

## **HI THERE!**

Thanks for doing your first audition via self-tape. I know they're kind of a hassle, but we're half grateful for them, since they're well suited to a Pandemic.

Please read this page over, then look at the lines for your character. As with every other casting company, we have our own special way we want things done. In theory ours is the easiest.

## **SELF-TAPING GUIDELINES**

Please submit all videos requested below, each as a separate video file.

Quirk of our system note:

**YOU SHOULD NOT JOIN THESE VIDEOS INTO A SINGLE FILE. KEEP EACH TAKE SEPARATE. YOU'LL HAVE TROUBLE SUBMITTING IF YOU DON'T.**

If you can't get the video files separately, or didn't catch this note before recording your scenes, email us and we'll figure out how to get your video up onto the site.

## **SHOTLIST**

- 1) SLATE: (Closeup Framing) State your name, city of residence, and talent agent (if applicable). If you are under 18, please also state your age.
- 2) Scene 1, take 1: Medium framing. Seated.
- 3) Scene 1, Take 2: Medium framing. Seated or standing. Please approach the scene with completely new emotional context.
- 4) Scene 1, Take 3 (optional): Medium framing. Seated or standing. Please approach the scene with completely new emotional context - show us something totally different+new from your other two takes.

## **DIRECTION**

*A general note, that if you know better, you can ignore (seriously - what does simon know?)*

We'd like extremely low-key, natural reads for all of these scenes. We're not looking for show stopping moments for your character, just little peeks into every day conversation. If you can, check out Kelly's movies - some are available for free streaming via various services. They have a consistent style and tone that it'll be very helpful to calibrate to.

OLIVE

Uncle Frank? Does everyone get to go to Heaven?

FRANK

That's an excellent question, Olive. Actually, the Hindus believe that you get as many lives as you want. Buddhists believe that you live many lives but at a certain point you reach Nirvana and cross the finish line. Christians believe you only get one life -- they don't believe in do-overs.

OLIVE

What do you believe?

FRANK

I dunno. I haven't made my mind up. What about you?

OLIVE

I think everyone goes to Heaven.

FRANK

Even me?

OLIVE

Yes!

FRANK

You promise?

OLIVE

Yes!!!

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