

LET'S TALK

Kabir Bedi worked hard toward career in performing

By Polly Vonetes

Q: Why haven't we seen more movies with Kabir Bedi? (*Malik in Ashanti with Michael Caine and Gobiinda in Octopussy*)? He's proven he can act. Where is he from? Where was he educated? What does he do for a living when he's not acting? Any and all information on this intriguing, mysterious gentleman will be appreciated.

—Victoria Ross, Chino Valley, Ariz.

A: Kabir Bedi was born in 1944, the son of an Indian father and an English mother, in Lahore at a time of great conflict in India. His family moved to Kashmir and then to Delhi, with Kabir attending many different schools. His desire to act was nurtured in his teens at Sherwood College, a mini-British public school in the Himalayas. His interest in acting continued through his college years at St. Stephens, Delhi. He supported himself through college by working for radio and TV stations—announcing, interviewing and doing quiz programs. After graduating with an honors degree in history, his natural acting talent and good looks led him to become India's highest paid and most widely known male model. In 1970 he was offered the starring role in the Bombay Theatre Group's production of *Tughlaq*, which opened the door to the Indian film industry for Bedi. He made his American television debut in the 1978 NBC special *The Thief of Baghdad*. He continues to make his home in Los Angeles and frequently guest stars on TV series.

Q: I want to know if Let's Make A Deal with Monty Hall is still on the TV game shows. I haven't seen it listed in the TV guide. —Mrs. A.J. Rawls, Athens, Ala.

A: NBC will be premiering a new version of *Let's Make A Deal* on Monday, July 9. Bob Hilton has been named host of the show, which will be produced at the Disney/MGM Studios theme park in Orlando, Fla., where it will be a permanent attraction. The game show, with Monty Hall as host, last aired in syndication from 1971 to 1976.

Q: My friends and I used to watch Lisa Bonet on A Different World. We enjoyed her a lot, but since she's not on there anymore it's not the same. I'd like to know when and if she'll act again on

the series. Is she on any other shows?

—Heather Farquhar, Dry Creek, La.

A: Too bad Heather, you missed a whole season of Lisa Bonet on *The Cosby Show*. During the past season Bonet returned to *The Cosby Show* with a new husband and a clever little stepdaughter. From all indications she will be on the show again next season.

Q: My wife and I (both 70) are great admirers of Gene Kelly, the great dancer. We would like to write him. Could you furnish us his address?

—Dex and June Baer, Hardy, Ark.

A: Send your letters to Gene Kelly to: 904 N. Bedford Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90210.

Q: I have been trying for a year and a half to locate an address to write to Charles Bronson. He was stationed with my father during the war. This group had their first reunion last year and planned another in the future. They would very much like to contact Charlie



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for this event. They have old photos to share also. Please do what you can. You will make quite a few old Army Air Corps men happy. —Judy Lorschle, Chippewa Falls, Wis.

A: Tell Dad and his buddies to write to: Charles Bronson at these two addresses: 121 Udine Way, Los Angeles, Calif. 90024, and 8966 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood, Calif. 90069. One of them should reach him.

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HOROSCOPE

June 24 through June 30

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

Enjoy the attention that you receive from your partner, but remember to be equally giving in return. Don't take anyone for granted.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

The frustration you are feeling is valid. Work toward reconciliation with that person you have been neglecting. Focus on a loving future.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

Make some changes in your daily routine. Do not give in to things that go against your views. Keep open communication with family.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

Don't fight over or worry about money problems. Learn all that you can about your finances and be extravagant only when you can afford to be.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

Ask yourself if being right is worth losing a friendship. Allowing a mistake, as long as there is no danger, can be the best thing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Your loneliness will not last forever. Fulfill your desires. Focus on your work and your art and you will be discovered by those who care.

By A. Murphy

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Do not remain where you are being ridiculed, neglected or abused. Get safely away and start over. You are too precious to allow yourself to be hurt.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

If you are feeling under the weather, examine your diet closely. Try a day without any sweets and see how good you feel in the morning.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

Seek tranquility for your mental health. See how a job that you feel is important with no financial compensation can benefit areas of your life.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

Don't allow that misunderstanding to fester until people get hurt. Put a stop to the nonsense through straightforward honesty.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

Deal with temper tantrums with a very cool head. It is how you handle yourself in the worst of times that your best is decided. Avoid pettiness.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

Decision-making seems especially difficult now. Don't panic and resent it; seek the advice of someone you trust.

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