THE ART & CRAFT OF COMEDY

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"The Art & Craft of Comedy" is a 7 (yes, 7; that is, "Seven"; or, to put it another way, "INII") -hour presentation about fishing.

Wait, no, that can't be right. Let me just check...

Comedy. That's what I meant to say – comedy. In four parts; to wit (one hopes)...



Comedy's rules, philosophy, psychology and biology. Plus comedy vs. logic, comedy vs. drama and the secret life of jokes. (3 hours)



The surprising similarities between two very different genres. (1 hour)



He got laughs and gasps. He was no philosopher but that doesn't mean he had no philosophy. A deep dive into The Great Stone Face. (1 hour)



Maher, Oliver, Bee, Noah, Colbert, Meyers, Kimmel; this is the Golden Age of political satire.

But does it matter? (90 min.)

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