

Jerry Carroll found comedy growing up on his family's farm in Willow Spring, NC. From the time he could walk, he joined his father and uncle to farm tobacco, corn, small grain, soybeans, cattle, and hogs. Spending 14 hours a day in a tractor cab gave Jerry plenty of time to think about his life's dream of making people laugh.

His seemingly effortless ability to spin out punch line after punch line, story after story, took him from emcee to headliner in just eight short months. Since beginning in 1993, Jerry has performed for crowds from 20 to 20,000 in venues ranging from the local volunteer fire department's banquet, to the Minister's of Provincial Parliament at the Royal York in Toronto, Canada. Everywhere he goes, he leaves audiences roaring with laughter.

Jerry has performed from coast to coast in the U.S. and throughout Canada. He's even hosted two TV shows on the Sportsman Channel — Fishing for Laughs and Amazing America.



### Life Down a Dirt Road

Down-home, blue collar comedy delivered in a fast-paced, high-energy style. From stories about his grandma to his kids and grandkids, Jerry's relatable topics about everyday life crack up the most hard-to-please crowds. Besides corporate meeting and events, conventions, countless associations, comedy clubs, and country clubs, Jerry has opened concerts for music artists such as Michael Bolton, Patty Loveless, Lyle Lovett, and Larry Gatlin.



## **Dirt in my DNA**

Stories of farming and farm life tailored for agricultural events. You'll enjoy tales of feeding hogs, raising crops, and keeping the farm equipment together with duct tape, bailing wire, and WD-40. Hear how Jerry's wife hooked a Red Angus while pond fishing and how he barely survived a farm safety mishap that ripped his bib overalls clean off! Where else are you going to find a full-time farmer and professional comedian who can deliver non-stop laughs?



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#### Environmental Air Systems, Inc. Spring Safety Meeting in Greensboro, NC

"Best comedian we have ever hired or will hire!!! This is the third time we have asked Jerry Carroll to entertain our guys, and he never fails to do just that... ENTERTAIN!! Quick and Dirty is he's AWESOME!! Always arrives early, show is personable, fits the audience no matter how diverse. Our entire audience loved him!" - Sherri Vincent, Office Manager

#### **Iowa Farm Bureau Young Farmers Conference** in Des Moines, IA

"Jerry Carroll is a generous, entertaining, and inspiring speaker. His comical talents was a perfect wrap up to our Conference. We were so glad to have him join us! He had the crowd laughing and was a great person to relate to our group. It was an absolute pleasure working with him. Thank you for everything!" - Emily Olson, Meeting Planner

#### Select Sires National Sales Conference in Plain City, OH

"Jerry is one of the funniest and fun people to be around that I have ever met. He is unassuming and very personable. If you are looking for a great performance of humor and real-life rural and farm humor, Jerry Carroll is as good as I have ever heard. Jerry received the highest presentation rating of all of our speakers this year." - Lyle Kruse, Meeting Planner

#### **B&S Insurance Agency Annual Meeting** in Palmyra, MO

"You knew Jerry was a farmer as soon as he started to talk. He was great. Just kept people laughing. We had a lot of people come up and say Jerry Carroll was the best speaker we've ever had." - Frank Burch, Owner

#### **Central Prairie Coop Annual Meeting** in Lyons, KS

"Jerry Carroll was a huge hit. He arrived on time and we spent some time before the show discussing agriculture. He shared his story and what he was doing on the farm today. He did an incredible job of relating his upbringing to his comedy and doing it without missing a beat. He went from one funny story to another. I am pretty sure it had some humorous fiction built in but he kept our audience laughing the whole time. Several members stated it was the best entertainment yet." - Joe Schauf, General Manager

#### American Museum of Agriculture Benefit Concert in Lubbock, TX

"Jerry's high energy performance had the audience laughing instantly and kept them rolling for over an hour. Great job — well suited to our audience." - Steve Moffett, Board Member

#### **Schram Seeds Customer Meeting** in Ashland, NE

"We were very pleased with Jerry Carroll. He was great to work with, did a great job mingling with the growers attending before and after his show. His act was great. He could really relate to our clients with his agricultural based humor. We have had several people that were in attendance that have commented since how great the evening was." - Jon Schram, Owner

#### **Crop Production Services Top Producer Meeting** in Mt. Vernon, IL

"Jerry Carroll did a bang up job. He mixed with the crowd before and after the meeting. He even worked one of our products into his presentation. He told good, down-to-earth stories, one right after the other. People actually had tears of laughter rolling down their cheeks. Everyone has raved about him since his program. I would recommend him to anybody for an after dinner speaker." - Larry Keyser, Divisional Seed Manager

#### **Arkansas Farm Bureau Annual Convention** in Hot Springs, AR

"I can't say enough good things about Jerry and his performance. Our audience loved him. He connected so well he could have gone on for another hour and no one would have left. I heard many great comments, including that he was the best speaker we had had in a long time. I really enjoyed working with him." - Jennifer Victory, Rural Health Specialist

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