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It's a city where anything can happen So what could go wrong or right as I hit up L A unscripted from light scape at the arboretum This holiday season forget the yellow brick road Get wild Wandering this mile long trail of twinkling trees and neon pulsating palms instead Hi everyone I'm David Devin And look who is back electrifying L A unscripted do call Dana How could I miss the season Spectacular It's like moonlighting that can make even the biggest Scrooge smile That's right And wandering around this winter wonderland There is a strict no Scrooge policy We've brought light scape here to enable people to see these gardens in a new way to see the trees and gardens bathed in light to create new holiday memories right into the holiday season I'm Richard Shh I'm here at the L A Breed in Arcadia Revealing the spectacular new light show lights The arboretum is 127 acres devoted to the beauty of the plant kingdom Thousands of different kinds of trees shrubs and other plants here for your enjoyment and education The Light scape team has other installations in other cities other places in the world But the installation of the Lights Cappe here at the Arboretum is quite unique You have these spectacular light effects Meeting Hollywood history You're going to walk in the footsteps of Tarzan the stars of Fantasy Island bridesmaid Hollywood history meets spectacular lights meets one of the world's greatest collections of trees Fire Garden over here It's a quiet and peaceful place and you go from here to other experiences that are more sort of festive and celebratory And then you go to a grand finale that feels like a New Year's Eve party The Winter Cathedral is a tunnel of light Thousands of light you enter into this tunnel and you're surrounded by sparkling little flowers and any photo you take it looks as if your friends and family are dancing in a field of stars specifically designed for wedding proposals or you can renew your vows But once you see it you'll know exactly what I mean The arboretum is one of the few public gardens in the United States that has stayed open continuously through the pandemic This is a safe place for the family and friends to come together and enjoy the beauty of the landscape and these festival lights it will take you a little bit over an hour to see the entire show but it's really been designed for the enjoyment of folks of all ages So we're here at the Neon House and you may not be able to actually tell it's neon So I'm going to fix that ready That was impressive Look at that But to turn on this nightly extravaganza ok Alexa Light Scape on No we do do this old school You know it takes 17 miles of cable to power on 1 million lights So call is so in

the spirit right now and so is our fellow follow law and scripture Megan Tell us check it in with something else to ho ho ho about sort of an intrinsic feeling when you walk in and you don't quite know what you're looking at sometimes but it's like you just realize that you're surrounded by beauty and you're surrounded certainly by culture Oh Christopher I've gotten all the tips from you and I want to share it with our viewers right here at L A unscripted Is there such a thing during the holidays or really any time of the year that you go Too big You do too much glitter too much fur No we can go big go big One of the tips that I always say is start with color always start with a theme If you're going to do silvers and whites if you're going to do golds and blues if you're going to do again come up with a theme first If you like pinks and purples and all those great colors I would say come up with a theme first I'm going to start out with a very basic tablecloth here This is actually a painter's canvas Really Is that what you mean by Get just get creative It's like I said this you know went to the hardware store pick this up It looks like linen Nobody will ever know that important It is to start I always like to mix and match again It's one of those things where not all your plates have to be the same pattern Absolutely But a little sparkle on the table It's like I said with your favorite champagne your favorite white wine I want to get started on the center of the table and what we have here because I know you love fur trees So we have a little bit of m we're doing two we have a little we're gonna do many and I have just some woodland creatures that have been glittered and bedazzled Like with the table You want to pick a theme before you go into it I absolutely positively This is winter wonderland and it's like it's just like shades of white and glamorous and with the fur and the snowman But what really the trick is to the trees here at Roger's Gardens is that we actually take ornaments and we put them deep inside the tree Don't put everything on the outside of the tree Every Christmas tree needs a little bit of glitter So we have these beautiful of Swarovski crystal garlands if this were my trade and too much is too much is I would probably use three of these at the top of the tree and just layer them one on top of the other So again you get a little bit more hype a little bit more glamour a little bit more glitz for the holidays Thank you again Merry Christmas Happy New Year and go decorate it So fun Add that to my gift list Pronto Dana More merry and bright facts for you Thomas Edison He's the man responsible for the very first Christmas light display Grover Cleveland was the first president to deck out a tree in electric bulbs and take it from me the best way to untangle Christmas lights yank really hard in double dutch So clearly you have never put up a Christmas

light in your life Mr Electric Elf All right do not turn anything off Don't trust him with anything We have more illuminating fun coming up when a unscripted from light scape at the arboretum is back in a flash Welcome back to L A unscripted from Light scape at Arcadia I'm Devin and from now until January 16th plug into a megawatt Good time here at the Arri and I'm Doug And on top of your to do list this season check out the 127 acres of illuminating installations The sea of light is really sort of the grand finale of the show in my opinion And they are dancing to some of your favorite holiday songs uh sweeping in waves of color and light in response to the melodies and the rhythms of the music Just a wonderfully joyous experience People are just loving it And I think so much of it is after this difficult time we've been through just being able to be together again in a beautiful outdoor place creating new memories enjoying one another's company and sharing the experience of these light installations and these beautiful gardens are joyful Jasmine Simpkins who's lacing up with our sponsors Disney on Ice It's time to be our guest for a special sneak peek inside Disney on Ice Disney on Ice Cream B has a little bit of everything So if you're into the older Classic tales we have some of that like Cinderella Sleeping Beauty Um And then we also have a lot of the new the new stories like Frozen and Moana and Miguel from Coco So there's a little bit for everyone All right L A unscripted They've got me on ice skate here at the Fabulous Disney on Ice Show and I'm gonna learn a couple of moves We'll see how I do with The Fabulous Emily Hey for a spin Spin Ok Slow Be Love Ocean Still got it Very good And you get a full routine in the show I would be a show with our f costumes So these skirts are actually using our Coco segment We got here with a bunch of skeleton and the main goal with these skirts is to really bring out the color the movement like they do in the actual for Florida dances that they do in Mexico I think you're ready Getting ready for the show is pretty we have a timely system going But the time that went we spent two weeks rehearsing everything getting everything in order We travel a wardrobe in a props department that makes sure everything is running smoothly So it's quite a production But once we're on the road we're pretty well oiled machine I'll say we have a dandelion costume Then a Cocoa costume which you tried on a skirt earlier We have another boy skeleton outfit We have our waltz couple outfits beautiful pink and then a boy's royal tux Oh my goodness And we have some under the sea outfits and I love this lobster costume at the end So fun And they feel so great velvets nice pieces of satin and Jaccard Oh my God The buttons are fun and the detail in the sparkles some of our headpieces So we have our skeleton masks We have a lobster head butterfly head dandelion hat Oh my gosh I think I wanna try this one out You should go for it I've got to rub this I think if you rub it something might happen I don't know Let's see Let's see what happens Disney on ice is running through January 2nd right here in Socal So get your tickets now This is a brand new treatment here in Los Angeles at the Cutler Salon and I'm trying it first so I can let you guys know if it's the real deal This product is for everybody We are coloring our hair We're using heat on our hairs But also if you just have hair that you wanna treat and maintain that quality it's the acidic bonding concentrate the exclusive Ins Salon damage treatment I've been with reckon for 20 years When we first started our company we wanted to become an authority in Fashion Week Redin were all about fashion and products and and salon uh services So it was a perfect blend for us and a perfect marriage We've now we do over 2530 shows a season at Fashion Week and it's just been a fantastic partnership and the great thing is that we believe in the products and they work So it's incredible I'm working full time for kit So it's doing my hair five days a week with heat with color and my ends basically look like this So when we're talking about bonding what exactly is that three things we're going to address we're going to address the moisture and the protein And the other thing is the balance of the hair which is perfect for the ph balance just to make it more natural and regular Ok Stacey how long does this take This has to sit for five minutes but from start to finish It's gonna be 10 minutes 10 minutes OK To get a coffee in L A So I'm gonna time this I'm gonna prep your hair with the acidic bonding shampoo first So this way it's rebuilding the protein and adding moisture So right now I am adding the actual moisture bit of the treatment into your hair This is the treatment right Yes Oh A syringe I'm used to those in my face Not so much in my face So this is the protein bit of the treatment Ok I'm just gonna add about 10 mL in So I'm gonna push this out a little bit now We're just gonna let this sit Got it for five minutes All right You ready Yeah I'm ready Ok Wow Oh my God Look at the shine right there I can I wish people at home could feel it because it feels like my ends feel so smooth It feels like glass almost If people at home want to try this How much is this You know what 65 bucks Oh my God That's like a bargain because it makes your color look brand new It makes your hair look brand new Oh my God I am such a believer If you want to try it come to color Salon in West Hollywood Love it And how's this for an assist A good rule when it comes to Christmas Lights Plan on using 100 lights for every foot 6 ft 3 600 lights But what you really need is a patience You're such a dead now Oh my God That is a twinkling wisdom coming from the DK All right More empowering local news coming up with L A in it from lights at the arboretum and Arcadia powers back and you don't even need batteries chocolate or a hot toddy Once more Get it s more lights Cappe has everything you need to warm up here I love this place Dina How do you like your marshmallow I mean kind of like that kind of like burnt on the outside and then kind of mushy on the inside How do you like yours in my bed as Oh that looks so good for 70 years Our sponsor the Huntington Park parade has brought Joy to the streets of this neighborhood Now the mayor herself takes us behind the scenes to see what goes on before they strike up the band So this is the 70th annual Honeymoon Park parade And what many people don't know is that the Honey Noon Park parade is actually the first parade that was televised Lots of you can have a I'm Ortiz mayor of the beautiful city of Huntington Park But right now this is an amazing city three square miles about 60,000 people Now the city of Huntington Park is actually running the parade We make sure that it's all local schools that participate So they're gonna see music they're gonna see students they're gonna see our football team they're Folklorico they're going to see Mariachi And so it's just an array of amazing acts and participants But more than anything is they're going to see the community come together for an amazing amazing holiday event to really kick off the holiday season Joined today by Linda This year Marquez High School opens the parade next year Huntington Park High School will open the parade My name's Haley Valdovinos My name is Ramon Rivera Hi my name is Ashley Jos Gonzalez My name is Natalie Martinez My name is so the parade is actually a moment where they're able to shine and able to show their skills So as a community it's important for us to cheer them on clap for them and more than anything give them kudos for all the hard work that they do to even get here One thing that's the best part of the parade probably here in the crowd just like cheer you on the whole time I joined band I thought it was one of the coolest things to do I'm really excited for this parade on Sunday So not only does it take every student to participate but it takes the administration it takes the teachers and then in the city aspect it took every single department to put this parade together right So to be able to provide this opportunity to the students and for them it was long hours of practice It was dedication but I love Christmas My birthday is actually on Christmas Eve The hometown of my school is really special I'm really proud to be a part of it as a member in band and actually leading it along with Haley I grew up around here and I always

love going to the parade So I thought maybe one day I'll be in the parade and be a part of I'm excited to see the community come as one whole and to see everyone Oh it pumped me up a lot Like I'm a very energetic person My Christmas wish for hunting on park is to make sure that all our residents have the resources they need And I wish everybody just amazing health to five grand You know what I do like though Candy canes I do and you know what They are the number one selling non chocolate candy this season And here's something else just as sweet You Google a lot I do This is a dream shoot Let's go eat some ice cream Mcdonald's is actually a dairy not an ice cream company And we were founded in Santa Barbara in 1949 We make our ice creams and everything that goes into our ice cream So we'll get our own raw milk and cream into the dairy and we will do everything 100% from scratch California is in our roots It's our heritage Um We're a family owned family operated company still You know we like to pride ourselves on being California's finest What are some of our people's favorite flavors when they come into the store So there's everything from double peanut butter chip Of course salted caramel chip There's eureka lemon and Marion berries These flavors sound amazing I can't wait to try them Are we doing a blind taste test We are going to do a blind taste test Like everything else you eat with your eyes So blindfolded It's going to be really interesting to give you a couple of these ice creams and see if you can guess what they are Are you ready for the blind tasting I guess I have to be right So here's the first one What do you think Yeah I wonder what that is What is it It's some type of straw strawberry or cherry She's good people That's our Santa Barbara strawberry ice cream Ok Ok Number two is a classic mcconnell's flavor That's a pot a big bite It is a big bite Ice cream is about Bounty What do you think about that one Ok There's two options that it could be like a cookie dough or a salted caramel I think she got it That's our sea salt cream and cookies It's like both of them together Ok Now here's a little bit of a palate cleanser This is another classic mcconnell's flavor Well like lemons So that's a lemon ice cream with a Marion berry swirl You got one more OK This is one of my favorite relatively new flavors of mcdonald's a little bit more challenging I have no idea That's our honey and corn bread cookies Now that I've clearly mastered that I feel like I should hop behind the counter and do my own sundae My own L A unscripted sundae And what's our first step The first step is putting on our gloves All right let's do it All right So then you grab your bowl All right And your scoop I'm gonna do this one right here because I think it looks really pretty Next is toppings Sprinkle on top just a little bit Yeah Just a scoop and now Oh wow Oh wow All right Yeah you're just gonna take one scoop You're just gonna drizzle it on Beautiful That is our whipped cream Shake it up and then spray and then you're gonna want to create a tower Got it Uh Yeah maybe it needs a cookie I think I can't wait to try this unscripted delicious sundae Hm I feel good I'm really in the spirit now I may just go home and watch one of my favorites Christmas vacation Oh that's one of my favorites It really is so special here at Lights in Arcadia Thank you so much to the arboretum for letting us go off script in their winter wonderland Dana where we take all the next I can't tell you but we're going to start going through this cathedral ready Yeah I even do all this together So cool