

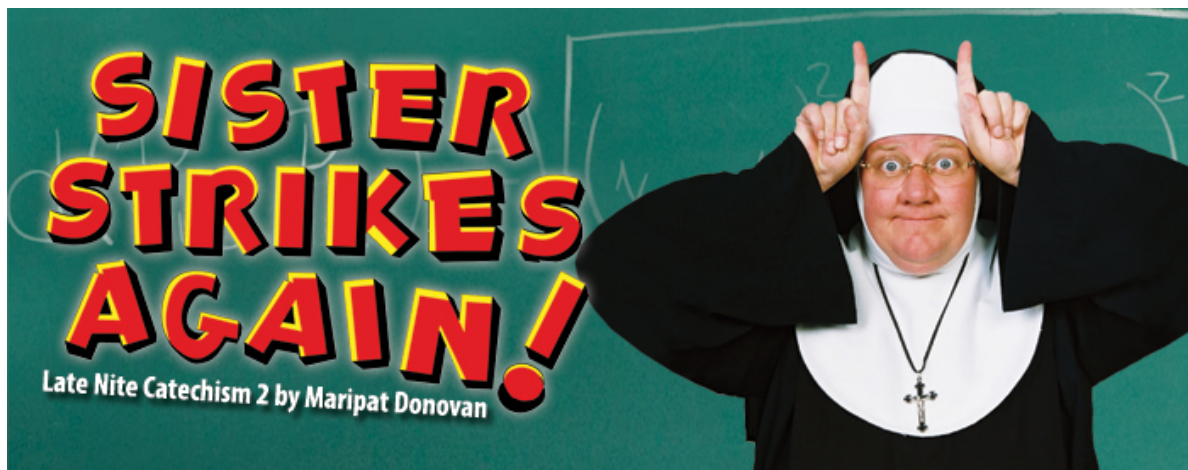
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SISTER AND HER NUN-STOP LAUGHS RETURN TO KANSAS CITY IN



Jan. 15-27 at Starlight Indoors

Sister is back to save the souls of Kansas Citians for the first time since 2016!

*“EVEN FUNNIER THAN THE ORIGINAL. WHO KNEW
DAMNATION COULD BE SO MUCH FUN?”*

Los Angeles Times

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Just when you thought it was safe to go into the classroom—Sister returns in *Sister Strikes Again!* Catechism classes are never as much fun (or as hilarious) as when they are led by Sister, and Starlight is thrilled to welcome back another “divine” production! This show is another installment to original one-nun comedy extravaganza, *Late Nite Catechism*, and will play Starlight Theatre Jan. 15-27 as part of the 2018-19 Starlight Indoors series. With all the wit, wisdom and wackiness of the original, *Sister Strikes Again!* is bound to bring back former students and make hundreds of new converts.

It’s up to Sister to save the souls of those assembled—aka the audience! Beginning with an overview of heaven and hell as a Catholic version of Chutes and Ladders and moving onto her proclamation of new sins for the new millennium, Sister is never hesitant to tell us where we’ve gone wrong. (Needless to say, excessive tattooing and piercing are right up there with pornographic websites and dining at Hooters). And never doubt that she can provide a list of

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every celebrity currently sharing digs with the devil. No one is excused from Sister's firm belief that 'sometimes we feel guilty because we are guilty.'

"Sister's classrooms have grown each time we have her at Starlight, so we decided to welcome back everyone's favorite nun for a third time!" said Caroline Gibel, Starlight's director of indoor programming. "*Sister Strikes Again!* takes audience members back to the children they once were, and her tongue-in-cheek but strict nature is bound to strike a resonant chord with patrons."

In early 2016, Kansas City audiences welcomed Sister in her Starlight debut in *Late Nite Catechism* in Berger studio at Starlight. Later that year and just in time for the holiday season, *Sister's Christmas Catechism* provided plenty of jolly laughter and good cheer in the larger Cohen Community Stage House in the 2016-17 Starlight Indoors series. Kansas City congregates once again in Cohen Community Stage House when *Sister Strikes Again!* opens Jan. 15.

The "Sister" series' pilot production, *Late Night Catechism*, debuted in 1993 at the Live Bait Theatre in Chicago, Ill., and since then has grossed over \$100 million in box office receipts. It has been presented in over 410 cities around the world and has played six countries with more than 3.5 million people in attendance. The show has raised more than \$4 million for retired Sisters and Catholic organizations. More than 100 "Sisters" have presented the eight shows in the series.

Audience members at *Sister Strikes Again!* will be sitting comfortably in Starlight's heated 12,000-square foot Cohen Community Stage House—460 seats are available for each performance. Show times are as follows: Tuesday – Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m., Saturdays at 2:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m., and Sundays at 2:00 p.m.

Tickets for *Sister Strikes Again!* at Starlight Theatre are on sale now and start at \$27. Tickets are available online at kcstarlight.com, by calling 816-363-STAR (7827) or at the Starlight box office at 4600 Starlight Road, Kansas City, Mo., 64132.

Discount prices for groups of 10 or more are available by contacting group sales department at 816-997-1137 or groups@kcstarlight.com. Please note that kcstarlight.com is the only official ticket source for all shows in the 2018-2019 Starlight Indoors series. If you purchase tickets from another website or ticket broker, we cannot guarantee those tickets are legitimate.

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About Starlight Indoors

Now entering its fourth season, Starlight Indoors was created in 2015 to provide year-round entertainment to current patrons and new audiences alike. Starlight Indoors presents small comedies, musicals and parodies during the winter months in the heated performance space of Starlight's Cohen Community Stage House, a 460-seat theatre setting.

Located on 16 acres in Swope Park, Starlight Theatre is the largest and oldest performing arts organization in Kansas City. Opened as a theatre in 1950 and as a not-for-profit organization in 1951, Starlight also offers extensive community outreach and educational programming, including classes, scholarships and Starlight's Blue Star Awards, one of the largest high school musical theatre award programs in the nation.

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