# JOKING ENVELOPE presents BILL CORBETT'S "SUPER-POWERED REVENGE CHRISTMAS #1"

# WHAT:

Joseph Scrimshaw's production company, Joking Envelope, presents Bill Corbett's new holiday show, "Super-Powered Revenge Christmas #1". In a dive bar on Christmas Eve, a disgruntled comic book writer fights with his collaborator (and ex-girlfriend) about his grand vision: a giant comic book reboot of Christmas. Thrill to tales of a brooding Santa! Shudder at the untold might of George Bailey! Question the relevance of Frostina the Snow-woman! Playwright and comedian, Bill Corbett (of Rifftrax and Mystery Science Theater 3000 fame) tackles the age old question that plagues both comic books and the holidays: "Does this all make sense? I mean, really?" This December, it's on like ret-con.

# WHO:

Written and directed by Bill Corbett

Starring Emily Gunyou Halaas\*, Mo Perry, Joseph Scrimshaw, Matt Erkel and John Middleton (\*member of Actor's Equity Association)

# WHERE:

The Minneapolis Theater Garage

711 W Franklin Ave in South Minneapolis

(Parking is available in a small lot directly in front of the theater or in the several residential blocks around the theater.)

#### WHEN:

Three weekends only!

Thurs, Dec 2 @ 7:30 PM (preview); Fri, Dec 3 @ 7:30 PM (preview)

Sat, Dec 4 @ 7:30 PM (opening w/ free reception)

Mon, Dec 6 @ 7:30 PM (Pay-What-You-Can Night)

Thurs, Dec 9 @ 7:30 PM; Fri, Dec 10 @ 7:30 PM; Sat, Dec 11 @ 7:30 PM

Thurs, Dec 16 @ 7:30 PM; Fri, Dec 17 @ 7:30 PM; Sat, Dec 18 @ 7:30 PM (Closing)

# **HOW MUCH:**

\$20 regular admission

\$2 off for Fringe Button holders/students/seniors

\$5 off if you bring a 2010 CONvergence badge or any CONvergence merchandise

\$15 tix for previews on Dec 2 and Dec 3.

For more and info and reservations call 612-280-9210

Or buy tickets online at <a href="http://jokingenvelope.com/live">http://jokingenvelope.com/live</a>

# WHAT ELSE?

Super-Powered Revenge Christmas #1 will be our prime time event at the Theatre Garage in December, but we'll also be hosting other shows and events including an opening night party, the popular musical group The Dregs, a Rockstar Storytellers show and Green T Productions' Pinocchio-Chan. Super Powered Revenge Christmas #1 is sponsored by Convergence Events, Inc. For more information on the organization visit <a href="http://www.convergenceevents.org">http://www.convergenceevents.org</a>

# PREVIOUS PRAISE FOR JOKING ENVELOPE:

"The Cirque Du Soleil of local comedy" -- The Onion

"Rife with sidesplitting moments...complexly written characters...Joking Envelope is off to an exceptional start" -The Examiner