



## **AUSTRALIAN TOUR 2012**

PERTH ASTOR THEATRE TUESDAY 13 NOVEMBER

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## **TICKETS ON SALE MONDAY 27 AUGUST 9am**

The comedy world is very aware of **Jo Koy**, his impressive comic background spans more than a decade. From filling clubs across the US to being seen weekly as a regular guest on **Chelsea Lately**, Jo Koy has come a long way from his modest start performing at a Las Vegas coffee house. His infectiously explosive energy on stage, insightful jokes and family inspired humor cross all boundaries and led **Daily Variety** to name him one of the **"10 Comics to Watch"**.

He now returns for his 4<sup>th</sup> Australian tour in November with shows in Perth, Melbourne, Sydney and Brisbane.

"One of my favourite US comics"

Russell Peters

Born in Tacoma, Washington, Jo credits his mother for his comedic and acting talents. Growing up, his mother constantly encouraged him to take part in school talent shows or present impromptu performances for his family and friends. This encouragement led to the Las Vegas coffee house, then a move to Los Angeles, and finally a performance on **The Tonight Show with Jay Leno** in 2005. He became one of a select few to ever receive a standing ovation on the show.

Since his Tonight Show performance, Jo has appeared on Jimmy Kimmel Live, Last Call with Carson Daly, BET's Comic View, Jamie Foxx Presents: Laffapalooza, and appeared in various VH1 I Love the 70's, 80's and 90's episodes.

"...the next Ray Romano"

Montreal Gazette

His performance covers a variety of topics from his ambiguous ethnicity and growing up with a Filipino mother, to male-female relations and personal stories of life with his 5-year-old son. His unique stand-up, dynamic energy and loud stage presence has audiences convulsing with laughter and is a big hit with fans of all ages and racial backgrounds.

His credits include opening for headliner acts of **Dave Chappelle** (Chappelle's Show), **Snoop Doggy Dogg, Russell Peters** and **Robin Williams**.

"One of the most exciting comic talents in the world"

Time Off

His Comedy Central special "**Don't Make Him Angry**" is now available on DVD. He is a regular featured comedian at the world famous **Improv**, tours the college circuit nationwide and performs in comedy clubs both in the US and internationally.

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