

# DONALD'S A STAND-UP GUY AT EXPO

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October 18, 2004 -- Real-estate mogul Donald Trump may have been wasting his precious time building all those luxury towers and sparkling gambling casinos over all these years.

Yesterday, during a Real Estate Wealth Expo sponsored by The Learning Annex and the New York Post, he was firing one-liners like some reincarnated version of Rodney Dangerfield.

Strolling onstage to the strains of the O'Jays' "For the Love of Money," The Donald was nothing if not self-effacing.

"I'm not a schmuck," he told an audience that packed a hall in the Jacob Javits Center. "You gotta pay me something to be here!"

When an assistant told him there were some 9,000 people in the joint, Trump had an *oy vey* moment.

"I got screwed, Norma," he said to the assistant, joking he deserved a bigger cut.

Trump kept it light as someone brought up his infamous hair and the grief he has taken over his 'do.

"I've been attacked all my life," Trump rified. "I'm used to it. I don't give a s - - -."

He then dropped his best bit of advice for dealing with the business world in general.

"Don't worry about it," he said in his best "fuhgeddaboutit" style.

On a more serious note, Trump predicted Harlem as being the next great real-estate buy in New York.