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ABC NEWS STUDIOS ANNOUNCES PRIMETIME SPECIAL 'WILL REEVE: FINDING MY FATHER,' WHERE ABC NEWS' WILL REEVE RETRACES HIS FATHER AND 'SUPERMAN' ACTOR CHRISTOPHER REEVE'S LAST GREAT EXPEDITION BEFORE BECOMING PARALYZED

The One-Hour Primetime Special on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 10:02 P.M. EST on ABC, Streams Next Day on Hulu



*ABC News Studios**

ABC News announced today a primetime special, "**Will Reeve: Finding My Father**," in which ABC News correspondent **Will Reeve** takes audiences along with him on a journey he has been dreaming of making for 30 years: reliving the last great expedition his father and "Superman" actor Christopher Reeve took in 1995 just before a horse riding accident left him paralyzed with a spinal cord injury when Will was only 2 years old. Right before the accident, Christopher Reeve had been filming a documentary tracking the migration of the Pacific gray whale, traveling to a tiny Alaskan island near Siberia and a remote lagoon in Baja, Mexico. Now, Will Reeve sets out to finish the story for him in the hope of drawing closer to the man his father was before his accident.

In this primetime docu-special, which is a production of ABC News Studios in association with Cobble Hill Films, Will Reeve retraces his father's journey, returning to the places his father visited 30 years ago, and shares never-before-seen family home videos and photos of his dad at the time. Along the way, he meets the sons of two local guides who were part of his father's original expedition and their families, as well as other locals who Christopher Reeve encountered on his journey. Will Reeve also experiences the majesty of gray whales up close and hears untold stories about his dad for the first time, all while exploring the enduring bond between parents and their children and gaining a deeper connection to his father's lasting legacy.

“For most of my life, I’ve been fascinated by the idea of taking this trip, which was not only important to my father but shaped my understanding of his life before the accident,” said Will Reeve. “Walking in his footsteps — in this setting that my father was drawn to — meeting some of the same people and hearing their shared stories about my dad exceeded my expectations, and, in truth, it surprised me that I can still have new understanding of him.”

“**Will Reeve: Finding My Father**” airs **Wednesday, Feb. 26 (10:02 p.m. EST)**, on **ABC** and streams next day on [Hulu](#). The special is a production of ABC News Studios in association with Cobble Hill Films. David Sloan is senior executive producer. Jeanmarie Condon, Robin Roberts and Diane Sawyer are executive producers. Jeanmarie Condon is director.

About ABC News

ABC News is America’s No. 1 news source, providing straightforward, fact-driven journalism across broadcast, streaming, digital and audio. ABC’s award-winning programs include “Good Morning America,” “World News Tonight with David Muir,” “Nightline,” “20/20,” “This Week with George Stephanopoulos,” “GMA3: What You Need to Know,” and “The View.” Platforms include 24/7 streaming channel ABC News Live featuring “Prime with Linsey Davis,” ABC News Studios, ABC News Digital, ABC Audio, 538 and NewsOne. Based in New York City, ABC News is comprised of three U.S. bureaus and eight international bureaus, with a presence in more than 20 countries around the world.

About ABC News Studios

Winner of four 2024 News and Documentary Emmy Awards, ABC News Studios is inspired by ABC News’ trusted reporting and is an award-winning, premium news and documentary original production house and commissioning partner of series and specials. ABC News Studios champions untold and authentic stories driving the cultural zeitgeist spanning true-crime, investigations, pop culture and news-adjacent stories. ABC News Studios’ original titles include critically acclaimed documentaries “Pretty Baby: Brooke Shields,” “BRATS,” “Sound of the Police,” “The Lady Bird Diaries,” “Aftershock,” and “Patrice: The Movie.” Other popular docuseries and documentaries include “After Baywatch: Moment in the Sun,” “Betrayal: A Father’s Secret,” “Killing County,” “Wild Crime,” “Mormon No More,” “The Randall Scandal: Love, Loathing, and Vanderpump” and “Jelly Roll: Save Me.”

About Cobble Hill Films

Cobble Hill Films is a collective of seasoned and emerging journalists and filmmakers whose goal is to honor the diversity of human experience and make the world a kinder, more empathetic place.

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