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KATHY GRIFFIN
MY LIFE ON THE PTSD-LIST
7:30 p.m., Thursday, April 4

Palm Desert, CA – **Kathy Griffin** has won two Emmy Awards and a Grammy Award—and she’s long been a McCallum favorite. She’s bringing her new show, ***My Life on the PTSD-List***, to Palm Desert at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, April 4.

Griffin has performed for hundreds of thousands of fans around the globe. Buoyed by her dedicated and engaged fans, Griffin’s live standup performances are legendary and in a class of their own. The fiery redhead has sold out shows with rave reviews throughout North America, Europe, Australia and Asia, at such iconic venues as the Sydney Opera House, the Mark Taper Forum, Madison Square Garden, Carnegie Hall and the Kennedy Center. Griffin has also performed for active-duty servicemen and women in war zones including Iraq, Afghanistan, Kuwait and Uzbekistan.

Griffin drew huge worldwide audiences to CNN’s New Year’s Eve special, which she co-produced and co-hosted with Anderson Cooper for 10 years. Griffin co-hosted the *Billboard Music Awards* three years in a row, the 41st annual *Daytime Emmy Awards* and AARP’s Movies for Grownups Gala. Griffin’s sure-fire hosting success led to her own live late night talk show, *Kathy*. Griffin won two Primetime Emmy Awards for her hit reality series, *Kathy Griffin: My Life on the D-List*, which aired for six years on Bravo. It was nominated every single year of its run. The show also won the GLAAD Media Award for Best Reality Program.

In addition to performing, writing and producing, Griffin is a renowned speaker and has taken her empowering messages of equality through activism and humor all over the country. Griffin’s passionate advocacy for women, the LGBT community and other disenfranchised groups has been displayed through numerous candid and intimate conversations with award-winning journalists and moderators from the *Los Angeles Times*, *New York Times*, the Hudson Union Society and tech giants Google and AOL.

Griffin’s other awards and honors include the Human Rights Campaign’s Ally for Equality, GLAAD’s Vanguard Award, the Trevor Life Award from the Trevor Project, Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America’s Leadership in Entertainment honor, the Harvard College Distinguished Service Partner Award, Veterans Tickets Foundation Distinguished Donor Award, and the Lambda Legal Liberty Award. She’s a two-time *Ladies’ Home Journal* “Funny Ladies We Love” recipient and is a winner of the Gracie Award for Outstanding Female Lead.

Tickets for this performance are priced at \$95, \$75, and \$55. Tickets are available at www.McCallumTheatre.org or by calling the McCallum Theatre Box Office at (760) 340-2787. The McCallum Theatre, located at 73000 Fred Waring Drive, Palm Desert CA 92260, accepts payment by cash, personal check, VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express, and its Box Office is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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