

# ***Busy Bunnies***

**A half hour single-cam family and relationship comedy  
By Tina Thompson**

**LOGLINE:** financially struggling moms need to divorce each other to get single parent benefits. Now, they must act broken up while still together raising three confused kids.

## **Middle CLASSY**

Middle class people have the most bills with the least assistance. And women of color earn less than white women, who already earn less than men. So, if you're a middle class ethnic lesbian/bi couple, you're pretty much screwed. Unless...

You get a divorce! Monica's convinced that single parent benefits will fix everything. But, wife Bebe doesn't agree... until Monica woos her with talk of government benefits and tax refunds. Without them, they can't make the balloon payment on their modest house.

But, before they sign divorce papers, they must convince the neighbors, school principal and Bebe's lesbian/Jewish mom group that the split is real. No one believes them, so Monica gives two of their kids \$10 to spread rumors about their mom's break up.

The news travels so well; it goes around the whole school and makes it back to their sensitive sister Shannon. She goes into super freak out mode. Bebe feels horrible about it, but Monica thinks it will help convince people that they are actually getting divorced.

The moms explain to the kids that they'll be divorced, but together. They're only lying to save money. Catherine gets it, she was about to fake an injury for a lawsuit. Shannon wails about how she hates lying. But, Donovan is fine with his mom paying him to lie.

Bebe can't yell at Monica for corrupting their kids while she's comforting Shannon, so she sweetly tells her wife that now she might want a real divorce. Shannon goes into instant hysterics. Monica's just glad it's not her fault that she's crying.

This kicks off a divorce adventure filled with confusion, cover-ups and comedy for these POC LGBT moms whose skills don't match their earnings.

**Busy Bunnies** is a ½ hour single-cam comedy that explores real issues in a fun way.

Each episode features Bebe doing a family project video (that usually goes awry) and shows the moms and family trying to navigate this change. It focuses on the madness of hiding a secret romance with your "ex" while trying to raise well-adjusted kids together.