

SOAP SYNOPSIS

All My Children

Gillian's life was in danger. Greenlee gave Jake some comfort. Leslie threatened that she would kill Dixie. Erica wasn't quite sure what to make of Roger, who saw her as his newest meal ticket. It was a bitter-sweet moment when Gillian and Jake's divorce papers went through.
Next week: Ryan makes a difficult choice.

As the World Turns

Molly and Jake concluded their long journey. Simon challenged Katie. Hal and Barbara reached the end of the line. Julia's manipulative action gained Jack's attention. Emma took in new roommates. An intrigued Bryant received an invitation he couldn't refuse. A moment of truth arrived for Katie.
Next week: Determined to nail Craig, Hal tries to beat the proverbial dead horse.

The Bold and the Beautiful

Deacon tried to convince Bridget that he wasn't a nice guy, but she was still interested in him. Amber told Flick that he needs to decide if he wanted to be tied down with a wife and child for the rest of his life. Taylor was furious when she discovered Morgan was still working at Forrester. Ridge was devastated when Taylor informed him that she was leaving town.

Next week: Morgan worries about her plan.

Days of Our Lives

Marlena lashed out at Brady. Kate lost what was precious to her. A frantic Lexie begged Abe to break the law. Greta saw Sami's true colors and vowed to protect Austin. Chloe was upset when Philip refused to confide in her. Abe was stunned when he realized the police sketch looked like Mario. Shawn was worried Chloe was trying to come on to him.
Next week: John gives Marlena an ultimatum.

General Hospital

Sonny struggled with his decision to do what was best for everyone. Jason was arrested. Nikolas made an announcement that surprised his friends and family. Laura revealed the new face of Deception and some Port Charles residents didn't take the news too well. Elizabeth made a promise to Lucky.
Next week: Ned doesn't understand Chloe's need for him and Alexis to be together.

Guiding Light

Olivia was able to get the goods on Marah, which left Josh and Reva wonder-

ing about the dramatic change in their daughter's personality. Holly inadvertently complicated Ross' plan to surprise Blake. Noah was overjoyed by Reva's proposal. Richard and Edmund presented their cases before the council. Olivia's plan devastated Marah. Harley and Susan reached a new understanding. Cassie and Edmund faced off.
Next week: Michelle and Meta hatch a plan.

One Life to Live

Blair and Todd's wedding began. Todd continued with his plan for revenge. Antonio decided he had to arrest Cristian for his involvement in illegal activities. A desperate Skye turned to Adam Chandler for the truth. Ben made a stunning admission to Asa.
Next week: Max isn't happy with the recent turn of events.

Passions

Hecuba locked Miguel, Reese, Jessica and Simone in the Bennett basement and told Tabitha she would kill them all. Ethan packed his bags and decided to leave Harmony. Kay confessed that Charity was in the upstairs closet burning in the fires of hell. Luis and Sheridan made love. Grace used her powers against Ivy and caused an earthquake.
Next week: Julian informs Ivy he's filing for divorce.

Port Charles

Rhonda interfered with Karen and Frank's time together. Alison and Jamal received their first customer. Joe's life rested in

lan's hands. The Hantavirus struck Eve, who became very ill. Lucy told Kevin to get out of her house. Ian's plans to get Ben out of Port Charles went awry.
Next week: Eve's health is in danger.

The Young and the Restless

Mac stopped Billy and Brittany from taking the tainted drugs. Billy was grateful Mac saved their lives, but Brittany wasn't so sure. Ashley was disgusted when Phyllis showed up at the reception. Victor was furious when Nikki told him she was the one who switched the samples. Jill urged Keith to join with Ryan in an effort to help Tricia with her troubles. Matt turned off Jordan's ventilator.
Next week: Nick and Sharon's troubles are just beginning.

-- By Candace Havens
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TRIVIA

Judy Garland received a special juvenile Oscar in 1940 following her performance as Dorothy in *The Wizard of Oz*. She was 17 years old.

Ming-Na graduated from Carnegie Mellon University with a theater degree. She also manages an Asian boy band with her husband.

Lorna Luft tells of spending her teen years nursing her drug-addicted mother in her memoir, *Life With Judy Garland: Me and My Shadows*.



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AN INSIDE LOOK

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Melissa Gilbert stars as a photojournalist confronting her worst fears in *Sanctuary*, a CBS adaptation of Nora Roberts' best-selling thriller premiering Wednesday, Feb. 28.

Gilbert plays Jo Henderson, whose job-related stress is intensified by the onset of nightmares about her mother, who disappeared years earlier. About the same time, an unknown "friend" begins e-mailing Jo disturbingly private pictures of herself.



Melissa Gilbert, Costas Mandylor

Nearing the breaking point, Jo hopes to shake her stalker by moving to her childhood home, Sanctuary Inn, on an island off the coast of Georgia. Her doting Aunt Kate (Kathy Baker, *Picket Fences*) lovingly clucks over Jo, who rekindles romantic sparks with Nathan (Costas Mandylor, another *Picket Fences* alumnus), an acquaintance from her past.

Their romance soon is overshadowed by a series of frightening incidents that makes Jo realize she has walked right into the heart of her darkest fears by coming home.

Gilbert has had several striking successes playing women who find some inner strength in times of crisis, and Jo is no exception, she says.

"I've always admired people who overcome whatever they're afraid of," Gilbert explains. "It's something that I try to do on a regular basis.

"It would be very easy for me to just hole up in my house and not go anywhere, see anyone, or do anything - and not love and trust and make friends, because there's a chance I could get hurt. But at the end of the day, what kind of life is that? I've lived safely, but I've lived alone. Getting a chance to play women who confront their fears is a joy for me, because I think it rubs off on me."

Like any actress who enjoys tearing into a meaty part, Gilbert admits she also was excited by the story's climax, in which Jo literally has to fight for her life outdoors in the middle of the night as a hurricane rips across the island.

"It doesn't even occur to me that - and I know how this goes, trust me - this is night, rain towers and wind machines, and we're filming in late September in Toronto, when it's cold," she says dryly. "But no, no, I think, 'Hurricane till sunrise - excellent!'"

"So there I am, at 4 a.m., in a makeshift tent, running in after every take so they could strip off my freezing clothes, put me in sweats and stick hot water bottles down my clothes. I turned to an (assistant director) and asked, 'What's the temperature?' He said, 'Five.' I said, 'Five what? Five degrees?' I knew single digits could not be good. I'm sitting there drinking hot tea, shaking and thinking, 'Idiot! You should have done this when you were 26, not 36!'"

Gilbert's long night of glamorous moviemaking - "I could only do two takes before I could no longer feel my fingers!" - didn't even end the next morning when she arrived at the Toronto residence she was sharing with husband Bruce Boxleitner.

"It was 8 a.m., and I was so exhausted, I just flopped down," she says. "But the weird thing was that my muscles had been so tight from the intense cold for so long that this incredible soreness set in. I hadn't been in pain like this in years, and I literally could not get up out of a chair unless my husband helped me. Later that day, he asked what we were having for supper. I said, 'You'll have to make that phone call, because there'll be no cooking tonight for me!'"

Gilbert confronts her fear as journalist in *Sanctuary*



In *Sanctuary*, Melissa Gilbert stars as a woman who returns to her hometown to escape an e-mail stalker only to face her darkest fears in the place she used to call home. The gripping TV movie, based on a best seller by Nora Roberts, airs Wednesday on CBS.

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