

taking the stage with Gypsy

eet Ruthie and Verena Cady, a pair of five-year-olds as bubbly and cute as any kids you know. They are conjoined twins, and they share a single, fragile

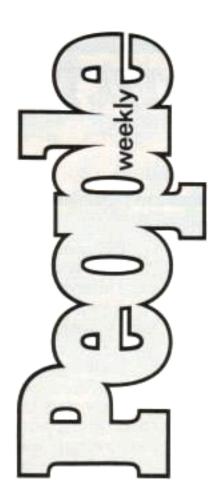
heart. But they lack nothing in courage or good cheer-going school, making friends, ringing all the neighbors' bells to show off their new, custom-made tricycle. "There are people who say, 'Oh,



how tragic," says Marlene Cady, the twins' mother. "I always tell these people that the only tragedy is their interpretation of the girls' situation, because obviously Ruthie

and Verena are happy kids."

Ruthie and Verena have taught their mother, their father and their sister a great deal about what love and family are really about. They can teach us all something.



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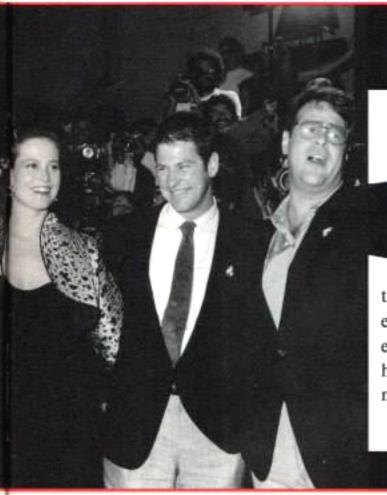
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Conjoined twins Ruthie and Verena Cady share a delighted appreciation of life that all who know them have learned is infectious

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WITH GIGGLES, GHOULS AND GLAMOUR, CELEBS BREAK LOOSE FOR GHOSTBUSTERS II

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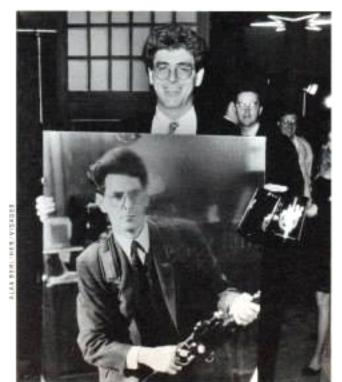
Hollywood premiere of Ghostbusters II at Mann's Chinese Theater, limousines lurched to a Palladium bash with a theme that took off from the film's own haunted New Year's Eve. While moviegoing mortals across the nation plunked down \$5, \$6, \$7—even, in some Manhattan theaters, \$7.50—to help the sequel bust the three-day weekend record just set by Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade, high-spirited stars Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Sigourney Weaver, Harold Ramis and Ernie Hudson preened.

"Despite the rumors that I was in New York having a nose job," Ramis announced, "the fact is, I had some gallstones removed."

"And tonight we're going to auction them off," screenwriting partner Aykroyd added. Paying \$350 a ticket, partygoers raised \$500,000 for St. John's Hospital in Santa Monica.

While Sigourney seemed ready for another outing—"Working with the boys is like getting on a crazy ride on a wild carousel," she said—others were hesitant. "I don't think there's going to be a Ghostbusters III," said Murray. "But maybe a Ghostbusters 2½."

Writer-actor Harold Ramis carted off a poster of his mad scientist alter ego.





Sigourney
Weaver temporarily left husband James
Simpson to join two statueesque mimes.

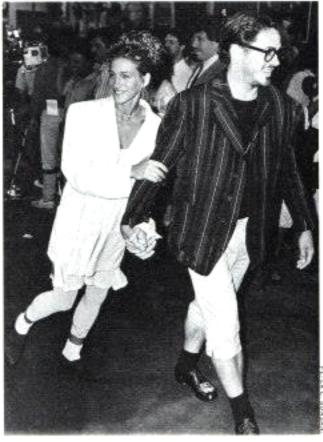
Cheech Marin, who has a wide-eyed cameo in the sequel, came with Patty and kids Carmen and Joey.

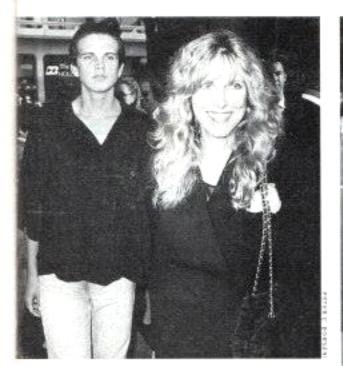






"We wanted it to be both funny and scary," said Dan Aykroyd, with wife Donna Dixon.





Ashley Hamilton, 14, not quite as tan as dad George, accompanied mom Alana.



Fashion-busting chums Robert Downey Jr. and Sarah Jessica Parker haunted each other all evening.

Kevin Bacon and Kyra Sedgwick stayed calm, though their baby's due date was only days away.