



## OWN: OPRAH WINFREY NETWORK MARCH 2015 HIGHLIGHTS

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### NEW SERIES & SEASONS

**(P)** Denotes: Premieres

#### **IF LOVING YOU IS WRONG**

**Season Premiere Tuesday, March 24 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT)**

“If Loving You Is Wrong” is the dramatic series created for television by writer/director Tyler Perry. With a diverse cast and storylines ranging from heartfelt to scandalous, the sexy, sleek drama takes viewers into the lives of a group of husbands, wives and friends that live and love in the same middle class neighborhood. On the surface they are true-to-life, relatable people – raising children, working jobs, finding and maintaining romance – but just below the veneer of happiness, their lives are entangled by heartbreak, deceit and lies that threaten to destroy everything.

**(P) Tuesday, March 24 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Lady Next Door**

After Marcie’s (Heather Hemmens) discovery of her husband Randal’s (Eltony Williams) affair, she makes a scene at neighbor Brad’s (Aiden Turner) birthday party.

**(P) Tuesday, March 31 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Girlfriends**

Esperanza (Zulay Henao), Natalie (April Parker-Jones), and Kelly (Edwina Findley-Dickerson) assure their friend Alex (Amanda Clayton) that they will be there for her after her affair with Randal (Eltony Williams) is exposed.

#### **FOR BETTER OR WORSE**

**Season Premiere Wednesday, March 25 (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT)**

“For Better or Worse,” about the ups and downs of dating and marriage, centers on Angela Williams (Tasha Smith), the owner of a successful beauty salon, and her husband of 13 years, Marcus (Michael Jai White). Marcus is a former professional football player who is partnered with Richard Ellington (Kent Faulcon) and Joseph Jetson (Jason Olive) on a sports program called “C-Sports Now.” Marcus’s business relationship with Richard and Joseph is complicated, however, by the fact that Richard is married to Keisha (Kiki Haynes), Marcus’s ex-girlfriend and the mother of his teenage daughter. In addition, Joseph’s ex-girlfriend, successful real-estate agent Leslie (Crystle Stewart), is Angela’s best friend, which sometimes makes it difficult for everyone to keep their business and private lives from mingling. The series also stars Brad James and Cocoa Brown.

**(P) Wednesday, March 25 (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Told You So**

Richard (Kent Faulcon) needs a place to stay after Keisha (Kiki Haynes) wins big in their divorce settlement.

**OPRAH: WHERE ARE THEY NOW?**

**Season Premiere Sunday, March 8 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT)**

This all-new season of “Oprah: Where Are They Now?” features updates with the biggest newsmakers and celebrated stars of our time.

**(P) Sunday, March 8 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Matthew Shepard’s Parents, Leeza Gibbons & The Browns from “Sister Wives”**

Oprah talks to Matthew Shepard’s parents, 16 years after their son lost his life in one of the most brutal hate crimes ever. Plus, updates with: former Emmy-winning host and “Celebrity Apprentice” winner Leeza Gibbons from her luxurious Beverly Hills estate; and Kody Brown and his four “Sister Wives” at home.

**(P) Sunday, March 15 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Brittany Maynard’s husband, Baywatch Stars & KC & the Sunshine Band**

Oprah sits down with Dan Diaz, Brittany Maynard’s husband, only months after she bravely chose to end her battle with terminal brain cancer on her own terms. Plus, updates with: “Baywatch’s” Nicole Eggert on her surprising new ice cream business, Scoops; and the man behind the biggest hits of the 70s, Harry Wayne Casey, frontman of KC & the Sunshine Band, at his home in Miami.

**(P) Sunday, March 22 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: A Former Oprah Show Guest’s Shocking Discovery & Stunning Change of Heart**

In this special one-hour interview, Oprah sits down for a riveting follow up with Willie Jessop, the former spokesperson of the breakaway Mormon sect, the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. Jessop opens up about what he calls his “catastrophic crisis of faith” and what he is doing now to help his community recover.

**(P) Sunday, March 29 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Ricki Lake, DL Hughley, Garcelle Beauvais & Brutus the Grizzly Bear**

Oprah sits down with Emmy-winning television host Ricki Lake, who originally appeared on the ‘Oprah’ show in 1988; plus, “The Original Kings of Comedy” comedian D.L. Hughley on his rough upbringing, how he escaped gang life and in a very emotional moment is reduced to tears when talking about his son with Asperger Syndrome. Plus updates with: Garcelle Beauvais, the Haitian-born actress, who talks about her inspiring story of breaking into the Hollywood scene; and an update on animal rights activist Casey Anderson and Brutus the 900 pound Grizzly Bear, who first appeared on the ‘Oprah’ show in 2009.

**CONTINUING SERIES**

**(P) Denotes: Premieres**

**(F) Denotes: Finales**

**WELCOME TO SWEETIE PIE’S**

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

When Robbie Montgomery, a 1960s backup singer and former Ikettes, suffered a collapsed lung and had to stop singing, she decided to pour her talents into another creative venture: a

soul food restaurant called Sweetie Pie's. At her family-centered eateries, which include Sweetie Pie's at the Mangrove, Sweetie Pie's Upper Crust and the original Sweetie Pie's established in 1996, which Miss Robbie runs with her son, Tim, both hilarity and drama are offered in equal measure. This docu-series follows the loud, loving and often singing Montgomery family as they work to expand their empire, one soulful dish at a time.

***(P) Saturday, March 7 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: 308***

With the Church Of God In Christ (COGIC) convention in town, the new management team is thrown into the fire as Tim is forced to make a tough decision over missing money. Meanwhile, the country anxiously awaits the Ferguson verdict as Miss Robbie and Tim clash over the protests.

***(P) Saturday, March 14 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: 309***

Tensions rise as St. Louis prepares for the grand jury decision, and Tim gives Miss Robbie a surprise that comes with its own parking lot. Meanwhile, Danielle has worn out her welcome and Ma'ri is given a second chance to prove her worth.

***(P) Saturday, March 21 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: 310***

Miss Robbie receives an honorary degree from superstar Nelly, and Charles finally realizes that the grass may be greener on the Sweetie Pie's floor. Next, the Ferguson decision rattles the city of St. Louis, bringing back dark memories for Miss Robbie.

***(P) Saturday, March 28 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: 311***

Plans for another new restaurant thrill Miss Robbie and the employees, but leave Tim worried. Meanwhile, a fired Danielle returns to work, and Charles struggles to overcome his lazy reputation and prove he's serious about working at Sweetie Pie's.

**2 FAT 2 FLY**

**Saturdays (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT)**

The docu-series "2 Fat 2 Fly" introduces Corey and Ramone, two best friends and creative geniuses who have big dreams for 2 Fat 2 Fly, their small-town food truck business. The Columbia, South Carolina duo invented a revolutionary twist on a culinary classic: stuffed chicken wings. Their secret stuffing technique puts savory dishes like jambalaya and mac & cheese *inside* a chicken wing. For Corey and Ramone, this isn't just another food trend, it's their meal ticket and chance to strike it rich. "2 Fat 2 Fly" will follow the pair as they attempt to get their crazy business habits in order and make their dreams of owning a million-dollar wing empire a reality.

***(P) Saturday, March 7 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Fight or Flight***

The guys feel the heat to take 2 Fat 2 Fly to the next level after finding out another food truck is also making stuffed chicken wings. When a major event in Atlanta arises, the guys make a decision that will change their life.

***(P) Saturday, March 14 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Spreading Our Wings***

Preparations to move 2 Fat 2 Fly to Atlanta have begun, but not without one last catering event in Columbia. With only two days left, the pressure is on to get "The Fonz" in working order for the trip. Corey and Ramone will also have to deal with the emotions involved with sharing the surprising news of the move with family.

***(P) Saturday, March 21 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: The Chicken Has Landed***

Upon arriving in Atlanta, Corey and Ramone hit the ground running with some market research at the local food trucks. Meanwhile, Sean and Joey are entrusted with finding a house under budget, and the guys devise a plan to get the word out about 2 Fat 2 Fly in their new city.

***(P) Saturday, March 28 (10 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Mama Hen Fly-By***

Corey and Ramone's mothers pay a surprise visit to the 2 Fat house just in time for "Ladies Night," and when a local marketing maven shows interest in the business, they must choose to stay loyal to Doreen or use their new contact to take flight in Atlanta.

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

### **Tuesdays (9 p.m. - 10 p.m. ET/PT)**

From prolific writer, director, producer Tyler Perry, "The Haves and the Have Nots" follows the complicated dynamic between the rich and powerful Cryer family and the hired help who work in their opulent mansion set in Savannah, Georgia. The series stars John Schneider ("Dukes of Hazzard") and Tika Sumpter ("Gossip Girl").

***(P) Tuesday March 3 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: A Talk With Jim***

Candace (Tika Sumpter) demands to have a talk with Jim (John Schneider) about her current situation. Also, Benny (Tyler Lepley) tries to convince Hanna (Crystal Fox) that Candace has changed her ways.

***(P) Tuesday, March 10 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Oscar***

In the aftermath of his daughter's death, Jim Cryer (John Schneider) breaks down and Hanna (Crystal Fox) comforts him. Oscar, a handsome stranger, shows interest in Candace (Tika Sumpter).

***(P) Tuesday, March 17 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Unglued***

As Katheryn (Reneé Lawless) becomes emotionally fatigued about her recent family tragedies, all the lies and cover-ups start to become unglued when son Wyatt (Aaron O'Connell) confesses to the DA.

***(F) Tuesday, March 24 (9 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Enough Is Enough***

Convinced that her husband David (Peter Parros) is trying to run away with his campaign manager, Veronica (Angela Robinson) loses her temper at a hotel bar. Benny (Tyler Lepley) searches for Quincy (Medina Islam).

## **LOVE THY NEIGHBOR**

### **Wednesdays (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT)**

From prolific writer, director, producer Tyler Perry, "Love Thy Neighbor" is a half-hour comedy set at The Love Train Diner, a family run restaurant where every day the menu serves up good food, great laughs, valuable life lessons and a whole lot of love. The series stars Palmer Williams Jr. ("House of Payne"), Patrice Lovely ("Madea Gets a Job") Kendra C. Johnson ("Phat Girlz"), Andre Hall ("Goodbye LA"), Jonathan Chase ("Chemistry") and Darmirra Brunson ("Sunset Junction").

***(P) Wednesday, March 4 (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: The Ring Part 2***

While Philip (Tony Grant) is still looking for his late wife's ring to give to Linda (Kendra C. Johnson), Hattie (Patrice Lovely) convinces Philip to start fresh with Linda and buy her a new

ring.

***(P) Wednesday, March 11 (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Just The Way You Are***

In an attempt to show Linda (Kendra C. Johnson) that she is appreciated and valuable, Hattie (Patrice Lovely) throws a surprise gathering for her.

***(F) Wednesday, March 18 (9 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Love For Linda***

Danny (Andre Hall), Linda's (Kendra C. Johnson) son, plans a surprise baby shower for her.

**SUPER SOUL SUNDAY**

**Sundays (11 a.m. - 12 p.m. ET/PT)**

The two-time Emmy award-winning series delivers a thought-provoking, eye-opening and inspiring block of programming designed to help viewers awaken to their best selves and discover a deeper connection to the world around them. The series features exclusive interviews and all-new conversations between Oprah Winfrey and top thinkers, authors, filmmakers and spiritual leaders. Exploring themes and issues including happiness, personal fulfillment, wellness, spirituality and conscious living. "Super Soul Sunday" presents an array of perspectives on what it means to be alive in today's world.

***(P) Sunday, March 1 (11 a.m. – 12 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Super Soul Sunday - Oprah and Sister Joan Chittister: A Life of Passion, Purpose, and Joy***

Oprah speaks with Sister Joan Chittister, a Roman Catholic nun and author of over 50 books, for a discussion about new ways of looking at God, the vital force that women represent in the church and in society, and the divinity of merging spirituality and science. Sister Joan is an outspoken advocate of justice, peace and equality - especially for women all over the world, and has been one of America's visionary spiritual voices for more than thirty years.

**IN DEEP SHIFT WITH JONAS ELROD**

**Sundays (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT)**

Filmmaker Jonas Elrod says we are all on a spiritual path, whether we know it or not. Years ago, he experienced his own breakdown-and-breakthrough. It turned his world upside down and made him see everything in a different light. Now, he is setting out to uncover other people's experiences of extraordinary deep shifts when their lives were changed forever. "In Deep Shift with Jonas Elrod" features an intimate, in-depth look at real-life stories of love, loss and redemption, from the breakdown to breakthrough and transformation.

***(P) Sunday, March 1 (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Vince Young. Fathers and Sons***

NFL quarterback Vince Young was a superstar with a promising career. Football was everything, but depression and financial ruin sidelined him and he retired in 2014. Filmmaker Jonas Elrod follows his deep shift which begins with a new purpose in life.

***(P) Sunday, March 8 (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Ester Nicholson. Mothers and Daughters***

Ester Nicholson, author of "Soul Recovery: 12 Keys to Healing Addiction," lifted herself out of an abusive situation and a crippling drug addiction. Filmmaker Jonas Elrod follows her deep shift which began with learning to love herself.

***(P) Sunday, March 15 (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Karen Perry. Angels Three***

Flight attendant Karen Perry was saddled with insurmountable grief after losing her three children in a plane crash. Filmmaker Jonas Elrod follows her deep shift which begins with a brave new step towards honoring her lost loved ones.

**(P) Sunday, March 22 (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Maysoon Zayid. Taking a Stand**

TED Talk speaker and comedian Maysoon Zayid opens up about living with Cerebral Palsy. Filmmaker Jonas Elrod follows her deep shift that led to her new perspective in life.

**(F) Sunday, March 29 (12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Alanis Morissette. God Girl**

Award-winning singer and songwriter Alanis Morissette withdrew from the public eye at the height of her career. Filmmaker Jonas Elrod uncovers the steps that led to her deep shift to begin to renew her true sense of self.

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