The JourneyJay Show: The Strange Episode

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SERIAL: 003

Based on the real life of JourneyJay.

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-Act 1-

LIVE ACTION START

Fade in.

EXT. BENCH - NIGHT

FRONT-LOW ANGLE LONG SHOT - ARC'D 15 DEGREES HOUSE LEFT

JourneyJay is sitting at a bench, alone. He's homeless and starving.

ARC HOUSE LEFT TO BACK EYE LEVEL - OVER THE SHOULDER MEDIUM +

He wisks his right hand forward and into the air, in front of him and above his shoulder slightly, elbow bent, index and middle finger out. Sparks that form the edges of portals in <u>Dr. Strange</u> fly off his fingertips, (just two of them), up a tad, and evaporate into nonexistence.

FRONTAL LOW ANGLE MEDIUM SHOT - SLIGHTLY HOUSE LEFT

He's got a look of amazement on his face.

JUMPCUT MEDIUM CLOSE

He looks right, surprise hits his face.

STAN LEE - MEDIUM SHOT - HOUSE RIGHT

STAN LEE This part didn't happen...here.

He's handing JourneyJay a sub sandwich from inside the store.

JOURNEYJAY MEDIUM SHOT

JourneyJay takes the sandwich. He goes to take a bite ...

Fade to white.

-End Act-

-Act 2-

Fade in.

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INT. GREEN ROOM - DAY

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The backdrop is of a room with bookshelves filled with books and a fireplace.

JourneyJay is daydreaming with a bubble pipe in hand.

PAN 45 DEGREES HOUSE RIGHT - DOLLY CRAB HOUSE LEFT

The angle reveals the side of the green room, where CUMBERBATCH walks in. After a pause, JourneyJay looks over and sees Cumberbatch. He drops his bubble pipe and exclaims:

> JOURNEYJAY: No way! ...Doctor Strange!

JourneyJay approaches Cumberbatch, starts motioning to form a portal, and walks backwards as Cumberbatch moves forwards onto the green screen:

> CUMBERBATCH: No no, that's just a character I play, i've heard of this obsession of yours and i've come here to put an end to the nonsense.

CENTER ON SCREEN

CUMBERBATCH is in the middle of the shot:

TIME:1.00

CUMBERBATCH:

Whatever you saw that "one time", it must be explainable some other way. I'm just an actor-

JOURNEYJAY: Use the infinity stone so I can show you that it really happened!

CUMBERBATCH: The infinity stone doesn't work that way, and also, it doesn't exist so...

JOURNEYJAY: If it doesn't exist then...

Medium shot - house left on journeyjay

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JOURNEYJAY: What do you call this?

JourneyJay opens up a ring pop, other than green. Starts to seductively suck on it, giving Cumberbatch the eye...

CUMBERBATCH: Come on that's candy JourneyJay you're being ridiculous.

MEDIUM SHOT ON CUMBERBATCH

CUMBERBATCH: And you think people have heard enough of the sex jokes by now...

Looks hurt emotionally...

LONG SHOT ON JOURNEYJAY

JourneyJay continues to be seductive...

JOURNEYJAY:

Ka...

CUMBERBATCH: Don't you say it JourneyJay don't you...

He sighs...

JOURNEYJAY: (innocent) OOPS...oopsies

CUMBERBATCH: Yeah oops is right.

JourneyJay pauses.

TIME: 2.00

JOURNEYJAY: What kind of person would I be if I didn't use the power of my infinity stone...

JourneyJay is interrupted by Cumberbatch. He flinches:

CUMBERBATCH: It's candy! Jesus why did I even come here. Cumberbatch momentarily intrudes on the frame during the outburst.

JourneyJay giggles.

JOURNEYJAY: Take batch away and you have cumber. Take away ber and...

Cumberbatch approaches and slaps JourneyJay.

CUMBERBATCH: My mother gave me that name!

JourneyJay snaps his finger and vanishes.

CENTER ON GREEN ROOM

He says with a ghostly effect:

JOURNEYJAY: She must have been too busy mouthing off to your father about his Cumberbatch to swallow...dick (Calling him a dick) ...Oh wait I mean, you...you're a dick don't hit me!

...Cumberbatch is looking around the room as JourneyJay speaks, moving closer to the camera.

CUMBERBATCH: You're giving off this Zach Galifianakis vibe, except I don't think he'd be rude enough to insult my family name!

ZACH GALIFIANAKIS enters.

ZACH: Don't be so sure.

Cumberbatch looks stage left. ZACH enters frame, takes off glasses, and tries to do the "hair in the wind neck swivel thing"

TIME: 3.00

JOURNEYJAY: I'll poop on your family crest! ZACH: Mine or his?!

JOURNEYJAY: I don't even know anymore I poop on everything anyways.

CUMBERBATCH: ... The soup comes to mind actually.

JOEL MCHALE:(V.O.) You mean the Joel Mchale show on Netflix!

ZACH:

Get out of here Joel nobody likes you...except me...and JourneyJay, and...do you like Joel Mchale?

CUMBERBATCH:

I'd like it more if we could stop focusing on Joel and more on why I'm here...

JOEL:

If you're trying to plug something, do it on my show! Hey, when can I enter frame and finish my plug for Netflix?

ZACH:

No! No! No no! No no no no! This is my time Joel, and I won't let you take that away from me.

ZOOM ON ZACH.

ZACH:

You might remember me from a little show called between two ferns -Cough Cough- well...

TIME: 4.00

I just wanted to say that, even though I did it first, and he totally stole it from me, that...phew this is hard...

ZACH starts sweating profusely.

CUMBERBATCH: He's doing a rip off of between two ferns... ZACH: Shut Up! The power of the infinity stone compels a different reality.

As ZACH speaks of the infinity stone, he reveals a green ring pop on his hand.

ZACH starts sucking on the ring pop.

CUMBERBATCH: What is with you guys and candy! If you! If you have the infinity stone then why are you about to say something ludacris like 'JourneyJay's the most original' or 'JourneyJay's a masterful creator'?!

ZACH: Actually, I was going to say he really brings his milkshake, to the yard...

CLOSE ON CUMBERBATCH - OFF CENTER

CUMBERBATCH:

...What!?

ZACH: His milkshake! It's just like mine all creamy and delectable, unlike yours...yours is overcompensating.

PREVIOUS SHOT.

NETFLIX tone.

JOEL: Can I do my cameo now?!

JOURNEYJAY: Next time Joel I promise!

TIME: 5.00

As he speaks those words, Cumberbatch and Zach shake their heads no, staring at the camera.

JOEL: Oh man! I wish I had that green infinity stone so I can go back in time to beat you guys to the punch.

Zach tosses it in frustration:

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ZACH: Take it Joel, just take it! I don't wish to control time any longer! If only i could show you...the light!

JOEL: Yaaay! Mmmm, delicious.

JourneyJay returns to frame.

JOURNEYJAY: Hey guys what are you doing here?

CUMBERBATCH: You know why we're here JourneyJay we're your special guests!

JOURNEYJAY: I have guests?

ZACH: This show sucks, but nobody cares as long as I'm here...

CUMBERBATCH:

...And me!

JOEL: And me...almost!

JourneyJay smiles

JOURNEYJAY:

I wrote the whole thing without peer review or any skill! Talk about lucky, I'm lucky they haven't cancelled me yet.

JOEL: Don't say lucky twice it sounds weird.

CENTER BACK OF GREEN ROOM

JourneyJay approaches the camera, it's a good monologue away from him. The others look at his progress, then simply decide to leave. Joel is nowhere to be seen:

> JOURNEYJAY: The time I put into this sketch, although minimal, meant a lot to me. I'm sad I couldn't write something funnier,

> > (CONTINUED)

TIME: 6.00

or just interesting even. I relied on a familiar face to keep it afloat, but the material is atrocious. With that in mind, maybe I deserve to be cancelled. God knows how I got the script rushed into production to begin with. I'm trying my best, but my best needs to be better...I don't know, I can't believe I even wrote this. Maybe...maybe i can still polish it, make it shine. What am I saying, this is it, this is all I've got...

JourneyJay is now looking off while directly in front of the camera. A single tear sheds from his eye. I know why I'm making this show. For those very reasons, plus the sheer fact that a show such as mine deserves a quality rendition of its parts for being extant to begin with, I'll learn to do better.

...I'm sorry america.

A flag overlays JourneyJay.

After a brief transmission of the start of the national anthem...

LIVE ACTION FINISH

-Act 3-

The scene abruptly cuts to outside the building, where the team behind the production waits. Cumberbatch and Zach are exiting the building.

TEAM MEMBER: Is he still covered in shit?!

TIME: 7.00

CUMBERBATCH: Oh yeah, smelt it as soon as we walked in.

ZACH: Makes me wish I was Joel, god it reeks in there! The team continues picketing with signs that say, 'we're sick of all the poopin' and 'want jokes, stop taking dumps'

They chant:

NO MORE POOP, WEAR CLEAN PANTS

Inside the building, a room with a bulging door is filled with poopy pants and labelled 'ew, don't come in here'.

The door ruptures, and a massive amount of pants come pouring out. The camera pans up through the ceiling to the roof. We see JourneyJay opening a hatch with his pants off.

> JOURNEYJAY: Now before I can get in the right mindset, I gotta switch out these pants.

He looks into the hatch and notices that the room is barely holding any of his pants.

JOURNEYJAY: What the? Where's all my poopy pants!

The scene swoops back to inside the building, through the hatch. His poopy pants are literally everywhere as the camera travels the many various areas.

We reach a particularly soiled pair of pants. It speaks:

PANTS: Finally i'm free! After years of being pooped on my reign has finally arrived.

TIME: 8.00

This pair of poopy pants is senile, and starts to hear the other pants put him down. They aren't actually saying anything:

PANTS: What's that? What do you mean, no of course he'll take me back he loves me, he loves all of us! Why else would he keep us stored in a room for eternity! No, no no no no you're wrong, you're all wrong. Stop, stop it! Auaaaah..

The pants set a fire to the other pants, it hits the poop on a soiled bundle of pants, and engulfs the room. The talking pants barely manage to escape.

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Back on the roof, JourneyJay is zipping up a fresh pair of pants. He's on the edge of the building, he grabs his poopy pants and attaches them to a nearby fishing line. He tosses them over the side. We can see that the picketers are being harassed.

> TEAM MEMBER 2: Oh gross! JourneyJay you're the worst!

JOURNEYJAY:

Hehe yaaay!

A team member stumbles back near the door which is opening. Flames are pouring out of the door. The people around the danger scurry back somewhat. The flame reaches the dangling pants and they are set ablaze. JourneyJay drops the fishing pole.

TIME: 9.00

He walks towards the stairwell door to inside the building. He's blown back after opening the door...he's trapped. He runs back to the edge. Everyone has vacated the immediate area.

He takes a few steps back, the roof develops a small hole which crumbles into a bigger one.

Inside the hole, we see the living pants. Having escaped the initial blaze, they're now trying to run their way up some crumbled roof, flames all around him. He is successful, jumping at and knocking over JourneyJay.

PANTS: It's all my fault! I never should have let you toss me down the shoot, you've not yet grown, I needed to be strong!

JourneyJay you are my creator! Please! Embrace this old pair of pants in a final act of mercy!

As the hole becomes too large to maneuver around:

JOURNEYJAY:

Nooooo!

The pants are now pushed up against JourneyJay because there is nowhere else for them to go. JourneyJay expresses panic, flames rising in front of him:

PANTS: Goodbye old bean! I barely knew thee!

A Doctor Strange portal opens just below JOURNEYJAY, he falls through. The pants also fall through:

DOCTOR STRANGE:

Ew...

He tosses the pants back up and into the fire:

PANTS: Hugo wait! Noooooo!

TIME:10.00

The scene cuts to a real room filled with books on bookshelves.

JOURNEYJAY: I knew you were the real deal!

DOCTOR:

Yes...well, only now is that true. Your multiverse demanded that I exist here. Mere moments ago I merged with the celebrity actor known as Cumberbatch. His entire being has become one with mine, but under circumstances I don't yet understand.

JOURNEYJAY:

yaaay!

DOCTOR: I believe we may be figments of another minds imagination, a god if you will. JourneyJay, my multiverse was in great peril, and still is, I can use your help.

EXTREME ZOOM ON JOURNEYJAY

We enter his thoughts and discover a set of images of him being epic with members of the Marvel universe:

JOURNEYJAY: UWHA? Oh yeah, yaha! Oh man so cool!

The scene returns.

JOURNEYJAY: I'll do it!

DOCTOR: That's great news!

JOURNEYJAY: On one condition...

DOCTOR: Ugh, hopefully not poop related...

JOURNEYJAY: We do it next time...

DOCTOR:

Next ti-?

JourneyJay yells into his ear:

JOURNEYJAY: On The JourneyJay Show!

INSERT TITLE CARD WITH SLAP NOISE

The title card is of JOURNEYJAY annoying the shit out of the avengers.

DOCTOR: On second thought...

Fade out.

TIME:11.00

-End Act-