

## STAR NOTES

## TIME OUT

### Peggy Lipton plays character well

By Candace Havens

She grew up a wealthy girl in Long Island as the daughter of a corporate lawyer and an artist mother. But at age 15, Peggy Lipton shunned her opulent lifestyle. She ventured to New York where she encountered Eileen Ford's agency. Ford told Lipton to lose weight, cut her hair and get rid of her pimple. She did it all in two weeks.

When Lipton's family moved to Los Angeles, she followed and hit it big with the hip cop show *Mod Squad*. For five years, from 1968 to '73, Lipton starred as Julie Barnes on the show. She won a Golden Globe award and was nominated for an Emmy four times. Then, just as suddenly as she had arrived, she was gone.

During the series' final year, Lipton met her future husband, record producer Quincy Jones. She married Jones in 1974, and they had two children, Kidada and Rashida.

The marriage lasted for 13 years, and Lipton seemingly put her life on hold to raise her family. She starred in a few films including *Purple People Eater*, *War Party* and *Kinjite: Forbidden Subjects*, before joining the popular ABC series *Twin Peaks* as Norma Jennings.

Lipton is wonderful as the character Jennings, who owns the Double R Diner. The character is a strong woman, although life has dealt her an unfair hand: She must constantly deal with her ex-convict husband and a married lover.

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### Football fans have plenty to gobble

By Steve Paschal

Football fans across America will have an opportunity to gorge themselves on more than just turkey Thanksgiving weekend when all three networks deliver a feast of outstanding NFL and college rivalries.

ABC Monday Night Football gets the holidays off to an early start when the Los Angeles Raiders take on the Miami Dolphins. The Raiders have one of the NFL's most dangerous offensive weapons in Bo Jackson, but Miami, battling with Buffalo for the AFC East lead, has one of the league's top defenses.

Thursday, NBC serves up the first of two Thanksgiving day offerings when the Denver Broncos, led by quarterback John Elway, take on the Detroit Lions and running sensation Barry Sanders. Then, it's over to CBS where one of the NFL's fiercest rivalries resumes when the Washington Redskins and the Dallas Cowboys clash at Texas Stadium.

College football aficionados will find themselves in pigskin heaven Friday and Saturday with three games that

will have a definite impact on both the national rankings and the post-season bowl picture. Friday afternoon on CBS, the Nebraska Cornhuskers take on the always-tough Oklahoma Sooners. Saturday, ABC presents one of the season's best doubleheaders with a Big 10 matchup between Ohio State and Michigan followed by Notre Dame at Southern California.

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The late Divine stars in John Waters' satirical *Hairspray*, airing Monday on FOX.

## WEDNESDAY



Loryn Locklin plays a psychology student whose multiple telepathic personalities help James Remar track down a serial killer on NBC's *Night Vision*, Wednesday.

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Cheryl Ladd tries to clear her husband's name in NBC's *Crash: The Mystery of Flight 1501*, Sunday.