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After graduation, Larry took interest in Mentalism - acts of mind-reading, metal bending and telekinesis - studying it in his spare time. Soon, he began showcasing his skills on television and radio - making spoons and forks bend across these platforms affecting people in their homes, including fixing broken watches, making light bulbs burst, making TV's switch on and more. In 2006, Larry was invited to the world-renowned Magic Castle in Hollywood, the members of which are only the most prestigious magicians in the world. He went on to become the youngest South African to ever perform there and the only to ever be awarded membership at that time.

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