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A Live Action Short

<i>Running Time:</i>	30 minutes
<i>Directed By:</i>	Austin Foxx
<i>Written By:</i>	Austin Foxx
<i>Produced By:</i>	Roy Thomasson Jessica Wynn Austin Foxx
<i>Production Companies:</i>	LifeLine Entertainment Wynning Film Productions
<i>Cinematographer:</i>	Daniel Gutierrez
<i>Edited by:</i>	Thomas Burke
<i>First Assistant Director:</i>	Manuel Vargas



LOGLINE

A twelve year old boy believes he is forced to raise his two younger siblings after a family tragedy. Fearing that they would be separated and never see each other again, like the immigrant children he saw it happen to on the news.

SYNOPSIS

Mom is about William Grace a twelve year old boy, who lives with his mother Emily and his two younger siblings Alex 10 and Aurora 6. William arrives home on the last day of school, to find his mother dead of a drug overdose in her bedroom.

Fearing that the Border Patrol will come and take him and his siblings away, like he saw it happening on the news to immigrant families. He decides to hide her death and take on the role of “Mom” to keep his family together.

But the tables are quickly turned when he finds out that being the adult isn't all it is cutout to be, when juggling book club, shopping, cooking, bills and two younger kids is more than one boy can handle!



MOM'S STORY

Mom was shot in Fort Worth, Texas and stars Austin Foxx who portrays William Grace and his two younger siblings, Alex Grace and Aurora Grace are played by Tristan Riggs and Kinley Moody. Rounding off this great cast are Monica Perez as Mrs. Robinson, Amanda Erickson as Emily Grace and Tyrone Betters as Mr. Robinson.

Twelve year old Austin is making his writing and directorial debut with this short screenplay. Mom is a great story of love, family and working together to overcome tragedy. It is because of stories Austin saw on the news about families being separated, that he wanted to write this short film. It gives him an opportunity to give a kids perspective on families being torn apart, the affects that drug abuse has and what the media can do to a young child's way of thinking.





Austin Foxx as *William Grace*

At a very young age [Austin](#) did some minor modeling and acting in California. At the age of ten he started to act full time in Texas and has appeared on the Reelz Chanel's [Murder Made Me Famous](#) and will be featured in the role of Perry in Paramount Pictures' [Eli](#), being released on Netflix in 2019.



Kinley Moody as *Aurora Grace*

[Kinley](#) was born and lives in Prosper, Texas, a Dallas suburb. She has two older sisters and a dog named Abby. Kinley enjoys gymnastics, swimming, Girl Scouts and spending time with friends. She began her modeling career at age 2 and began acting at age 4 working in industrial and commercials before moving into short films. She enjoys attending acting classes and workshops.



Tristan Riggs as *Alex Grace*

[Tristan](#) was born in St. Louis, Missouri. He is an actor, known for feature films [Blood Fest](#) (2018), [The Possession II](#) (2018), [Thunder Road](#) (2018) and [Ashes](#) (2018). Tristan began his acting career in several featured television roles including Season 1 of AMC's [The Son](#) (2017), Season 3 on the HBO series [The Leftovers](#) (2014), [Social Animals](#)(2018) and [Alita: Battle Angel](#)(2019).

SCREENWRITER & DIRECTOR

Austin Foxx

[Austin Foxx](#) is the middle son of actor [Corey Foxx](#). He was born in Orange, CA in June of 2006. At a very young age he did some minor modeling and acting in California. At the age of three he moved with my family to Fort Worth, TX, where he went to school and ranked in the top 1 percent in the state for his grade level. He also enjoyed playing golf and baseball in his spare time. After hearing his dad's stories of being an actor and filmmaker in California, Austin decided to start a full time acting career at the age of ten. He started studying at Barbizon Modeling and Acting for six months and won second place in their 2017 Dallas Competition, where he was discovered by over 30 managers and agents. He made the decision to sign with Dawn Landrum of Landrum Arts LA. Upon signing with Landrum he has appeared on the Reelz Chanel's Murder Made Me Famous and will be featured in the role of Perry in Paramount Pictures' Eli, being released on Netflix in 2019. He continued developing his skills at DTV Studios with Antonia DeNardo, Cathryn Sullivan's Acting for Film and is currently working with Juilliard graduate Cathryn Hartt of Hartt & Soul Studio.

One of the things Austin enjoyed most about school was reading books and writing about them. This is what got him started writing short stories and eventually short screen plays. At the age of Twelve Austin wrote and directed his first screenplay "Mom", earning him respect and recognition from his peers in the entertainment industry.



PRODUCER, Roy Thomasson

Roy started making film in 1999 in Huntington Beach, California known for, *Godsend: The Evil Decimation* (1999), *Return to Innocence* (2001), *Hallowed* (2005) and *Amhurst* (2008). He moved his family and production company LifeLine Entertainment to Texas in 2009 and continue to make quality independent short and feature films. Contact: roythomasson147@gmail.com

PRODUCER, Jessica Hernandez Wynn

Jessica is a 29-year-old wife and mother of 3 from Killeen, TX. She has been in the independent film industry for 10 years having started as a makeup artist and moved on to becoming a producer, writer, director on various short films and music videos. Jessica is the owner and CEO of Wynning Film Productions which was founded in 2016. Contact: info@wynningfilmproductions.com

Cinematographer, Daniel Grisak

Daniel is a Cinematographer, Camera Operator, and Colorist out of Austin, TX. He has graduated from the Austin School of Film having studied Digital Filmmaking. Daniel has worked independently in the industry for about 6 years with most of his experience as a Director of Photography and Camera Operator. Contact: exclusivedanz@gmail.com





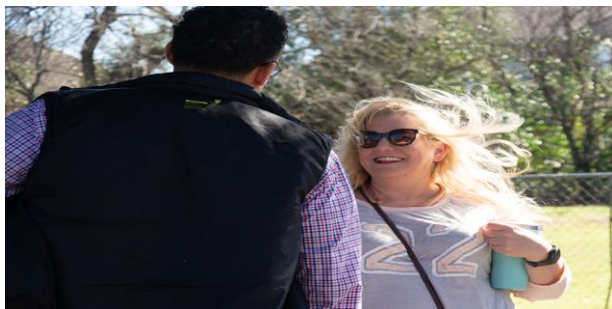
1st Assistant Director, Manuel Alejandro Vargas

Manuel was born in Mayagüez, Puerto Rico in July of 1987. A proud student of the Interamerican University of Puerto Rico, San Germán with a degree in Graphic Arts & Printing. He moved to the United States to pursue a career in filmmaking, studying at Austin Community College for film and TV production. He has worked on a number of films, features and commercials as assistant director among other crew positions. Contact: manuelvargas.pr87@gmail.com



Editor & 2nd AD, Thomas Burke

Thomas is an award winning director and editor. He works full-time for Natural News, an independent media company, focused on science based natural health advocacy. Whatever his cinematic creation, Thomas will continue to pursue his passion in the hopes to inspire others to get out and feel confident with their artistic creations. Contact: thomasjburke023@gmail.com



Casting Director, Katrina Cook

Katrina is a Casting Director and the owner of Katz Kasting based in Texas. Katrina's work is scattered across the USA. Recent projects are Pure Flix "Sons of Thunder," "Assassin 33 AD," "90 Feet from Home," "Send it!," "The Reliant," and commercials for clients such as Madden sports, American Express, UPS and Ben E Keith. Katrina has cast films for notable directors such as James Franco, Tucker Gates and Ben Browder. Contact: katz@katzkasting.com

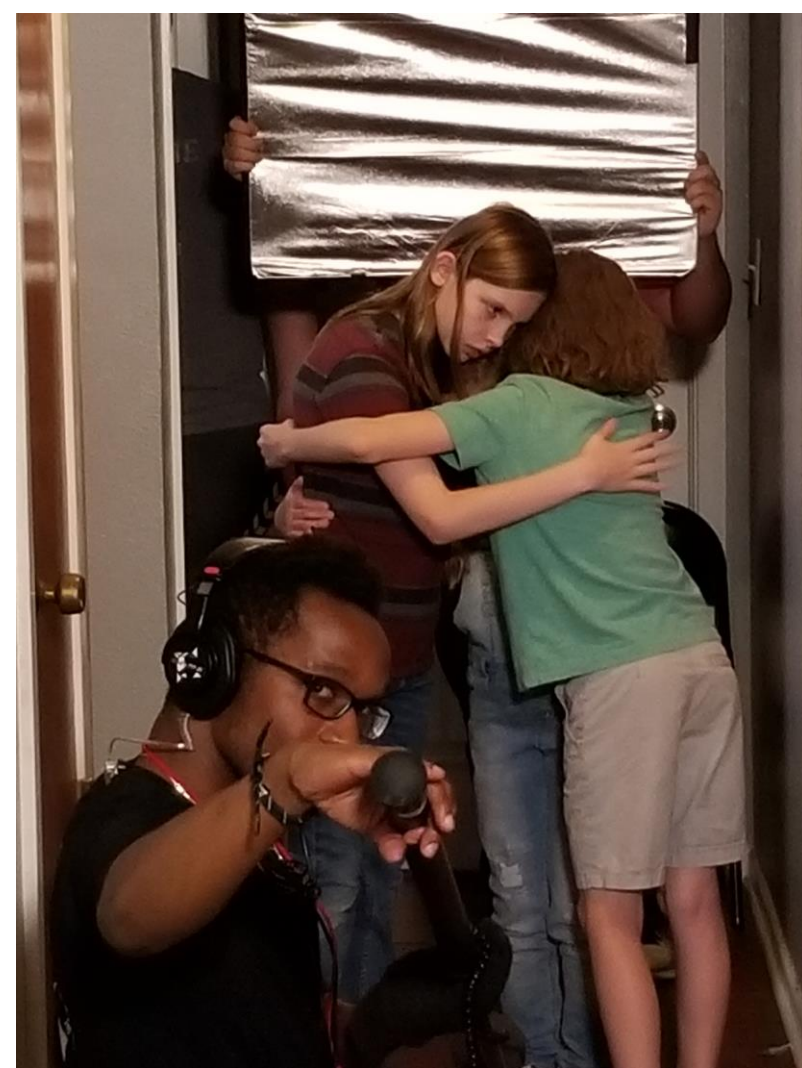
PRAISE

"I'm no expert but I think to be 12 years old, you have an amazing gift of story telling already. I was impressed with not only your awareness of the families being torn apart and the effects of drug use, but also your ability to put the reader in the mind of the child. This was a sad story that was somehow packed with hope and ambition from one very altruistic young man assuming the role as Mom. I'm not sure if this is your first script, however, I think that you should be very proud in having accomplished 29 pages of a beautiful story, and making a stranger feel emotions for characters that you created. Well done." Coverfly, The Script Lab

"Mom" takes a fresh perspective on the classic story of how kids function without parental supervision. By examining this premise from a dramatic standpoint than the typical adventure comedy, Mom offers new ideas about how children are expected to interface in the challenges of the modern world." LAISA Advanced Script Analysis

Awards:

- 2018 Los Angeles International Screenplay Awards: **Finalist**
- 2018 Script and Storyboard Showcase: **Semi Finalist**
- 2019 Austin Micro Short Film Festival: **Official Selection Best Short Script**
- 2019 Mindfield Film Festival – Albuquerque: **Official Selection**
- 2019 Mindfield Film Festival – Albuquerque: **Gold Award Winner Best Short Film**
- 2019 Content19 Film Festival: **Winner Best Project by a First Time Filmmaker**
- 2019 The Next Level International Film Festival: **Winner The Rising Star Award**



CREDITS

Directed by:
Written by:
Produced by:

Director of Photography:
Production Designer:
Editor:
Wardrobe Supervisor:
Hair & Make-up Designer:
Songs by:
First Assistant Director:
Executive Producer:
Casting Director:

CAST

William Grace
Aurora Grace
Alex Grace
Emily Grace
Mrs. Robinson
Mr. Robinson

Austin Foxx
Austin Foxx
Roy Thomasson
Jessica Wynn
Austin Foxx
Daniel Grisak
Jessica Lehtola
Thomas Burke
Summer Moore
Jannette Guzman
Maya Delgado
Manuel Vargas
Roy Thomasson
Katrina Cook

Austin Foxx
Kinley Moody
Tristan Riggs
Amanda Erickson
Monica Perez
Tyrone Betters



Production Manager:
First Assistant Director:
2nd Assistant Director:
Wardrobe Supervisor:
Script Supervisor:
Stunt Coordinator:
1st Assistant Camera:
Sound Mixer:
Boom Operator:
Drone Operator:
Key Grip:
Production Assistants:

Troy Thomasson
Manuel Alejandro Vargas
Thomas Burke
Summer Moore
Starr Rivers
Corey Cannon
Yuriy Melnyk
David Gutierrez
Benjamin Marchi-Hilton
Brandon Weber III
Christian Sanchez
Nikole Cruz
Luis Diaz
Carissa Flores
Christian Sanchez
Brian Yates
Billie Hara Sharp
Elinia Eads
Daniel Grisak
Cathryn Hartt
Jannette Guzman
Daniel Grisak



Publicist:
Gaffer:
Best Boy:
Still Photographer:
Special FX Makeup:
DIT:
Acting Coach:
Make-up and Hair Artist:
Digital Colorist: