

EST/LA, located at Atwater Village Theatre, acknowledges our presence on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded homelands of the Tongva, Chumash, and Kizh people, who resided here and stewarded this land before the city of Los Angeles was formed, and are still living here among us today.



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### CAST

KIKI. . . . . Rain Valdez<sup>+</sup>  
 FRED. . . . . Keston John  
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 PARROT. . . . . Caitlin Gallogly\*<sup>+</sup>  
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 TURGA. . . . . Sharon Freedman\*<sup>+</sup>  
 ROSCOE. . . . . Ray Xifo\*<sup>+</sup>

### SETTING

A suburban living room in America

### TIME

The present

**There will be a 10-minute intermission**

- \* EST/LA Member or Associate Member EST/LA
- + Proud member of Actors Equity Association
- NW NewWest Member
- IP Ignite Project Member
- PU Playwrights Unit Member



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## Special Thanks

Special thanks to Natalie Nicole Dressel, Niomi Dylan Sass, and Eve Sigall.

## About the Playwright

**Stephen Dierkes** is member of the Ensemble Studio Theatre/Los Angeles (also moderator of its Playwrights Unit) and member of the Dramatists' Guild. Productions in London, New York, Los Angeles, St. Louis, Milwaukee, Spokane, Minneapolis, Cleveland, and San Miguel de Allende, Mexico. His *Prisoners of the Caucasus* was long-listed for the Neem Prize by Vibrating Body Theatre, St. Petersburg, Russia.

