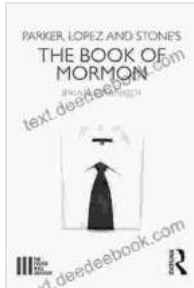


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Parker, Lopez and Stone's The Book of Mormon (The Fourth Wall) by Edward Nye

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Parker Lopez is a Tony Award-nominated actor best known for his role as Elder Cunningham in the Broadway musical *The Book of Mormon*. In the show, Lopez plays a naive and enthusiastic young missionary who is sent to Uganda to spread the word of the Mormon Church. One of the most memorable moments in the show comes when Lopez's character breaks the fourth wall and speaks directly to the audience.

In a recent interview, Lopez discussed his experience breaking the fourth wall in *The Book of Mormon*. He said that he was initially nervous about ng so, but that he eventually came to see it as a powerful way to connect with the audience.

"I think it's a really special moment," Lopez said. "It's a chance to let the audience in on the joke and to share a moment of intimacy with them. It's also a way to remind the audience that they're not just watching a show, but that they're part of the experience."

Lopez said that he believes that breaking the fourth wall can be an effective way to create a more immersive and engaging experience for the audience. He said that it can help to draw the audience into the story and to make them feel more connected to the characters.

"I think it's a really powerful tool," Lopez said. "It can be used to great effect to create a more intimate and engaging experience for the audience. It's something that I'm always excited to do when I get the chance."

The Book of Mormon is a musical satire that tells the story of two young Mormon missionaries who are sent to Uganda to spread the word of the Mormon Church. The show has been a critical and commercial success, winning nine Tony Awards, including Best Musical. Lopez has been praised for his performance as Elder Cunningham, with The New York Times calling him "a revelation."

Lopez is a rising star in the theater world. He has appeared in a number of Broadway shows, including The Book of Mormon, Wicked, and Hairspray. He has also starred in several films and television shows. Lopez is a talented actor with a bright future ahead of him.

The Fourth Wall

The fourth wall is an imaginary wall that separates the audience from the action of a play. It is a convention that has been used in theater for

centuries to create a sense of reality and to allow the audience to focus on the story. However, there have been many instances in which playwrights have broken the fourth wall, often to great effect.

Some of the most famous examples of fourth-wall breaking include:

- In Shakespeare's Hamlet, the title character delivers a famous soliloquy in which he addresses the audience directly.
- In Tom Stoppard's Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead, the two title characters often speak directly to the audience, commenting on the action of the play.
- In Jean-Luc Godard's film Breathless, the main character often breaks the fourth wall to address the audience directly.

Breaking the fourth wall can be a powerful way to create a more intimate and engaging experience for the audience. It can help to draw the audience into the story and to make them feel more connected to the characters. However, it is important to use this technique sparingly, as it can become distracting if it is overused.

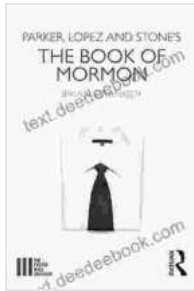
Parker Lopez's use of the fourth wall in The Book of Mormon is a perfect example of how this technique can be used to great effect. His performance is both funny and moving, and it helps to create a truly immersive and engaging experience for the audience.

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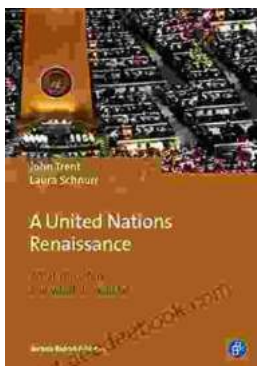


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