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OCTOBER 2020 HIGHLIGHTS**

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**NEW SERIES & SEASONS**

**(P) Denotes: Premieres**

**READY TO LOVE**

**Season Premiere Friday, October 23 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT)**

Record-breaking Hollywood producer Will Packer's popular dating series hosted by Thomas "Nephew Tommy" Miles returns with an all-new cast from Houston, Texas to explore the real-life dating interactions of sexy, successful and grown Black men and women who are each looking for lasting love and an authentic relationship. But this season, there's a twist. The "Ready to Love" hopefuls have been Covid-19 tested and cleared to quarantine together at a luxury mountain resort where opportunities for both the men and women to decide who stays and who goes abound as the tables turn weekly in the search for true love.

**(P) Friday, October 23 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode 201**

Host Tommy Miles and executive producer Will Packer introduce a new set of singles looking for love. The power continues to shift between 10 men and 10 women to eliminate. Meet them all and find out who's Ready to Love.

**(P) Friday, October 30 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode 202**

Host Tommy Miles kicks off a mixer gathering 20 singles in another quest to help find love. Some connect while others struggle. First impressions are key since two people will be sent home.

**PUT A RING ON IT**

**Series Premiere Friday, October 23 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT)**

Will Packer's newest unscripted relationship series "Put A Ring on It" follows three longtime couples, with help from master relationship coach Dr. Nicole LaBeach, who embark on the ultimate relationship test. From week to week the couples are pushed outside their comfort zones to confront the question they've been too afraid to ask: is this their happily ever after? The couples will finally find out if they are truly meant to be together by dating other people, and in so doing they'll discover if there's a love connection they've been missing all along. Will they decide it's time to go their separate ways, or is it finally time to put a ring on it?

**(P) Friday, October 23 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode 101**

Our three long-term couples meet with relationship coach Dr. Nicole LaBeach to begin a nine-week relationship experiment. Day one starts off with a bang as the couples learn they will be dating OTHER people – and that this week it's ladies first.

**(P) Friday, October 30 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode 102**

Our three couples continue the nine-week relationship experiment with the help of relationship expert Dr. Nicole LaBeach. This week it's the men's turn to go on dates. Each of the couples dig deeper into their relationships and pasts. One couple receives a devastating phone call that forces to them to make a difficult decision.

## **IYANLA: FIX MY LIFE**

**Season Premiere Saturday, October 31 (9 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT)**

The long running, award-winning hit series stars spiritual life coach Iyanla Vanzant helping those who are struggling, guiding them toward a new way of living and encouraging them to do the work necessary for real change. Through emotional heart-to-heart conversations and often a dose of tough-love, Iyanla helps individuals confront unresolved issues that are causing turmoil. She coaches guests and gives them the tools to fix their own lives, seeking to break the negative patterns that are preventing true happiness.

**(P) Saturday, October 31 (9 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode 703**

Reality star Shay Johnson is no stranger to cameras and conflict, but when it comes to healing the divisions in her family – well, that is quite different. When asking for Iyanla's help to mend her broken relationship with her mother and brothers, the work required may be more than Shay bargained for.

## **CONTINUING SERIES**

**(P) Denotes: Premieres**

**(F) Denotes: Finales**

## **THE HAVES AND THE HAVE NOTS**

**Tuesdays (8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ET/PT)**

Tyler Perry's "The Haves and the Have Nots" is packed with more of what has made the OWN series a long-running hit -- revenge, deceit, betrayal, decadence, and destruction, leaving the lives of every character forever changed. The series stars John Schneider (Jim Cryer), Tika Sumpter (Candace Young), Angela Robinson (Veronica Harrington), Renee Lawless (Katheryn Cryer), Crystal Fox (Hannah Young), Peter Parros (David Harrington), Tyler Lepley (Benny Young), Gavin Houston (Jeffrey Harrington), and Aaron O'Connell (Wyatt Cryer).

**(P) Tuesday, October 6 (8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: No More Time**

Benny (Tyler Lepley) sets out on a self-appointed investigation.

**(P) Tuesday, October 13 (8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: A Sixth Sense**

Landon (Kristian Kordula) attempts to help Charles (Nick Sagar) to regain his trust.

**(P) Tuesday, October 20 (8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Father's Day**

Veronica (Angela Robinson) makes moves to stay ahead of her enemies.

**(F) Tuesday, October 27 (8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: The Reaping**

Veronica (Angela Robinson) does whatever it takes to get what she wants.

## **BLACK LOVE**

**Saturdays (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT)**

"Black Love" is a two-time NAACP Image Award nominated docu-series created to highlight love stories from the Black community and answer the question, "What does it take to make a marriage work?" In its fourth season, husband-and-wife filmmakers Codie and Tommy Oliver continue to present real love stories from everyday couples as well as some of the most successful leaders in business and entertainment. This season, Dulè Hill and Jazmyn Simon; Jemele Hill and Ian Wallace; Bill and Kristen Bellamy; and Deborah Joy Winans and Terrence Williams discuss topics ranging from their early days of marriage to navigating grief, mental health issues, and changes in their relationship over time.

**(P) Saturday, October 3 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Finding A Rhythm**

Unrealistic expectations often clash with the realities of marriage and “Black Love” couples discuss their experiences with compromise and communication as they learn how to get in rhythm with their partners. Each duo agrees that there is a time and place for concession in marriage, and more importantly, a need for vulnerability.

***(P) Saturday, October 10 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Stand By Me***

After their blow out wedding with friends they collected over eight years of dating - high school, college, and grad school – Karega and Felicia considered having children but wanted to wait for the perfect time. Their eventual journey of pregnancy and delivery turns into a traumatic experience that requires a stronger love than they ever knew existed.

***(F) Saturday, October 24 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Making It Last***

Maintaining and redefining intimacy is one of the most challenging aspects of marriage. Partners reveal what it takes to make love last when it comes to establishing personal boundaries, navigating shifts in sexual desire, communication, and intimacy.

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