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'CHRISTMAS BY STARLIGHT'

Cast Bios

KIMBERLEY SUSTAD (Annie) – A charismatic beauty, Kimberley Sustad is known for her engaging presence as a performer both on stage and screen. Sustad grew up on the prairies of Canada and enjoyed a childhood full of horseback riding and outdoor adventures. Her first taste of acting came at the age of 18, when her local theater put on Henrik Ibsen's *Hedda Gabler*. Cast in the titular lead role, this experience proved to be catalyst for her, helping to define her identity and future as a performer.

Soon after, Sustad moved to Seattle where she pursued more theater opportunities and appeared in productions by major regional companies Seattle Repertory Theatre and Arts Club Theatre (ACT). Her ongoing studies, workshops and theater experience soon led to her next endeavors, film and television, prompting her to move from Washington to Vancouver.

Since then, Sustad's career has continued to grow. She has appeared in a number of hit series including Showcase's "Continuum," ABC's "Motive," The CW's "Supernatural," Fox's "Alcatraz," SYFY's "Primeval: A New World," and Hallmark Channel's "Chesapeake Shores." She can be seen in season three of the Netflix original series "Travelers," in which she plays the arcing guest role, Joanne Yates, and the CBC miniseries drama "Unspeakable," about the tainted blood scandal that rocked Canada in the '80s. Most recently she guest starred on Jordan Peele's new iteration of "The Twilight Zone" for CBS. She has also starred in numerous Hallmark Channel original movies, including "A Godwink Christmas," "Sense, Sensibility & Snowmen" and "Nine Lives of Christmas."

When Sustad is not acting, she enjoys staying in shape through kickboxing, boxing or outdoor activities such as rock climbing or snowboarding. She currently resides in Vancouver, BC.

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PAUL CAMPBELL (William) – Canadian-born actor Paul Campbell began his career at the age of 23 and had his first break shortly after when he was cast as a regular in SYFY's critically acclaimed series "Battlestar Galactica."

Campbell's early success led to his landing roles on NBC's "Knight Rider" and Showcase's "Almost Heroes." He then led the cast of the CTV comedy series "Spun Out," alongside Dave Foley and Rebecca Dalton. Since then, Campbell has gone on to build a long body of work in broadcast and cable television, including starring roles in popular Hallmark Channel original movies including "Surprised by Love" and "Sun, Sand & Romance" as well as "A Godwink Christmas" for Hallmark Movies & Mysteries. Most recently, Campbell starred in Hallmark Channel's "The Last Bridesmaid" opposite Rachel Boston as well as "Hearts of Christmas" for

Hallmark Movies & Mysteries, and he also appeared in ABC's "Take Two" with Rachel Bilson and Eddie Cibrian.

In addition to his television roles, Campbell has worked alongside luminaries in feature films, including *88 Minutes*, opposite Al Pacino and Alicia Witt, *The Big Year* with Steve Martin and Jack Black, and *Dirty Singles*, which was nominated for the ACTRA and Canadian Screen Awards.

Campbell resides in Los Angeles and Vancouver with his wife Lorie and son, Kingston.

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