fi Channel series. He has appeared with Ali McGraw in director Sidney Lumet's "Just Tell Me What You Want," played opposite Lily Tomlin in "Big Business," with actor Lucas Haas in the award-winning "Alan and Naomi," and with Wynona Ryder in "Stay Cool." More recently, he was honored at multiple film festivals for his title role in the award winning short film, Our Father.

Current projects include his return to Netflix's "Grace & Frankie" this spring, his encore as Burt Gummer in the upcoming filming of "Tremors 7," and "Noelle," a Disney theatrical film for the 2019 holiday season starring Anna Kendrick, Bill Hader and Shirley MaLaine.

He is a graduate of the University of Illinois at Chicago and the School of Drama at Yale University. He and his wife, former casting director Elza Bergeron, have been married almost thirty-five years and have two children and two grandchildren. He is the recipient of the American Hero Award for his charitable activities.

Find him on Facebook (ActorMichaelGross), Twitter (@MichaelGrossBiz), and Instagram (ActorMichaelGross).

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BETH BRODERICK (Eleanore) - Beth Broderick made her motion picture debut as the sexy neighbor who seduces a young, innocent Jonathan Silverman in *Stealing Home*, which starred Jodie Foster and Mark Harmon. She has also appeared on the big screen in *Psycho Beach Party*, *Bonfire of the Vanities* with Bruce Willis, *Fools Rush In*, starring Matthew Perry and Selma Hayek, American Playhouse's "1000 Pieces of Gold," "Shadow Hunter," "French Exit," "The Silencer," "Man of the Year," "States Evidence," "Tom's Nu Heaven" and "Timber Falls." The film "Fly Away" was a huge critical success and has won numerous awards on the festival circuit.

Broderick starred in several television series including: "Sabrina the Teen-aged Witch" with Melissa Joan Hart, "The Five Mrs. Buchanan's" with acclaimed actress Judith Ivey who remains a cherished friend, as well as "Hearts Afire" with John Ritter and Billy Bob Thornton. She also starred opposite Brad Pitt, playing a straight-shooting newspaper editor, in the series "Glory Days." She recently appeared in the short lived critically acclaimed series "Lone Star" and was a recurring character on ABC's "Lost" playing Diane, mother of the criminally minded Katie. Beth has also appeared as a guest star on numerous shows including "The Closer," "CSI," "Bionic Woman," "Cold Case," "Castle," "Leverage" and "ER."

Broderick also had roles in such television movies as "Homeland Security" opposite Tom Skerrit, as well as "Ordinary Heroes," "Are You Lonesome Tonight?," "Into the Deep Woods," "Justice in a Small Town," "Maternal Instincts" and the recent hit "Revenge of the Bridesmaids."

Beth has appeared on stage at the Blank Theater in *Heads* heralded by the LA Times as one of the top ten plays of 07. IN 08 she appeared at the Northlight Theater in Chicago reprising her performance in the one-woman show *Bad Dates*. The show had its west coast premiere at the Laguna Playhouse in the fall of 06. Beth has appeared in numerous LA productions including *Zastrozzi* at the Beverly Hills Playhouse, *Triplets in Unison* at the Skylight Theatre Hollywood and *Carnal Knowledge* at the Pasadena Playhouse. Her NY credits include numerous appearances

Off-Broadway; among them *Murder at the Rutherford House*, *Elizabeth Rex the Musical* and *Stage Door*.

Beth Broderick is a jack of all trades who has mastered many. Her impressive resume includes not only roles in numerous feature films and television shows, but script writing, voiceover work and theatrical performances. Broderick is also a tireless humanitarian, being a founder of MOMENTUM, one of the country's first organizations to help people with AIDS.

Beth is also a well-known essayist and a featured contributor to the Huffington Post.

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