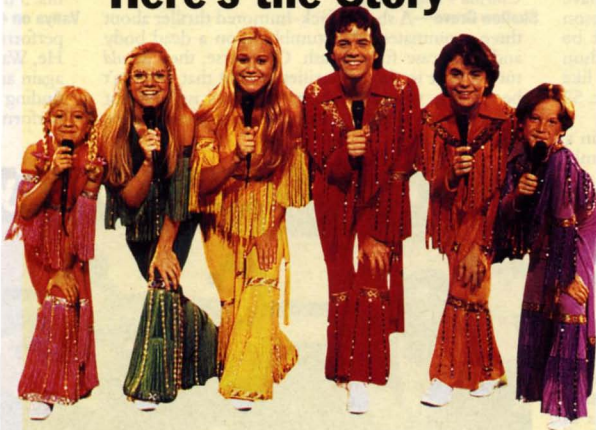


Preview

Here's the Story



Many decades ago, TV was perceived as a threat to the very existence of movies. But now it serves as an endless source of nostalgia-ready prefab story lines, a minor league that sends shows like *The Brady Bunch* (opening February 17), *Star Trek—Generations*, and *The Fugitive* to the majors. Below is the latest batch on deck.

Movie

Prospects

1. *Mighty Morphin Power Rangers: The Movie*
(July '95)

They laughed at those Ninja Turtles too. But every kid under 10 already wants to see it.

2. *Sgt. Bilko*
(July '95)

Steve Martin can step into Phil Silvers's shoes. But no one under 40 years old has even heard of the show, much less seen it. Needs a Nick at Nite tie-in, soon.

3. *Mission: Impossible*
(November '95)

Tom Cruise's first franchise (akin to the James Bond or Jack Ryan series). It'll make jillions.

4. *The Saint*
(December '95)

Ralph Fiennes would have been perfect. Not a sure thing, and the as-yet-undetermined lead will determine its fate.

5. *The Honeymooners*
(In preproduction)

The cast could never measure up. Doomed.