

WHERE'D THEY GO?
(a skit about following)
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Cast:

Several on-lookers, one of which remains with the chef
a Chef

You could set the stage as a TV show, cooking classroom, etc., or just have an empty stage with the onlookers gathered as they await the famous chef.

Onlookers gather on stage eagerly awaiting the final showing of the chef's creation....

(They can have multiple lines or you can have each onlooker say one line.)

"I can hardly wait" (Have the remaining onlooker say this line.)

"It's going to be beautiful"

"It's going to taste wonderful"

"I'm so hungry"

"My mouth is watering just thinking about it"

"I've heard it's to die for"

(add lines as desired)

The Chef enters with a covered dish, sets it on the table, and uncovers it with a "wa-la! My newest creation!"

One of the onlookers picks it up and takes it away. "Wonderful! Everyone follow me for a tasty treat!" ...All but one follow. Leaving the area while saying... "Oh yeah!" "Mmmmm, smell that goodness" "This is what I've been waiting for" "It's just as beautiful as I'd imagined it would be." "I want a really big piece." (Distribute and add lines as desired.)

Chef – What happened? Where'd they all go?

Remaining onlooker – "I guess they like what you made more than they like you."

Chef – "Why are you still here?"

Remaining onlooker – "I'm sure that your creation is wonderful, but as the creator, it is you I'd like to get to know. Can I spend some time watching you work?"

Chef – "I'd be honored." (Puts a hand on the remaining onlookers shoulder as they walk offstage) "Let's go spend some time together in the kitchen. I've got something in the oven I'd love to show you."

Remaining onlooker – "I'd really like that! Thank you."