One Man Shows

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I'm 19 years old, I'm a young comedian
I hate that term, "young comedian", you know
I prefer "prodigy"

And people, they pigeonhole me as a comic

You know, which is so disingenuous 'cause I'm not a comic, I'm an artist

And I don't do comedy shows, I do one man shows

And I've been doing them, uh

1998 was actually my first one man show

It was a show about Jews in Nazi Germany called Under the Floor Boards

I'll do a scene from that, uh, right now

No no no

Watch and then judge

This is a scene from Under the Floor Boards

"Hey, shh"

And then '99

'99, I did a show called The Catholic Orgasm, I'll do a scene from that

(Moaning)

(Sobbing)

2000, I did a piece called The Inappropriate Musician, I'll do a scene from that

"Mike

Mike, back off the ledge, Mike, th-

Mike, think about your kids, do you want them to grow up without a father, is that what you want, Mike?! Mi-Please listen to me, I'm your friend

No, Mike, don't jump!

No, Mike, no!

(Slide whistle down)

(Slide whistle up)

"He's saved"

2001, I did John Steinbeck's The Grapes of Wrath

Except I adapted it into a story about an intergalactic sexual predator called The Rapes of Grath

2002, I did a piece, if you're familiar with The Elephant Man

I did a piece based off that called Bulldog Man (Voice cracks when he says "man")

Oh, also known as Bulldog Man (Says "man" properly) for those who hit puberty

And I uh

I'll do a monologue from that right now

(Silence)

(Laughter)

For those listening on the CD, I kind of look like a bulldog

2003, 4? 3. Doesn't matter, I'm lying

2000-2004, I did a piece called Sm

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