

HollywoodChicago.com Hookup: 50 'A Serious Man' Chicago Passes to New Joel, Ethan Coen Film

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CHICAGO – In our latest *comedy/drama* edition of [HollywoodChicago.com Hookup: Film](#) [8], we have **50 admit-two passes** up for grabs to the Chicago screening of the highly anticipated new film “A Serious Man” from Oscar-winning directors Joel and Ethan Coen!

Joel Coen and Ethan Coen are the creators of “Raising Arizona,” “Fargo,” “The Big Lebowski,” “O Brother, Where Art Thou?,” “No Country for Old Men” and “Burn After Reading”. “A Serious Man” stars Michael Stuhlbarg, Richard Kind, Fred Melamed, Sari Lennick, Aaron Wolff, Jessica McManus, Peter Breitmayer and Alan Mandell.

To win your free pass to the Chicago screening of “A Serious Man” courtesy of HollywoodChicago.com, all you need to do is answer our question below. That’s it! This screening will be held on **Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2009** at **6:30 p.m.** in **downtown Chicago**. Directions to enter this Hookup and immediately win can be found beneath the graphic below.



FOCUS FEATURES PRESENTS IN ASSOCIATION WITH STUDIOCANAL AND RELATIVITY MEDIA A WORKING TITLE PRODUCTION
"A SERIOUS MAN" MICHAEL STUHLBARG RICHARD KIND CASTING BY ELLEN CHENOWETH RACHEL TENNER MUSIC BY CARTER BURWELL
COSTUME DESIGNER MARY ZOPHRES PRODUCTION DESIGNER JESS GONCHOR EDITED BY RODERICK JAYNES DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY ROGER DEAKINS, ASC, BSC
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"A Serious Man" from Joel and Ethan Coen stars Michael Stuhlbarg.

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Here is the "A Serious Man" plot description:

“A Serious Man” is the story of an ordinary man’s search for clarity in a universe where Jefferson Airplane is on the radio and “F Troop” is on TV.

It is 1967 and Larry Gopnik (Tony Award nominee Michael Stuhlbarg) – a physics professor at a quiet Midwestern university – has just been informed by his wife, Judith (Sari Lennick), that she is leaving him. She has fallen in love with one of his more pompous acquaintances, Sy Ableman (Fred Melamed), who seems to her a more substantial person than the feckless Larry.

Larry’s unemployable brother, Arthur (Richard Kind), is sleeping on the couch. His son, Danny (Aaron Wolff), is a discipline problem and a shirker at Hebrew school. His daughter, Sarah (Jessica McManus), is filching money from his wallet in order to save up for a nose job.

While his wife and Sy Ableman blithely make new domestic arrangements and his brother becomes more and more of a burden, an anonymous hostile letter writer is trying to sabotage Larry’s chances for tenure at the university. Also, a graduate student seems to be trying to bribe him for a passing grade while at the same time threatening to sue him for defamation.

Plus, the beautiful woman next door torments him by sunbathing nude. Struggling for equilibrium, Larry seeks advice from three different rabbis. Can anyone help him cope with his afflictions and become a righteous person? A mensch? A serious man?

The “A Serious Man” movie trailer can be watched now below.

To secure your free tickets now, make sure you’re logged into your HollywoodChicago.com account. If you don’t yet have one, you can quickly [register here](#) [14]. **Having an account with a valid e-mail address is required.** Then, simply add a new comment in the form below. In your comment, include an answer to this question:

What makes a good person a good person?

Like all Hookups here, this [HollywoodChicago.com Hookup](#) [8] is simple: Just submit your comment below and we will award 50 people randomly via e-mail for our “A Serious Man” Hookup. Winners needs to arrive early as seats are consumed on a first-come, first-served basis. Good luck!



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