

“A Standup Guy”

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Opening Narration

The year is 2034. Jason McQuade is a relentlessly hopeful standup comic for whom being funny is the most serious business. Armed with only the time tested tools of his trade—a microphone, a barstool and his formidable wit—he is about to once again take on the private injustices of life in the most public of arenas, for what will be his last and greatest performance.

Closing Narration

For Jason McQuade—the first fully sentient robot to spontaneously develop a sense of humor—the purpose of one’s life, human or otherwise, need not be limited by the manufacturer’s originally installed programming. A lesson in humanity, not coded in an operating system but learned from experience, in the Twilight Zone.