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Combat Comics Take on the Western Hemisphere

Comedians brought laughter to U.S. troops stationed overseas.

Washington, D.C. (December 3, 2011) – [Armed Forces Entertainment](#) sent comedians Debbie Prayer, Kirk McHenry Richard Villa and Lauren Bishop to entertain the troops in Puerto Rico, AUTEK, Honduras and Curacao. The comics performed stand-up, signed autographs, posed for pictures and extended their gratitude to the men and women in uniform.

Prayer honed her writing skills with *Desperate Housewives* creator Marc Cherry and co-executive producers Joey Murphy and John Pardee. She has been published in Los Angeles' *Atomica* magazine, is a fill-in sidekick for Dennis Hensley on his Sirius *Out Q* radio show and makes appearances on paper in Dennis Hensley's *Misadventures in the 213* and Del Shore's novel *Sordid Lives*. McHenry has opened for such stars as Paul Mooney, Bobby Slayton, Tommy Davidson, D.C. Curry, Joe Torry and has been recognized as one of the top ten comics in the Bay Area. Villa has made television appearances on Mun2's *Loco Comedy Jam*, HBO Latino and Los Angeles-based LATV. He has also turned his talent to animation by writing and doing voiceovers for MTV's Latin animated series *Chico y Guapo*. Bishop can be regularly seen at the Chicago Improv and Zanies, and has performed at Gotham Comedy Club in New York. She also is part of the popular comedy group Blerds and is an accomplished stage actress, having worked with Second City and Chicago Shakespeare Theatre.

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