I'M NOT A COMEDIAN... I'M IENNY BRUCE

Written by and Starring RONNIE MARMO Directed by Multi-Award Winner JOE MANTEGNA

ABOUT THE SHOW

We are in the midst of setting up the 2023-2024 season of our **National Tour** and just celebrated our **423rd** performance! Lenny has already had successful engagements in NYC (100 Off-Broadway performances), Los Angeles (150 performances), Chicago (135 performances), Redbank, NJ (The Vogel at Count Basie), Pittsburgh, PA (Byham Theatre), The Berkshires, MA (Mahaiwe Theatre), West Palm Beach, FL (Kravis Center), Tampa, FL (Straz Center), and Irvine, CA (JCC). Our Spring 2023 included engagements in Rochester, NY (JCC), Buffalo, NY (JCC), San Diego, CA (North Coast Rep), Bellingham, WA (Mount Baker Theatre), Laguna Beach, CA (Laguna Beach Playhouse), and our international debut - Toronto, Canada (Meridian Arts Center).

WHY LENNY?

You may have heard of Lenny Bruce. He is considered the **"Godfather of Comedy."** Bruce was arrested for his use of "dirty words" on stage in the 60s and he fought for free speech until passing the torch to George Carlin, Richard Pryor... all the way down to Dave Chappelle, Sarah Silverman, and all your favorite comics.

Or perhaps you've heard the name through the wildly successful television show *The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel*? Maisel has introduced an entirely new generation of people to Lenny Bruce. As a massive hit on Amazon, people are coming out in droves to learn more about one of the show's favorite characters - Lenny Bruce.

WHY NOW?

Simple. With all that is happening in the world, Lenny's voice could very well be more relevant and more necessary than ever before.

SHOW SPECS

This non-union show is incredibly nimble to produce with a one-person cast and two-person crew. Celebrities such as Billy Crystal, Tony Bennett, Patti LuPone, Richard Lewis, etc. have praised Lenny Bruce and it's been hailed as the *Biggest Smallest Show* they've ever seen - all the bells and whistles with a fraction of the overhead. Quite simply, it is financially and creatively simple to produce. We have played houses ranging from 200 to 1600 seats. Our uniquely adaptable show allows us to play venues from black boxes to auditoriums to extravagant Music Halls.

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