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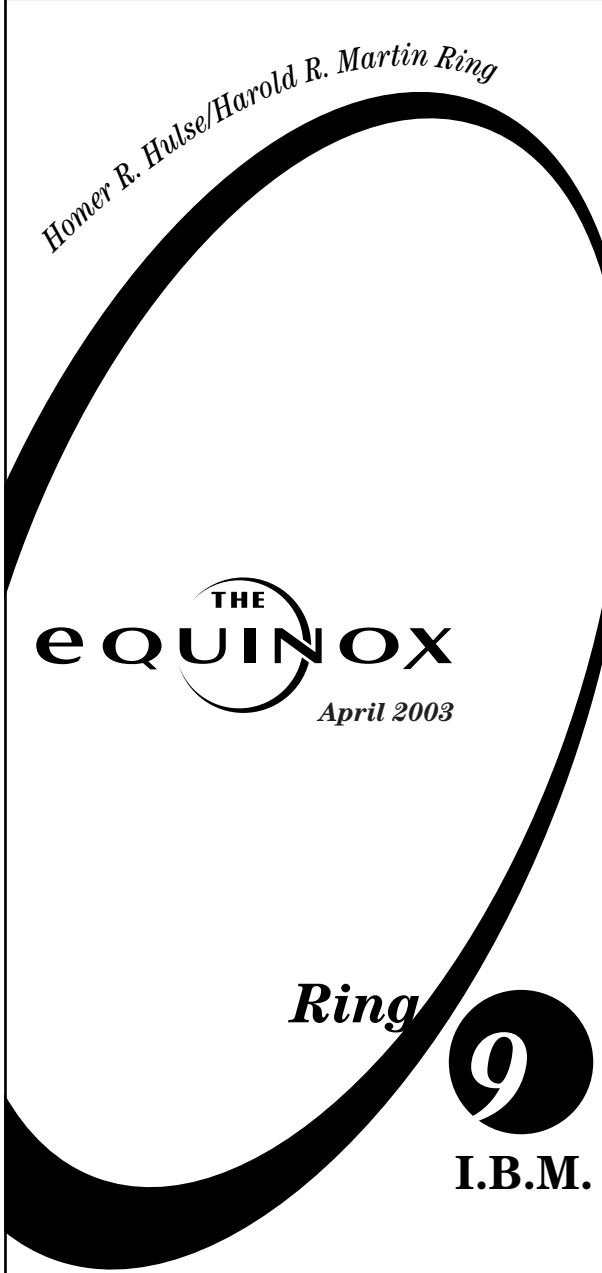
I recently went to see a magician at a local venue. Though I was a paying customer, and had obviously brought other people with me, the magician appeared nervous and reticent to perform more than a cursory presentation.

Think about this... I was paying full-price at the establishment and covering the cost of four people, specifically for the purpose of seeing some magic (the food wasn't that important to me). Yes, I had seen some of the magician's effects before, yet, the magician didn't really want to perform for me. Imagine going to see a theater show for the second time and the actors get wind that some of the people have been to a previous showing. Instead of taking it as a supreme compliment that patrons enjoyed the show enough to come back, the actors just walk through the scenes, cut some of the scenes, and don't do the closing scene of the show. Would you feel slighted after having paid for the show? Consider this, my fellow performing magicians, when a friend or magician comes to see you, do your best stuff, do the stuff that you normally do when at a table, don't short-change your friends BECAUSE they like you. That's backwards.

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April 21, 2003
• *Dark Magic*
Mt. Vernon Presbyterian Church

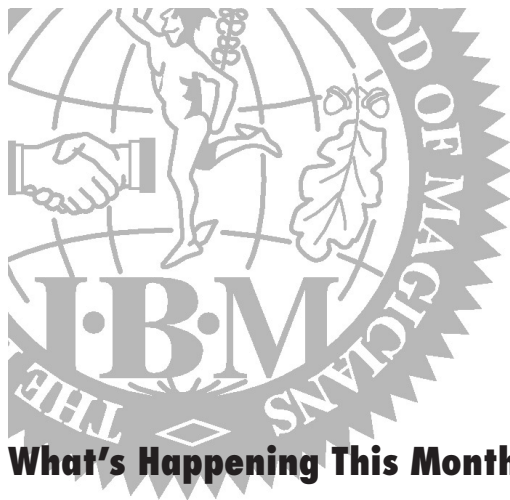


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Georgia Magic Club



What's Happening This Month?

This month's meeting will be at the Mt. Vernon Presbyterian Church (471 Mt Vernon Hwy.) on April 21st at 7:30. Theme is "Dark Magic". Maybe we can try new magic out in the dark. If we blow it no one will know. Do not forget to come early for the mini lecture. This month the mini lecture is going to be all about silks. This should be very informative.

<http://www.gamagicclub.com>

Site of the Month

WHAT IF MAGICIANS WERE LIKE...

By Tim Ellis & Christof

Magicians, like every other profession, have their own unique operating procedures. Melbourne's equally unique urban clown Christof!! sat down with Tim one day in 1992 and pondered the question: "What if magicians were more like..."

PLUMBERS: "Yes, there is a rabbit in that hat, I haven't got time to get it out right now, I'll have to come back and finish the trick next week."

FLIGHT ATTENDANTS: They'd smile very sweetly and welcome you as you enter the theatre... spend the next hour entertaining your wealthier friends...then say, with a smirk as you're leaving "Hope you enjoyed the show."

PHOTOGRAPHERS: He'd do 150 tricks for you and you pay for the ones youlike.

If you liked this check out the rest at the website!

<http://www4.tpgi.com.au/users/katzkin/>

Future Lectures

Ryan Siebert

Where: TBA

When: April 27, 2003

Time: TBA

Cost: TBA

Who's Where

Ken Scott is performing from 9:30 till 1:30 brunch at Shadows Restaurant in Peachtree City

Bill Clary is at Ray's on the River Sunday Brunch, 10:30am-2:30pm.

One can catch **Joe Turner** performing at Norcross Station Cafe, Fridays, 6-9PM; some Saturdays.

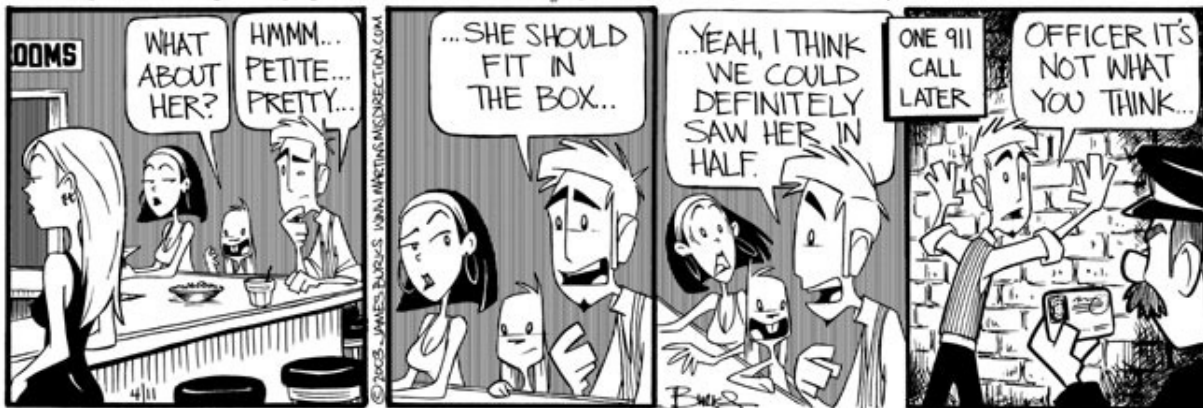
King Chapman is at TGI Fridays (Pleasant Hill), Duluth, Saturdays, 7pm-9pm

Terry Wenham performs as "Charley" at Max & Erma's, Gwinnett Sundays, 5:30pm-8:30pm and Max & Erma's, Dunwoody Thursdays, 5:30 pm-8:30pm.

Rick Silver performs at King Grill performing every Wednesday from 6pm-8pm.

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