
OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/14 23:54

OJ must stand of Odd Jerk!

I can't believe this item I just stumbled on...

<http://entertainment.tv.yahoo.com/entnews/va/20061114/116356822300.html>

I sure hope if Fox puts this garbage on (for him to make a buck) that the show is boycotted big time! I can't imagine people watching it..

The audacity....!!!!

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by grizzlys4 - 2006/11/15 03:36

I guess it shouldn't surprise us.....after all, he's one that got away with murder.....literally.

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/15 09:13

You know I thought about it later... because it was mind boggling to say the least...

He isn't being very sensitive to his children by doing this....

I wonder how his relationship with his kids is?

The kids are much older now... I'm sure they may have their own opinions now. Especially in that they can now draw conclusions from the transcripts and newspaper reports on their own.

Back then, they were very protected from the circus...or attempted to be protected.

Yes, I do think he did it!

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/15 10:04

I just stumbled on another newspiece and noticed that this is timed with a book being released that he wrote.. or that obviously he had a major role in.

The show and book are connected.. Fox and Regan books (publisher) are under the same corporation.. News Corporation.

O.J. Simpson to promote "If I Did It" on Fox

Tue Nov 14, 9:23 PM ET

Fox said Tuesday it will air a two-part interview with O.J. Simpson at month's end in which he describes the 1994 murders of his ex-wife and her friend that he says he didn't commit.

The interview will be conducted by editor and book publisher Judith Regan. On November 30, her Regan Books is publishing a book Simpson wrote with the working title "If I Did It, Here's How It Happened."

Fox said Simpson's book "hypothetically describes" how he would have committed the murders. The special will air at 9

p.m. November 27 and 29 on Fox.

Fox executives declined comment about the show Tuesday. In a statement released Tuesday, executive vp/alternative programming Mike Darnell said: "This is an interview that no one thought would ever happen. It's the definitive last chapter in the trial of the century."

Fox is a subsidiary of News Corp., which also owns Regan Books.

Why are they hyping this to be the last definitive chapter about the trial of the century? The only way it could be that is if he upped and admitted it!

I imagine we'll be hearing a heck of alot more about this very soon. I would think Fox airing this almost as a special during the holiday season is indicative that they may think they have a HUGE newspiece.

I have a feeling he might wind up confessing... Maybe his conscience has caught up with him. One can only hope anyway!

Seems odd timing... and rather sudden..

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by bobcat - 2006/11/15 13:21

If he is making any substantial bucks off of this (of course he is , otherwise why do it) then maybe the families of the slain can get some of what the courts awarded them!!! I will not be watching the interview or going anywhere near the book with MY bucks !!:angry:

Post edited by: bobcat, at: 2006/11/15 13:22

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/15 13:24

Me either... I'll wait for the free highlights! If something big comes out of it.. the mainline news will pick it up..

I don't begrudge the family getting their money..just the way that OJ is trying to profit from their deaths.. whether he killed them or not.. (but especially if he did!)

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by dende - 2006/11/15 22:30

It's bad enough that he got away with the murder. The thought of him now making a profit off it disgusts me.

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/15 22:37

more info..

NBC turned down the interview opportunity (to air)..

The book was OJ's idea.. and he approached the publishers..

http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/simpson_interview

One other thing I saw was that someone speculated it was as much an admission as anything else. But putting it hypothetically, protected him from prosecution.

I think I have that right..

Either way, it's sickening that FOX is planning to air it.

I think FOX should be boycotted or flood their website with negative comments!

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by Nadia - 2006/11/16 12:54

This is pretty you know what.. It's plastered on our front page newspaper this morning.

Makes me sick!

Post edited by: Nadia, at: 2006/11/16 12:55

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by wish - 2006/11/16 15:15

OJ not only got away with murder now he gets to make money off the crime, where is the justice?

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/18 08:42

New article...

Publisher defends herself...and tells "why she did it"

http://news.yahoo.com/s/eonline/20061117/en_celeb_eo/2ce79f8b-adb0-4fc1-b7fe-238d65d0ee32

Apparently... this supposedly might be essentially a confessional... How could she turn it down ?

She also addresses the media's spin on the news frenzy..

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by grizzlys4 - 2006/11/18 22:33

Yeah, that's exactly what I'd expect her to say. After all, she wants people to buy into that so they'll buy her book!!!!

Barbara Walters said on The View that she was offered the interview first (which I believe) and she turned it down! Thank goodness some people still have honor!!

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/20 11:57

New news item.. Seems that alot of Fox affiliates are nixing the special!

Way to go! Glad to hear that most are in agreement that the whole thing just STINKS!

http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/20061120/ap_en_tv/tv_simpson_interview

Skimming over the piece.. It also mentions that some stations are worried that advertisers will pull their ads if the station airs the show..

Who would buy time in a show like that anyway? Yeah, I'd boycott any advertisers too!

Those poor kids.. Their dad is a pompous idiot! With no regard at all for them and their feelings..

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by grizzlys4 - 2006/11/20 19:06

HOOORAYYY!! Even if it DID take the old mighty dollar to make Fox rethink.....at least they're pulling the special AND apologizing!!! I'm going to attempt to post the link....never done this before so hope it works!!!

http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/20061120/ap_on_en_tv/tv_simpson_interview

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/11/20 19:18

YAY!

I heard the word came down from Murdock himself..who was siding with the public. When I posted earlier, it just seemed some affiliates were balking... Now the whole plug has been pulled on both the televised interview and the book! Or at the very minimum, the book has been put on hold.. I'm sure they've already been printed..

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by mistyblu - 2006/11/20 23:17

Yea but he got 3 mil for the book.

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Re:OJ - possible new show/special

Posted by mazzy - 2006/11/21 20:37

It's nice to know that the voice of outrage was not ignored... glad to hear that everything has been dropped.

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