

Almost Kimmel Time For Pacquiao

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HOLLYWOOD, CALIF. (November 21, 2012) – In a battle of pound for pound box office attractions, eight-division world champion and Fighter of the Decade

CONGRESSMAN MANNY PACQUIAO (@MannyPacquiao)

and television's late-night comedy king

JIMMY KIMMEL (@JimmyKimmel)

will go mano a mallo for the

seventh time

– more than any other active fighter -- in their series of entertaining appearances together dating back to November 3, 2009. Pacquiao will appear on

Jimmy Kimmel Live! (@JimmyKimmelLive / #JKL)

Tonight !

Wednesday, November 21,

on

ABC,

beginning at

Midnight ET/PT.

Sold out for weeks, Wednesday's episode will feature comedian/actor

Tim Allen

and a musical performance by

Flo Rida.

Kimmel, the self-proclaimed "lucky rabbit's foot" of Pacman, has had the Filipino icon on his show before every fight for the past three years, with the first appearance taking place just one week before Pacquiao's successful challenge of then-WBO welterweight champion Miguel Cotto. It also marked Pacquiao's late night network television debut. It was on that night that Pacquiao unveiled his singing chops, belting out a rendition of the Dan Hill-penned hit ballad "Sometimes When We Touch," a song Hill and Pacquiao later remade. The single rose to No. 7 on the Secondary Adult Contemporary Chart as measured by the Friday Morning Quarterback Album Report (FMQB), where it spent four weeks in the Top-10 during the summer of 2011.

Pacquiao (53-4-2, 38 KOs), the lone congressional representative of the Sarangani province in the Philippines, is in deep training for Act Four of his exciting and historic rivalry with Márquez (54-6-1, 39 KOs), of México City. Pacquiao and Márquez, who have won world titles in 12 weight divisions between them, will go mano a mano and toe-to-toe in a high-stakes welterweight showdown, Saturday, December 8, at the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas, Nev.

Promoted by Top Rank®, in association with MP Promotions, Zanfer Promotions, Márquez

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Boxing, Tecate and MGM Grand, Pacquiao-Márquez 4 will be produced and distributed live by HBO Pay-Per-View®.

All-new editions of HBO's all-access reality series **24/7 PACQUIAO/MARQUEZ 4** debut on Saturdays –

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November 24

(12:15-12:45 a.m. ET/PT), and

December 1

(9:30-10:00 p.m. ET/PT) – while the finale debuts

Friday, December 7

(8:00-8:30 p.m. ET/PT), the night before the high-stakes welterweight showdown. All four episodes will have multiple replay dates on HBO, and the series will also be available on HBO On Demand and HBO GO

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Remaining tickets to Pacquiao-Márquez 4 are priced at \$1,200, \$900, \$600, \$400, and \$200. Ticket sales at \$1,200, \$900, \$600 and \$400 are limited to 10 per person and ticket sales at \$200 are limited to two (2) per person. To charge by phone with a major credit card, call Ticketmaster (800) 745-3000. Tickets also are available for purchase at

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www.mgmgrand.com

or

www.ticketmaster.com

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The Pacquiao vs. Márquez 4 telecast, which begins at 9:00 p.m. ET / 6:00 p.m. PT, will be produced and distributed live by HBO Pay-Per-View and will be available to more than 92 million pay-per-view homes. HBO Pay-Per-View, a division of Home Box Office, Inc., is the leading supplier of event programming to the pay-per-view industry. Follow HBO Boxing news at www.hbo.com and at www.facebook.com/hboboxing. Use the hashtag #PacMarquez to join the conversation on Twitter. For Pacquiao vs. Márquez updates, log on to

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