Edinburgh Fringe 2017 - Debut hour



Carmen Lynch: LYNCHED

The Counting House (Loft), Edinburgh Aug 3 - 27 (not 15) @ 4pm

'Carmen is one of my absolute favorite comics. Watching her on stage would cheer up anyone with a pulse.'

Amy Schumer

Images Footage Trailer

"I don't think I'm going to live a long life because I've never seen any really tall old ladies."

In her UK debut hour LYNCHED, **Carmen Lynch** (*The Late Show with David Letterman*, *The Late Show with Stephen Colbert*) shares her twisted, singular stand-up comedy that frequently dips into the dark side. Childless and drug-free (but only because of her heart murmur), she'll share her views on Jesus, giraffes, scoliosis, her Spanish mother, and very often, death.

'Her first album is punchy and quick, shifting with alacrity from bits about family to dating. Her attitude is wry self-deprecation laced with hints of melancholy.'

The New York Times' 5 Stand-Up Specials to Stream This Week

Carmen Lynch comes to the Edinburgh Fringe after enjoying a host of high profile television appearances. As well as *The Late Show with Stephen Colbert*, and twice on *The Late Show with David Letterman*, she has been featured on *The Late Show with Craig Ferguson, Conan, @midnight* (Comedy Central), *Inside Amy Schumer*, and *The Good Wife*.

On the big screen Carmen appeared in Miu Miu's series of **Women's Tales** directed by **Chloë Sevigny** entitled **Carmen**, now available on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mG9kMqSUhHg.

Carmen has performed for US troops in Iraq and Kuwait, and continues to tour in Spanish-speaking countries doing standup in Spanish. When she isn't on the road, Carmen can usually be found at The Comedy Cellar in NYC. Her comedy album <u>Dance Like You Don't Need the Money</u> is available on iTunes and on her <u>website</u>.

'Carmen is so effortlessly funny with the best, simplest, most deeply weird jokes. She is someone I watch when I want to get totally excited about stand-up again.'

John Mulaney

2016's Best Late Night Standup Sets [Conan]
Splitsider

'Comedian Carmen Lynch Kills on Letterman!'

Huffington Post

'Carmen Lynch has carefully honed her brand of comedy that's both a bit bubbly and a tad dark, but charming all the way through'

TheComedyBureau.com

'Titled "Carmen", the short follows professional funny lady Carmen Lynch as she explores being a woman in this modern world through her dark and excellent humour. She talks about being obsessed with death, and imagining her friends dying, and it's funny. She talks about taking the morning after pill in the afternoon, and somehow makes its exorbitant price funny. Very genius.'

oystermag.com

Full Listing:

Title: Carmen Lynch: LYNCHED **Venue:** Counting House (Loft)

Address: 38 West Nicolson Street, Edinburgh, EH8 9DD

Fringe venue number: 170

Venue website: www.freefestival.co.uk

Tel: 0131 667 7533

Dates: August 3 - 27 (not 15) **Reviewers invited from:** August 3

Time: 4pm Age: 16+

Duration: 1 Hour

Entry: Free (Donations)

Preview dates:

20 July - Museum of Comedy, London WC1A 2SR at 7pm. Open for review. https://museumofcomedy.ticketsolve.com/shows/873572261

24 July - Betsey Trotwood, London EC1R 3BL. Time TBC. Open for review. http://www.betsey.pub/whats

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Social media links:

Twitter: @lynchCARMEN Instagram: @lynchCOMIC

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/CarmenComedian/?ref=bookmarks **YouTube**: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRe7eX8nv8ww-N tJbRsHHq

Album link, Dance Like You Don't Need The Money:

https://itunes.apple.com/us/album/dance-like-you-dont-need-the-money-live/id1208510956

Footage: The Late Show with Stephen Colbert:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=48R4qSpNH-I

Images: http://tinyurl.com/lgbsd7v

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