



Could this be Wonder Woman? Shannon Elizabeth

## The Next Wonder?

As anti-Hollywood as I have become in recent years, I must say I like all the super-hero movies coming down the pike. As for *Brokeback Mountain*, not even on DVD, thank you. But back to Marvel and DC. X3 in 2 months! Superman this summer, Spidey 3 next May and Wonder Woman in the summer of '07.

It is Wonder Woman that I am concerned about. Sandra Bullock and Katie Holmes are on the short list of potential stars. EEECK! William Marston AKA Charles Moulton creator of Wonder Woman is rolling over in his grave! Sandra Bullock is 5 foot 7 and Katie is 5'8" and looks anorexic. What's next Danny Devito as Superman? Wonder Woman is an Amazon. She is over 6 feet tall. Hollywood can use tricks to make an actress look taller or smaller, but with all the choices out there, why not actually use a tall actress? Now Lucy Lawless is on the director's short list also, but she is a little rough looking, she made my list too, but there are better choices. I researched this. Come on, don't act surprised, it's me, the guy who brought you "Foxy First Ladies."

There are scores, of actresses over 5'10". The list was so long I had to spend an hour editing it down to the top 40 choices. Then I had to edit out age and ugly to get to the top 20. Yes, Bridgett Nielson is too old. I came up with 20 women with the oldest 44 and the youngest 23. All of them mind you are at least 5 foot 10 and nearly half are over 6 feet tall! For the record, Lynda Carter is 5'9" but at 56 she's Wonder Woman's mom! The tallest in the group is also the oldest. Janet McTeer at 6'1" is just a tad too old but looks younger than her age. Did you know Brooke Shields is 6 feet tall? She's not voluptuous enough for this roll and frankly has not aged well. Below is the edited list and photos. Note that some of the women are blonde, but Hollywood can fix that. Aisha Tyler made the top 10 as the only black and frankly an amazon would likely be of a darker skin tone, so with blue contacts she would look very exotic. She definitely has the bod. Liv Tyler is too skinny and too recognizable as the Elven Princess from *Lord of the Rings*. Uma Thurman is 6 feet tall and very lovely but a bit skinny and she already played Poison Ivy in *Batman 4*. Maitland Ward is a 6 foot beauty that definitely has the full figure but lacks the Princess-like elegance that I feel is needed in WW. My top five are Terry Farrell who was Dax on *Star Trek DS9*. Shannon Elizabeth who played the sexy Czech in *American Pie*. Monica Bellucci from *The Matrix*. Kristanna Loken who was in *Terminator 3* and Lucy Lawless of *Xena* fame. My only problem with my number one pick is her age. At 42 it is stretch. But to me she is perfect for the role. In Terry Farrell's role as Judia Dax she was very elegant and sophisticated but also could kick some serious ass. She is also a fine actress. She has the blue eyes and brunette hair and stands a full two yards barefoot! If her age kills the deal then look no further than Shannon Elizabeth. This woman is a knockout and she has the youth if that's what WW needs to have. Shannon has the voluptuous figure that die hard WW fans seem to insist on. Monica Bellucci is gorgeous

## Winter's Last Hurrah



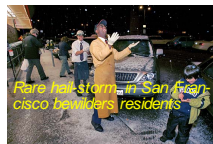
A light dusting at Rod's House on March 9th

This last winter blast from the arctic brought us some wet soggy snow last week. Snow, rain, snow rain, snow, rain and so on for 5 straight days. Not much accumulation in the lower elevations as my house got just a light dusting a couple of times. My house is at 267 feet. But at 500 feet, just a mile up the road 4 inches fell closing the Hockinson schools

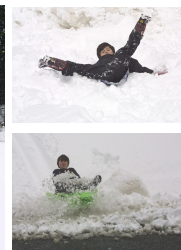
down. At my kids' favorite hill to play on, 8 miles away at 1800 feet, more than 2 feet of snow fell last week. Most of it was still on the ground on Sunday when I took the kids to play. Most of the snow in the city was slushy enough to avoid major traffic tie-ups. We were hoping for just a little more chill to let the snow pile up since we had no snow days for the kids at school. The 9th was really chilly with the high topping out at 37 degrees. At one point on the 8th I was talking to Frank on the cell phone and all of the sudden the snow was coming down like a blizzard. I could barely see out the windshield. Had the temp been 1-2 degrees cooler a foot would have been on the ground!



Kids play in snow in hills east of Healdsburg, CA



Rare heat storm in San Francisco batters residents



Left: Nolan and Kyle sled down the hill. Above top: Kyle wipes out, Above bottom: Nolan crashes onto the roadway

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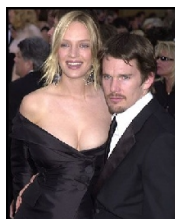


Terry Farrell 6'0"  
Natural Brunette  
and Blue Eyes

but a tad skinny. Kristanna Loken is exotic but not royal looking. Now earlier I mentioned that Uma was not the best choice but if she were considered, she is 6 feet tall you know, she does have the acting credentials. Sometimes I feel like bumping Uma up a notch ahead of Lucy Lawless.

Lucy does have the piercing blue eyes though at 37 she's pushing the age envelope a touch. Others as honorable mentions are Elizabeth Berkeley star of Showgirls, Daisy Fuentes of MTV fame and 6 foot-

ers, Molly Culver and Saffron Burrows. Any of these women are better for the role than Katie Holmes! Many people want Catherine Zeta Jones and she is stunning, but hey, she's 5'7". Just say no to short wonder women!



Uma towers over 5'11"  
Ethan Hawke.



Terry as Judzia

Name	Rank	Age	Height
Janet McTeer	13	44	6'1"
Brooke Shields	20	40	6'0"
Saffron Burrows	10	33	6'0"
<b>Terry Farrell</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>6'0"</b>
Maitland Ward	9	29	6'0"
Molly Culver	11	38	6'0"
Uma Thurman	6	35	6'0"
Aisha Tyler	7	35	6'0"
<b>Kristanna Loken</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>5'11"</b>
Liv Tyler	12	28	5'10"
<b>Shannon Elizabeth</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>5'10"</b>
Charlize Theron	18	30	5'10"
Mira Sorvino	16	38	5'10"
Leelee Sobieski	14	23	5'10"
Laura Prepon	17	26	5'10"
<b>Lucy Lawless</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>5'10"</b>
<b>Monica Bellucci</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>5'10"</b>
Elizabeth Berkeley	8	33	5'10"
Jenna Elfman	19	32	5'10"
Daisy Fuentes	15	39	5'10"

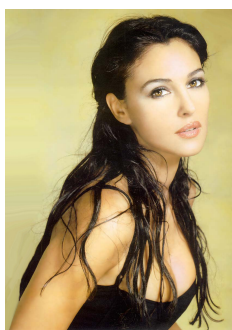
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#1 - Terry Farrell  
'Dax' on Star Trek DS9'



#2 - Shannon Elizabeth  
Czech student - 'American Pie'



#3 - Monica Bellucci  
'The Matrix Reloaded' and  
'Passion of the Christ'



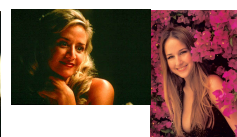
#4 - Kristanna Loken  
'Terminator' - 'Terminator 3'



#5 - Lucy Lawless  
'Xena' - 'Xena Princess'



from 4 Pics above clockwise, #6-Uma Thurman, #7-Aisha Tyler, #8-Elizabeth Berkeley, #9-Maitland Ward, Below from left to right then bottom



#10-Saffron Burrows, #11-Molly Culver, #12-Liv Tyler, #13-Janet McTeer, #14-Leelee Sobieski, #15-Daisy Fuentes, #16-Mira Sorvino, #17-Laura Prepon, #18-Charlize Theron, #19-Jenna Elfman, #20-Brooke Shields.

