

10. Gucci

Richard 00:00

You need a glass of water and a...

Greta 00:01

Yeah, because I can hear my... my granola.

Richard 00:04

I'm over by your mic. It's like um

Greta 00:06

Yeah?

Richard 00:07

You know when you're eating a bag of Doritos, and you clean your hands off thinking okay, now I'll go back to work now, I've just done wiped off my Doritos on my trousers.

Greta 00:17

Yeah.

Richard 00:18

And also I'm ready to get back into action and before you know what your hands back and that Dorito bag, you know, and redirtying in those fingers.

Greta 00:24

Yep. But it's nice you know that stain on the right leg.

Richard 00:26

But you start to get sort of an orange patch you know

Greta 00:29

Yeah, you get an orange patch.

Richard 00:31

And then you see that guy, like somebody else with one of those as you're walking on the road, you know? And you just get one of those little nods of acknowledgement, you know?

Greta 00:38

Yeah, he likes the chili, tangy cheese also, you know.

Richard 00:42

You know, yeah

Greta 00:42

You can tell what flavour Doritos people like by looking at their trousers.

Richard 00:47

We should be personal investigators.

Greta 00:52

We should.

Richard 00:53

I'm coming into my mic now. Sorry for that horrible, horrible recording quality being away from mic, okay.

Greta 01:01

When I drive

Richard 01:02

Yes?

Greta 01:03

I use the corner of the seat. I sit on to dust off whatever food I'm eating

Richard 01:08

Oh my.

Greta 01:09

And I often think of this, it has been going on for years. And they could sample all sorts, I could be growing a new community.

Richard 01:17

Yeah, a beautiful new community.

Greta 01:20

Of organisms.

Richard 01:22

Yeah. Yeah, you could see the planet. You know, if you think of a virginal planet that has everything you need, water and whatnot, but it has no organic life yet. Just chuck the corner of Greta's seat into the ocean there. And you know, give it a few billion years and you're in business with rain forests and all sorts of problems. you know.

Greta 01:41

Indeed

01:41

[Musical Intro] (Both Singing) Richard and Greta, gonna make your lives better, today.

Greta 01:51

So we spent the night in the shed.

Richard 01:53

Yeah. So I don't know, where where you live, um, what...

Greta 02:01

Who are you talking to?

Richard 02:02

Ya know, the listeners?

Greta 02:03

Yeah.

Richard 02:04

I just want to tell them what the shed is. You know, so we've got a friend that's got a log cabin.

Greta 02:08

Yeah, it's a wooden cabin at the end of the garden.

Richard 02:11

You know?

Greta 02:12

It's quite rustic. It smells wooden there.

Richard 02:14

Yes.

Greta 02:15

Richard got wood in there.

Richard 02:17

Sometimes you get those boners that you don't know that you had you know, you don't go "oh", you don't like- when you're home, you know, thinking about a fantasy, you don't think "ah, yes, with Greta in a cabin".

Greta 02:30

We didn't blow the- oh my. We didn't- we, oh. You know, I mean, we didn't, I didn't blow, uh.

Richard 02:30

I mean, you might think that but I guess what I'm saying is I didn't know how exciting I'd find it to be in there, you know What are you saying?

Greta 02:33

I don't know.

Richard 02:34

You didn't blow the boner?

Greta 02:49

Yeah, there's a alliteration that doesn't work sometimes. You know?

Richard 02:54

It sounds like, yeah, it sounds like a negative like, "oh, you really blew the boner this time"

Greta 02:58

Yeah, no. Do you want me to blow your boner?

Richard 03:00

Yeah, that kind of makes me feel like I want to die or let me blow your bone, it sort of has an ironically opposite effect

Greta 03:09

Blow I mean, I don't want to inflate you.

Richard 03:12

Blow job of the boner.

03:15

[Short musical intermission]

Greta 03:16

We had spent the eve in the woodshed, one on an orthopedic stool and the other on a round ball. You know, a yoga ball.

Richard 03:24

Yes, yes, 'twas I who sat perched on the yoga ball, gently bouncing up and down, you know, letting it cradle my weight as Greta soothed my ears with tales of her life and you know, giving me her wisdoms and perspectives.

Greta 03:47

And weren't we musing on those kings and queens of polyamory who do not apologise for their many lovers.

Richard 03:55

Yes.

Greta 03:55

How they do that, I'm not sure.

Richard 03:58

Yes, you know, we were talking about the courageousness and you were saying maybe not everyone's built that way and I kind of tend to agree you know, I respect these people, I think "my, how do you do it?", you know, how do you just not care

Greta 04:12

Or expect others not to care and they kind of fall into suit you know.

Richard 04:16

Yeah, that's the hardest part.

Greta 04:18

Yeah.

Richard 04:18

I'm a guilty old conscious over here you know, I can't imagine being like "Greta I'm just gonna go out and bang around a little bit. See you later though. And I love you you know"

Greta 04:28

Not to give you permission at all. You don't have it Richard, but if I had met you and you had said that, I wouldn't have ill feelings, I would know it was my choice.

Richard 04:39

Yes.

Greta 04:39

But the account enter into that halfway through go "Oh, game changer"

Richard 04:44

"By the way, I'm poly", so a great adjective just to chuck down for like wanting to sleep around. Oh, I'm poly.

Greta 04:51

I mean, I'd certainly be poly if I was hanging out with some dick the whole time.

Richard 04:55

You know?

Greta 04:56

It's are you getting the most?

Richard 04:58

Are you getting the most? Do you have a natural monogamy forming in your bond, or do you need a little extra?

Greta 05:04

You know, and that's fine if you do.

Richard 05:06

Yeah, you know, I don't want to, I don't want to come down on people.

Greta 05:09

I don't come down on polyamory as lifestyle, I think it's fine if people want to do that. What I don't like is the identification with the word as if it is a type, I find that irritating.

Richard 05:19

Yeah, that's irritating. [Musical intermission] (Both singing) Maybe we're just jealous. How to get the most, so we're talking about the different ways that we get the most out of one another. How do we get the most out of our partners? This week, we have had various adventures one of them was, as just mentioned, we camped in our neighbor's garden shed you know, and had a fine time listening to tunes and chatting on a yoga ball. And another experience we had was looking at the zoo from the outside, you know, the zoo was closed but Greta found that there is a path that runs along the back of the zoo and you can still go see some of the animals.

Greta 06:04

And we saw some lovely camels didn't we?

Richard 06:07

We did.

Greta 06:07

With fine floppy faces facing forward.

Richard 06:10

Yes, they had beautiful lips, god they were the ridiculous kissing lips those camels had, you know.

Greta 06:16

Oh but the teeth I couldn't get in there, not with the tongue.

Richard 06:18

No, no, you gotta be careful because they invite you in you know, and then just bite your fucking face or spit in your eye or whatever, you know.

Greta 06:25

Yes, I have a feeling they have bad breath. You know, what did they eat? Hay?

Richard 06:28

Peppermint, you know.

Greta 06:29

What kind of Dorito do they taste?

Richard 06:32

Yeah.

Greta 06:32

You have to look at their legs to find out.

Richard 06:34

Their back legs.

06:35

[Musical Intermission] (Both Singing) That's nice.

Greta 06:40

It's been a while since we questioned a phrase. And I was wondering if you could expound the theory behind "barking up the wrong tree"?

Richard 06:51

Yes.

Greta 06:52

Do you use it?

Richard 06:53

Yeah "you're barking up the wrong tree", yeah all the time, you know? "You're barking up the wrong tree"

Greta 06:57

Because I am?

Richard 06:58

With most people that approached me in the supermarket you know, "Hey, excuse me sir" because people often mistake me for an employee and that always gives me the shits I'm like "I don't work here work", fuck, not that there's anything wrong with those positions.

Greta 07:11

It's your natural authority Richard

Richard 07:14

Thank you, Greta, you know so often getting asked you know, "can you tell me where the veggie-vegetable bouillon is sir?" and I say "you're barking up the wrong tree"

Greta 07:24

You're very charming, you never say that, but you wish you could

Richard 07:27

I wish I could because it steams me every time

Greta 07:30

Yeah, because you're shopping with them half an hour later or helping them, you know, you're so helpful.

Richard 07:35

You know, I've been to the store once before.

Greta 07:39

So, barking up the wrong tree.

Richard 07:41

Oh, yes, yes. Yes. What is the origin barking up the wrong tree? In my understanding and I could be wrong but in the olden times, dogs would be tested for their intelligence based on which tree they chose to bark up.

Greta 07:56

Oh, that's a dog barking, oh, I thought it was tree bark.

Richard 08:01

Oh, right, you know.

Greta 08:02

I thought that the tree was covered in the wrong kind of bark

Richard 08:05

Oh god, it's terrifying for the tree. It's like if I got up in the morning and I put your skin on I'd probably feel nice, but you might feel horrified.

Greta 08:13

Yes.

Richard 08:14

Greta and I don't sleep in our skin.

Greta 08:16

We sleep in each other's

Richard 08:17

Brings me to the phrase "Are you comfortable in your own skin?", I'm more comfortable in someone else's, you know? That's why occasionally I find a person, kill the person and skin them to make a fine pajamas.

08:35

[Musical Intermission] (Both singing) This is a sleep aid

Greta 08:40

Yes those phrases. Oh, yeah, "butter me up".

Richard 08:44

Yes.

Greta 08:45

I mean, I kind of get it, you know, you want to make me slippery so that, I guess so I let you fuck me in the ass or something.

Richard 08:51

Yeah.

Greta 08:51

Is that what it is? Buttery? I always think of Marlon Brando buttering the buttocks of somebody in a film, wasn't there a film like that? I never saw it

Richard 09:00

It sounds like a fantasy you know.

Greta 09:01

Oh, maybe it is. Oh pardon me, Richard.

Richard 09:04

You know, but "butter me up" well I'll never unhear it, I'll just think of getting fucked in the ass by Marlon Brando from now on. Could be worse you, you know.

Greta 09:13

It could be worse, but it depends which...

Richard 09:15

Can I choose his age?

Greta 09:16

Yes, which Marlon.

Richard 09:17

Because I want the big old fat one. You know? I'm not fucking around with this like rebel looking dude from the wild ones.

Greta 09:25

No, we're talking the old bald guy.

Richard 09:28

Old fat fucking, can barely talk.

Greta 09:30

Big chubby fingers.

Richard 09:31

Yeah, you know, I won't do the- you know, it's one of those really common impressions and you know, people get really annoyed by impressions, but.. "I'm gonna put butter" It's not a very good impression. "I'm gonna put butter on your ass."

Greta 09:44

It's pretty good. You know, I'm there. I've got my eyes closed and I'm there.

Richard 09:49

"Richard and Greta."

Greta 09:50

Both of us?

Richard 09:51

"Both of you, I wanna butter your asses, then I'm gonna fuck your butts."

Greta 09:58

We should invite him to the shed.

Richard 10:02

"So I'm gonna butter you up, with my dead penis all covered in greasy butter. I want your butthole" You're not Marlon Brando. "You're right about that."

Greta 10:19

Oh shit, who we got, Danny DeVito?

Richard 10:21

I don't know, well you know we really went down that road, I took you down there folks.

Greta 10:26

You took me with you, you know.

Richard 10:28

"Hey Greta"

Greta 10:29

Dead Brando

Richard 10:30

It's a fine jingle you know, Dead Brando, Dead Brando was walking hither dither, Dead Brando, Dead Brando did fuck my butt, with butter a patch on my pucker. Oh, Richard, you know, stop it, you know, quit while you're behind.

Greta 10:47

You channel people and you become them. I don't find them like impressions. It's like you are, you know, you get taken over. I don't need to be polyamorous. You know, that's one way to get the most out of your partner.

Richard 10:58

Yeah, definitely. You got me and Brando and Jimmy Stewart. And Yoda. And Yoda. I mean, what better gangbang could you ask for? You know?

11:09

[Musical Intermission] (Both Singing) That's right

11:10

[Ad break]

11:11

[Musical Intermission]

Greta 11:28

How to get the most out of your partner. I'm Greta.

Richard 11:30

And I am Richard.

Greta 11:31

And we're here to help you get the most out of each other, whether we're with someone or not. I often play a game where I imagine that I just met you, "oh I'm in trouble now. I like him", and then I surprise myself by thinking "you are with him" you know, and I get so smug.

Richard 11:47

You know similarly I look at you and I think who is this frickin wise bombshell.

Greta 11:54

You know, Richard drew on my arm, he drew the on sign from a computer. It's like that circle with a line down the middle, and I looked at that and I thought Is he trying to turn me on?

Richard 12:05

You know

Greta 12:05

And what a way to find out

Richard 12:07

The IO symbol representing the binary code something and nothing and something and nothing, oh yes please.

Greta 12:16

Let's park that love to one side. Not everyone needs to know about our dick and vagina.

Richard 12:21

Yes. I love the way you speak of them as they are both our communal property.

Greta 12:27

How is our penis today?

Richard 12:29

It is fine and it thanks you and me both for your concern.

12:36

[Musical Intermission]

Richard 12:38

Well I've got a product for you to review. Greta has been waking up in the nights with a cramp in her foot and on those nights that I can assist I do try to massage her foot.

Greta 12:51

I mean holy shit Richard you are diamond amongst shitstorms.

Richard 12:57

Hate to see one of those. As recent as yesterday didn't you buy a fine arch support?

Greta 13:03

You slip it in your shoe and I have these Nike slip on trainers, you know, there was a lace but it is obsolete. Fuckin hard to get it on, causes worse cramp than you started with. You gotta slip your foot right in.

Richard 13:18

"Do you want some butter for your shoe?"

Greta 13:20

Yes I do.

13:21

[Musical Intermission]

Richard 13:24

This is- this listener question is from Denise Franzen. And she says "what substance other than water would you like to bathe in?"

Greta 13:39

I think warm pasta. Fettuccine. Al dante, slippery and warm, you know.

Richard 13:46

Oh yeah, God, that sounds good. You know?

Greta 13:49

Yes please.

Richard 13:50

I didn't know there would be something I'd want so much as to get in a fucking bathtub full of warm fettuccine. That sounds great.

Greta 13:57

Yeah, sounds beautiful. You could eat it too, you could soak it.

Richard 14:00

God, you're making me hungry and want a bath, you know.

Greta 14:06

This is from Sid Jarnes.

Richard 14:09

Nice name Jarnes.

Greta 14:10

And he says, "I've started to talk like Richard and Greta.."

Richard 14:15

Yes.

Greta 14:17

He says "I find your turns of phrase become ear worms in my mind."

Richard 14:22

Oh.

Greta 14:22

And he wants to know he wants to know if we also suffer from our own ear worms.

Richard 14:28

Ear worms do play a big part in my life.

Greta 14:32

We have a tight parking space.

Richard 14:34

Yes.

Greta 14:34

And I have to clear the corner of the building opposite and it's a tight move and sometimes I just go with hope, you know if they can't see the side of my car?

Richard 14:42

Yes.

Greta 14:43

And I said "it was lucky that I didn't because, I didn't know I wouldn't, and you know what you know, when you know it"

Richard 14:48

Yes.

Greta 14:49

And that stuck around for a few days.

Richard 14:50

I'm very glad I didn't, because I didn't know I wouldn't, and you know what you know when you know it. I'm trying to think of what my Gucci song was.

Greta 14:57

Yes, oochi Gucci.

Richard 14:58

I was picturing a man with a little chihuahua named Gucci. And he was down on the beach with Gucci one day and he couldn't find him, and so I was in the shower thinking of this make believe man, you know, losing his dog and then I got this song stuck in my head. "Oochi, Gucci, where is Gucci, I don't know I can't find him, oh no, where did he go?" And it just repeats, you know, and you can just have that all day you know. As soon as you think about this guy,

Greta 15:26

Oh, this poor guy, he's crying you know, he's lost his dog.

Richard 15:29

He's just screaming out "Gucci!" and the moment he finally gets in his car without Gucci, fuck, you know.

Greta 15:36

Breaks my heart.

Richard 15:36

Can't bear it.

Richard & Greta 15:37

(Both repeating) Oochi cucci, where is Gucci, I don't know, I can't find him, oh no.

Greta 16:05

Oh, no.

Richard 16:05

Where did he go? So yeah, I do get the old ear worm stuck in my head from time to time. That one's been there for 48 hours straight. I'm about to fucking you know, go into the post office and shoot myself. You know, because..

Greta 16:17

Why there?

Richard 16:18

Because there used to be this old phrase "going postal", and the post people would get, you know, overworked and so you know, it's just drawn on that cliché, but kind of turning it on its head and just being like, you think you're crazy. Look at this shit. You know, when you know, at the same time, I'd probably you know, send a few letters while I'm there. Try to make the most out of it. If you're gonna go to the post office.

Greta 16:37

Could you return my Asos?

Richard 16:39

Yeah, yeah.

Greta 16:40

While you're there?

Richard 16:41

Yeah, definitely.

Greta 16:41

Thank you. I'll text you the barcode.

Richard 16:44

Yeah. How to get the most out of your partner, order stuff online that you don't want and get your partner to return it for you. I actually love doing it

Richard & Greta 16:51

"It was lucky that I didn't, because I didn't know I wouldn't", do want to do a round with that. (Both) It was lucky that I didn't because I don't know I wouldn't and you know what you know when you know it.

Greta 17:02

That's very nice.

Richard 17:03

This is from Donica Everton. She says "it is so nice to hear about your relationship"

Greta 17:09

Oh, that's nice.

Richard 17:10

"I look forward to being in one myself."

Greta 17:12

Oh, Nica, you will, you will.

Richard 17:14

Donica.

Greta 17:16

Donica.

Richard 17:16

Currently single and I find myself doing a little bit of engineering in the masturbation department, and I was wondering if you get up to anything and what sort of contraptions you have chosen.

Greta 17:30

Richard, you like vegetable don't you?

Richard 17:32

Do you ever find yourself home alone with a zucchini up your ass and think god, I'm really getting it wrong with eating?

Greta 17:40

Yes, and sometimes I'm sitting there thinking I wish I could change the channel. But..

Richard 17:45

You know

Greta 17:46

You know, I can't because I got the remote.. elsewhere. I've repurposed the remote now I can't get off news,

Richard 17:53

You know, men get in a lot of trouble for sticking it to different fruits and vegetables, you know, I'm probably not the only guy that's been blown by a jack-o'-lantern. But Happy Halloween. You know what I mean?

Greta 18:08

[Musical Intermission] (Both singing) We're sorry.

Richard 18:11

One moment, I'm going to collect my guitar. So Greta, yes. I wonder if we might do our utmost to channel our, you know, far off olden ancestors.

Greta 18:26

Ooh, yeah?

Richard 18:27

And tell a tale of olden times, you know?

Greta 18:32

Yes.

Richard 18:33

In song. Yes like traveling musicians on the road, you know, in the medieval times or whenever, some fantasy times.

Greta 18:44

Singing about their travels or?

Richard 18:45

Fantasy times, yes. And we'll just kind of go back and forth. You know, I might sing a verse or line and then you, would sing one and on we go,

Greta 18:55

I love that, yes.

Richard 19:01

Twas a moonlit night. I needed a place to rest my head.

Greta 19:10

I found a tree and curled around its trunk.

Richard 19:17

The trees thought of me as a fine scarf.

Richard & Greta 19:22

And I didn't dream of further away, a land far away from the land that was already far.

Richard 19:31

And I thought in the morning I shall ride.

Richard & Greta 19:36

I shall ride along the land and into the sky among the stars.

Richard 19:42

And I shall collide with something, what? A warlock.

Richard & Greta 19:49

Oh, the beard of length of a length so along

Richard 19:54

Wisping and blowing in the cloud.

Greta 19:59

I inhale his beard

Richard 20:00

I've got his beard coming out my fucking throat

Greta 20:03

Oh no, I swallowed his beard, now it's coming out my ass.

Richard 20:08

Oh gross, oh gross.

Richard & Greta 20:11

I didn't mean to get to know him so well.

Greta 20:16

The Hazards of the olden times of bygone.

Richard 20:19

Yes, you know, can get no terrible jam. No pun intended.

Greta 20:24

Pun accepted.

Richard 20:25

You knowm I love your Greta,

Greta 20:26

I love you Richard. Thank you for joining us today.

Richard 20:30

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