

ALISON SWEENEY AND LUCAS BRYANT SHARE A YULETIDE JOURNEY IN <u>'TIME FOR YOU TO COME HOME FOR CHRISTMAS'</u> A NEW ORIGINAL PREMIERING DECEMBER 8, ON HALLMARK MOVIES & MYSTERIES

From Executive Producer Blake Shelton

Part of the Network's Annual 'Miracles of Christmas' Programming Event

STUDIO CITY, CA – November 19, 2019 — Alison Sweeney ("Chronicle Mysteries," "Days of Our Lives") and Lucas Bryant ("Marvel's Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D.," "Haven") star in "Time for You to Come Home for Christmas" from Executive Producer Blake Shelton, a new original premiering Sunday, December 8 (9 p.m. ET/PT), on Hallmark Movies & Mysteries as part of the network's annual "Miracles of Christmas" programming event. The movie is a follow-up to last year's "Time for Me to Come Home for Christmas," on which Shelton also served as executive producer alongside his mother, Dorothy Shackleford, which was based on Shelton's song "Time for Me to Come Home" and Shackleford's book of the same name, written with Travis Thrasher.

Katherine (Sweeney) braces herself for bittersweet memories of her late husband as she and her son Will (Kiefer O'Reilly, "Project Blue Book") set out to spend Christmas with her parents in Virginia. Their long train journey is enlivened by their seat-mate, Jack (Bryant), a gentlemanly guitarist with a gift for conversation and handy deck of cards. Katherine and Jack's paths cross again in her hometown, where Jack has temporarily joined a band playing at the annual Christmas charity dance. In the days that follow, Katherine and Jack find the bond between them growing deeper as they enjoy some of the simple joys of the season. Meanwhile, Jack is trying to solve a mystery from his own past – and the surprising result will lead to a new beginning for both Katherine and Jack.

"Time for You to Come Home for Christmas" is from Time Road Productions II Ltd. Executive producers are Orly Adelson, Michael Shepard, Allen Lewis, Blake Shelton, Dorothy Shackleford and Harvey Kahn. The movie is produced by Charles Cooper. Terry Ingram directed from a script by Marcy Holland, based on the book <u>Time for Me to Come Home</u> by Dorothy Shackleford and Travis Thrasher.

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