



MARC MARON

Comedian



In 1973

"I was kicked out of private school because I had the 'wrong kind of leadership qualities.'"

EDUCATION

Highland High School, Albuquerque, class of 1981

Boston University, class of 1986

"I went to Hollywood and tried to write a screenplay with a buddy, until we couldn't stand each other. Then I got screwed up on drugs and went home to Boston."



Doing stand-up in 1987

WORK EXPERIENCE

1986-87
Doorman, the Comedy Store

1987-88
Barista, Coffee Connection

1988-92
Comic, New York, New England

1992-93
Host, *Short Attention Span Theater*, Comedy Central

1993-PRESENT
Working comic

2000-01
Off-Broadway star and author, *Jerusalem Syndrome*

2002-04
Writer, Fox Studios

2004-09
Host, Air America

2009-PRESENT
Creator and host, *WTF* podcast

2013-PRESENT
Executive producer and star, *Maron* on IFC

"I was a barista before it was a thing."



With Conan O'Brien in 2011

"I did *Conan O'Brien* three or four times a year, did a talk show pilot, an HBO half-hour, two scripts for NBC, got married, got divorced. The career wasn't working out that great."

A head shot from 1987



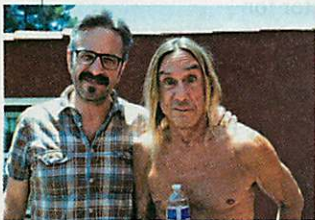
Garofalo



Cross

"I started doing open mics and acts at Catch a Rising Star and got acquainted with Dave Cross and Janeane Garofalo."

"I did three shows, all canceled. I woke up at 2:30 a.m. for morning radio for one-and-a-half years. It's a hell of a life. Then I was in a heinous divorce and needed money and did *Break Room Live With Maron and Seder*, which was really in the break room."



With Iggy Pop in 2013

"The show's about a guy whose career went off the rails, and he starts doing a podcast out of his garage. There's a lot of problems with women."

LIFE LESSONS

1. "Learn how to best use the talent you have." 2. "Get the nicest equipment available. It doesn't have to cost a lot." 3. "Just hang on, man."

