

EVERYTHING IN IT: EXCERPT

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Red Lemon, Jovia, and LOLA, a tall frizzy haired woman, are all collapsed on pillows and cushions on the floor, passing around the ear dropper. Red Lemon hands the ear dropper to Howard, who is still in his Blue Man costume. Howard takes the dropper and puts drops in his ears. He looks dazed.

Red Lemon begins a bizarre dance, standing up and putting his arms over his head. He sways his arms slowly back and forth. Then he GRUNTS and collapses to the floor. The others CLAP appreciatively. Lola opens a large trunk and pulls out an iPHONE.

HOWARD

What is that?

LOLA

It's a camera phone from the early 2000's. It creates such a lovely, out of focus image.

Lola hands the iPHONE to Jovia. Lola sits down on the floor in the lotus position and closes her eyes. Jovia begins recording a video of Lola.

JOVIA

I'll call this one, The Sound of Silence.

Red Lemon and Lola APPLAUD proudly. Lola thrusts the iPHONE into Howard's hands.

LOLA

Produce your film.

Jovia hands Howard the ear dropper again. He takes it and puts a few more drops in his ears.

JOVIA

Howard, is time for you give birth to your artist.

Hesitantly, Howard takes the iPHONE.

RED LEMON

Art is all around you, man. You just have to let your camera be your eyes. This moment is all we have. Capture this moment!

Howard walks over to the ladder that is in the middle of the room and climbs up to the very top. He almost loses his balance. The Bohemians LAUGH nervously as he sways.

Then Howard holds the iPHONE and records the tops of the Bohemians' heads.

HOWARD

I call it... the bird's eye view.

He leaps off the ladder onto a mattress, somersaulting onto the ground. Everyone CLAPS. Howard hands the iPHONE back to Jovia.

JOVIA

That is absolutely fantastic.

LOLA

Brilliant!

JOVIA

I think we should give him the password, Red.

RED LEMON

First thing's first.

HOWARD

The password to what?

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Theloft.edu

HOWARD

What's that?

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Our website.

HOWARD

I thought nobody uses the Internet anymore.

RED LEMON

We do.

LOLA

We've turned the World Wide Web ghost town into our private meeting space.

JOVIA

It's how Bohemians organize, connect, philosophize, invent, harmonize, intellectualize, and unite.