

## *Samantha Bee Joins the Boys' Club*

You may or may not have seen Samantha Bee's sausage commercial but all you need to know about this writer, producer, comic's new show *Full Frontal with Samantha Bee* is in this 40 second commercial. The commercial shows Bee standing in front of a wall of framed pictures of the many male late night hosts, wondering what is missing. After being offered a plate of different sausages, Bee realizes she's "done with sausages" and lets the audience know she's "female as f—k."

Based off her 12-year career at the satirical news program, *The Daily Show with Jon Stewart*, it makes sense that Bee takes a fresh approach to the late night show realm. *Full Frontal with Samantha Bee* will focus on the same satire she perfected at *The Daily Show* but will not have sketches or celebrity interviews.

The show began with Bee sitting in front of reporters in a press conference. The only questions being asked were about her sex, how she was able to get her own show and how hard it was for her "breaking into the boys' club", to which she responded with an explanation of the hard work she put in: a demonic cult offering with her in a white nightgown in the middle of a drawn out circle summoning Satan.

Bee then covered the recent debates touching on Bernie and Hillary's riveting debate during which Bernie, resembling "a man trying to get his waitress's attention", and Hillary openly agreed on most topics. She also commented on Chris Christie roasting Marco Rubio for forgetting his speech and embarrassingly repeating the same sentence over and over. Bee didn't forget about Donald Trump and Ted Cruz, especially not Cruz's innate ability to make everyone hate him, but his luck for having a "loving wife and possible hostage" as Bee said.

Another political segment was "Elected Paperweight of the Month" featuring Kansas Senator Holmes who proposed a dress code in the Senate strictly for women because of how much "he cares for them". Bee was quick to point out how touching it was that Sen. Holmes was so worried about his senator friends' boners.

Bee closed her show with a hilarious "foreign" film about Jeb Bush's Jeb!, or as the film would call it, Jeb? campaign in New Hampshire. The foreign narrator poked fun at Jeb for his campaign strategies like giving away turtles that have "slow and steady wins the race" on the belly and his campaign supporters comparing him to milk.

Bee spent the thirty-minute show in typical late night, daily show fashion, with monologues accompanied by pictures and videos. The most obvious differences between *Full Frontal* and other late night shows is the absence of a desk and a male host, but what truly sets

Bee apart from other late night hosts is her unapologetically and hilariously profane humor that left me wishing it was an hour-long segment.