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WOLFMAN

by John Cosper

GENRE: Comedy

synopsis: A young woman's decision to keep a dangerous wolfman as a pet draws concern and criticism from a friend who sees how dangerous the wolfman is. A parable about "harmless little" sins.

DIRECTOR'S TIP: Choose an animated actor who can improvise for the wolfman. He should be a flurry of comic action all the way through. The more destructive, the better.

TIME: Under 5 minutes

CAST BREAKDOWN: 3

TOPIC: Sin

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: Proverbs 14:12

CHURCH YEAR SEASON: Any

SUGGESTED USE: Youth or Adult Ministries, Sermon Starter, Illustra-

tion

CHARACTERS:

JOYCE -- a woman with a wolfman pet DEB -- Joyce's friend

SNEAKERS -- the Wolfman

PROPS: Drinks, a couch, some women's clothes

COSTUMES: A wolfman costume

SOUND: Three wireless microphones

LIGHTING: General stage

SETTING: A nice living room

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The setting is a nice living room. JOYCE leads DEB in to sit down. They both have drinks.

DEB: Thanks for finally inviting me over. You have a lovely home.

JOYCE: Thanks, Deb.

DEB: It's really nice. I love the rose bushes outside.

JOYCE: Thanks. It's a lot of work, but hey, I have plenty of time to give them. It's just me and Sneakers here.

DEB: Sneakers?

SNEAKERS howls off stage.

Aww, you have a dog. What breed is he?

JOYCE: Oh, Sneakers isn't a dog.

DEB: I understand. When Scruffy was alive, he was much more than a dog to me too.

JOYCE: No, really, he's not a dog. He's a wolfman.

DEB does a spit-take.

DEB: A wolfman, huh?

JOYCE: Yeah. My furry, fabulous little friend. Would you like to meet him?

Before DEB can say no, JOYCE whistles.

Sneakers!

A door opens loudly, and SNEAKERS appears. He runs on stage, into the living room, and starts sniffing DEB, who curls up in a fetal position on the couch to protect herself.

DEB: Joyce... you have a WOLFMAN???

JOYCE: Isn't he great? Sneakers, get over here.

SNEAKERS turns, putting his rear – that smells REALLY bad - in DEB's face as he sniffs and licks JOYCE's face. She pets him on the head.

Yeah, who's a good baby? Who's my good baby?

DEB: Wow. A wolfman. My mom says my Uncle Bob had a wolfman once.

JOYCE: Aren't they the greatest?