

## Wallace E. "Wally" Wingert (born

May 6, 1961) is an [American actor](#) and [voice actor](#)<sup>[1]</sup>



Born in Des Moines, Iowa and reared in the Great Plains of South Dakota, Wally developed a love for performing at an early age. From elementary school through High School, he kept busy writing, perfecting impersonations and developing a repertoire of [characters](#) and voices. Wally's childhood puppeteering experience helped land him an episodic role on CBS-TV's "[Murphy Brown](#)" in mid 1993. His performance as the irrepressible Kelbo was one of the most-seen "Murphy Brown" clips ever. All that time spent studying the Muppets' characteristics, movements and voices during his childhood resulted in him landing a much-coveted SAG (Screen Actor's Guild) union card. At the start of 1994, Wally was hired by Universal Studios Hollywood to portray [Beetlejuice](#) in the live stage-show Beetlejuice's Graveyard Revue," a job he enjoyed for four years. It was about this time that Wally got voice-work in such films as "Batman and Robin," TV shows like "The Fresh Prince," and animated shows like Nickelodeon's "Angry Beavers." Today, his body of work has become so vast he's considered one of the top talents in the voice-over industry.

With appearances on shows like "Family Guy," "King of the Hill," "The Simpsons," "Invader Zim," "The Garfield Show," "Avengers: Earth's Mightiest Heroes," "Bleach," "Tiger and Bunny," "Scooby Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed," "Astro Boy," "Harvey Birdman: Attorney at Law," "Rugrats," "Transformers; Robots in Disguise," and many other TV shows, movies and videogames, his vocal and acting abilities are constantly in demand.

At the beginning of 2000 Wally started a three year engagement as the voice of PAX-TV, a family-friendly TV network. In the fall of 2009 he was hired as the show voice for the experimental "Jay Leno Show," seen five nights a week on NBC. When Leno was placed back in control of "The Tonight Show" in the spring of 2010, Wally went along with him and became only the seventh full-time voice of "The Tonight Show" in the show's long history. To this day he's the only "Tonight Show" voice to perform the job exclusively in a voice-over capacity. His on-camera TV appearances include "[Just Shoot Me](#)," "[The Martin Short Show](#)," "[The E! True Hollywood Story](#)," "[Vicki!](#)," and an appearance on NBC-TV's "Saved By The Bell; The New Class" as "[Daffy Don Lewis](#)." In film, he's appeared in "[The Bogus Witch Project](#)," "[Crime And Passion](#)," "[Brotha'Hood](#)," and he put in a critically acclaimed performance as Jesus Christ in the award-winning short "[Art Of The Deal](#)."

He the voice of [Jon Arbuckle](#) in [The Garfield Show](#). He is also known for his role as one of the The Almighty Tallest in [Invader Zim](#) (along with [Kevin McDonald](#)), [Henry Pym](#) from [The Avengers: Earth's Mightiest Heroes](#) and the [Riddler](#) from [Batman: Arkham Asylum](#) and [Batman: Arkham City](#).

In his off-time he loves to spend time stargazing in the beautiful desert nights of Palm Springs, California