



SO BASICALLY
YOU'RE SAYING MY
BOYFRIEND'S A
[REDACTED]...

WHEN THE
HELL DID I SAY
THAT?

**1: WE CAN WORK
WITH THAT**



YOU'RE KIND OF SURPRISED, YOU NEVER IMAGINED ME WITH SOMEONE LIKE HIM.

RIGHT...

HE SEEMS LIKE, UM, KIND OF A BRAIN. LIKE, INTO CULTURE AND SHIT. WHICH YOU CHANGED TO STUFF.

YEAH...

WELL, THAT'S EDDIE FOR [REDACTED].



NO IT'S NOT--!

HOW LONG HAVE I KNOWN YOU?

I'M SERIOUSLY TELLING YOU, I DON'T THINK ANDREW'S A [REDACTED]. HE'S JUST--NOT WHAT I EXPECTED, THAT'S ALL.



THAT'S YOUR STORY. I GUESS YOU'RE STICKING TO IT.

LOOK, CAN WE JUST GO BACK TO WHERE WE WERE A SECOND AGO? WHY DO YOU WANT ME AT THIS THING?



I JUST...I REALLY THINK IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR THE TWO OF YOU TO GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER, THAT'S ALL.

YEAH, BUT AT AN ART SHOW IN CHELSEA?



IF YOU'RE NOT INTERESTED—

NO, NO, IT'S OKAY. I'LL GO. I WANT TO.

MONDAY NIGHT: JESS WON'T BE ABLE TO MAKE IT, SHE HAS HER BOOK CLUB. BUT I'LL BE THERE.



SO BOYFRIEND MEETS PARTNER, HUH? THIS IS NEW, I'VE NEVER KNOWN YOU TO GET THAT SERIOUS WITH ANYONE...

I GUESS I MUST BE TRYING SOMETHING DIFFERENT.



WHAT, LIKE AN ACTUAL RELATIONSHIP?

— YOU...



HMM.

YOU KNOW, THERE ARE PLENTY OF WORSE WAYS TO SPEND MY TIME THAN SITTING HERE [REDACTED] WITH YOU. BUT... YOU THINK THIS IS US NOW?



I THINK WE'RE LUCKY WE'RE ON THE STREET AT ALL.

AND SOME OF THE LOOKS WE GET—I MEAN WE GO TO WORK WITH COPS, NOT IDIOTS. NOT PEOPLE WHO'LL JUST ACCEPT WHAT THEY WERE TOLD WENT DOWN, YOU KNOW?



MM.

IT'S JUST... WAITING FOR SOMEONE LIKE CLEAVON, IT'S SUCH A WASTE OF US.



I WAS THINKING ABOUT THEM THE OTHER DAY. I MEAN I THINK ABOUT THEM ALL THE TIME, BUT—I WAS OUT IN THE YARD, SPRAYING THE ROSES FOR GREENFLY OR SOMETHING, AND THEY JUST POPPED INTO MY HEAD.

AND I DON'T MIND TELLING YOU, I WAS CRYING MY EYES OUT. COULDN'T STOP.



HAD A COUPLE OF THOSE MYSELF.

COME ON...



THE TOUGH CHICK HAS HER MOMENTS, EDDIE.

HEADS UP.

