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GETTING TO KNOW *Will Best*

We caught up with the hot new presenter of E4's dating show, *Love Shaft*, Will Best, 27, to find out more about the man behind that cheesy grin...

I'm happiest when... I'm walking from one thing to another around London. I'm like, hey, it's a good day, things are happening, happening around, you know?
The proudest moment of my life was... when I got the first break in telly, because it was quite a gamble to quit my job in advertising. My old boss told me I was an idiot when I handed in my notice.

I get angry when... people walk really slowly along the pavement when I'm in my happy place walking along, and then suddenly they stop my chat.

In 10 years, I'd like to... have written an award-winning comedy series, or a sitcom, and hitting drama. I would like to have more freedom to work on stuff that really interests me.

My greatest fear is... probably spiders. I was watching telly with my girlfriend the other day and I saw a spider out of the corner of my eye and actually jumped on a chair like a woman in a cartoon!

When I was a child I wanted to be... a pilot, but I realised that I couldn't because I specifically wanted to be World War II fighter planes, and then I realised you can't do that any more!

The part of myself I least like... is when I'm too eager to please, and I change depending on who I'm talking to, and then I curse myself for being so shallow.

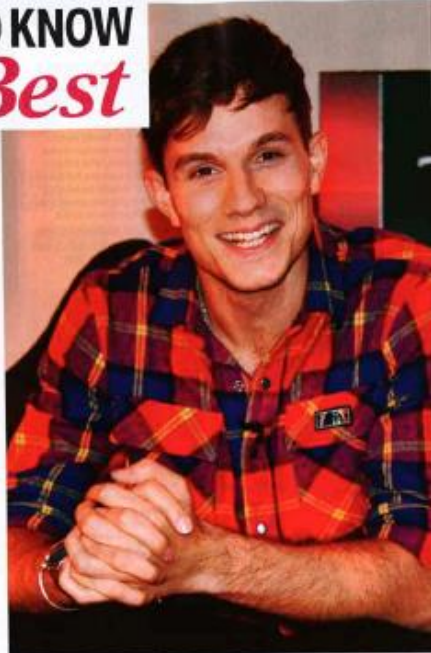
My favourite TV show is... *Mad Men*. I like the way it's kind of slow and considered. And especially in the first series, sort of nothing happens, which I like. It just sort of washes over you but you get totally engrossed, and it all looks cool.

My secret talent is... rapping and MC-ing. I used to do quite a lot of drum and bass MC-ing, and wrote a lot of hip-hop lyrics. I've been on quite a few tracks that have been on the radio.

My hero is... Ricky Gervais and I'm also a big fan of David Bowie.

The last album I bought... was The Cool Kids album called *The Hole Sale*.

My secret crush... I interviewed Tista



Stratipoulou, who is the new *Bored Girl* and I basically cannot believe that she is a real person because she is so attractive. And she's French, you know, could she be kicking any more boxes?

My friends would describe me as... I suppose they'd probably describe me as quite silly and a scamp.

If I wasn't on TV... I would still be taking them to Abercrombie & Fitch. I keep healthy by... drinking smoothies and going to the gym sometimes. I'm quite vain and a massive hypochondriac.

The best advice I've been given is... If you want to do something creative, do it, and don't worry about making money.

I'd most like to work with... Simon Amstell. I think he's really funny and really good - I like his sort of sarcasm. And Matt Edwards, who is one of the quietest voiced, funniest people I know. He doesn't drink booze, that's why he's got a girlfriend.

My biggest regret is... nothing. I think I'm quite happy in that I don't really have any big regrets at the moment.

My worst habit is... picking my nose. I pick my nose and occasionally, I will eat it. The one thing I'd want in a few years... my girlfriend. And if it was at night, my penis!

CATCH WILL ON LOVE SHAFT, CA, AT 7.30PM ON MONDAY 23 MAY