Subject: Re: Lon, thanks!!
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Some these notes I've been getting email notices on and somenot.Those are the biggies but I am likely forgetting some yet.Then how do you break down comedians from monologistsand -- well something like Nordine does which cannotbe categorized?Since listening to old time radio broadcasts on my publicradio by Norman Corwin and others, there seems to be a form ofbroadcast poetry that is difficult to quantify.One concept show that has been on experimental radionights is the work of Joe Frank. He had a series ofradio shows that are still available: conceptual artaudio dramas and, well _concepts_. My favorite exampleis where Joe (on the radio) called all the people in the US with the name Joe Frank. So there were young Joes, oldJoes, professional Joes and one Joe whose wife answeredand told Joe that Joe had just died. That's a concept show you won't hear on Terry Gross.Radio and spoken word have always fascinated me.