



BIOGRAPHY

Judith Light

"Mrs. V"

Judith Light is known for her extensive body of work onstage, as well as in television and film, recently receiving a star on the Hollywood walk of fame.

Her recent projects include Peter Hedge's film "The Same Storm", "Julia," HBO Max's drama series on Julia Child, Starz' horror comedy "Shining Vale" and Searchlight's dark comedy "The Menu", alongside Anya Taylor-Joy and Ralph Fiennes. Second seasons of both "Shining Vale" and "Julia" are currently being released. Light wrapped production on "The Young Wife " and "Down Low" for FilmNation, both of which premiered at SXSW, and "Out of My Mind" for Disney+. Her 2019 film "Ms. White Light" also premiered at SXSW. She can also be seen in the second season of "American Horror Stories" and Rian Johnson's series "Poker Face" for Peacock, for which she received an Emmy Award for Outstanding Guest Actress in a Comedy Series. Next up she stars in the Apple TV+ series "Before" alongside Billy Crystal.

Additionally, she is working on a series of producing projects with her production company and Brillstein Creative Partners.

Light also co-starred in Ryan Murphy's "Impeachment: American Crime Story" on FX, appeared in Lin Manuel Miranda's film "tick, tick...Boom!" for Netflix as well as "The Accidental Wolf," created by Arian Moyad, now streaming on Topic.

In addition to her current projects, Light starred in the anthology series "Manhunt: Deadly Games," which can currently be found on Netflix, as well as Ryan Murphy's Netflix series "The Politician," and in the musical finale series of "Transparent," Amazon Prime's Golden Globe-winning show, created by Joey Soloway, for which Light received a Golden Globe nomination and multiple Emmy and Critics' Choice nominations. Her role in Ryan Murphy's "The Assassination of Gianni Versace: American Crime Story" garnered her an Emmy nomination and Critics Choice nomination.

In 2012 and 2013, Light won two consecutive Tony and Drama Desk awards for her performances in "Other Desert Cities" and "The Assembled Parties"; these two performances made her the first actress in nearly two decades to win consecutive Tony Awards. Light also received the 2019 Isabelle Stevenson Tony Award for her extensive philanthropy work. She was also recently awarded the Excellence in Media Award from GLAAD in May 2022. Light sits on the board of directors of the MCC Theater in New York.



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