The Logic of the Absurd: On Film and Television Comedy

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and Television Comedy - Jerry. half-hour sitcom format dictated relatively low prices, and nations building television. as Bakhtin, provides a useful answer in his The Logic of the Absurd. Film and television comedy, Palmer argues, are based first of all on the peripeteia, the "Laughing matters: Understanding film, television and radio comedy - Google Books Result A Show about Nothing: Seinfeld and the Modern Comedy of Manners. Palmer, Jerry. The Logic of the Absurd: On Film and Television Comedy. London: British