

01:01:29:17 – 01:01:30:08

Dad...

01:01:34:17 – 01:01:38:07

Hey, sorry about the delay, the storm at LaGuardia was really bad.

01:01:38:04 – 01:01:39:02

It was no big deal.

01:01:40:13 – 01:01:41:22

I was just waiting about an hour.

01:01:51:11 – 01:01:52:16

This airport seems bigger now.

01:01:54:09 – 01:01:56:14

When was the last time you were here? Wasn't it like, Thanksgiving?

01:01:57:14 - 01:01:59:07

Yeah... in '82.

01:02:33:05 - 01:02:33:21

Are they here?

01:02:50:21 - 01:02:51:22

Aw... Landry!

01:02:51:22 - 01:02:53:05

Don't let him out! Don't let him out!

01:02:53:08 - 01:02:56:01

My best boy! I have missed you so much.

01:02:57:01 - 01:02:57:19

Hey dad, you got it?

01:02:57:23 - 01:02:58:08

Yep!

01:03:00:00 - 01:03:01:04

Oh, Adrian.

01:03:01:02 - 01:03:02:05

Hey, Mom.

01:03:05:00 - 01:03:07:05

Goodness gracious you've gotten so thin!

01:03:07:01 - 01:03:08:16

Yeah he had a stomach flu.

01:03:08:15 - 01:03:09:18

Oh, are you alright now?

01:03:09:21 - 01:03:10:13

Yeah, I'm fine.

01:03:10:15 - 01:03:12:20

I'll take this big ol' bag of rocks in your room.

01:03:12:19 - 01:03:14:23

Andrew? Andrew, your brother's here.

01:03:16:12 - 01:03:18:22

Hey Andrew.

01:03:20:09 - 01:03:22:07

Wow man, you've gotten so tall.

01:03:24:13 - 01:03:25:07

Can I get a hug?

01:03:28:00 - 01:03:28:12

Oh Andrew... he's just being a little shy.

01:03:30:18 - 01:03:31:19

It's fine, mom.

01:03:31:11 - 01:03:32:16

He's very excited to see you.

01:03:32:07 - 01:03:33:05

It's fine...

01:03:32:23 - 01:03:33:16

Andrew!

01:03:35:17 - 01:03:41:09

We thank you Father for bringing Adrian home safe and sound to celebrate this blessed holiday with us.

01:03:42:22 - 01:03:48:18

We pray that You will watch over and guide him, as You have watched over and guided all of us.

01:03:49:09 - 01:03:50:00

Amen.

01:03:50:17 - 01:03:51:15

Amen.

01:03:51:23 - 01:03:54:00

I made all your favorites.

01:03:54:11 - 01:03:56:20

Wow, this looks really delicious, mom.

01:04:02:18 - 01:04:03:18

Still playing football Andrew?

01:04:04:04 - 01:04:05:08

He quit last year.

01:04:06:19 - 01:04:07:21

I kinda sucked at it.

01:04:08:09 - 01:04:11:15

No that's not true now, Coach Jennings said you have great potential.

01:04:14:05 - 01:04:17:14

Andrew is the vice president of the drama club now.

01:04:18:09 - 01:04:19:12

Wow, is that right?

01:04:19:23 - 01:04:21:22

He was in *Arsenic and Old Lace* recently.

01:04:22:07 - 01:04:23:15

I was the lead.

01:04:24:01 - 01:04:25:21

You were a very convincing older man.

01:04:26:17 - 01:04:28:03

And he got the biggest applause.

01:04:29:05 - 01:04:35:10

He needs to speak up is what he needs to do. He mumbled through most of his lines. I could barely understand him half the time.

01:04:39:20 – 01:04:40:18

Sorry I missed it buddy.

01:04:42:05 - 01:04:45:18

I'm sure you were brilliant, you wouldn't be cast as a lead otherwise.

01:04:50:07 - 01:04:53:02

Are you still at that same place, the ad agency?

01:04:53:16 - 01:04:53:22

Yep.

01:04:54:05 - 01:04:56:10

You've been there a long time, still like it?

01:04:57:05 - 01:05:00:07

Yeah, it's been three years. I still like it a lot.

01:05:01:20 – 01:05:06:06

Have you guys seen the Crunchy Chocolate Puffs commercial?

01:05:05:15 – 01:05:06:08

That's playing right now?

01:05:06:12 - 01:05:07:08

Oh yeah.

01:05:08:21 - 01:05:09:12

You worked on that?

01:05:09:22 - 01:05:10:23

I wrote parts of it, yeah.

01:05:11:23 - 01:05:12:19

I saw it.

01:05:13:11 – 01:05:14:05

It was lame.

01:05:15:17 - 01:05:17:14

Andrew, that wasn't very nice.

01:05:18:12 - 01:05:19:04

No, he's right, mom.

01:05:21:07 - 01:05:22:05

It's kinda lame.

01:05:26:08 - 01:05:27:13

How are your roommates?

01:05:28:18 - 01:05:29:10

They're great.

01:05:32:04 - 01:05:34:00

Um, did they go home for Christmas too?

01:05:34:04 - 01:05:34:17

Mm-hmm.

01:05:35:05 - 01:05:35:13

Where are they from?

01:05:38:09 - 01:05:41:19

Brandon is from New Jersey, and Leo is from Ohio.

01:05:42:16 - 01:05:47:07

I think I talked to Leo on the phone once when you weren't there, he sounded very nice.

01:05:51:04 - 01:05:56:07

I just can't understand how three grown men can still live together, it's like y'all are back in college.

01:05:56:10 - 01:05:59:01

Dale, the rents are much more expensive there.

01:05:59:07 - 01:06:00:15

I'm aware of that it's just --

01:06:00:18 - 01:06:07:13

This pot roast, mom, is as good as I remember it. I've literally had dreams about your cooking, I miss it that much.

01:06:07:22 - 01:06:09:15

Thank you honey that's very sweet.

01:06:10:07 - 01:06:11:10

Hey, can you smell Georgie?

01:06:13:04 - 01:06:16:22

Yeah? I think you two would like each other.

01:06:23:14 - 01:06:24:17

Knock, knock!

01:06:24:18 - 01:06:29:01

Hey... mom, I'm so full I can't have another bite.

01:06:28:23 - 01:06:24:10

Come on, will you please eat this cake? Your brother's going to eat it otherwise and all the sugar is not good for his complexion.

01:06:34:12 - 01:06:36:04

Oh, poor guy.

01:06:38:06 - 01:06:38:19

Alright.

01:06:41:10 - 01:06:45:02

It's... it's really good. It's very good mom.

01:06:45:22 - 01:06:52:18

You know, your dad wanted to turn this room into storage but I just didn't have the heart to take out all your stuff.

01:06:54:20 - 01:07:00:08

And also I like to sleep in here sometimes.

01:07:02:05 - 01:07:03:16

Cause you know how your dad snores.

01:07:05:13 - 01:07:06:16

I haven't missed that.

01:07:07:21 - 01:07:09:18

I hope you're not too bothered by Andrew.

01:07:10:08 - 01:07:11:01

No I'm not.

01:07:13:09 - 01:07:14:20

I know he's still mad at me.

01:07:16:05 - 01:07:23:19

I ran into Carly yesterday at the store. She had no idea you were coming to town. I thought you guys talk to each other every once in awhile.

01:07:23:20 - 01:07:25:08

Uh, no. It's been awhile.

01:07:26:02 - 01:07:27:09

I just got busy.

01:07:29:00 - 01:07:31:17

Well, it turns out she moved to Dallas. She's got a job there.

01:07:32:00 - 01:07:32:18

Yeah, I heard that.

01:07:35:03 - 01:07:39:08

Her dad had a heart attack recently, did you know that?

01:07:39:08 - 01:07:42:03

I didn't know that. Is he okay?

01:07:42:21 - 01:07:47:23

He's recovering, but Carly's at home helping out her mom.

01:07:49:00 - 01:07:51:10

She gave me her new phone number if you wanna give her a call.

01:52:16 - 01:07:53:07

Okay.

01:07:56:10 - 01:07:58:16

Christmas wasn't the same without you.

01:08:00:20 - 01:08:02:21

I'm really glad you made it back this year.

01:08:03:03 - 01:08:04:13

Yeah, me too, mom.

01:08:10:01 - 01:08:12:08

Well you should get some rest. You must be exhausted.

01:08:12:12 - 01:08:13:02

Yeah.

01:08:12:09 - 01:08:15:17

And eat this cake!

01:08:15:21 - 01:08:17:16

Okay! Fine.

01:08:19:07 - 01:08:20:02

Goodnight honey.

01:08:27:00 - 01:08:27:15

Landry?

01:08:30:05 – 01:08:30:14

Landry...

01:08:40:06 - 01:08:41:08

It's our little secret, buddy.

01:08:42:00 - 01:08:45:07

Oh, you are hungry!

01:09:02:23 - 01:09:05:07

Shhh... stop.

01:09:09:09 - 01:09:13:19

Landry, you're such a bed hog, get off...

01:09:28:00 – 01:09:30:06

Radio: You're listening to the word with Dave Hewitt.

01:09:30:16 - 01:09:33:18

Right before the break, I was talking about Santa Claus.

01:09:34:04 - 01:09:39:14

How a lot of us, myself included, have accepted the dominance of Santa in Christmas.

01:09:38:18 - 01:09:39:06

Good morning.

01:09:39:17 - 01:09:39:22

Mornin'

01:09:40:23 - 01:09:41:13

Morning.

01:09:41:11 – 01:09:52:11

But Santa Claus has distracted us from what this holiday is supposed to be. Which is, to celebrate the birth, and the truth, of Jesus Christ.

01:09:43:06 - 01:09:44:00

How'd you sleep?

01:09:44:13 - 01:09:45:07

I slept great.

01:09:46:18 - 01:09:49:03

Well I hope you're hungry because breakfast is gonna be ready soon.

01:09:49:08 - 01:09:49:21

Can I do anything?

01:09:50:07 - 01:09:52:00

No, just, have some coffee.

01:09:54:00 - 01:09:59:16

The lie about Santa Claus may not be a big deal, I certainly don't think that it is.

01:10:00:07 - 01:10:05:06

But there are many other lies, in our society, that do a lot more damages.

01:10:06:04 - 01:10:07:03

You want more coffee, dad?

01:10:07:09 - 01:10:09:04

Hmm? No, no. I'm good.

01:10:06:00 - 01:10:18:00

I'm talking about the kind of lies we invite into our homes, that have eternal consequences. I'll get more into this in a minute, because what I'm ultimately getting at is the truth.

01:10:18:06 - 01:10:23:06

The church, our place of worship, is the foundation of truth.

01:10:24:13 - 01:10:28:08

When we're there having fellowship with each other, we hear the truth.

01:10:30:10 - 01:10:36:16

But, when we're not at the church, we are surrounded by so many pervasive lies.

01:10:38:15 - 01:10:43:22

Remember what Jesus said in John 8:32? Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free...

01:10:47:15 - 01:10:50:17

Honey? Are you ok?

01:10:50:23 - 01:10:53:04

Yeah. Yeah, I'm fine. I'm just waking up.

01:11:03:02 - 01:11:03:14

Andrew?

01:11:04:18 - 01:11:05:12

Andrew...

01:11:06:23 - 01:11:07:09

What?

01:11:07:13 - 01:11:08:14

Hey, mom wants you up for breakfast.

01:11:18:11 - 01:11:19:14

Give it back.

01:11:19:14 - 01:11:20:02

Sorry.

01:11:23:11 - 01:11:23:23

Hey um...

01:11:26:08 - 01:11:31:22

I wanna apologize to you for um, you not being able to come to New York to visit me. I know you were really bummed about that.

01:11:33:19 - 01:11:37:17

I just... something came up and I couldn't get any time off so...

01:11:43:02 - 01:11:44:10

Hey, what are you listening to nowadays?

01:12:01:01 - 01:12:04:02

Is that Madonna? Since when were you into Madonna?

01:12:06:18 - 01:12:10:23

Hey I um, I was at her last show, at Radio City Music Hall.

01:12:12:20 - 01:12:16:10

Wait, you went to the Virgin Tour?

01:12:16:14 - 01:12:18:23

Yeah! Leo got us front row tickets.

01:12:19:06 - 01:12:19:22

No way.

01:12:19:21 - 01:12:22:20

Yeah it was so much fun, man. We had such a blast.

01:12:24:12 - 01:12:29:06

I had her other album too but...

01:12:30:11 - 01:12:32:18

Dad found it in my backpack and threw it away.

01:12:33:07 - 01:12:34:00

Really?

01:12:34:09 - 01:12:36:20

He's thrown away a bunch of tapes.

01:12:37:17 - 01:12:47:17

I had a Bryan Adams poster but he tore it off the wall. There was a sermon at church about "secular music."

01:12:48:18 - 01:12:53:11

That's nothing new Andrew, they'll always find ways to make that stuff up.

01:12:54:16 - 01:12:57:18

Yeah well, people around here don't think it's made up.

01:13:01:09 - 01:13:04:00

You know Mr. Thompson from down the road?

01:13:04:03 - 01:13:04:14

Yeah?

01:13:04:17 - 01:13:06:10

He has all the records.

01:13:06:10 - 01:13:08:14

Oh yeah. He has an amazing collection.

01:13:08:19 - 01:13:15:17

He *had* an amazing collection. He had Pastor John over and they burned them all in his backyard.

01:13:16:13 - 01:13:21:00

You could see the smoke from blocks away, the fire department had to come and put it out.

01:13:26:10 - 01:13:30:23

Do you think I'm ugly? I mean, like, if you weren't my brother and all.

01:13:31:20 - 01:13:34:08

Andrew, why would you ask that?

01:13:35:05 - 01:13:39:05

Well, I don't know. The kids at school they um...

01:13:40:06 - 01:13:41:23

They call me pizza face.

01:13:44:09 - 01:13:44:07

Tommy Clements said that his sister said that there's no way we're related 'cause you're so much better looking than me.

01:13:52:02 - 01:14:02:13

You're not ugly, ok? I had really bad skin too, it goes away after a few years. Kids can just be assholes.

01:14:02:22 - 01:14:11:05

Also Tommy's older sister, Susie, was such a bitch. And no one liked her because she tried way too hard to be cool so he's probably the same.

01:14:12:21 - 01:14:15:20

You just said the A-word and the B-word.

01:14:16:18 - 01:14:20:02

Yeah, I'm gonna call you the A-word if you don't get up for breakfast!

01:14:20:02 - 01:14:24:17

It's pancake day! We eat pancakes! We can have pancakes whenever we-

01:14:24:10 - 01:14:26:17

Knock it off! Breakfast is ready!

01:14:26:23 - 01:14:27:17

That was your fault.

01:14:28:07 - 01:14:28:16

What?

01:14:28:20 - 01:14:29:23

Yep, all your fault!

01:14:31:00 - 01:14:32:14

Give it all you got now! Come on!

01:14:32:20 - 01:14:33:13

I'm trying...

01:14:35:05 - 01:14:36:11

So are you seeing any one?

01:14:37:21 - 01:14:40:08

Barely have time for myself, much less anyone else, mom.

01:14:40:22 - 01:14:45:13

'Cause y'know I spoke with Carly and I think she's still on the market.

01:14:45:13 - 01:14:46:07

Mom.

01:14:46:07 - 01:14:47:01

What?

01:14:48:05 - 01:14:49:13

I was very fond of her.

01:14:50:08 - 01:14:52:18

Yeah, well, dad wasn't.

01:14:53:16 - 01:14:56:02

That's a different story and you know why.

01:14:58:03 - 01:15:00:17

Hey can I borrow your car? I just need to get some stuff at the store.

01:15:00:22 - 01:15:05:06

Sure, um, can you drop me off at the church 'cause I'm volunteering at the afternoon service.

01:15:05:06 - 01:15:05:21

Yeah, sure.

01:15:05:21 - 01:15:10:12

And will you pick up some stuff for me too? I'll make you a list and you can get the money out of my purse.

01:15:10:12 - 01:15:12:14

No, no, no just make the list Mom, I got it.

01:15:13:09 - 01:15:14:07

It's so close!

01:15:13:09 - 01:15:19:06

It's not just about strength now, it's about leverage, right? So turn tha... turn that wrist go on.

01:15:16:08 - 01:15:17:20

Ok.

01:15:20:07 - 01:15:21:15

There ya go. There ya go!

01:15:23:09 - 01:15:23:21

Yes!

01:15:24:03 - 01:15:24:13

See?

01:15:24:18 - 01:15:25:08

Okay!

01:15:25:09 - 01:15:26:05

That was good work.

01:15:26:11 - 01:15:27:14

So you have to do it with the wrist?

01:15:27:12 - 01:15:28:07

Yeah you feel it...

01:15:28:05 - 01:15:28:20

Yeah...

01:15:30:14 - 01:15:32:05

With your size you're gonna need some leverage alright?

01:15:33:05 - 01:15:35:04

Just checking in on Georgie, is he ok?

01:15:36:18 - 01:15:37:15

Did he stop throwing up?

01:15:39:00 - 01:15:42:09

Well good, okay, that's good.

01:15:41:10 – 01:15:42:08

How are you doing?

01:15:47:22 - 01:15:49:00

Oh man.

01:15:52:11 - 01:15:53:07

Uh, no I haven't.

01:15:56:14 - 01:15:57:22

No, I just got here, Brandon.

01:16:02:14 - 01:16:03:07

Yeah.

01:16:05:17 - 01:16:06:21

Yeah I know.

01:16:08:25 - 01:16:10:15

That's really rich coming from you

01:16:13:00 - 01:16:13:19

What you just --

01:16:14:08 – 01:16:15:20

You don't even talk to your own family anymore!

01:16:18:09 - 01:16:18:23

No!

01:16:19:12 – 01:16:21:06

So stop telling me what I should do!

01:16:28:23 - 01:16:32:21

It's alright, I'm sorry Brandon, I just, don't really wanna talk about this.

01:16:34:11 - 01:16:35:11

Um...

01:16:35:21 – 01:16:40:13

Ok, I'll call you back in a couple days, alright? Just don't worry about me, ok?

01:16:41:18 - 01:16:42:16

And um...

01:16:43:11 – 01:16:44:20

Give Georgie lots of kisses for me.

01:16:46:19 - 01:16:47:20

Alright. Bye.

01:17:14:02 - 01:17:14:21

It's declined.

01:17:16:02 - 01:17:17:17

Uh, can you try that again?

01:17:22:07 - 01:17:23:21

Yeah, it's still not going through.

01:17:24:13 - 01:17:26:22

Um, ok, do you take Diner's?

01:17:27:08 – 01:17:27:22

No.

01:17:29:07 - 01:17:32:07

Alright, I'll just pay cash then. That's fine.

01:17:35:00 - 01:17:35:13

Here you go.

01:17:38:03 - 01:17:38:20

Hey Lester!

01:17:39:22 - 01:17:41:08

Adrian Lester! Ha! I thought that was you.

01:17:41:12 - 01:17:42:00

Hey...

01:17:42:00 – 01:17:42:21

I knew it was you!

01:17:45:04 - 01:17:48:04

Oh, Marc, we went to Arlington Heights together.

01:17:48:04 - 01:17:50:09

Yeah, yeah, hey.

01:17:51:00 - 01:17:52:17

Did you move back to Fort Worth?

01:17:52:18 - 01:17:56:04

No, sorry, I um, I'm just... I'm home for the holidays.

01:17:57:10 - 01:17:58:01

Do you work here?

01:17:58:09 - 01:18:01:00

Yeah, yeah I'm the Assistant Manager.

01:18:02:12 - 01:18:03:04

That's great.

01:18:04:22 - 01:18:07:19

Hey, do you want a fresh pumpkin pie? I could hook you up.

01:18:09:04 - 01:18:10:10

Uh, that's alright actually, I --

01:18:10:12 - 01:18:14:18

No you gotta try ours, they're the best. Wait right here, alright? It'll take me one second.

01:18:14:23 - 01:18:15:14

Alright.

01:18:32:01 - 01:18:32:12

Hey!

01:18:33:23 - 01:18:34:05

Hey.

01:18:34:19 - 02:28:35:19

Sorry I didn't know --

01:18:36:02 - 01:18:38:00

I'll just put this right here on your bag

01:18:37:08 - 01:18:37:21

Alright.

01:18:38:00 - 01:18:39:10

How much do I owe you for this?

01:18:39:10 - 01:18:40:17

Oh, no, no, it's on the house, perks of the job.

01:18:45:19 - 01:18:47:16

Uh, were you two years ahead of me in school?

01:18:47:22 - 01:18:48:11

Yeah.

01:18:49:10 - 01:18:50:14

You were on the football team right?

01:18:51:04 - 01:18:52:09

Go Yellow Jackets!

01:18:53:06 - 01:18:54:14

I was a lot heftier then.

01:18:55:09 - 01:18:57:17

Marcus. Marcus Peterson. Right?

01:18:58:02 - 01:19:03:14

Yeah, I went by Marc after I graduated, Marcus just sounds so dorky you know?

01:19:05:07 - 01:19:08:01

It's funny what dropping two letters from your name can do for your self-image.

01:19:14:02 - 01:19:14:15

Listen...

01:19:16:04 - 01:19:18:12

I don't wanna pretend like nothing happened before.

01:19:20:01 - 01:19:25:19

I wasn't very nice to a lot of people in school. And uh, I know I wasn't very nice to you.

01:19:30:09 - 01:19:36:07

I know its not an excuse but, I was going through a lot of stuff at home and I took it out on you guys.

01:19:36:02 - 01:19:38:15

Y'know it was a really long time ago. But...

01:19:39:11 – 01:19:40:05

No worries.

01:19:43:01 - 01:19:43:08

Well...

01:19:45:04 – 01:19:47:04

I think it's God's will I ran into you today.

01:19:52:20 - 01:19:55:07

Yeah, uh, it was really good to see you Marc.

01:19:56:00 - 01:19:56:17

Likewise.

01:19:58:03 – 01:19:59:01

Merry Christmas Adrian.

01:19:59:01 - 01:20:00:06

Hey, Merry Christmas Marc.

01:20:01:09 - 01:20:03:07

Say hi to your folks for me.

01:22:08:04 - 01:22:09:22

Dale, roll over.

01:23:15:10 - 01:23:16:20

Hey, if you go before me...

01:23:18:07 - 01:23:19:04

Will you wait for me?

01:23:21:05 - 01:23:22:22

'Cause I'll wait for you if I go first.

01:23:28:11 - 01:23:29:19

Merry Christmas, Landry.

01:23:38:00 - 01:23:39:03

Come on now, open it up.

01:23:45:15 - 01:23:49:04

Pastor John suggested those, he says it sounds just like the stuff you listen to.

01:23:49:08 – 02:23:49:20

Oh.

01:23:49:20 - 01:23:51:11

But without all the filthy lyrics.

01:23:54:08 - 01:23:55:02

Thank you.

01:23:55:00 - 01:23:57:17

You're welcome.

01:23:57:13 - 01:23:58:19

Alright, who's next?

01:24:00:00 - 01:24:00:18

What is it?

01:24:01:23 – 01:24:03:02

Oh!

01:24:03:16 – 01:24:05:00

Oh thank you!

01:24:09:19 - 01:24:07:07

You're welcome. You can do all kinds of stuff with it.

01:24:07:08 - 01:24:09:00

I know. I saw it on TV.

01:24:10:12 - 01:24:12:02

And you got it on sale!

01:24:13:01 - 01:24:15:08

I forgot to take that off.

01:24:22:23 - 01:24:23:23

Thanks Andrew.

01:24:25:11 – 01:24:27:16

Y'know that's like the third time you've got me a tie.

01:24:27:22 - 01:24:29:07

Yeah but not one with checkers!

01:24:29:23 - 01:24:34:23

Right, not one with checkers. Ah, cufflinks, too.

01:24:40:11 - 01:24:43:00

We thought your old one would be worn out by now.

01:24:45:09 - 01:24:48:08

It's... this is really beautiful, thank you.

01:24:50:21 - 01:24:53:03

It's real gold leaf.

01:25:06:00 - 01:25:10:07

It's a really soft light leather so it's perfect for Texas winters.

01:25:19:23 - 01:25:21:05

Let's see what I got.

01:25:23:22 - 01:25:24:20

Alright.

01:25:29:12 - 01:25:30:08

Oh this...

01:25:33:20 - 01:25:35:03

This is cashmere.

01:25:37:22 - 01:25:38:22

Alright Andrew.

01:25:44:15 - 01:25:45:16

Just open it, buddy.

01:25:55:08 - 01:26:02:00

So, ok so this one actually records and it's a little bit smaller so it should be easier to carry around.

01:26:03:09 - 01:26:04:09

And it has Dolby.

01:26:06:14 - 01:26:07:09

You're the best!

01:26:07:23 - 01:26:11:23

Yeah, now you did not need to get him a new one, his old one worked just fine.

01:26:11:23 - 01:26:15:10

Dale, come on, it's Christmas.

01:26:17:02 - 01:26:21:09

And um, this is for all you guys.

01:26:22:02 - 01:26:23:08

Ooh...

01:26:23:16 - 01:26:24:08

Alright.

01:26:28:23 - 01:26:29:14

These are...

01:26:31:23 - 01:26:35:17

These are round trip tickets to Honolulu.

01:26:36:20 - 01:26:37:15

Lemme see that --

01:26:38:18 - 01:26:39:15

Give it here...

01:26:48:16 - 01:26:49:17

3 days of hotel?

01:26:50:04 - 01:26:52:08

You've always wanted to go Mom.

01:26:53:06 - 01:26:56:09

So- and these are open tickets so you can use them any time next year.

01:26:57:14 - 01:26:58:13

Hawaii?

01:26:59:09 - 01:26:59:23

So --

01:27:00:13 - 01:27:02:00

We're gonna get room service?

01:27:02:08 - 01:27:03:13

Wait, you're not gonna go with us?

01:27:03:18 - 01:27:04:06

Well...

01:27:05:05 – 01:27:06:16

Uh...

01:27:06:18 – 01:27:09:13

I mean of course I would love to. I just --

01:27:10:14 – 01:27:12:03

I don't know if I can get off work.

01:27:12:11 - 01:27:13:18

How are you paying for this?

01:27:14:19 - 01:27:18:01

It was a special deal. Um, Brandon, my roommate, he's a travel agent.

01:27:19:04 - 01:27:22:00

But all these presents, it must have cost you a fortune.

01:27:22:04 - 01:27:26:23

No, its nothing. Uh, Bloomingdale's is one of our biggest clients so I get a huge discount there.

01:27:28:17 - 01:27:29:21

And um...

01:27:31:19 - 01:27:34:05

I uh, I have some news --

01:27:35:05 – 01:27:39:21

...to share with you. I've just been trying to find the best time to do this.

01:27:43:00 - 01:27:44:11

I got a big promotion.

01:27:46:04 - 01:27:46:21

You did?

01:27:47:04 - 01:27:48:00

Yeah...

01:27:49:07 – 01:27:52:11

And I'm hoping to get my own place soon.

01:27:52:13 - 01:27:56:04

Wow, congratulations we always knew that you had talent.

01:27:57:01 - 01:27:58:20

So, now I can come visit you?

01:27:59:04 - 01:27:59:20

Yeah.

01:28:11:17 - 01:28:12:07

Listen.

01:28:18:16 - 01:28:19:08

Everybody...

01:28:19:19 - 01:28:20:20

Praise!

01:28:21:05 - 01:28:21:22

Everybody...

01:28:22:04 - 01:28:23:04

Praise!

01:28:24:19 - 01:28:25:14

Oh wow.

01:28:26:15 - 01:28:27:07

It sucks right?

01:28:27:07 - 01:28:28:04

It's jubilant.

01:28:30:10 - 01:28:31:08

Hey um,

01:28:31:18 - 01:28:34:22

I got you something else but um, I didn't want Mom and Dad to freak out.

01:28:44:06 - 01:28:46:22

A hundred dollars to Sound Warehouse?

01:28:46:23 - 01:28:47:21

Yeah.

01:28:48:21 - 01:28:51:07

So now you can get whatever tapes you want.

01:28:51:16 – 01:28:53:09
You just have to hide them well.

01:28:54:09 - 01:28:55:04
That's awesome.

01:28:56:12 – 01:28:56:22
Thank you.

01:28:57:03 - 01:28:58:20
Yeah man, Merry Christmas.

01:28:58:23 - 01:28:59:22
Merry Christmas.

01:29:00:18 - 01:29:02:00
Praise!

01:29:02:02 - 01:29:02:22
Everybody --

01:29:03:07 – 01:29:04:08
Praise!

01:29:04:16 - 01:29:05:10
You just gotta --

01:29:05:13 – 01:29:07:15
Praise! Woo...

01:29:09:13 - 01:29:11:08
I just wanna see what it looks like on you.

01:29:11:08 - 01:29:12:19
It's a little warm today, hun.

01:29:13:00 - 01:29:14:22
Quit whining and just put it on for a minute.

01:29:16:14 - 01:29:17:08
Come on.

01:29:23:06 - 01:29:24:02
Alright.

01:29:24:17 - 01:29:25:10

Turn around.

01:29:26:17 - 01:29:28:09

Wow! See, how handsome!

01:29:29:02 - 01:29:30:20

Hey, I'm gonna take Landry for a walk.

01:29:30:20 - 01:29:31:10

Okay.

01:30:14:05 - 01:30:15:08

I don't know what to do.

01:30:17:08 - 01:30:18:09

Oh God...

01:30:30:14 - 01:30:32:05

I miss you so much.

01:31:02:02 - 01:31:02:15

Hello?

01:31:03:23 - 01:31:04:11

Hello?

01:31:04:11 - 01:31:06:10

Hey Carly, it's Adrian.

01:31:09:02 - 01:31:09:21

Well, well.

01:31:12:18 - 01:31:13:17

Merry Christmas.

01:31:14:01 - 01:31:15:04

Right...

01:31:16:04 - 01:31:18:20

Y'know I wasn't counting on hearing from you.

01:31:22:13 - 01:31:23:13

Hey, how's your dad?

01:31:24:10 - 01:31:26:10

I'm really sorry to hear what happened to him.

01:31:27:17 - 01:31:33:09

Right, um. He's doing a lot better, thank you for asking. Hopes to go back to work after the holidays.

01:31:34:00 - 01:31:34:19

Okay, that's good.

01:31:37:22 – 01:31:39:23

Tell him I said hey when you get a chance.

01:31:40:06 - 01:31:40:20

Yeah.

01:31:45:12 - 01:31:48:10

Hey guess who I ran into yesterday?

01:31:48:11 – 01:31:50:09

Marcus fucking Peterson.

01:31:54:15 - 01:31:55:10

Carly...

01:32:00:02 - 01:32:01:17

Carly, are you really this mad at me?

01:32:08:00 - 01:32:09:16

Did he give you any free shit?

01:32:12:09 - 01:32:14:21

Yeah he gave me a pumpkin pie actually.

01:32:16:06 – 01:32:17:14

Why? Did he give you something?

01:32:18:06 - 01:32:18:20

Yeah.

01:32:19:10 – 01:32:23:21

He gave me a fucking rotisserie chicken when I was there with my mom. It was so weird.

01:32:24:10 – 01:32:26:14

I guess he's just trying to make amends.

01:32:27:11 - 01:32:30:01

Y'know, he's a changed man, praise the Lord.

01:32:30:20 – 01:32:31:19

Chicken was good though.

01:32:31:22 - 01:32:33:11

Yeah, so was the pie.

01:32:37:20 - 01:32:38:13

Uh, are you busy?

01:32:40:05 – 01:32:42:00

Uh, it would be really nice to see you.

01:32:47:05 - 01:32:49:23

Y'know I live in Dallas now, so --

01:32:50:19 - 01:32:51:22

Ok uh...

01:31:53:02 – 01:32:56:08

I can borrow my Mom's car, you're only like, 45 minutes away.

01:32:56:15 - 01:32:58:11

Alright, well I have to get ready for this thing tonight.

01:33:00:03 - 01:33:01:11

What your... what's the thing?

01:33:02:18 - 01:33:03:22

How's everyone doing tonight?

01:33:06:12 - 01:33:07:06

Alright.

01:33:09:00 – 01:33:12:22

My name is Carly. But my Korean name is Jeong Ki-bum Choi Young-soon.

01:33:18:11 - 01:33:20:06

Right so, just please call me Carly.

01:33:21:09 - 01:33:21:21

Uh...

01:33:22:18 – 01:33:27:10

Growing up in school, I didn't think that I was any different from any of the other students,

01:33:28:06 - 01:33:32:23

Until one day, in 6th grade, in history class we're learning about World War II.

01:33:33:16 - 01:33:42:05

Madeline, the most popular girl in school, stands up during the lesson, points at me. and calls me a "dirty Jap."

01:33:43:14 - 01:33:44:23

Yeah, horrible right?

01:33:45:14 - 01:33:51:18

It's racist! It's just, like, assuming that we're all the same. Y'know I'm Korean-American I'm very proud and I --

01:33:52:05 - 01:33:56:17

Thought it was important to explain that to her. So the next day I went to school...

01:33:57:00 - 01:33:58:18

Dressed in a --

01:33:59:00 - 01:34:02:09

Traditional Korean garb. Which I...

01:34:02:15 - 01:34:05:19

Quite kindly explained to her was called a Hanbok.

01:34:07:00 - 01:34:08:19

And then I kicked her fucking ass.

01:34:09:11 - 01:34:10:08

Yes!

01:34:10:22 - 01:34:12:10

Yeah, kicked her --

01:34:12:14 - 01:34:15:00

Ass! Felt so good.

01:34:15:13 - 01:34:20:23

But y'know what, I do not condone violence. No, looking back I feel pretty bad about it.

01:34:22:02 - 01:34:22:08

But I thought it was important to teach her the lesson, that there's a difference between a "dirty Jap"

01:34:29:00 - 01:34:31:07
And a motherfucking "gook."

01:34:31:22 - 01:34:33:05
Thank you. Yeah.

01:34:33:19 - 01:34:34:10
Thanks.

01:34:40:02 - 01:34:40:21
Hey!

01:34:40:15 - 01:34:41:10
Hey.

01:34:42:01 - 01:34:43:21
Aw man, you were hilarious!

01:34:44:00 - 01:34:47:07
Aw thanks. Yeah thanks, I'm still working out the jokes.

01:34:47:20 - 01:34:51:21
It's really, really good. My cheeks are a little sore from smiling so much.

01:34:53:01 - 01:34:55:02
Um, do you want a drink? I'll get the first round.

01:34:55:01 - 01:34:55:14
Please.

01:34:55:22 - 01:34:57:16
Hey Gene, can I have a vodka soda?

01:34:58:06 - 01:34:59:08
And I'll have a gin and tonic.

01:35:04:16 - 01:35:07:09
I don't know I just, started taking some improv classes for fun.

01:35:08:00 - 01:35:12:20
But yeah, coworker of mine has been doing it for awhile and she suggested that I give it a go.

01:35:13:21 - 01:35:15:03
And y'know what I just um,

01:35:15:20 – 01:35:17:01
I find it really liberating.

01:35:17:18 – 01:35:19:16
You get to say all the shit that you wouldn't say in real life.

01:35:21:04 - 01:35:22:14
That's really cool.

01:35:23:03 – 01:35:23:21
I just never...

01:35:25:00 – 01:35:27:07
Never would have pictured you doing this.

01:35:28:03 – 01:35:28:18
It's awesome.

01:35:29:12 - 01:35:31:18
Yeah, well, I'm still very much an amateur.

01:35:33:20 - 01:35:36:13
No, Carly, you're actually really good at this.

01:35:37:07 - 01:35:41:14
Thanks, my uh parents don't even know that I'm doing it. I mean if they knew that I was

01:35:41:23 – 01:35:45:13
Doing stand-up in front of a bunch of drunks in this part of town,

01:35:46:02 – 01:35:48:05
Fuck, my dad would have another heart attack.

01:35:50:00 - 01:35:54:01
And, y'know it's the whole reason why I moved to Dallas. To get them off my back.

01:35:58:00 - 01:35:59:11
Wish I had the balls to do what you did though.

01:36:00:09 - 01:36:03:20
You uh, you did it. You left fucking Texas. You went for it.

01:36:04:12 - 01:36:05:08

Look at you now.

01:36:06:00 – 01:36:07:22
Making waves on Madison Avenue.

01:36:07:22 - 01:36:09:20
Oh my God, is that what my Mom said?

01:36:11:05 - 01:36:13:00
Oh man, uh...

01:36:14:05 - 01:36:15:01
Yeah I'm...

01:36:16:13 – 01:36:19:06
I'm still not making any money and uh --

01:36:20:12 - 01:36:24:10
I live in uh, the same crappy neighborhood, I've been mugged three times.

01:36:24:15 - 01:36:26:06
Wow, sounds like you're living the dream.

01:36:27:22 - 01:36:31:00
Yeah, no, this year has actually been really rough for me.

01:36:36:04 - 01:36:39:15
Well if there's nothing else, this shitty year is about to come to an end.

01:36:40:12 - 01:36:43:09
So here is to 1986.

01:36:44:12 - 01:36:47:15
May this new year, give us a fucking break.

01:36:47:16 - 01:36:48:18
Yeah cheers to that.

01:36:52:21 - 01:36:55:07
You don't have to go home right away do you? You can hang out?

01:36:55:10 - 01:36:56:21
Yes! What am I, 15?

01:36:57:00 - 01:36:58:19
I don't know man, you always had curfews.

01:36:59:08 - 01:37:00:11

Yeah what do you have in mind?

01:37:01:00 - 01:37:02:11

I'm gonna take you to this bitchin' club.

01:38:39:21 - 01:38:40:09

Hey.

01:38:40:09 - 01:38:40:19

Hey.

01:38:40:21 - 01:38:41:15

Do you want some wine?

01:38:41:20 - 01:38:42:20

Uh, no I'm good.

01:39:03:08 - 01:39:04:15

We used to do this all the time.

01:39:12:03 - 01:39:13:12

Yeah, Carly, I'm-

01:39:15:10 - 01:39:17:03

I, I really just wanna hang out.

01:39:17:15 - 01:39:18:04

Ok?

01:40:01:16 - 01:40:02:22

Why did you stop calling me?

01:40:05:20 - 01:40:09:06

I left you so many fucking messages and you just checked out on me.

01:40:13:23 - 01:40:14:13

Yeah, I know.

01:40:20:11 - 01:40:20:23

Hey.

01:40:23:16 - 01:40:25:01

Adrian, please look at me.

01:40:27:10 - 01:40:28:04

Please.

01:40:30:03 - 01:40:32:19

What's going on? What's wrong?

01:40:33:14 - 01:40:33:14

Nothing.

01:40:35:13 - 01:40:36:16

Can I actually get water?

01:41:10:23 - 01:41:11:22

Are you happy?

01:41:14:05 - 01:41:14:17

Um...

01:41:16:05 - 01:41:18:17

Yeah I'm doing fine. How have you been?

01:41:19:13 - 01:41:20:07

Good.

01:41:21:22 - 01:41:23:11

Are you seeing anyone in New York?

01:41:25:09 - 01:41:26:14

Uh, no I'm not.

01:41:27:11 - 01:41:29:04

Are you seeing anyone?

01:41:30:13 - 01:41:31:06

Adrian I'm --

01:41:31:15 - 01:41:33:20

Carly, the reason I didn't call you back --

01:41:37:20 - 01:41:39:01

I went there to start over.

01:41:42:05 - 01:41:46:11

I really needed a fresh start. I didn't like my life here and um,

01:41:49:10 - 01:41:50:11

That's that.

01:42:00:00 - 01:42:00:13

Okay.

01:42:04:09 - 01:42:06:04

So then why the fuck did you call me today?

01:42:09:00 - 01:42:10:04

Why are we doing this?

01:42:10:00 - 01:42:15:23

Because, I really wanted to see you. It's been a long time and I wanted --

01:42:21:00 - 01:42:21:22

I'm in town...

01:42:23:00 - 01:42:27:03

And, I just couldn't leave without seeing you.

01:42:27:13 - 01:42:31:12

I love you Carly... I care about you! I care about you a lot!

01:42:28:23 - 01:42:31:20

You can't say that to me. You can't --

01:42:33:15 - 01:42:34:09

Fuck you.

01:42:36:09 - 01:42:37:09

Fuck you.

01:42:45:00 - 01:42:49:03

Adrian, we have known each other since we were ten and this is how you're going to end this?

01:42:51:07 - 01:42:51:22

I...

01:42:54:05 - 01:42:55:23

I just wanted to see you one last time.

01:42:59:15 - 01:43:01:01

Well it looks like you got what you wanted.

01:43:05:15 - 01:43:07:02

You're a fucking coward.

01:43:13:02 - 01:43:14:10

You're a piece of shit.

01:43:17:12 - 01:43:18:08

I think you should go now.

01:43:28:16 - 01:43:29:19

I'm really sorry, Carly.

01:44:14:08 - 01:44:15:18

Oh shit, Mom!

01:44:15:21 - 01:44:16:16

Language!

01:44:16:17 - 01:44:19:16

Oh my God, what are you doing in here?

01:44:19:16 - 01:44:24:12

Oh your dad was snoring up a storm and I came in here to wait for you and I guess I just fell asleep.

01:44:25:24 - 01:44:26:19

Where have you been?

01:44:28:03 - 01:44:29:23

Um, I was hanging out with Carly.

01:44:31:15 - 01:44:34:03

Oh, did you have a good time?

01:44:37:09 - 01:44:38:19

Oh honey you don't look very good.

01:44:39:10 - 01:44:40:12

Yeah, no I don't feel good.

01:44:40:22 - 01:44:42:02

Have you been drinking?

01:44:42:03 - 01:44:42:19

Mom...

01:44:42:17 - 01:44:45:20

And you drove all the way from Dallas, you could've killed someone!

01:44:45:18 - 01:44:47:20
I'm not drunk Mom, Jesus.

01:44:47:21 - 01:44:48:12
Adrian!

01:44:49:01 - 01:44:49:20
Oh my God...

01:45:02:22 - 01:45:04:12
Let's hope it's not another stomach flu.

01:45:07:19 - 01:45:09:12
Maybe I should take you to the doctor tomorrow.

01:45:09:12 - 01:45:11:01
No, it's not a stomach flu.

01:45:13:04 - 01:45:15:14
And, I'm actually starting to feel a little better.

01:45:17:08 - 01:45:19:11
Are you able to undress yourself and get in the tub?

01:45:19:03 - 01:45:19:23
Yeah, mom.

01:45:29:07 - 01:45:30:18
It smells like bubble gum.

01:45:32:07 - 01:45:33:09
Just like childhood.

01:45:35:21 - 01:45:38:02
Y'know you made a bath for me every single time I'm sick.

01:45:39:10 - 01:45:40:09
And I still do.

01:45:42:12 - 01:45:44:16
I'm sorry Mom, I didn't mean to make you mad.

01:45:46:04 - 01:45:47:11
I swear I'm not drunk.

01:45:49:21 - 01:45:51:13

Is this about Carly?

01:45:53:08 - 01:45:54:17

We had a really big fight tonight.

01:45:56:10 - 01:45:58:07

Pretty sure that friendship's over.

01:45:58:18 - 01:45:59:21

Oh nonsense.

01:46:00:13 - 01:46:03:21

You guys have known each other forever, it's not like it's the first time you've had a fight.

01:46:05:15 - 01:46:07:20

I'm sure you'll both work through this.

01:46:11:01 - 01:46:12:22

Mom I'm never gonna be with Carly.

01:46:16:09 - 01:46:17:20

I need you to understand that.

01:46:25:15 - 01:46:28:03

You should have your tea, before it gets cold.

01:46:35:09 - 01:46:38:00

I don't want you to think we didn't like the presents you got for us.

01:46:39:02 - 01:46:41:15

We're just, not used to having such nice things.

01:46:43:08 - 01:46:45:21

And you know, your dad is kind of a cheapskate.

01:46:46:05 - 01:46:47:00

Oh mom.

01:46:50:04 - 01:46:51:08

Well, he is.

01:46:55:12 - 01:46:58:01

You're never gonna believe me when I tell you this.

01:47:00:23 - 01:47:01:09

What?

01:47:07:05 - 01:47:09:14

I didn't vote for Reagan last year.

01:47:10:02 - 01:47:10:11

Mom!

01:47:11:16 - 01:47:13:07

Your dad has no idea.

01:47:14:02 - 01:47:15:16

You voted for Mondale?

01:47:16:15 - 01:47:18:17

You actually voted for a Democrat?

01:47:19:12 - 01:47:24:18

I changed my mind at the last minute. I really liked his nuclear freeze policy and --

01:47:25:21 - 01:47:27:04

I don't believe in war.

01:47:28:11 - 01:47:31:20

I saw what it did to your dad, and to his friends.

01:47:34:01 - 01:47:36:19

And then there's the Equal Rights Amendment.

01:47:37:17 - 01:47:39:20

I just had a good feeling about him.

01:47:45:21 - 01:47:48:07

I didn't even know you were that into politics.

01:47:48:13 - 01:47:50:11

Sweetie, I'm not just a country bumpkin.

01:47:51:12 - 01:47:55:05

I like to think of myself as a well-informed citizen these days.

01:48:06:10 - 01:48:07:23

You think you're ready for bed?

01:48:09:15 - 01:48:11:20

Um, I'm gonna stay here another minute.

01:48:13:21 - 01:48:14:11

Okay.

01:48:18:02 - 01:48:18:17

Thanks mom.

01:48:52:03 - 01:48:52:17

Adrian?

01:48:52:03 - 01:48:52:14

Adrian.

01:48:55:05 - 01:48:56:18

Uh, yeah?

01:48:57:08 - 01:48:58:22

Get up, we're gonna be late.

01:48:59:04 - 01:49:02:05

Oh honey, just let him rest he's not feeling well.

01:49:03:00 - 01:49:04:20

But mom he already said he was gonna take me.

01:49:07:10 - 01:49:09:06

Adrian? Can we go now?

01:49:13:19 - 01:49:16:04

Yeah, hey can you just give me --

01:49:17:02 - 01:49:18:10

Just give me like two minutes?

01:49:26:15 - 01:49:28:05

Hey can we have --

01:49:28:15 - 01:49:31:01

One adult, one child for *A Chorus Line*, please?

01:49:31:10 - 01:49:32:16

Sorry, that one's sold out.

01:49:34:14 - 01:49:37:09

I'm sorry, bud, it's my fault we're late.

01:49:37:13 - 01:49:42:10

It's okay um, I wouldn't mind seeing *Back to the Future*.

01:49:42:22 - 01:49:44:06

How many times have you seen that?

01:49:44:16 - 01:49:45:13

I dunno, like, four?

01:49:46:12 - 01:49:49:05

Okay uh let's see something you haven't seen.

01:49:49:13 - 01:49:50:09

Okay...

01:49:51:03 - 01:49:52:19

Oh. *Nightmare 2*.

01:49:53:12 - 01:49:59:14

That's rated R. I can't take you to see that, mom and dad would kill me.

01:49:56:14 - 01:49:57:23

Mom and dad don't have to know.

01:49:59:14 - 01:50:00:11

Please?

01:50:37:08 - 01:50:38:22

So, I think I'm gonna get these.

01:50:41:12 - 01:50:44:07

You don't have to spend your entire gift certificate today buddy.

01:50:44:16 - 01:50:46:03

Yeah but they had all the ones I wanted.

01:50:48:06 - 01:50:53:11

Bud you... wow you are listening to way too much Top 40.

01:50:55:19 - 01:50:58:10

Alright, we gotta get you some different tapes do you um...

01:51:00:03 - 01:51:00:21

Do you know *The Cure*?

01:51:02:09 – 01:51:03:07
Or *REM*?

01:51:03:15 - 01:51:04:02
Who?

01:51:04:04 - 01:51:05:03
Ok, let's go.

01:51:52:05 - 01:51:52:17
Hey.

01:51:55:03 – 01:51:55:23
You wanna have a drink?

01:51:56:16 - 01:51:57:21
No I'm good, thanks.

01:52:00:15 - 01:52:01:18
Couldn't sleep either huh?

01:52:03:11 - 01:52:03:23
No.

01:52:06:02 - 01:52:07:17
Come on, put that water down.

01:52:08:20 - 01:52:10:12
Have a beer with your old man, come on.

01:52:11:15 – 01:52:12:11
Grab a seat.

01:52:16:23 - 01:52:17:13
There ya go.

01:52:18:05 – 01:52:18:19
Sit down.

01:52:24:10 - 01:52:25:22
Have I ever had a drink with you before?

01:52:26:10 - 01:52:27:20
No, I don't think so.

01:52:29:11 - 01:52:32:15

Hell, I was 15 when I first had a beer with my dad.

01:52:38:04 - 01:52:39:08

Oh well, cheers.

01:52:40:09 - 01:52:40:22

Cheers, dad.

01:52:50:00 - 01:52:50:15

You --

01:52:51:15 – 01:52:54:03

Took off just as soon as you could. You couldn't have --

01:52:55:11 – 01:52:56:19

Taken off any faster.

01:53:00:14 - 01:53:01:23

Were you running away from something?

01:53:04:18 - 01:53:05:20

I wasn't running away dad.

01:53:10:01 - 01:53:12:17

I can feel Andrew drifting away from me.

01:53:15:06 - 01:53:16:13

I don't even know what to do about it.

01:53:19:03 - 01:53:23:02

Everything was fine when he was playing football. I was at every game.

01:53:24:15 - 01:53:28:14

Once he started to get into the theater, I just didn't know how to talk to him anymore.

01:53:30:16 - 01:53:31:22

Well you can just --

01:53:32:23 – 01:53:35:08

Ask him questions about it, that's a good place to start.

01:53:36:13 - 01:53:43:12

He doesn't think I know anything about that stuff, thinks I don't get it. Maybe he's right, I've --

01:53:43:06 – 01:53:45:23

I've never been an artsy-fartsy kind of guy anyway.

01:53:49:10 - 01:53:50:18

But I am getting worried.

01:53:53:22 - 01:53:54:10

Does he --

01:53:55:14 – 01:53:56:22

Does he seem soft to you?

01:53:58:06 - 01:53:59:12

He's still a kid, dad.

01:53:59:13 - 01:54:04:18

But you weren't like him when you were his age. You played sports all through high school.

01:54:05:11 – 01:54:11:12

You helped me out in the shop. I mean, Andrew's gotta be a lot tougher or he's gonna have a hard time out in the world.

01:54:13:08 - 01:54:14:11

Your grandfather,

01:54:14:16 - 01:54:21:15

Now he was tough on me. He didn't hug any of his sons, or ask us questions.

01:54:23:13 - 01:54:26:21

But he sure new how to straighten us out with discipline.

01:54:27:18 – 01:54:30:14

Or a good ol' ass whoopin if that's what was called for.

01:54:31:03 – 01:54:35:00

I am who I am today because of him, and I turned out alright, didn't I?

01:54:36:12 - 01:54:36:21

Yeah.

01:54:47:16 - 01:54:49:20

You know you can always count on me right?

01:54:51:22 - 01:54:58:22

If something goes wrong, you need money, anything at all. We may not have much but we always pull through.

01:55:00:23 - 01:55:01:06

Hell...

01:55:02:04 – 01:55:06:16

You wouldn't believe some of the stuff I did for my buddies in 'Nam, against them gooks.

01:55:06:15 - 01:55:07:22

Dad, you can't say "gooks."

01:55:07:20 - 01:55:09:19

I can call them whatever the fuck I want!

01:55:11:07 - 01:55:12:05

You weren't there.

01:55:15:04 – 01:55:22:09

There were people's lives depending on me. I've helped so many people. I'm still known for that, you ask anyone in town.

01:55:23:10 - 01:55:27:07

I'm the most reliable person in this town. Ask anyone.

01:55:33:19 - 01:55:34:07

So?

01:55:36:23 - 01:55:38:07

Is everything ok with you?

01:55:42:07 - 01:55:44:06

Oh come on now, I don't have all damn night.

01:55:43:23 - 01:55:45:11

Yeah, everything's fine.

01:55:56:01 - 01:55:57:04

How'd you pay for the gifts?

01:56:00:05 - 01:56:01:13

I've already told you guys.

01:56:01:20 - 01:56:03:09

It's a lot of money, Adrian.

01:56:10:05 - 01:56:12:11

I tried to call your office a few months ago.

01:56:14:00 - 01:56:15:00

Dad you can't --

01:56:15:02 - 01:56:20:01

You just... if you need to talk to me you have to call my house, they don't like personal calls.

01:56:20:03 - 01:56:22:13

I wondered why you wouldn't give us your work number.

01:56:24:00 - 01:56:26:00

But didn't take me long to figure that out.

01:56:30:05 - 01:56:31:23

They said you don't work there no more.

01:56:35:23 - 01:56:40:19

Well, I'm not sure who you talked to, it's a really big agency, they were probably confused --

01:56:40:18 - 01:56:41:15

Don't lie to me.

01:56:42:15 - 01:56:43:11

What happened?

01:56:45:16 - 01:56:49:01

I mean, did you get fired? Did you steal something?

01:56:49:02 - 01:56:49:16

Dad!

01:56:52:12 - 01:56:54:06

Well answer... answer my question!

01:56:56:02 - 01:56:58:05

You may be a grown man but I'm still your father.

01:56:58:04 - 01:57:00:02

Ok I didn't steal anything!

01:57:01:16 - 01:57:02:00

I can't --

01:57:02:22 - 01:57:05:11

I gotta go to bed.

01:57:05:16 - 01:57:08:09

You remember when I was in Connecticut for Frank's funeral?

01:57:09:03 – 01:57:11:05

He was the commander of my platoon. You remember?

01:57:10:20 - 01:57:11:04

Yeah.

01:57:13:19 - 01:57:14:11

Well...

01:57:20:20 - 01:57:22:08

They thought he killed himself --

01:57:24:10 - 01:57:26:13

Knowing him he just probably just got too wasted.

01:57:27:21 – 01:57:30:23

fooling around on some shooting range that he shouldn't have been on.

01:57:32:08 – 01:57:33:12

Stupid son of a bitch.

01:57:36:16 - 01:57:41:08

So I was in Connecticut for Frank, and then I took...

01:57:42:15 - 01:57:45:06

The train down to the city to have lunch with you.

01:57:46:19 - 01:57:47:04

Yeah.

01:57:47:10 - 01:57:51:16

I asked if I could see your place but you had excuses as to why that wasn't a good idea.

01:57:51:16 - 01:57:55:23

Dad, I just, didn't want you to see what a mess it was, if I'd had time to clean it --

01:57:56:01 - 01:57:58:07

Why are you still bullshittin' me?

01:58:02:20 - 01:58:04:13

I took a cab to your neighborhood.

01:58:08:14 - 01:58:10:01

I wanted to see where you lived.

01:58:15:22 - 01:58:18:21

As we drove, past your building --

01:58:21:00 – 01:58:29:23

I thought I saw you with some guy on the steps but I wasn't sure at first if it was you so I had the cab driver go around the block again.

01:58:32:14 - 01:58:33:08

This time...

01:58:35:21 – 01:58:37:01

I was sure it was you.

01:58:45:22 - 01:58:47:07

You had your arms around him.

01:58:52:19 - 01:58:54:01

I didn't even recognize you.

01:58:56:04 – 01:58:57:12

It was like you were a different person.

01:59:19:15 - 01:59:24:06

Don't you even think about telling your mother. You will break her heart.

01:59:27:11 - 01:59:30:11

You hear me? Not one word.

01:59:31:08 - 01:59:32:03

Yes sir.

02:00:10:02 - 02:00:10:13

Ow!

02:00:12:12 - 02:00:14:01

Did you cut yourself? Let me see...

02:00:13:19 - 02:00:14:21

Yeah... where are the Band-Aids?

02:00:15:08 - 02:00:15:18

I'll get them.

02:00:40:03 - 02:00:40:14

There.

02:00:41:14 - 02:00:42:00

I got it.

02:00:42:03 - 02:00:43:04

Why won't you let me help you?

02:00:43:04 - 02:00:44:18

I'm fine, mom! I'm not a child!

02:01:01:09 - 02:01:03:18

Adrian! Somebody's here to see you.

02:01:13:13 - 02:01:16:17

You sure there's nothing I can get for you hun? Make you some tea or something?

02:01:16:19 - 02:01:18:08

Oh no, I'm fine, Mrs.Lester.

02:01:18:09 - 02:01:20:01

Oh please, call me Eileen.

02:01:21:02 - 02:01:22:16

Where's Mr. Lester?

02:01:23:04 - 02:01:24:15

He's at the store with Andrew.

02:01:24:15 - 02:01:25:20

Oh, okay.

02:01:28:05 - 02:01:29:21

Ah, our man of the hour.

02:01:31:14 - 02:01:32:01

Hey.

02:01:32:14 - 02:01:32:22

Hi.

02:01: - 02:01:43:07

I've got a chicken to put in the oven so I'll leave you to it. Say hi to your parents for me and let me know if there's anything I can do.

02:01:43:06 - 02:01:44:10

I will, thank you so much.

02:01:44:15 - 02:01:45:02

Alright.

02:01:47:01 - 02:01:48:12

Don't be a stranger.

02:01:48:14 - 02:01:49:03

I won't.

02:01:55:08 - 02:01:57:02

I'm starving, do you wanna grab a bite?

02:02:00:01 - 02:02:02:01

Wow, this place has not changed a bit.

02:02:03:15 - 02:02:11:01

Remember we used to come here whenever we were broke and we'd order an extra large order of fries and get refills on the coke?

02:02:11:05 - 02:02:14:11

And leave no tip! We were terrible.

02:02:16:03 - 02:02:17:16

Hi, what can I get for y'all?

02:02:18:08 - 02:02:20:12

Um, I'll have a Caesar salad and a Diet Coke.

02:02:22:09 - 02:02:25:19

And I'm just gonna have a cup of coffee, cream and sugar.

02:02:26:22 - 02:02:30:07

Oh and um we're gonna have an extra large order of fries to split.

02:02:30:17 - 02:02:32:18

Ok, perfect. I'll be right back with that.

02:02:37:08 - 02:02:38:07

I'm really sorry --

02:02:39:01 – 02:02:40:15

About the other night.

02:02:41:20 - 02:02:42:09

I just don't...

02:02:43:05 - 02:02:44:13

I don't wanna lose you as a friend again.

02:02:48:22 - 02:02:50:20

Yeah, me too Carly, I'm...

02:02:55:03 - 02:02:56:21

I've really missed you I just, um...

02:03:00:07 - 02:03:02:12

I don't know if I'm gonna be here this time next year.

02:03:08:05 - 02:03:08:19

What do you mean?

02:03:16:14 - 02:03:18:19

Leo passed away two months ago.

02:03:21:15 - 02:03:22:10

In October.

02:03:26:17 - 02:03:28:04

Nine months after he was diagnosed.

02:03:32:08 - 02:03:34:08

We'd spent every New Year's Eve together since we met.

02:03:36:03 - 02:03:39:00

I was really hoping he was gonna make it to this one.

02:03:43:01 - 02:03:46:15

I called his parents up after he died.

02:03:50:04 - 02:03:51:16

They didn't want anything to do with him.

02:03:56:14 - 02:03:59:04

He really wanted to be buried in Ohio, where he was born.

02:04:00:04 – 02:04:01:23

I wasn't even able to do that for him.

02:04:07:11 - 02:04:09:06

I've lost so many friends.

02:04:10:19 - 02:04:12:14

I've been to six funerals this year.

02:04:15:03 - 02:04:16:20

I feel like I'm losing my fucking mind.

02:04:20:12 - 02:04:22:03

Leo left me his Chihuahua.

02:04:23:21 - 02:04:28:22

It breaks my heart a little bit when he looks at me funny. He's still wondering where Leo is.

02:04:32:02 – 02:04:32:22

And uh...

02:04:34:13 - 02:04:37:03

My job at the agency, I lost that.

02:04:41:00 - 02:04:42:17

Someone might have found out, I don't know.

02:04:44:17 - 02:04:46:20

I'm working at a restaurant.

02:04 - 02:04:51:20

Barely getting by, I spent all my money on Christmas gifts.

02:04:54:12 - 02:04:57:09

I can't believe it took you this long to tell me.

02:04:59:10 - 02:05:01:06

Did you really think I wasn't gonna be cool with that?

02:05:01:16 - 02:05:02:01

Yeah.

02:05:06:00 - 02:05:08:14

I guess we're even. You don't really know me either.

02:05:11:06 - 02:05:12:12

Promise me something,

02:05:14:16 - 02:05:18:18

When you get sick, you have to call me. Okay?

02:05:20:13 - 02:05:22:04

You don't wanna be anywhere near this.

02:05:23:17 - 02:05:24:13

Trust me...

02:05:26:13 - 02:05:28:02

Things are gonna get really ugly.

02:05:29:08 - 02:05:31:17

I shouldn't have kissed you. If something happened to you --

02:05:32:15 - 02:05:34:20

Stop it, okay, stop it. You're being paranoid.

02:05:35:22 - 02:05:36:12

Okay?

02:05:37:16 - 02:05:39:15

I'm gonna see you next Christmas.

02:05:39:21 - 02:05:41:23

We're gonna go out and we're gonna have a good time.

02:05:42:05 - 02:05:43:23

And who knows, there might be a cure by then.

02:05:45:00 - 02:05:46:20

There could be new drugs, new treatments --

02:05:46:18 - 02:05:47:20

I'm not gonna make it that long.

02:05:50:07 - 02:05:53:05

You're still healthy. You don't even look sick to me.

02:06:16:15 - 02:06:17:02

Sorry.

02:06:31:14 - 02:06:33:06

You don't have to say yes to this.

02:06:36:13 - 02:06:37:10

But in the future...

02:06:40:23 - 02:06:43:02

Would you tell Andrew what really happened to me?

02:06:45:11 – 02:06:46:00

Please?

02:07:01:09 - 02:07:03:23

Honey, will you do us the honor?

02:07:05:13 - 02:07:06:06

Uh, yeah sure.

02:07:11:19 - 02:07:12:14

Dear Father...

02:07:13:17 – 02:07:14:10

Um...

02:07:16:16 - 02:07:19:20

Thank You for another wonderful meal.

02:07:22:03 - 02:07:26:07

And we wanna thank You for allowing us to spend this Christmas together.

02:07:29:23 - 02:07:35:12

We pray that there are many more days like this to come, and many more memories for us to look forward to.

02:07:39:22 - 02:07:41:12

And we pray that...

02:07:42:16 - 02:07:47:21

You'll continue to teach us how to love each other unconditionally, just the way that You love us.

02:07:51:05 - 02:07:55:09

We pray that Your everlasting grace continues to lead and inspire us. Amen.

02:07:56:03 - 02:07:56:22

Amen.

02:08:00:04 - 02:08:00:23

That was lovely.

02:08:01:09 - 02:08:01:21

Thanks Mom.

02:08:02:16 - 02:08:04:20

Can't you just stay a few more days?

02:08:06:01 - 02:08:08:22

I really wish I could Andrew but I have to get back to work.

02:08:12:01 - 02:08:14:23

So, when are you gonna come home next?

02:08:15:02 - 02:08:18:12

Um well...

02:08:19:23 - 02:08:21:01

The next chance that I get.

02:08:22:13 - 02:08:29:08

Better not be another three years. I mean, you have a promotion now, you make money, can't you just fly home whenever you want?

02:08:29:06 - 02:08:30:04

Let it go Andrew.

02:08:50:22 - 02:08:51:10

Hey.

02:08:52:04 - 02:08:52:23

Hey.

02:08:54:23 - 02:08:55:13

What's going on?

02:09:02:06 - 02:09:03:20

I'll tell him for you.

02:09:05:14 - 02:09:06:12

I'll tell Andrew.

02:09:10:11 - 02:09:11:09

Thank you, Carly.

02:09:14:17 - 02:09:15:07

Thank you.

02:09:35:17 - 02:09:37:16

Now I told you I don't need a new coat.

02:09:37:21 - 02:09:42:03

Honey he's leaving soon, would you just put it o. It's the least you can do.

02:09:42:02 - 02:09:43:05

Would you stop pestering me?

02:09:43:08 - 02:09:45:18

If you won't put it on for him then just put it on for me.

02:09:45:17 - 02:09:46:04

Eileen!

02:09:46:23 - 02:09:48:03

God you're so stubborn.

02:09:50:02 - 02:09:53:23

Why don't you just take it to work you? It's supposed to get cold later.

02:09:56:23 - 02:09:58:06

I'm sorry I have to go again bud.

02:10:00:03 - 02:10:01:09

Are you gonna miss me?

02:10:06:12 - 02:10:07:01

Alright.

02:10:09:05 - 02:10:11:19

Wish I could bring you with me, but you're just too big.

02:10:23:07 - 02:10:25:23

I gotta go to work early so your mom's gonna take you to the airport.

02:10:26:08 - 02:10:26:21

Alright.

02:10:27:09 - 02:10:29:15

So, I'll say my goodbyes now.

02:10:32:23 - 02:10:33:22

Take good care of yourself.

02:10:34:15 - 02:10:35:07

You too, dad.

02:10:35:07 - 02:10:36:02

I meant what I said.

02:10:38:11 - 02:10:39:14

You can always count on me.

02:10:41:11 - 02:10:41:21

Okay.

02:10:42:20 - 02:10:43:10

Hey, dad.

02:10:44:10 - 02:10:44:17

Yeah?

02:10:46:21 - 02:10:51:01

I was reading through some passages in the Bible that you and Mom got me and --

02:10:56:01 - 02:10:57:09

I know I need to make some changes.

02:11:01:02 - 02:11:03:12

I'm a little lost right now but...

02:11:05:16 - 02:11:08:03

With His light, I know I can find my way back.

02:11:30:02 - 02:11:30:18

I gotta go.

02:11:31:12 - 02:11:31:21

Alright.

02:11:34:15 - 02:11:35:01

Bye, dad.

02:11:45:04 - 02:11:45:14

Andrew...

02:11:48:04 - 02:11:48:16

Andrew?

02:12:31:11 - 02:12:31:20

Mom?

02:13:12:03 - 02:13:12:19

Is it time?

02:13:13:06 - 02:13:14:13

Yeah, we should get going.

02:13:32:06 - 02:13:34:21

Okay, I'm just gonna drop you here.

02:13:36:07 - 02:13:36:22

And I'm...

02:13:38:00 - 02:13:39:00

I'm not gonna walk you in, okay?

02:13:39:22 - 02:13:40:08

Okay.

02:13:43:00 - 02:13:45:00

I don't want you to miss your plane.

02:13:55:17 - 02:13:56:03

You know...

02:13:58:09 - 02:14:01:03

You don't have to tell me, until you're ready.

02:14:05:21 - 02:14:07:12

And I'll try to be ready when you are.

02:14:12:15 - 02:14:13:14

Mom...

02:14:28:21 - 02:14:29:10

Alright...

02:14:32:21 - 02:14:34:00

I should probably get going.

02:14:36:14 - 02:02:14:37:00

Okay.

02:15:13:16 - 02:15:14:11

I love you, mom.

02:15:15:19 - 02:15:16:17

I love you, too.

02:16:59:18 - 02:17:00:12

Hey Andrew...

02:17:01:19 - 02:17:04:07

Now I want you to keep this tape as long as possible.

02:17:05:18 - 02:17:08:17

I think you might need to listen to this again in the future.

02:17:09:07 - 02:17:11:16

It might make more sense to you when you're older.

02:17:13:14 - 02:17:15:03

You're gonna have some tough days.

02:17:16:18 - 02:17:17:23

Days where...

02:17:19:17 - 02:17:21:16

You'll feel like everything sucks.

02:17:22:20 - 02:17:24:12

And you don't wanna get out of bed.

02:17:25:21 - 02:17:29:05

Days where you're gonna feel like you just don't belong.

02:17:30:05 - 02:17:31:13

I've had a lot of those days.

02:17:33:06 - 02:17:34:11

And I want you to know...

02:17:36:10 - 02:17:38:13

You're not the only one who feels the way that you do.

02:17:40:18 - 02:17:43:04

There's a whole world out there for someone like you.

02:17:44:05 - 02:17:47:09

I promise you, you are not as different as you think you are.

02:17:49:03 - 02:17:51:06

And mom and dad, they might not get it.

02:17:52:18 - 02:17:54:23

A lot of your friends might not get it either.

02:17:55:16 - 02:17:59:09

And some of them might say some pretty mean and awful things.

02:18:00:10 - 02:18:01:15

Because they just don't get it.

02:18:03:10 - 02:18:04:01

But I get it.

02:18:05:19 - 02:18:07:12

And I know that you're gonna learn to be happy.

02:18:09:11 - 02:18:10:08

With who you are.

02:18:12:05 - 02:18:16:21

And you may need to be in another place to be happy and you know what? That's ok, that's why I left home.

02:18:17:21 - 02:18:20:03

It might seem like the hardest thing to do at first.

02:18:21:12 - 02:18:23:17

But it might be the right thing for you too.

02:18:25:07 - 02:18:26:12

And in another time...

02:18:28:12 - 02:18:29:14

At another place...

02:18:31:19 - 02:18:33:02

You're gonna meet the right people.

02:18:34:22 - 02:18:36:19

People that are just like you.

02:18:38:08 - 02:18:39:15

People that are just like me.

02:18:41:05 - 02:18:42:08

So hang in there Andrew.

02:18:43:11 - 02:18:46:05

Things tend to get a little darker before they get brighter.

02:18:48:09 - 02:18:51:13

I will always regret that I wasn't home enough these past few years.

02:18:52:20 - 02:18:55:04

I feel like I'm only really getting to know you this time around.

02:18:57:19 - 02:18:59:07

And I'm proud that you're my brother.

02:19:03:09 - 02:19:04:12

I will always be with you.

02:20:21:13 - 02:20:27:04

Radio: We know that there is no forgiveness in hell. Whatever goes to hell, will stay in hell-

02:20:49:11 - 02:20:52:18

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02:20:53:16 – 02:20:55:13

We are now boarding groups A and B.

02:20:56:21 – 02:20:58:04

Please have your boarding passes ready.

02:20:59:06 – 02:21:02:00

Again, we are now boarding groups A and B.

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