

Laurie was born and raised in a dull, Northern California suburb. A former competitive swimmer (she swam for UCLA), Laurie made the switch from pool to stage in the early nineties, during San Francisco's comedy boom, and then headed for New York. In 2002, she became a staff writer for Comedy Central's *"Tough Crowd with Colin Quinn."*

*"...remarkable poised crowd charmer,
so strong now it's unbelievable..."*

San Francisco Chronicle

*"...she has that
star charisma that makes an
audience warm to her the
second she hits the stage..."*

Denver Post

Laurie Kilmartin

Laurie has performed on ABC's *Jimmy Kimmel Live*, Comedy Central's *Premium Blend*, the *USO Tour*, *Shorties' Watchin' Shorties*, *Tough Crowd* and *The World Stands Up*. She has been featured at comedy festivals in Montreal, Aspen and Edinburgh. She has also written for CBS's *The Late Late Show* and Comedy Central's *Too Late w Adam Carolla*.



4 Stars!

The Scotsman

*"...the best comedian we've seen this year... she
throws away lines most comedians would die for..."*

The Guardian, UK

"...a recent visit (to Gotham Comedy Club) found an appreciative audience for young female comics like Laurie Kilmartin..."

New York Times

"...she has a certain exuberance for performing. The audience likes her immediately..."

Contra Costa Times

"...Laurie's 5 minute set was absolute perfection!..."

CringeHumor.net

"...Laurie is a real treat. Both women and men love her..."

The Entertainment Magazine