

Written by Worm Mad. Based upon the users of the Team17 Open Discussion Forum.

17's Company : Saints & Sinners (Digitally Remastered)



Picture by philby4000.

Note: Although the above picture features a worm, the characters in the sit-com are human.

Starring

*Worm Mad,
Paul.Power,
MonkeyforaHead,
Squirminator2k,
K^2,
mocoworm,
Blinx,
thomasp,
Run,
Striker,
Star Worms,
FatWhitey,
wormsfreak,
SargeMcCluck,
Spadge,
BetongÅsna,
Zero72*

It is night. The door of the bar opens and Worm Mad stumbles in along with SargeMcCluck. The lights are off. Worm Mad turns them on. Various cast members are asleep around the bar.

Worm Mad: Hmmm... I wonder what they're thinking...

SargeMcCluck: I'm wondering what they're still doing here...

Worm Mad: What are we doing here?

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SargeMcCluck: Good Point.

They leave, the light is left on. Muffled Canned Laughter. Cuts to next day. Moves to table.

mocoworm: So this Betong guy is a priest?

Zero72: Yeah. He runs this church down the road dedicated to the Concrete Donkey.

mocoworm: But that's just a game religion. It's not real.

Zero72: He's also a vampire hunter.

mocoworm: (excited) Oooh, vampires are real! I'm a bit of a vamp-fan myself, where can I meet him?

Canned Laughter.

Zero72: Just pop down the church around midday. He holds a regular sermon at that time every day. At least I think it's a sermon. (Pause) He stands up on a podium and starts shouting at people to repent anyway.

Muffled Canned Laughter. Cuts to titles.

Title Music Lyrics

*Not 1, Not 2 and Certainly Not 3,
There's a number which makes people believe,
Just pay the 300 post fee,
And you'll never want to leave...*

*17,
17's Company,
Between 16 and 18, it's true.
It's Open Discussion through and through.
17,
17's Company*

*The jokes are flowing thick and fast,
The drink's are cheap and numerous,
The fun you have is sure to last,
But above all this – it's humorous!*

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Cuts to bar. Moves to bar table.

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FatWhitey: Hey, MonkeyforaHead. Made any new comics lately?

MFAH: I'm too busy. What with schoolwork and all.

FatWhitey: But you've got time to visit a pub...

MFAH: (looks around) What? Is this a pub? I thought it was...um...the Schoolwork Centre...for...uh...Gifted...(desperate) Schoolwork... (he runs away)

Canned Laughter. Moves to table.

S-2k: Did you hear about K^2 and Token Girl?

Striker: Awwww, are they seeing each other?

S-2k: Depends. If you mean 'seeing each other in order to concoct dangerous world domination schemes in what is clearly an attempt to create an empire of evil' then – yes.

Canned Laughter.

Striker: (concerned) I haven't been around much lately.

S-2k: I know.

Striker: I'm thinking maybe it's just as well.

Blinx: (off-screen, shouting angrily) But it was my PINEAPPLE!

S-2k: I think I know what you mean.

Canned Laughter. Moves to bar.

Star Worms: This series seems to be going nowhere fast.

wormsfreak: I know what you mean but at least we're not re-using old jokes yet.

Canned Laughter.

wormsfreak: That WASN'T a joke!

Moves to outside mysterious door behind bar.

Run: Hmmm... I wonder what's behind here...

He opens the door. The room is full of old letters.

Run: Looks like they've got a lot of old posts back here.

SnipperTheWorm: (from beneath a pile of posts) Help!

Compudragon: (from beneath another pile) Have we been forgotten about already?

Run: Ahhhhh! Ghosts!

Canned Laughter. He runs out of the room, slamming the door behind him.

SnipperTheWorm: Do you think we'll ever return?

Compudragon: No, I think we're stuck here...in the past.

SnipperTheWorm: You're such a pessimist.

Compudragon: Living under a pile of old post can do that to a man.

SnipperTheWorm: I always thought you were a dragon.

Compudragon: Talking to you has the same effect.

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Run runs up to Paul.Power who is sitting at a nearby table and shakes him.

Run: (desperate) P..p..paul! There are g..g.ghosts in the room over...t..there!

Paul.Power: (looks around him – Blinx is eating a pineapple, MFAH is pretending to study) I'm leaving.

All: What? Why?

Paul.Power: You're all nuts! There must be a better drinking establishment somewhere in this city.

Paul.Power leaves.

Spadge: So – you don't like it here. Go on then, go. We don't...

Star Worms: Um... he already left, Spadge.

Spadge: (sadly, head down) I know.

Canned Laughter. Cuts to Paul.Power walking down the street. He arrives at the door of another pub.

Paul.Power: Hmmm, 'LucasForums'. Sounds...Interesting.

He enters. Looks around. There is nobody to serve him so he walks into the nearest area. All of a sudden he spots Squirminator2k.

SCUMMinator2k: Thanks, guys. I had actually planned to make this into a game but I've got too much on my plate at the moment anyway (fan-sequel to *Cannon Fodder* being the big project! Website up soon! Spam spam spam!). I might make a fan-novel at some point, when I can dig up the time.

Paul.Power: Squirminator?

SCUMMinator2k: (seeing Paul.Power, shocked) Ahhh! It's You! (calmer) I mean – my name's SCUMMinator2k. I've never heard of this er...Squirminator fellow of whom you speak.

Paul.Power: (laughing) Come on now. You're even using the same ID Card with the worms picture on it.

SCUMMinator2k: (laughing manically) I really...don't...know what you're talking (breaks down)...Oh it's true...it's all true...I'm a failure as a pirate. I'm not bloodthirsty or ferocious or anything.

Paul.Power: (embarrassed) Uh...there, there.

SCUMMinator2k: I'm not even...(tearful) I'm not even unpleasant!

Paul.Power noticing that everybody has turned to look at them (they all look like pirates) flees. Cuts to T17 bar. mocoworm walks in. He sits beside thomasp.

mocoworm: (brainless voice) The (pause) Donkey (pause) is (pause) GOOD! (pause) Worship the (pause) DoNKEY!

thomasp: (excited) Oooh! Looks like you've been brainwashed! I think I'll have a go too. (pause, looking at mocoworm, clear voice) Macs are good.

mocoworm: Donkey – Good.

thomasp: Macs – Good.

mocoworm: Macs Donkey – Good.

thomasp: Better.

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Canned Laughter. Cuts to secret room behind bar.

Token Girl: (laughing evilly) Bwahahahahaha! Soon the world will be MINE!

K^2: Huh?

Token Girl: (serious) Did I say 'mine'? I meant 'ours'

K^2: Good.

Token Girl: (under her breath) Mine.

K^2: Just one question.

Token Girl: Hmm...

K^2: Do you think 300 llamas will be enough to overthrow the government?

Token Girl: I said lasers, moron!

Canned Laughter.

K^2: Are you sure? (pause) because I distinctly heard 'llamas'

Token Girl: Ugh. Back to the drawing board.

K^2: We have a drawing board?

Canned Laughter. Cuts to bar. Paul.Power rushes in and runs to bar.

Paul.Power: Get me a drink.

Spadge: (smug) They all come crawling back.

Paul.Power: (angry) You'll be crawling in a minute if you don't get me a drink!

Canned Laughter.

Spadge: (sneering) But, seriously. What was this other pub like?

Paul.Power: Well, they had a slot-machine but otherwise it wasn't much different from here.

Spadge: A slot machine, eh?

Paul.Power: Oh yeah and all the customers were drunk, uncultivated ruffians with no regard for common decency! (a bottle flies above his head and smashes into the wall)

Spadge: Your point being?

Canned Laughter. Blinx walks up to the bar.

Blinx: Hey, Spadge! mocoworm's acting strangely!

Spadge: mocoworm always acts strangely, Blinx.

Blinx: No, strangar than normal!

Spadge: Hmm... Okay, Let me have a look.

Blinx leads Spadge to the table upon which mocoworm is delivering a sermon from.

mocoworm: (loudly) We must honour the Donkey and buy many Apple Macs (pause) and those who buy PC's must repent! For they are owned by the Buffalo of Gates!

Spadge: Right, whose been brainwashing mocoworm again?

Muffled Canned Laughter. thomasp walks up.

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thomasp: Well I brainwashed him with regard to the Macs stuff but he was already talking about Donkeys before then.

Spadge: Who was talking about Donkeys?

Zero72: I think he was going to a sermon at BetongÅsna's church earlier. He might have something to do with this.

Spadge: Hmm, I think it's time that I had a word with this Åsna fellow...

He leaves.

Zero72: Hey! Who's watching the bar?

Blinx is behind the bar drinking from the pump.

Blinx: (stops drinking) Donscha worry! I sh-am! Hich! (commences drinking)

Canned Laughter. Moves to table.

Star Worms: This is not the table you're looking for.

wormsfreak: This is not the table I'm looking for.

Star Worms: You will go about your business.

wormsfreak: I will go about my business.

Star Worms: Goodbye.

wormsfreak: Goodbye. (he walks off)

Star Worms: (laughing) Gets them every time.

Canned Laughter. Cuts to secret room.

Token Girl: K^2. You did get those guns whilst you were out, right?

K^2: Guns! I thought you said nuns.

The room begins to fill up with nuns. Canned Laughter.

Token Girl: Grrr...

Nuns: (singing) The hills are aliiiiive...

Muffled Canned Laughter. Cuts to Betong Church Interior. Spadge walks in and up to Betong.

Spadge: Mr Åsna?

BetongÅsna: Yes?

Spadge: Can you desist from brainwashing my customers, please?

BetongÅsna: I do not brainwash. I merely seek to enlighten.

Spadge: The difference being?

BetongÅsna: Enlightenment isn't illegal, brainwashing is.

Spadge: Uh... You do realise that the Donkey isn't real?

BetongÅsna: Silence, Unbeliever!

Spadge: Look I helped make the games. I should know.

BetongÅsna: (laughing) This is about more than just the games. The Donkey is watching us from on high.

Spadge: Just stop the sermons, alright?

BetongÅsna: The Donkey needs no sermons.

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Spadge: Good.

BetongÅsna: But if the Donkey wishes sermons, I cannot refuse.

Spadge: (his fist close to Betong's face) Does the Donkey also want your face to bleed?, because it can be arranged.

BetongÅsna: (considering) Uh...no. On reflection, the Donkey does not want my face to bleed or any more sermons – goodbye.

He ducks behind the pulpit. Canned Laughter.

Spadge: I can still see your head, you know?

BetongÅsna: No, you can't.

Spadge: Yes, I can.

BetongÅsna: You can't, I'm not here.

Spadge: Okay, Bye.

BetongÅsna: I don't know who you're talking to. I left some minutes ago.

Spadge leaves. Canned Laughter. Cuts to Trailers.

Trailers

Voice Over Guy: Can't get enough of the Forum regulars? Then check out these great new releases on Video and DVD.

Cuts to Trailer One.

Trailer One

Voice Over: He's Sarge.

SargeMcCluck appears in police uniform.

SargeMcCluck: (on phone) You don't say. You don't say. You DON'T SAY! Well, goodbye.

Worm Mad: (off screen) Who was it?

SargeMcCluck: He didn't say.

Voice Over: He's Mad.

Worm Mad is seen driving a car down a motorway at a ridiculous speed. McCluck is next to him.

SargeMcCluck: I think you're over the speed limit, Mad.

Worm Mad: (grinning) I think I just hit a racoon.

Voice Over: And the Law is in their hands...

Sarge and Mad are seen on a sofa watching TV.

SargeMcCluck: I feel we should be doing something.

Worm Mad: We are doing something, Sarge – (louder) We're watching the TV!

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SargeMcCluck: You crack me up, little buddy.

Logo appears on screen.

Voice Over: Sarge & Mad: Freelance Police – Series 1: Available on DVD and Video from Monday.

Trailer Two

Voice Over: (ominous music plays. Annoying ‘threatening’ voice) The fate of the world lies in the balance.

Earthquakes, Volcanoes, Meteors, etc shown.

Voice Over: And only one man has the power to save mankind.

AndrewTaylor appears on screen.

AndrewTaylor: Yeah, sure I’ll save the world. (Pause) Right after Hell freezes over.

Logo appears on screen.

Voice Over: Taylor – Season II, OUT NOW!

Cuts to Taylor again. Prof is beside him looking confused.

AndrewTaylor: (to Prof) I was being sarcastic. I’m not going to save the world.

Prof: (finally gets it)...Oh.

Trailer Three

VoiceOver: It’s the ultimate stand-up routine.

S-2k appears on stage.

S-2k: My circuits burnt out yesterday. (Pause) Yeah, yeah, terrible. (Pause) But on the plus-side, me wife said it’s the first time I haven’t set the kitchen on fire (laughs) So I’m getting there, eh? (continues laughing)

VoiceOver: Okay...we lied.

Logo appears.

VoiceOver: ‘One Worm and his Droid’ – coming to Video and DVD...soon.