

Suellen Vance is a full-time actress and recording artist.

She has performed in 40 of the 50 states as well as Canada, Ireland and England.

She originated the role of Nance O'Neil in *Lizzie Borden: A Musical Tragedy in Two Acts* .

Other favorite roles included Rizzo in *Grease* , Betty in *The Golden Fleece* and Roberta in *Working* .

In 2002, Suellen recorded and released the popular Christmas single *Dear Mister Santa Claus* .

The song has been heard in over 81 countries on an episode of the NBC Soap *Passions* and continues to be a favorite at radio stations during the holidays.

Suellen Vance currently lives and performs in New York City. She has sung at St. Malachy's – The Actors' Chapel off Times Square, St. Patrick's Cathedral and has performed Improv Comedy with Wingnuts, London TheaterSports and at Tom Soter's Sunday Night Improv Jam.

In 1999, Suellen produced **Rx: Comedy** , a fundraiser benefiting the New York City chapter of the Leukemia Society of America. Corporate sponsors included Comedy Central, Samuel Adams - The Boston Beer Company, and JP Morgan. **Rx: Comedy** featured some of the hottest stars in comedy including the Sklar Brothers, the Upright Citizens Brigade, Wendy Shanker and Tom Shillue. For Suellen's work on **Rx: Comedy** , the NYC chapter of the Leukemia Society of America named her its first ever Woman of the Year.

Before Suellen moved to NYC, she spent seven years as a television news reporter and producer working in Columbus and Toledo, Ohio and Gainesville and Orlando, Florida. Portions of her work have aired on both ABC World News Tonight and CNN. Suellen also won a Best Reporting Award from the Columbus, Ohio chapter of Fathers and Children for Equality.