CHRISSY JUDY

A FILM BY TODD FLAHERTY



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JUDY [n. a gay man's gay best friend]

Logline:

Every gay man needs a good Judy, so when his best friend and drag sister suddenly couples off and moves away, our Judy, an ambitious New York drag queen determined for the limelight must reinvent himself or risk becoming an irrelevant solo act both onstage and off.

Synopsis:

Judy's been described as many things: a free spirit, a day dreamer, a boycrazy hot mess. But this is going to be the summer it all comes together for this ambitious, 30-something drag queen/cater-waiter and his best friend, Chrissy. That is, until Chrissy's priorities suddenly shift, forcing a disillusioned Judy to examine his life and priorities as a queer artist, and rediscover himself in the process.

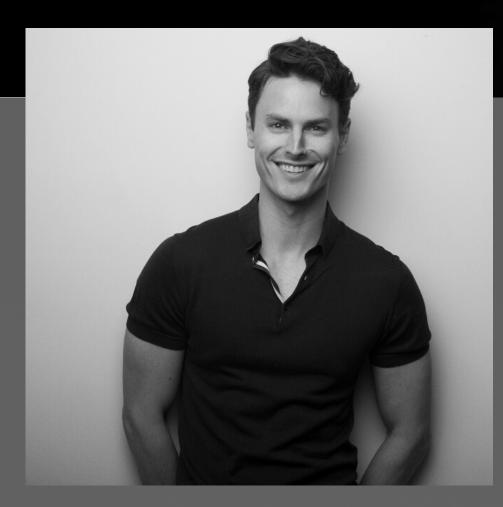
In this dark comedy, "Chrissy Judy" explores the universal pain of breaking up with your best friends and questions, "What do you do when your chosen family no longer chooses you?"

Technical Info:

Run Time:	96 mins
Aspect Ratio:	16:9
Sound Format:	Stereo
Country of Origin:	United States
Language:	English

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CREATIVE TEAM



WRITER/DIRECTOR/PRODUCER

CINEMATOGRAPHER

Todd Flaherty

Todd Flaherty is an actor, writer, and filmmaker. Since earning his BFA in Drama from NYU/Tisch, Todd has been working in the indie and off-Broadway theatre community developing and performing in new works that focus on untold multi-cultural queer stories. In 2017, Todd premiered his work as a writer and filmmaker with his award-winning web series "Undetectable" which explores the day-to-day world of a young man living with HIV. In 2020, at the height of the pandemic, Todd wrote and directed his first short, "Let's Meet Again at the End of the World" which is currently streaming on Amazon Prime through Dekkoo. "Chrissy Judy" is Todd's first feature and third collaboration with his brother Brendan, with whom he couldn't have done this without...especially not while wearing heels.

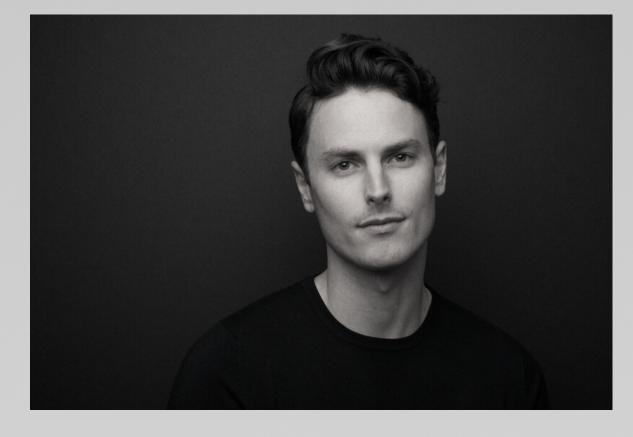
Brendan Flaherty

Brendan Flaherty is a three-time Emmy Award winning contributor to the lighting team on Saturday Night Live. At the heart of "Chrissy Judy" is an immensely personal story about losing a best friend and discovering yourself in the process. Four very challenging years in the making, "Chrissy Judy" has come

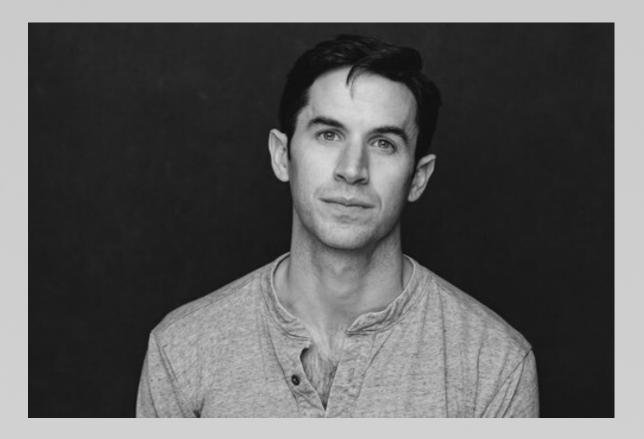
to life, thanks in large part to Brendan's ambition and sage advice to not wait until everything is perfect to begin production, but make the film with the resources at

hand. Taking on the role of five crew members, Brendan, alongside a crew of two multi-talented creatives, turned a budget of only \$20,000 into this spectacular indie feature. He is thrilled to present "Chrissy Judy" alongside his brother Todd. It's perfect in its imperfection, just like our Judy.





JUDY: TODD FLAHERTY



CHRISSY: WYATT FENNER





MARCUS: JOEY TARANTO



SHAWN: KIYON SPENCER



PEDRO: JOÃO SANTOS



SAMOA: JAMES TISON

CHRSSY JUDY STILLS



