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## Did I Really Say That???

*Tanenbaum hosts a night of comedy featuring pitfalls of communication at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Tanenbaum Takes a Night Off Comedy Show at Comic Strip Live on October 3<sup>rd</sup>!*

**New York, NY, September 16, 2019:** Tanenbaum | Center for Interreligious Understanding hosts its 4th Annual *Tanenbaum Takes a Night off* at the Comic Strip Live on October 3, 2019 at 7:00 P.M.

"The show features some of our best comedians talking about things we all can laugh about," notes Mike Rakosi, performer, producer, and one-of-a-kind host of the night's raucous activity. "I love doing this show because it presents comedy at its best--belly deep laughs for a great cause." Rakosi will be joined by Comic Strip Live regulars including Regina DeCicco, Tanenbaum Board Member and comedienne extraordinaire, Holly H. Weiss, DF Sweedler, Sasha Srbulj and Greg Radin.

The show is a benefit that support's Tanenbaum's systematic approaches to dismantling religious injustice, hatred, and bigotry. Whether at the doctor's office, work, schools, or in conflict areas around the world, Tanenbaum works to build a more inclusive and respectful world--notwithstanding our frequent miscommunications!

This year's show is going to take a swipe at how we communicate including communication mishaps and the importance of struggling to get it right. Whether it's a lovers' spat, a generation gap, or a misguided Facebook post—communication failures are everywhere. And sometimes, all you can do is laugh! In keeping with the theme, comedians will share their takes on saying the wrong thing at the wrong time--and looking at the consequences!

Comic Strip Live is located at 1568 2nd Ave in Manhattan, between 81st and 82nd street; closest subway stop is the 86th street Q/R station. Tickets -- starting at a discounted young professionals' price of just \$65.00 -- are available for presale [here](#) and will be available at the door, on a first come, first serve basis.

Press are welcome. For media inquiries please contact Tanenbaum's Communications Manager, Dasha Tanner, at [dtanner@tanenbaum.org](mailto:dtanner@tanenbaum.org). For additional ticketing and sponsorship information please contact Folashade Kornegay, at [fkornegay@tanenbaum.org](mailto:fkornegay@tanenbaum.org).

*Tanenbaum is a secular, non-sectarian nonprofit that systematically dismantles religious violence and hatred through Peacemakers in armed conflicts and by tackling religious bullying of students, harassment in workplaces and disparate health treatment for people based on their beliefs. More information about Tanenbaum's offerings can be found here: <https://tanenbaum.org/>*

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