

The Great Gildersleeve

US TV sitcom : 1955 : dir. : Finkel and Rapf : 39 x 25 min
 prod: : scr: : dir.ph.:
[Ronald Keith](#)
 Willard Waterman; Stephanie Griffin

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Leroy practices his hypnotism on Uncle Gildy

Source: How Sweet it Was

Halliwell's Television Companion review:

"Anecdotes of a pompous small-town bureaucrat. Modest comedy for the easily pleased, from the long-running radio show, a spin-off from "Fibber McGee and Molly"."

How Sweet it Was – Television: A Pictorial Commentary caption:

"In this 1955 adaptation of a popular radio programme, Gildy was played by Willard Waterman and his nephew Leroy was enacted by Ronald Keith."

[**no listing** in "History of Television",
"Television's Greatest Hits" or "25 Years of
ITV - 1955-1980"]

No further information currently available. Another TV spinoff from the radio show "Fibber McGee" was "**Beulah**" [qv], a sitcom centred on the black cook of a white household. Nothing else is known of Ronald Keith.

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