

BITS AND PIECES

Offbeat 'MacGyver' episode to feature variety of guests

Questions:

3. Let's go back two years. In 1960, the Best Actor and Best Supporting Actress trophies went to performers in the same film. The actress later went on to star in a memorable, if somewhat lamebrained, series on ABC in the early '70s. In the show, her stepson played her son. a.) Name the actor. b.) Name the actress. c.) Name the film. d.) What was the series? e.) Identify her stepson.

Answers:

1. Jack Lemmon and Lee Remick in *The Day of Wine and Roses*.
2. Angela Lansbury was nominated for her chilling portrayal in *The Manchurian Candidate*. Lansbury now

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The creators of *The Golden Girls* and *Empty Nest* are developing a new half-hour comedy for ABC called *Good and Evil*. Susan Harris will create and write the series that looks at the good and evil elements of a family, specifically twin brothers. One brother is innocent while the other is evil incarnate.

Singer/songwriter Martika joins Steven Bauer in the cast of *Wiseguy* for the series' first six-hour arc. She plays Dahlia Mendez, a laun night club singer who lives with disbarred attorney Michael Santana, played by Bauer. In preparation for the role, Martika recorded her own renditions of some classic torch songs, which she will perform throughout the arc.



Carole King and Melissa Manchester collaborated on the theme song heard on *The Trials of Rosie O'Neill*, the new CBS drama series starring Sharon Gless. King composed the song, which Manchester sings over the credits.

Visillos Choulos, a lawyer representing Sammy Davis Jr.'s family, labels the headlines on several tabloids as untrue. The late singer left an estate worth \$6 million to \$8 million. Mrs. Davis is also working on prospective books, movies and documentaries about her life with Davis.



Pretty Merg Helgenberger stars in *China Beach*, ABC's acclaimed Vietnam War drama. Saturdays.