

LEIF SKYVING

COMEDIAN

Sweden's Funniest Export

Born in Stockholm Sweden, Leif arrived In the United States at the tender age of eleven. He spent his formative years in Los Angeles, where his parents operated a Scandinavian import business, and he honed his comedy skills. His first experience with stand-up comedy came when he trod upon the world famous; Hollywood Comedy Store stage, on "open mike" night. "Boy did I suck", says Leif about that experience. He eventually figured out why: Comedy ain't easy!

Today Leif is a professional stand-up comic with 13 years "on the road" under his belt. Leif works rooms in Las Vegas, Atlantic City, Toronto, Vancouver, and places large and small in between. Leif also performs at major corporate events for clients such as Coca-Cola, ARCO, and BP.

In his act Leif talks about his Swedish roots, the trials and tribulations of entering middle age, as a husband, and dad to two young children. "I was single for a long time" he reflects, "I used to sit around complaining: God all I ever do is watch TV by myself! Now I'm married with two kids, and God I wish I could just sit around and watch TV by myself!"

Leif also offers his take on the world at large, while keeping his audience thoroughly entertained with a variety of characters, and musical riffs (Leif plays one mean blues harmonica). Yes, Leif Skyving is Sweden's Funniest Export, as anyone who has seen him on stage will attest.

