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**"Elvis Costello: Spectacle," season two**

British rock legend Elvis Costello hosts this intelligent Sundance Channel concert series, a spontaneous mixture of talk and music. Filmed in New York City with rapt studio audiences, the series lets Costello take his time with his talented guests, chatting knowledgeably about music until eventually a song breaks out. Guests in the 2009-10 season include Bono and the Edge, Sheryl Crow, Levon Helm, Lyle Lovett, and Bruce Springsteen in a two-part episode. In another episode, actress Mary-Louse Parker turns the tables and interviews Costello. Two discs, seven episodes, 350 minutes. DVD extras: a behind-the-scenes documentary and three bonus songs. From MVD Visual. Available June 7.

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