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PROGRAM CATALOG APRIL 2012



LIFESTYLE - Travel

Against the Flow (4 x 30 mins) **HDTV** This four-part documentary is the essence of a road trip. Four friends set out to follow the course of South Africa's longest river known variously as the Orange, Groot, Gariep, Senqu or simply Great River. The Odyssey begins in the stark coastal desert of the Northern Cape; sixty seven days later it ends in the verdant highlands of Lesotho. The four travelers cross 2300 km as they document the collage of towns, people, histories, landscapes and experiences.



Backpacker Destinations (58 x 60 mins) **HDTV** This beautiful HD series explores some of the best travel destinations in the world with special emphasis on experiences that can be replicated by just about anybody travelling on a limited budget and with few possessions. Our hosts take viewers through some of the highlights and challenges they may encounter while exploring places like Thailand, Cambodia, India, Turkey, Japan, Nepal, The Philippines, Malaysia, Cuba, South Africa, Egypt and various countries in South America.



Countries Less Travelled (6 x 30 mins) A blend of adventure, culture and insight where two intrepid filmmakers visit far flung islands of the Pacific Ocean where tourists don't go: including Kiribati, Nauru, Samoa, Solomon Islands and Fiji.



Fantastic Festivals of the World (30 x 60 mins) **HDTV** Visits fascinating festivals all around the world including Spain, New Zealand, Japan, New Guinea, India and the USA. Experience the festival and the local culture in beautiful HDTV.



Into The Drink (26 x 30 mins) **HDTV** A different kind of travel show hosted by underwater filmmaker and journalist Aaron Faulls, each episode features a new destination and the uncharted waters it holds, as well as the local distilleries, breweries and pubs. International destinations include Puerto Rico, The Philippines, Australia, Jamaica, USA, The Azores, South Africa, Egypt, Belize, Hawaii, Galapagos, Papua New Guinea and more!

Living Landscapes (18 x 60 mins) **HDTV** The world's most inspiring natural environments come to life through the magic of High Definition video and 5.1 surround sound including Hawaii Underwater, Sunrises & Sunsets, World's Most Beautiful Waterfalls, World's Most Beautiful Beaches, The Four Seasons, America's Most Beautiful Lighthouses, Wild Africa, Bali, Olympic Rainforest, Costa Rica and more!



Painting Wild Places (72 x 30 mins) With the premise of "so much to paint", artist Gary Spetz chooses his subject matter from nature's most beautiful places for this long-running PBS series. Each scene presents new painting challenges, which, in turn, provide Gary with new opportunities to teach his easy-to-follow painting methods.



Shanghai Discovery (6 x 60 mins) **HDTV** This series delves deep into Shanghai, including fashion, cuisine, its massive suburban movement, traditional events and the World Expo 2010. In all things, Shanghai remains dynamic, its features diverse and rich, sometimes extending far back into history and in other instances showcasing its constant drive towards innovation.



Travel Europe by Train (15 x 30 mins) **HDTV** Discover Europe's beauty on the railway! Viewers can sit back and relax as they enjoy the cities and countryside of France, Germany, Romania, Bulgaria, Turkey, England, Spain, The Czech Republic, Poland, Hungary, Switzerland and more!



Watercolor Quest (13 x 30 mins) **HDTV** This innovative 13-episode series follows painter/photographer/host Gary Spetz, as he travels the Caribbean, Mexico, Hawaii, Alaska and Montana, in search of his next painting compositions. With the completion of 5 seasons of the popular how-to-paint television series, Painting Wild Places, veteran PBS host and award-winning artist, Gary Spetz, embarks on an exciting new travel series.



Wings Over Grand Canyon (60 mins) **HDTV** is an unprecedented flight of discovery. Using the celebrated Cineflex Camera System, Producer/Director Graham Gawne and acclaimed aerial cameraman John Trapman, have re-discovered the complete Grand Canyon series of magnificent landscapes, and presented them in a all-new fresh and exciting presentation.

A Year in Italy (3 x various lengths) Award-winning travel filmmaker Steve McCurdy shares his lifelong love of Italy in three mesmerizing programs that indelibly capture the true heart and authentic character of a nation. Italy, one of the world's four most popular places to visit, comes alive as never before with glorious images, warm and witty commentary, evocative original music, and people who share their histories and hospitality.



LIFESTYLE - Food & Fashion

Cucina Amore (26 x 30 mins), **Cucina Sicilia** (13 x 30 mins) & **Cucina Toscana** (13 x 30 mins) Hosts Johnny Carrabba and Damian Mandola serve up traditional Italian cooking with a delicious Texas flair! In their second season, Johnny and Damian feature Sicilian classics. They share all the cooking secrets of their Sicilian roots along with a dose of pure Texas fun. The Third series features Tuscan food classics.



Delicious TV's Totally Vegetarian (39 x 30 mins) **HDTV** A cooking and lifestyle series hosted by Toni Piore. Lively, colorful, and upbeat, emphasizing fresh ingredients easily prepared. Totally Vegetarian offers not just recipes but the facts, delights, and challenges of the vegetarian lifestyle with invaluable advice on the latest trends in vegetarian food.

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SPORTS EXERCISE & PASTIMES

3 Wide Life (26 x 30 mins) **HDTV** is an entertaining and informative auto racing show about the people who make the green flag drop week to week. The show examines life inside the garage, targeting the hard-core race fan. Three Wide Life is meant not only to entertain race fans, but to also educate new viewers about the drivers, the business, and the people behind the teams.



The Art of Fighting (13 x 30 mins) The Art of Fighting is a travel/culture fight series which gives viewers unprecedented access to the fight scene in Japan, Thailand and the rest of Asia. Viewers witness everything from the lofty Zen influenced world of Japanese archery to underground illegal fight clubs. The cornerstone of the program is unprecedented training and fighting footage as well as looks at fighters in their day-to-day lives.



Fly Fish TV with Kelly Galloup (13 x 30 mins) **HDTV** The hosts for this variety show of fly fishing are the top experts in the sport; there may be as many as three different professionals hosting segments in a single program. They all have made a commitment to share their fly fishing and tying knowledge.



GillznFinz (26 x 30 mins) **HDTV** is about the raw, real, and uncut fishing lifestyle. It combines unique elements that take it beyond a simple "fishing show" by showcasing the reality and lifestyle elements of each excursion. GillznFinz Television integrates hardcore fishing, live music, food, culture, nightlife, and comedy into one nonstop HD program. We promise you that it is not your Grandpa's fishing show!

Grassroots (13 x 60 mins) **HDTV** Behind the limelight of NASCAR and IndyCar Racing, Grassroots follows the compelling stories that occur at the top local racing events around the US. We showcase the excitement at the track and the local heroes that most people never hear of. Grassroots racing is the proving ground that has produced superstars such as NASCAR champions Jimmie Johnson, Jeff Gordon, and Tony Stewart.



Latitudes and Attitudes (65 x 30 mins) **HDTV** Based on the international print magazine, highlighting real people cruising on their own boats in some of the most beautiful waters of the world.

Liquid Extremes (6 x 30 mins) **HDTV** This series travels to custom boat building and design shops: any place where a unique design or boat show event featuring extreme power boat activity happens. The building process is followed from concept to completion of the finished dream power boat. Including filming of the creation of the boat shell, layout, graphics, engine/power tuning and lake testing.



Second Opinion (26 x 30 mins) **HDTV** (78 x 30 mins) This PBS series featuring medical professionals engaged in honest, in-depth and revealing discussions about life-changing medical decisions using intriguing, real-life scenarios to raise the level of public understanding and providing access to accurate medical information.

The Scott Martin Challenge (68 x 30 mins) **HDTV** Featuring one of the brightest young stars in pro fishing in a fast-paced one-on-one competition with other top pro anglers. Aggressive editing and graphics along with great insider tips make this the hot new bass show to catch.



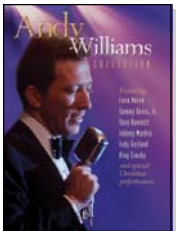
Solo Hunters TV (13 x 30 mins) **HDTV** does an outstanding job at showing every aspect of the hunt, providing a thrilling, life-like experience. It's about hard working people who save up time off work and stash away extra cash in order to hit the road and hunt. Through features like "Solo Hunters Challenge" and "Behind the Rack", the show fosters a unique relationship with its audience and creates a gritty, inspiring viewing experience.



The Vintage Vehicle Show (100 x 30 mins) The best television coverage of all aspects of the classic, custom and hot rod car hobby at some of the best car shows, museums, private collections and restoration facilities on the US's West Coast. Hosted by Lance Lambert.



MUSIC



The Best of Andy Williams (3 x 60 mins) **HDTV** Andy Williams touched the hearts of lovers and families worldwide. In these programs Andy personally introduces a collection of unforgettable performances from his Emmy Award-winning television series, showcases his Christmas music and performs with a spectacular array of stars including: Julie Andrews, Pearl Bailey, Tony Bennett, Ray Charles, Bing Crosby, Sammy Davis Jr., and more!

Music Mix USA (ongoing x 30 mins) **HDTV** A fast-paced, energetic television series that features the latest music videos and interviews from the hottest artists in the industry. Featured artists include Tom Petty, OutKast, Motley Crue, Coldplay, Katy Perry, Nickelback, 3 Doors Down, Jimmy Eat World, Matchbox Twenty, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Puddle of Mudd, Korn, Charlie Daniels, Gavin Degraw, Seether, Switchfoot and much more!



Victor Borge (3 x various lengths) Borge, "The Great Dane" was one of the world's most beloved entertainers. His legendary career spanned more than seven decades, and he was hailed by Entertainment Weekly as video fans' "favorite funny person." This collection of programs encompasses his most popular public television specials and all of his most requested routines.



CHILDREN & EDUCATIONAL

Alphabet Animals (26 x 15 mins) A fascinating, funny and educational live-action series featuring a variety of wild and domestic animals to delight kids, their parents and teachers.



Biz Kid\$ (65 x 30 mins) **HDTV** A fun PBS series about kids, money and business produced in association with Junior Achievement. From the creators of "Disney Presents Bill Nye the Science Guy," this ground-breaking series grabs kids by their wallets and shows them how to make and manage their own money.



Christmas in the Attic (30 mins) Three charming puppets magically come to life and make a little girl's Christmas wish come true. A brand new holiday special combining animation, live action and great story telling from the producers of the creative new series *Up in the Attic* for kids of all ages!



The Magic of Santa (60 mins) **HDTV** This charming "documentary" shot in HD includes a multitude of uniquely crafted special effects and reveals the Arctic's best-kept secret with bold moments of illusion and vibrance. From the secrets of his toy workshop to life in the surrounding village, Santa and his special helpers guide kids and audiences of all ages on this fascinating journey into daily life on the North Pole.



The Choo Choo Bob Show (6 x 30 mins) **HDTV** This live action show is targeted at kids but fun for train fanatics of all ages. Kids join Choo Choo Bob, Engineer Paul, Engineer Emily, Rich Kornbelt, Conductor Dave and Charlie Ray as they explore the world of trains. The show is fun, educational and engaging to children as they visit museums, ride trains and sing railroad songs!

Team Marco Polo (13 x 30 mins) **HDTV** A live action children's series that helps kids learn about travel and the cultures of other countries. There is lots of footage of kids on location and humorous characters teaching children about world history, art and culture.



DOCUMENTARIES



444-Day Face Off (60 mins) **HDTV** In 1981 the US embassy in Tehran, Iran is overrun by university students and an international crisis ensues. In this film, both hostage takers and hostages relate their stories to provide unprecedented firsthand accounts of this historic event. It is a comprehensive look at the Islamic Revolution up to the US embassy takeover told by the people who lived it, highlighting the prospect of future relations between Iran and the US.

An Unbelievable Journey (60 mins) **HDTV** The incredible journey of one man and his small dedicated team trying to prove an unbelievable water and waste oil fuel to the world, by driving 2000 miles across the Australian Desert.



Beijing Taxi (2 x 60 mins) is a documentary project that gives an intimate portrait of contemporary China by exploring the world of Beijing's taxi drivers. The picture viewers usually get about China through media often focuses on macroeconomics and broad social issues without considering the everyday life experiences of ordinary people. The interviews with taxi drivers have not been monitored, planned or censored by any governmental or private authority.



Boardfree Oz (108 mins or 4 x 30 mins) Englishman Dave Cornthwaite skateboards 6000km across Australia. Dave sets off with a whole continent laid out in front of him and embarks on a simultaneous journey of self-discovery between Perth and Brisbane, skateboarding further than anyone has ever skated before, a distance greater than London to New York.



Dale Chihuly - the world's leading glass artist. **Chihuly: Fire & Light** (60 mins) **HDTV** Chihuly's exhibition at the De Young in San Francisco **Chihuly in the Hotshop** (90 mins) **HDTV**. **Chihuly Over Venice** (90 mins) **HDTV**.



The Day Brasil Was Here (60 or 73 mins) As UN peacekeepers and humanitarian organizations attempt to restore peace and prosperity to a devastated nation, The Brazilian National Soccer Team extends a helping hand by playing a charity match against Haiti's National Team with the aim of restoring hope and raising spirits.



Disney Parks (6 x 60 mins) **HDTV** is an unprecedented six-program series that gives viewers special access to top attractions in Disney theme parks throughout the world. With features shot in stunning HD, the series provides exceptional insight into the technology, design, and "imagineering" that goes into every aspect of the Disney experience.



Dragonboat Carnival Hong Kong (60 mins) **HDTV** Viewers are immersed in the history of dragonboats and meet the world's most enthusiastic paddlers, exploring the makeup of this extraordinary phenomenon. Along the way, viewers discover the powerful role of the dragon in the sport's culture, Hong Kong's Geopark and various culinary delights, finding themselves enthralled as they see how water touches every part of life in Hong Kong.



Field of Dreams Ghost Player (60 mins) *Field of Dreams Ghost Player* is a documentary that chronicles the adventures and misadventures of a boisterous and unlikely team of middle aged Iowa baseball players. In 1989, Hollywood went to Iowa to shoot *Field of Dreams*. Little did anyone know this blockbuster would spawn a comedic baseball show starring local ballplayers that would have an 18 year run and travel the world.



Fight or Flight (52 or 78 mins) *Fight or Flight* documents Peter McCarthy's journey over several years in Thailand as he goes from novice in Muay Thai to fighting in semi-professional bouts in arenas full to capacity. Peter learns that behind his compulsion to fight lies fear and ultimately a deep-seated anger that has driven him to risk his body in the ring. *Three time winner of Best Documentary including Radar Hamburg & Commfest Toronto.*



Going Long, Going Hard (60 mins) **HDTV** This film follows athletes engaged in the Epic Camp triathlon camp in New Zealand. The world's top ironman athletes are pitted against the uncompromising New Zealand landscape as they swim, cycle and run 2,200 km through some of the most scenic backdrops in the world, with humor and drama along the way.



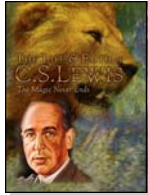
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The Hard Road West (50 mins) **HDTV** This is the true story of the ill-fated Donner party who set out in 1846 for a better life in California but whose journey ended tragically in the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Traveling 2,400 miles by farm wagon, they cross deserts and mountains hoping to reach California in about 5 months. Instead their efforts are undermined by human error and fated by extreme weather. Ravaged by starvation two ordinary families are driven to the very edge of endeavor and endurance.



In Pursuit of a Dream (60 mins) **HDTV** documents 24 kids from across the US (some who had never been out of their home town) who embark on a journey of wagons, old style clothing and a full settler experience. Led by three amazing teachers these new age "emigrants" trek through Wyoming and north to Oregon on a once-in-a-lifetime journey that challenges even the toughest in the group.

In The Spotlight: Palm Oil (60 mins) **HDTV** This documentary addresses the controversial palm oil industry, its opponents as well as the people and the countries that depend on its very existence. *In The Spotlight* examines whether this product is in fact harmful to the environment and debates the significance of biodiesel and the potential for alternative energy.



The Life & Faith of C.S. Lewis (60 mins) Narrated by Academy Award-winner Ben Kingsley, this multi-award-winning program is the most complete portrait of the world-renowned author considered by many to be the greatest Christian writer of the 20th century. None of his thirty-eight books have ever been out of print including the world famous *Chronicles of Narnia*.

Los Lonely Boys: Cottonfields and Crossroads (87 mins) The Grammy Award-winning Los Lonely Boys, have hit #1 on the Adult Contemporary chart, and #16 on the Billboard Hot 100, even crossing over to the Hot Country Songs chart. This documentary highlights their roots and musical influences as the audience gets to follow them on their journey from poverty to the American Rock n' Roll dream.



MatchMakers (95 or 60 mins) **HDTV** An exploration of matchmaking and the pursuit of love, MatchMakers reveals the business of finding a mate. Today, mail-order brides, trips to the local matchmaker, and evenings in front of the computer are feasible options in the ever-growing matchmaking industry.

Meltdown in Tibet (40 mins) **HDTV** Using undercover footage and stills, *Meltdown in Tibet* provides a disturbing look into China's extensive and potentially catastrophic dam-building projects in Tibet. The mighty rivers sourced in Tibet are lifelines to the people of India and Southeast Asia. These rivers are at great risk from rapidly receding glaciers—a meltdown accelerated by global warming—and from large-scale damming and diversion, due to massive Chinese engineering projects.



NLO: Celebrate Christmas (60 mins) **HDTV** NLO highlights tremendous and majestic, orchestrated hard rock music featuring multiple soaring vocal tracks, incredible pulsating rapid guitar solos and pounding rhythms sure to impress and invigorate the baby boomer generation that grew up on what is today's classic rock! Guest musicians include The Beach Boys, Sly and the Family Stone, Alice Cooper, George Lynch of Dokken, Megadeth, Testament, Survivor, Steely Dan, Firehouse, Sister Sledge, Quiet Riot, Vanilla Fudge, Winger, Bob Carlisle, Guns and Roses, Grand Funk Railroad, Kiss, Korn, House of Lords, and Whitesnake just to name a few.

Olympus to Everest (60 mins) Man has been scaling Mt. Everest since the beginning of the 20th Century. Many have reached the summit; many have fallen short. Today, as the number of individuals from many nations trying to scale the mountain grows, countries without an established climbing tradition are taking part. Reinforced by the assistance of the Greek-American celebrity mountaineer Pete Athans, a Greek expedition gains the strength to continue through adversity. Viewers follow the team as they face the hard reality of death in the mountains for a second time. Their team spirit remains the last thing in reserve as they call upon it to realize their vision.



Ploughing Through Time (60 mins) Greek filmmaker Costas Kolimenos decides to take on the controversy of recent Greek civil unrest head on. This unprecedented documentary stands as a unique document for a moment in time that beckons the future of a country in turmoil. The film takes a thrilling look at movements of upheaval and socio-economic conflict, focusing on such small scale protests and their potential for becoming full-fledged revolutions.

Paddle to Seattle (52 or 86 mins) **HDTV** Paddle to Seattle: Journey Through the Inside Passage is a documentary chronicling two adventurers as they paddle handmade wooden kayaks along Canada's West coast, from Alaska to Seattle. As they navigate the 1,300 mile inside passage, they encounter brown bears, come frighteningly close to whales and other marine life, and meet the local people.



Rescue Men (60 mins) **HDTV** This is the remarkable true story of the Pea Island Life-Savers, the first all-black crew in the US Life-Saving Service of the 1890s. These brave men rescued sailors and civilians battered by the hard winds and waves of the Atlantic Ocean off the coast of North Carolina. Led by Keeper Richard Etheridge, this groundbreaking crew etched themselves into the history of what is now the US Coast Guard.

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