Actor/Author Leon Acord in Conversation with actress/singer Amanda Gari about *Expletives Not Deleted* Saturday, Oct. 28 at Village Well Books, Culver City, CA

Actor/author Leon Acord will make an in-store appearance at Village Well Books in Culver City, CA, on Saturday, Oct. 28, at 5 p.m. to discuss his new collection of humorous essays *Expletives Not Deleted*.



Actress/singer **Amanda Gari**, who co-starred with Leon in the popular streaming gay sitcom **Old Dogs & New Tricks** (2011-2016, Amazon Prime), will join him in conversation about the book, now available in paperback and e-book.

Acord will also read a selection, answer questions, and sign copies of *Expletives Not Deleted* as well as his previous book, the light-hearted 2020 memoir **SUB-LEBRITY**.

"I'm a Culver City resident, and I'm really excited and honored," says Acord. "Village Well really is more than just a book store. Whenever I stop in there, the place is bustling with book lovers, coffee drinkers, folks just visiting. It's a bit of a community center as well as a bookstore and coffee shop. And it's so encouraging to see a *crowded* book store in this day and age!"

Expletives Not Deleted collects twenty-three comedic compositions on current real-life topics, including cancel culture, trans rights, precocious parents, technology, racism, closeted actors, theatre critics, and – yes – **Donald Trump**.

Midwest Book Review called it "unique, highly recommended," while Laura Moreno of *Bay Area Reporter* says, "the book, infused with humor, showcases Leon Acord's razor-sharp wit ... filled with good old-fashioned horse sense."

Village Well Books is located at 9900 Culver Boulevard in Culver City. Admission is free. For more info: visit <u>bit.ly/LAatVWLive</u> or <u>www.LeonAcord.com</u>

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Leon Acord is an actor, writer, occasional producer and recovering nicotine addict. He created, wrote, and starred as "Nathan Adler" in the hit streaming TV series *Old Dogs & New Tricks* (2011-2016, Prime Video). He has appeared in numerous film and theatrical productions, including portraying Quentin Crisp in two productions of Jeffrey Hartgraves' stage hit *Carved in Stone*, and in the West-Coast premieres of *Message to Michael*, *Last Sunday in June*, *Dreamboy*, and *Thief River* at New Conservatory Theatre Center in San Francisco. He's appeared in feature films *Some Prefer Cake*, *Final Remains*, *Hot Guys with Guns*, and *OPEN*, to name a few, and in dozens of short films, including *Deer Season*, *Foucault Who*, and *aWake*. His 2020 memoir *SUB-LEBRITY* was a five-star Amazon bestseller. He wrote his one-man show *Last Sunday in June* (1997) and co-authored the 2015 play *Setting the Record Gay*. His writings have appeared in *Back Stage*, *San Francisco Examiner*, and the journal *Human Prospect*. He lives in Culver City with husband Laurence Whiting and their cat Toby.

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