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Annotated Bibliography
Topic: The Perceptions of Christians in Entertainment

My Question:

Can Christians work in the Entertainment Industry?

I found Four Articles discussing if christian should be able to work in the Entertainment Industry listed and explained below.

Source 1:

Wolff, Richard. The Church on TV : Portrayals of Priests, Pastors and Nuns on American Television Series. Continuum, 2010. EBSCOhost, search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=nlebk&AN=344097&site=ehost-live.
Vancouver/ICMJE

This Article discusses the portrayals of Priests, Pastors and Nuns on American Television. It talks about the pros and cons of being in the media as a christian, the misconceptions and reasonings to why people perceive christian the way we do today in the media. Each chapter breaks down a topic regarding the issue and the historical reasoning behind it. The Primary focus of this article particularly focuses on conceptions of evangelicals and the church. Not really for Media and movies, but how media is used to preach and share the message of christ.

Source 2:

Sorensen, Sue. Collar, The : Reading Christian Ministry in Fiction, Television, and Film, The Lutterworth Press, 2011. ProQuest Ebook Central, <https://ebookcentral.proquest.com/lib/nyack-ebooks/detail.action?docID=3328748>.

This Book/Article I found talks about the appearance of christians in film and literature and ministry. Particularly the Catholic collar ministers or preachers wear. It is popularly used in movies of all types and books to portray that someone is of a christian or catholic faith. This is a horrible misconception in my opinion because not every christian or catholic always dresses like that. In addition just because someone dresses like that does not mean they have faith. This Book goes into depth regarding ministry and how it is viewed in literature and film also.

Source 3:

Given Christi, "Being a Light in The Entertainment Industry, Projectinspired, Beauty and Fashion, <https://www.projectinspired.com/being-a-light-in-the-entertainment-industry>

This Article talks about a former Trinity broadcasting network cast and current christian song writer in the entertainment industry. It Shares her experiences of being a christian in the entertainment industry and how to be a light. She listed examples of habits she had practiced to help her to remain true to who she is, and not conform. She also talks about how her platform in the media has helped change the lives of others in entertainment.

Source 4:

Klett Marianne Leah, " Here's Why Christians Should Engage with Hollywood, According to Industry Expert", Liberty University, 2018, Oct, 19

<https://www.christianpost.com/sponsored/heres-why-christians-should-engage-with-hollywood-according-to-industry-expert.html>

This Article discusses how christians should engage in entertainment. By doing so it will help break the stereotypes and influence the media in a positive way. It also helps others who may not have faith recognize what's different about you and admire, respect and learn more about it.

