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## AMANDA STRYDOM

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<https://www.imdb.com/name/nm2849854/>

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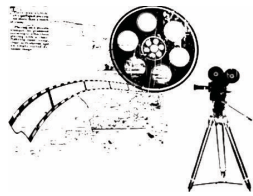
Height : 1,78m  
Hair : Brown/Grey  
Eyes : Blue  
Languages : Afrikaans, English & little bit Nederlands  
Accents : Very, very good

### FILM

OVASIE (TV film)	Bernadine Laurent-de Leon Evans	dir. Kaz Mcfadden
Mike and Mavis	Mavis	dir. André Velts
Voor Ek Vergeet	Hendrien Botha	dir. Sanet Olivier
Kranksinnig	Bella van Niekerk	dir. André Velts
Jock : A true tale of Friendship	Tart	dir. Danie Joubert
Options	S.W.A.T. Lady	dir. Camilo Vila
Wolhaarstories	Magda	dir. Bromley Cawood
The Potato Eater (TV film)	Bettie Marais	dir. Ken Leach
Pas Getroud	Support	dir. Franz Marx
Pretoria O Pretoria!	Sarie	dir. Bertrand Retief

### TELEVISION

Binnelanders S12 & 15	Belinda	kykNET
Hartland S1	Christine Swanepoel	kykNET
Arende III. : Dorsland	Hilde Bauer	SABC
Doffel Babbel en Bekkie	Babel (voice)	SABC



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The Big Time	Support	SABC
Westgate III	Jupiter Jones	SABC
1922	Elzbieta Karski	SABC
Ntunzini-Spa	Support	SABC

Amanda Strydom is a South African singer and songwriter best for her singing, although she has also been active as a playwright and actress, most notably in the fields of cabaret and television.

A graduate from the University of Pretoria, she has been active as actress, singer, songwriter and playwright, creating her own one-woman shows and writing and producing her unique Afrikaans albums.

Her acting career includes plays by Pieter Dirk Uys, Janice Honeyman and TV series like *Binnelanders*, *Hartland (Deon Opperman)*, *Westgate*, *The Big Time*, *Arende* and *1922*, the latter for which she won the Star Tonight Award as Best English Actress in a TV series.

Strydom is now also carving a successful singing career in the Netherlands and Belgium where she performs regularly. Her album "*Kerse teen die Donker*" (Candles against the Dark) was released in Holland in June 2008 to critical acclaim.

Strydom caused a public outcry in 1986 when she performed her song, "Die Pas", about the injustice of the passlaws - and ended the song with the black power salute, "Amandla!". She was then dubbed "Amandla Strydom" by the press.

Strydom started writing her own one woman plays and songs. Her first play, *State of the Heart*, won three awards - the Dalro Award, The Showtime "Best Cabaret" and "Show of the Year" awards. 25 years later she is still performing this play to capacity houses

She also wrote, produced and performed *The Incredible Journey of Tinkerbelle van Tonder*, *Diva*, *Hartlied*, *In Full Flight* and *Volstoom*. Her book, *Kaalvoet*, containing her lyrics, was published in 2004.

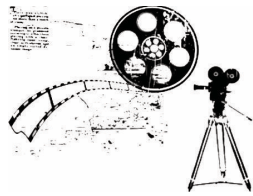
Strydom released her first self penned album, *Vrou by die Spieël* in 1996, which was nominated for the SAMA in the categories Best Afrikaans Contemporary Album and Best Female Vocalist in 1997.

She followed it with *Hotel Royale* (nominated for the SAMA for Best Afrikaans Contemporary Album and Best Female Vocalist 1998).

In 2001 she released *Op 'n Klein Blou Ghoen* which won two Geraas Awards for Best Album and Album of the Year 2001. Her album, *Verspreide Donderbuie/Scattered Thunder* won Album of the Year and Best Solo Artist Award in the Geraas Awards of 2004 as well as the SAMA Award.

Strydom was honoured with the Alumni Laureatus Award from the University of Pretoria for exceptional achievement in 2003 and won the Kanna Award for Best Female Performer at the Absa Klein Karoo Arts Festival in 2004.

In 2005, she won the Vonk Music Award for Best Female Artist. In 2007 she won the Kanna Award at the



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Absa Klein Karoo Art Festival for most popular show with Coenie de Villiers for their production ***Ons loop die Pad***.

In 2011 she played the role of Christine Swanepoel in the kykNET drama series ***Hartland***  
In 2012 Amanda joined forces with Hannes van Wyk in the two-hander ***Voor Ek Vergeet***, a sensitive drama dealing with Alzheimers. This exeptional drama played to full houses at all the festivals.

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