



TLC Primetime Highlights: Week of August 13th (As of 7.17.12)

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Of note this week:

Specials

SAY YES TO THE DRESS: THE BIG DAY SPECIAL - KELLY - Friday, August 17st

Series premieres

UNITED BATES OF AMERICA – Monday, August 13th

The Bates family has just welcomed baby #19, which means Gil and Kelly Jo now have 10 girls and 9 boys! Follow the family as they share their love of music and family values, and watch as they manage everyday life in the hills of Tennessee doing up to 20 loads of laundry, and going through 7 gallons of milk and 9 loaves of bread a week. And while they make the country life look easy, they aren't without struggles. See how the family copes with Gil's dangerous tree-cutting business, And when Kelly Jo is hospitalized, can the family function smoothly without her?

BIG TINY – Monday, August 13th

At just 27 and 38 inches tall, primordial dwarves Bri and Brad Jordan are the world's shortest living siblings. Being small in a big world is always a challenge – but with the help of their extended average sized family and support from their college friends, Bri and Brad are living life in a big way.

Season finales

SAY YES TO THE DRESS – Friday August 17th

STRANGE SEX – Sunday August 19th

Monday, August 13th

9:00 PM ET/PT

UNITED BATES OF AMERICA #1 – LOVE TIMES 21

Gil and Kelly Jo just welcomed their 19th child into the world, but some complications send little Jeb back to the NICU. Back home, the rest of family pulls together to create a special homecoming as they plan to celebrate Valentine's Day Bate's Style.

9:30 PM ET/PT

UNITED BATES OF AMERICA #7 – PAPA BILL'S FARM

The Bates head to the farm! Gil and Kelly Jo load up the family bus and head to see Gil's parents. We'll meet Papa Bill and Mama Jane and see what they think of having 19 grandchildren!

10:00 PM ET/PT

BIG TINY #1 – TINY TUMBLERS, BIG ACHEIVEMENTS

Back home, mom Christy receives exciting news. The twins have made the Guinness book of World Records as the world's shortest siblings. The family decides to celebrate with a BBQ party and Christy wants Bri and Brad to help with the supermarket shopping. Grabbing a 5 lb bag of sugar or an ice cream container off a shelf may be easy for most people, but for these tiny siblings it's a challenge.

10:30 PM ET/PT

BIG TINY #3 – BRI AND BRAD GET PHYSICAL

Bri and Brad go to Chicago for their medical checkup, and are told they need to partake in more exercise. Sporty Brad embraces the work out, knowing he also has a crucial Karate test coming up. Meanwhile, Bri finds her own form of exercise by taking her Chihuahua Chloe for a walk – a small dog for us but a large companion for Bri. Mayhem ensues when the dog escapes and the chase is on.

Tuesday, August 14th

8:00 PM ET/PT

CRAFT WARS #8– TRICK OR TROWEL

Three skilled crafters face off in a series of spooky challenges; they must create a Halloween yard display out of garden tools. At stake is a \$10,000 grand prize. The competition is hosted by author and avid crafter, Tori Spelling.

10:00 PM ET/PT

WHAT NOT TO WEAR #17 - FRANCES

Can Stacy and Clinton help this fairy tale loving, late bloomer gain the confidence she needs to tackle both the dating scene and the professional publishing world?

Wednesday, August 15th

9:00 PM ET/PT

TODDLERS & TIARAS #20 – UNIVERSAL ROYALTY MOTOWN

Plano, Texas goes back to the days of Motown in the Universal Royalty Pageant where every contestant is vying for \$1000 cash. Mackenzie, 10, is also competing against her brother Christian, 7. Jayla, 6, is feisty and hates to practice, but is ready to wow the crowd in her Motown routine. Chloe, 3, and her grandma are new to pageants so they will need all the help they can get.

10:00PM ET/PT

HERE COMES HONEY BOO BOO #3 – SHE OOOO'D HERSELF

The big pageant is only a few weeks away so June puts her money-saving skills to the test to save for Alana's pageant fees. Alana meets with a new pageant coach and learns her hardest routine yet. Then, the whole family throws Chickadee a baby shower.

10:30PM ET/PT

HERE COMES HONEY BOO BOO #4 – I'M SASSIFIED!

The family prepares for June and Sugar Bear's anniversary. June and the girls head to the spa for a day of beauty. Then, with only two weeks till the big pageant, June discovers that Alana's pageant dress doesn't fit and they rush to have a new one made.

Thursday, August 16th

9:00 PM ET/PT

FOUR WEDDINGS #6 – ...AND A FAIRY GARDEN

Heather's garden wedding is inspired by her fairy obsession, and Leah's theme is in honor of her fiancé's Moroccan heritage. Amber's family band provides her reception entertainment, while Nadine Greek gala sparkles with fireworks.

10:00PM ET/PT

FOUR WEDDINGS #5 – ...AND A VINTAGE WARPLANE

Gladys gets serenaded at her city chic celebration, and Taylor taxis to her reception on a vintage warplane. Rayana opts for a traditional Armenian ceremony, while Lisa brings out her love of the islands with a steel drummer.

Friday, August 17th

9:00 PM ET/PT

SAY YES TO THE DRESS #17 – BLING IT ON!

Krystle wants to find the perfect dress for her wedding to Phillies baseball player Ryan Howard. Deshae is a Southern belle who's all about glitz, beads and sparkle! Later, bride Monique has arrived for her final fitting just two weeks before her wedding.

9:30 PM ET/PT

SAY YES TO THE DRESS #18 – NEW BEGINNINGS

Katie who survived a double lung transplant, is looking for the perfect dress to celebrate her new beginning. Molly is a debutante looking for a dress to signal her transition into womanhood. Christy comes for her first fitting- after losing 160 pounds!

10:00 PM ET/PT

SAY YES TO THE DRESS: THE BIG DAY SPECIAL - KELLY

No description available at this time.

Sunday, August 19th

9:00 PM ET/PT

HOARDING: BURIED ALIVE #7 – HOO, THIS REEKS!

Kathy's extreme hoarding forced her 12-year-old son to move out of their home. Fiveyears later, their relationship is at a crossroad. Now Kathy must make a drastic change or risk losing her son forever.

10:00 PM ET/PT

STRANGE SEX #4 – SLEEP ORGASMS & MAN BREASTS

Carrie Ann has always struggled to reach orgasm during sex, but once she hits the pillow and falls asleep, her body has no trouble at all. Then, Cristian was born with a condition called Gynecomastia and it has developed into a female B-cup breast size.