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LaKesha Glover

Actress. Producer. Educator. Entrepreneur.

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Official Bio

LaKesha Glover is a New Orleans based actress, filmmaker, educator, and entrepreneur whose work moves between worlds without apology. A Memphis native and Dillard University graduate, she holds a B.A. in Speech Communication and Theatre Arts and an M.B.A. in Marketing, a combination that reflects exactly how she operates: with creative authority and business precision.

After spending more than a decade in Los Angeles, largely working in education with the Watts Willowbrook Boys and Girls Club, LaKesha made a deliberate decision to return to the stage and the screen. That decision has defined the past decade of her life and career. Since returning to performing in 2015, she has appeared in more than 14 theatrical productions and built a body of film and television work that spans Disney+, Amazon Prime, Peacock, and OWN. Her stage credits include Ruby in *Seven Guitars* at the St. Louis Black Repertory Theater, Mom in *Dontrell Who Kissed the Sea* at both the Nebraska Repertory and the St. Louis Black Rep, and most recently, Leona in *Small Craft Warnings* with the Tennessee Williams Theater Company of New Orleans. The 2026 revival marked a full circle moment: the same role, the same city, and the same stage where she first began her theater journey a decade prior.

LaKesha is the founder and executive producer of Tootsie Productions, a New Orleans based production company named in honor of her grandmother and dedicated to telling bold, human stories. Under Tootsie Productions, she is the creator and executive producer of *Rosebud*, an original drama series set in New Orleans that follows Rose as she searches for the father she has never met and finds herself on a path toward self healing. She is also co-host of the podcast *Holla at Ya*, a real, funny, and unfiltered conversation between a man and a woman built around the identity *No Strangers Here*.

Beyond performance and production, LaKesha leads the Gifted and Talented Theater program at ReNEW/Firstline Schools in New Orleans, where she brings the same intentionality and emotional intelligence she brings to every creative endeavor. She is also the founder of *Be Bold Brave and Eliminate LLC*, a women's empowerment brand built around planners, tools, and the ethos that has guided her life: *Be Bold. Be Brave. Eliminate.*

LaKesha Glover is not waiting for a door to open. She is building the room.

Short Bio

For social media, event programs, podcast introductions, and digital press

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OWN, and performed on stages from New Orleans to St. Louis to Nebraska. She is the founder and executive producer of Tootsie Productions and the creator of Rosebud, an original drama series set in New Orleans. She teaches Gifted and Talented Theater at ReNEW/Firstline Schools and co-hosts the podcast Holla at Ya. LaKesha moves through the world with one clear conviction: Be Bold. Be Brave. Eliminate.

One Line Bio

LaKesha Glover is a New Orleans actress, filmmaker, educator, and creator of Rosebud, telling bold stories on every stage available to her.

Suggested Story Angles for Editors

The Full Circle Story

Returning to the same stage, the same role, ten years later. What does it mean to complete a chapter and begin the next?

Building on Your Own Terms

How a woman with an M.B.A. and a theater degree built a production company, an empowerment brand, and a teaching practice all at once, and why that combination makes sense.

New Orleans as a Creative Ecosystem

LaKesha as a lens into what it means to make original work in New Orleans, away from the Hollywood machine.

Rosebud and the New Orleans Story

A look at Rosebud and what it means to create an original series rooted in the city you live in, for the people who belong to it.

The Educator Artist

What happens when a working actress also teaches Gifted and Talented Theater in New Orleans public schools? What does she bring to both rooms?

Select Credits

Television: Leverage: Redemption (Amazon), Secrets of Sulphur Springs (Disney+), Killing It (Peacock), Saturdays Pilot (Disney), Queen Sugar (OWN)

Film: Last Hand, Emergency Contact, Gravity, The Channel, Regret, Madonna House, The Adulterer, The Johnny Starr Story

Theater: Small Craft Warnings (TN Williams Theater Co.), Dontrell Who Kissed the Sea (St. Louis Rep / Nebraska Rep), Seven Guitars (St. Louis Black Rep), All the Way (Southern Rep), Mother Courage and Her Children (Southern Rep), Father Comes Home from the Wars (Southern Rep)

Producer: Rosebud (Original TV Pilot), Tootsie Productions

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