

## Dana Carvey Table Mountain Concert Series Presented by Modelo Especial & Toyota

Dana Carvey will make his appearance at The Big Fresno Fair on Thursday, October 13 at 7 p.m. as part of the Table Mountain Concert Series presented by Modelo Especial and Toyota!

One of *Saturday Night Live's (SNL)* talented alumni, comedian Dana Carvey joined the show in 1986, and was a catalyst for SNL's soar in popularity. With his sharp, quicksilver characters and uncanny ability to exaggerate dead-on impersonations from <u>George Bush</u> and <u>Ross Perot</u> to <u>Johnny Carson</u> and <u>Regis Philbin</u>, Carvey became the darling of the SNL for six solid seasons. During this time, he created some of the show's most memorable characters, including "Church Lady," "Garth" of Wayne & Garth fame, Grumpy Old Man and bodybuilding "Hans" of Hans & Franz notoriety.

Carvey is a six-time Emmy nominated, Primetime Emmy-award winning actor and comedian, who made his feature film debut in *This Is Spinal Tap*, and other earlier works including *Racing With The Moon, One of the Group, Tough Guys* and the comedy, *Opportunity Knocks*. His most successful film came in tandem with Mike Myers in which the duo recreated their memorable "party-on" dudes Wayne and Garth from the famous SNL sketches. Wayne's World (1992) and its sequel Wayne's World (1993) were box-office smashes. In 2016, Carvey appeared in USA Network's comedic half series, *First Impressions*, which featured amateur impressionists competing against each other in a weekly battle of celebrity impressions with Carvey mentoring each contestant. Most recently, Dana Carvey lent his voice for these animated movie series, *Hotel Transylvania and Secret Life of Pets.* Still, his true brilliance is captured best on the live comedy stage.

## Dana Carvey Highlights

- 1989–1991 Winner of American Comedy Award for "Funniest Supporting Male Performer" on Saturday Night Live
- 1990 Primetime Emmy Nominee for "Outstanding Guest Actor in a Comedy Series" for *The Last Larry Sanders Show*
- 1992 Primetime Emmy Nominee for "Outstanding Individual Performance in a Variety or Music Program" on Saturday Night Live
- 1992 MTV Movie & TV Award for "Best Duo" in Wayne's World
- 1993 Primetime Emmy Award for "Individual Performance" on Saturday Night Live

Dana Carvey - Thursday, October 13 @ 7 p.m. - Ticket Prices: \$42, \$32, and \$22