

BIOGRAPHY



ELAINE HENDRIX

Contestant on ABC's "Dancing with the Stars"

An icon to generations, she is beloved for her unforgettable roles in Disney's "The Parent Trap," SNL's "Superstar," and the cult classic "Romy & Michele's High School Reunion." She also dazzled as the legendary Alexis Carrington in The CW's hit "Dynasty" reboot and frequently collaborates with Denis Leary in projects like FX's "Sex & Drugs & Rock & Roll," Universal's "Erase," and FOX's Super Bowl campaign "Dogs Playing Poker."

Her work includes fan-favorite TV shows ("Friends," "Two and a Half Men," "CSI," "Criminal Minds," "NCIS: Los Angeles," "Transparent"), acclaimed films ("Adopt a Highway" with Ethan Hawke, SXSW Jury Award winner "Slanted"), and she recently reunited with Lindsay Lohan for a cameo in Disney's smash hit "Freakier Friday." On stage, she has starred in "Designing Women," "Steel Magnolias" and "A Streetcar Named Desire," is currently co-producing the buzzworthy off-Broadway sensation "Ginger Twinsies," and will soon headline as Dolly Levi in OFC Creations Theatre Center's 2026 production of "Hello, Dolly!"

Beyond entertainment, Hendrix is an award-winning activist, educator, and author, known for her lifelong advocacy for animal rights, LGBTQ+ equality, women's rights and environmental justice. Her cultural imprint runs deep: She embodied fan-favorite villain Alex Wesker in the "Resident Evil" franchise, became four collectible Happy Meal toys as G2 in "Inspector Gadget 2," and was even immortalized as a clue on "Jeopardy!"

An East Tennessee native, Hendrix currently lives in Atlanta, Georgia, with her six beloved rescue companions: canines Huckleberry, VinnieAmo, Wally and Carly, and felines Lou and Lollie.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

HOMETOWN: American Fork, Utah

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