

Felicity Gets It!

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Abstract

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Accepting her award, she said:

"I know as actors our job is usually to shed our skins, but I think as people our job is to become who we really are and so I would like to salute the men and women who brave ostracism, alienation and a life lived on the margins to become who they really are."

Previously, with an interview with Hanh Nguyen of Zap2it.com, Mrs. Huffman said:

"Either you feel alienated from yourself or you actually do it and you're alienated from society - you're an oddball. It usually takes until you're a little older to go, 'I don't care. I have to really be who I am.'"

I couldn't of said it better myself.

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