

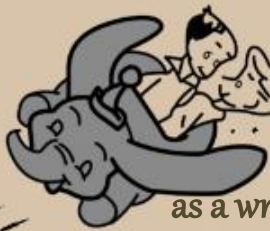


In Celebration of Disneyland's
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Be Our Guest is Proud to announce
Guest of Honor
Floyd Norman



Floyd E. Norman, Animator, Screenwriter, Artist & Disney Legend. Floyd is an American animator who worked on the Walt Disney animated features *Sleeping Beauty*, *The Sword in the Stone*, and *The Jungle Book*, along with various animated short projects at Disney in the late '50s and early '60s. Floyd had his start as an assistant to comic book artist Bill Woggon, who lived in the Santa Barbara area that he grew up in.

After Walt Disney's death in 1966 Floyd left Disney Studios to co-found the AfroKids animation studio with business partner animator/director Leo Sullivan. Norman and Sullivan worked together on various projects such as the original *Hey! Hey! Hey! It's Fat Albert* television special which aired in 1969 on NBC (not to be confused with the later Fat Albert series made by Filmation Associates).

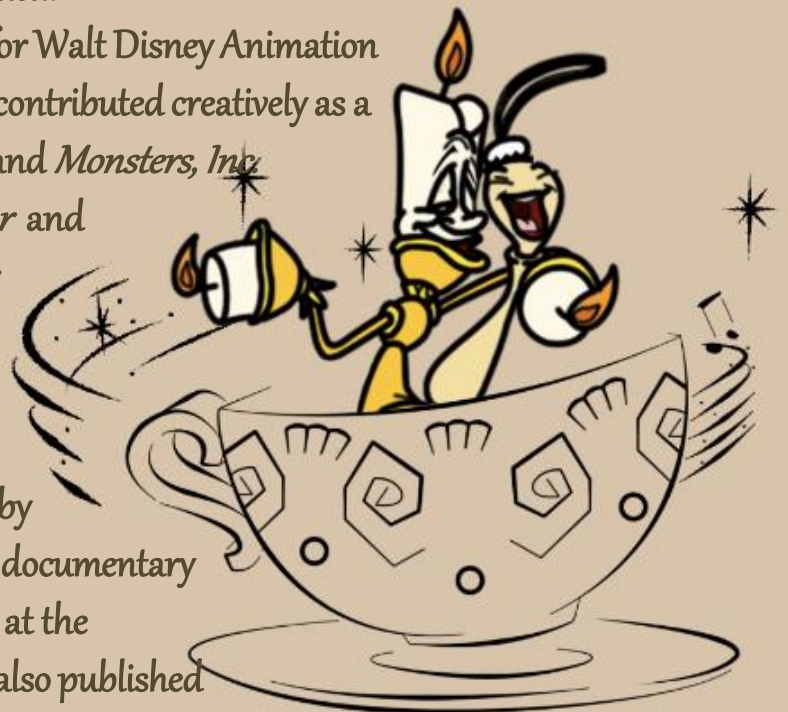


Floyd returned to Disney in the early 1970's to work on the Disney animated feature *Robin Hood*, and worked on several animated television programs at Hanna-Barbera and Ruby-Spears. In the 1980s he worked as a writer in the comic strip department at Disney and was the last scripter for the Mickey Mouse comic strip before it was discontinued.

More recently he has worked on motion pictures for Walt Disney Animation Studios and Pixar Animation Studios, having contributed creatively as a story artist on film such as *Toy Story 2* and *Monsters, Inc.* for Pixar along with *Mulan*, *Dinosaur* and *The Hunchback of Notre Dame* for Walt Disney Animation, among others.

He continues to work for the Walt Disney Co. as a freelance consultant on various projects.

Floyd recently illustrated the book *A Kiss Goodnight* written by Richard Sherman. Floyd is the subject of the acclaimed 2016 documentary *Floyd Norman: An Animated Life*, parts of which were filmed at the Be Our Guest Dinner Event held on his birthday! Floyd has also published several books of cartoons inspired by his lifetime of experiences in the animation industry, *Faster! Cheaper!*, *Son of Faster, Cheaper!*, and *How the Grinch Stole Disney*.



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