


RUBIN KENNETH BARKSDALE

Actor | Singer | Model | Dancer | Host

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 **Age: 24**

 **Height: 5'9" |  Weight: 144 lbs**

 **Eye Color: Brown |  Hair Color: Black**

CURRENT ROLE

**Host & Founder – *The Rubin B Variety Show*
*The Number One Talent Show Since the Apollo***

FILM & TELEVISION

- **CFA Supply Training Production – *Jamal* (Chick-fil-A Internal Training Video, May 2025)**
 - **Georgia HOPE Jingle & Scholarship – Arts Bridge Foundation (GSU TV & YouTube)**
 - **Chick-fil-A Fellow – Testimonial Feature (Chick-fil-A Webpage)**
 - **Georgia High School Musical Theater Awards – Red Carpet Host (Georgia Public Broadcasting)**
 - **Shuler Hensley Awards – Presenter (GSU TV)**
 - **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks – Congregation Member (OWN Network)**
 - **Greenleaf – Triumph Church Office Assistant (OWN Network)**
 - **Being Mary Jane – Club Scene Extra (BET)**
 - **Keeping Up With the Jones – *Larry* (BAAM Productions)**
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ADDITIONAL PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

- **Host – Jimmy Jones Food Truck Tour (Atlanta, GA – March 29 & 30, 2025)**
- **Speaker – Cam Newton Foundation Youth Day**
- **Motivational Speaker – Holy Zion Center of Deliverance Church**
- **Pillar Speaker – Morehouse College "Welcome to the House" (King Chapel)**
- **Tour Speaker – "Get on the Bus" Tour (Paul E. Robeson & Westinghouse High Schools)**
- **Spoken Word Artist – HBCU Morehouse College**

- Halftime Performer – Atlanta Hawks Game (Atlanta, GA)
 - Vocal Performer & Presenter – Million Man March (Ballou High School, Washington D.C.)
 - Vocal Performer – Shuler Hensley Awards (Cobb Energy Center, Atlanta, GA)
 - Runway Model – ATL Fashion Week, NY Fashion Week, Indie Fashion Show
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AWARDS & HONORS

- Best Leading Actor Award – *DreamGirls* (Shuler Hensley Georgia High School Musical Theater Awards)
 - Nominee – National High School Musical Theater Awards (The Jimmies, NYC)
 - Semi-Finalist – August Wilson Monologue Competition
 - Broadway Dreams New York Showcase – Selected Among 200+ Participants
 - Benjamin E. Mays Scholarship – Morehouse College
 - Chick-fil-A Fellows – Top Servant Leaders of the Nation
 - Oprah Winfrey New Century Scholarship – Morehouse College
 - Ray Charles Scholarship – Morehouse College
 - Georgia HOPE Scholarship
 - Morehouse College Talent Grant
 - Class Songwriter Award (2015) – Tri-Cities High School
 - Tri-Cities High School Drama Award – Rising Star
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TRAINING

Acting

- AGI Entertainment – Natasha & Craig Garcia
- Morehouse & Spelman College Theater Performance
- Tri-Cities High School Performing Arts – Robert Connor, Danye Brown, Tom Jones, Hilda Willis
- SBC Performing Arts – Janice Williams, Myra Brown
- Bridging the Gap – Charmin Lee

Dance

- AGI Entertainment
- Tri-Cities High School Performing Arts – Dawn Axam

Modeling

- The Lab by Murph (LA & ATL)

- **Burghalie Academy by Rashad**
- **Paula Whittle Walk Intensive (ATL Fashion Week Founder)**
- **Indie Fashion Walk Intensive by Dashawn**

Vocal

- **AGI Entertainment – Brandin Jay**
- **Jan Smith Studios – Michelle Lynn**
- **Marvin Morris, Renee Clark, Kelvin Manson**
- **David Morrow – Morehouse College Glee Club**
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