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BRETT RYBACK is an actor, composer/lyricist, and writer. 1st National Tour: *A Christmas Carol*. Off-Broadway: *Murder for Two*. Regional: *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown* (Cincinnati Playhouse); *History Boys* (Ahmanson), *Lieutenant of Inishmore* (Mark Taper); *Shrew!*, *The Prince of Atlantis*, *Dr. Cerberus* (South Coast Rep); TV/Film: *Hail, Caesar!*, *Modern Family*, *House*, *How I Met Your Mother*. He is a recipient of the ASCAP Foundation's Cole Porter Award. Works include: "In Strange Woods: A Musical Podcast" (iHeartRadio Podcast Award nominee); *Love Is Dead* (CV Rep); *Free Speech Zone* (Austin Film Festival Playwriting Semifinalist); *Passing Through* (Goodspeed); and *Nate the Great* (Licensed by TRW). His award-winning plays *Weird* and *A Roz By Any Other Name* are both published in "The Best American Short Plays 2007-2008." Upcoming in 2025: the world premiere of *Lilly and the Pirates*, a new musical written with John Maclay and Will Eno. www.brettryback.com