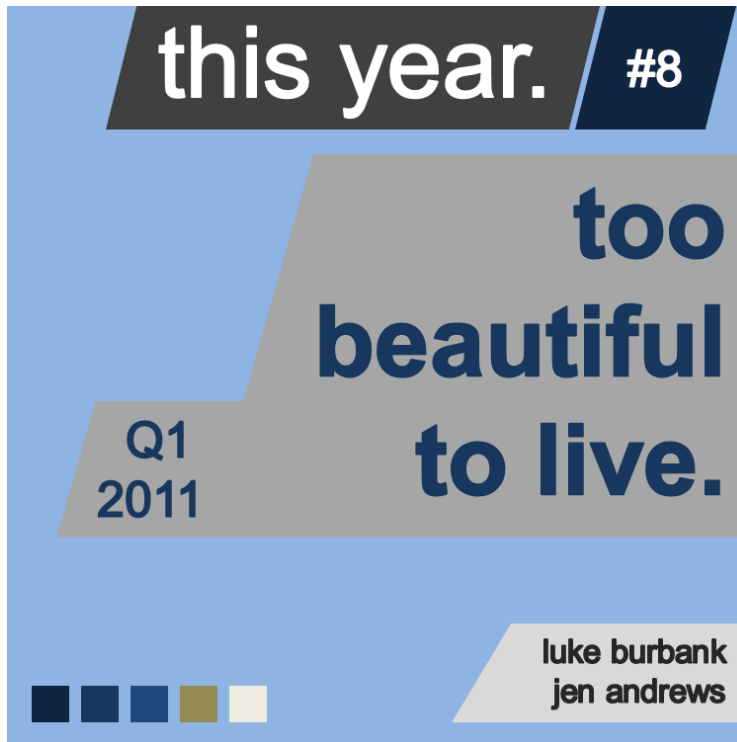


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#8: Too Beautiful to Live (2011-Q1)



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Timestamps

Part 1

0:06:00 - Luke offends a deaf person by attempting to do sign language
 0:12:00 - Work situations at KIRO (free food scrambles; toilets)
 0:44:00 - Jen's hairdresser overshares personal information
 0:55:00 - **Top Story:** Kitty litter; Ricky Gervais; Oprah
 2:11:00 - **Awesome/Not Awesome:** Not showering with soap
 2:19:00 - **Granny Time:** A couple hides their marriage
 2:41:00 - The three year anniversary of Too Beautiful to Live

Part 2

0:09:00 - Luke almost drowns in a puddle
 0:13:00 - Jason is sick
 0:19:00 - Stories of regret
 0:55:00 - **Get off the Stage:** Kim Kardashian
 1:06:00 - **Awesome/Not Awesome**
 1:24:00 - **Granny Time:** Dating, love, and marriage
 1:40:00 - **Really, North Korea? Really?**
 2:04:00 - Moments from the TBT Lathon
 2:20:00 - **Shut it Down America:** "Work spouses"

Part 3

0:04:00 - Luke's terrible basketball game
 0:18:00 - Luke's *Radiolab* performance
 0:33:00 - Luke breaks out a zit in a meeting
 0:40:00 - Luke missed a flight while in the boarding lobby
 0:41:00 - Luke gets banned from a bowling alley
 0:54:00 - **Top Story:** Mr. Knightly gets banned from the groomers; Charlie Sheen
 1:44:00 - Luke gets angry at bad PR
 1:58:00 - **Mondays with Gary**
 2:33:00 - Obesity in kids
 2:47:00 - Phil Collins retires; Too Beautiful to Live cracks the Bryan Adams code
 3:24:00 - Remembering Jane Strauss

Credits

Too Beautiful to Live is produced by Luke Burbank and Jen Andrews and is hosted by KIRO and MyNorthwest. The show starred Luke Burbank and Jen Andrews. Guest appearances included Vanessa Romo, Sean DeTore, and Mike Pesca. The musical stings in this episode were composed by Simon Harrison. We'd like to thank him for his support of the show. The closing song Heaven by Bryan Adams. Additional music came from Gran Turismo 4 Original Soundtrack.



Luke Burbank

Burbank began his career in radio by pinch hitting across a variety of shows and genres, working either as a producer or as on-air talent. His work touched a number of shows, including *The Conversation*, *Rewind*, and *Day to Day*. He later became a reporter for NPR before starring as a regular panelist on the comedy show *Wait Wait... Don't Tell Me!* After a stint on *The Bryant Park Project* Burbank returned to Seattle to begin work on *Too Beautiful to Live*.

Jen Andrews

Jen Andrews served as producer for a variety of shows at KIRO before becoming executive producer of *Too Beautiful to Live*. The show marked the reunion of Burbank and Andrews, who had known each other since childhood. Andrews left the show for a time after its cancellation from radio and subsequent transition to the podcast format, but soon after rejoined Burbank as he broadcast from his home, "Burbank Studios."

2006; 2007; 2008

Giant Bombcast

2008; 2009; 2010; 2011; 2012; Ryan Davis Memorial; 2013; 2014

Good Grief

Full run

Hang Up and Listen

2013

The HotSpot

2005; 2006; 2007; Top 40

Idle Thumbs

Original run

Left, Right & Center

2011; 2012

Loveline

Q1 2000; Q2 2000; Q3 2000; Q4 2000; Q1 2001; Q2 2001; Q3 2001; Q4 2001; Q1 2002; Q2 2002

Oddcast

2009

On the Media

2001; 2011; 2012; 2013

The Penn Jillette

Radio Show
Q1 2006

Planet Money

401 to 450; 451 to 500

Political Gabfest

2011; 2012; 2013

Retronauts

2007; 2008

Security Now

2005-2006; 2007; 2014

The Skeptics' Guide to the Universe

2005; 2006; 2007; 2011; 2012; 2013

Studio 360

2012; 2013

This American Life

1 to 25; 26 to 50; 51 to 75; 76 to 100; 101 to 125

Too Beautiful to Live

Q1 2008; Q2 2008; Q3 2008; Q1 2011; Q2 2011; Q3 2011; Q4 2011

Uhh Yeah Dude

2006; 2007; 2008; 2012; 2013; 2014

Wait Wait... Don't Tell Me!

2011

The Why Factor

2012

That aint no caravella....looks like a creepo - Anonymous

Best podcast. - Anonymous

My favorite show on the site besides Daves of Thun... - Anonymous

I always liked when Shirley Phelps called in. He a... - Anonymous

That should read "full Gabfest archive,&quo... - This Year

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