

Lelaina: I'm making this documentary about my friends, but it's really about people who are trying to find their own identity, without having any real role models or heroes or anything.

Michael: Wow, that's, that sounds great, it's seems like your friends would be perfect for that, like, um, like that guy Troy?

Lelaina: Troy, yeah...

Michael: So uh, so Troy's just, you guys, like, you guys living there, just the two of you?

Lelaina: No no, it's me and Vicky, but he got fired from his job, so he needed a place to crash for a couple weeks, so...they um, caught him stealing a snickers.

Michael: He...he stole a Snickers bar.

Lelaina: Haha, yeah, but somehow he can rationalize it, the uh, establishment owes him a Snickers.

Michael: Right, right. Well, I mean, I guess you know...

*(beat)*

Michael: You know, you're very beautiful. I mean, seriously, you're...

Lelaina: I'm uh, not really good with compliments, um, but um...are you religious?

Michael: Um *(beat)* I guess I'm a non-practicing Jew.

Lelaina: Hey, I'm a non-practicing virgin!

*(beat)*

Lelaina: Who's this again?

Michael: *(pick your favorite band)*.

Lelaina: Right, *(favorite band)*.

Michael: I can't believe you've never heard *(favorite album)*, that album, like, totally changed my life!

Lelaina: The most profound, important invention of my lifetime – The Big Gulp.

Michael: Big Gulp.

Lelaina: Because see, no listen, you get one in the morning, I'm talking 44 ounce, not this 32, wimpy—

Michael: 44?

Lelaina: Yeah, 44!

Michael: How can you ingest 44 ounces of anything? How can YOU ingest 44 ounces of anything?

Lelaina: You get one, you have your essential vitamins and nutrients for the entire day.

Michael: Oh, yeah, definitely, you're totally covered.

Lelaina: I guess it doesn't really take much to make me happy.

Michael: Hey, I'm not, I'm not materialistic either. I mean I think I'd be working even if I wasn't getting paid.

And I don't, like, want to get, you know, a big house, I just want like a nice house. I'm not into, like, cars and stuff, I mean I like my car...

Lelaina: You're probably not, really not into expensive, snazzy Italian suits—

Michael: Oh, come on!

Lelaina: I'm just kidding, I'm just kidding.

Michael: No no no, I'm not, wait a minute, I'm not like that, I'm really not, I mean, I know why the caged bird sings and everything.

Lelaina: Oh yeah, why?

Michael: Because, he was...in a cage, and he was...I don't know, he had high hopes, or something. Okay, I dropped out of school before we got to that, alright? See I should have stayed in college and gotten a degree in astronomy.

Lelaina: Oh, I love astronomy.

Michael: Really?

Lelaina: Yeah, I just, the math though—

Michael: Yeah—

Lelaina: I love astronomy too, and I got into class, and it was like, everything was three squared times pi equals the root of pi. And I just wanted to like, look at the stars.

Lelaina: Same here, exactly!

Michael: I remember being so happy, at my old house, just staring up at the stars. I want to do that again. I want to just look up at the stars, and take the time to smell the...everything. Do you ever have those moments in life where like, everything is ok? You know just for one moment everything is great?

Lelaina: Not since I graduated, but yeah, yeah, but when you catch yourself in a moment, and you saying, “wait, wait, I’m happy here in the moment!”

Michael: Right, right! And then it just goes away—

Lelaina: Gone!

Michael: Really quickly. I know I’ve had a couple of those. I always forget them, but I know I’ve had them.

Lelaina: Oh, me too. (*beat*). Like right now.

Michael: Yeah, like right now.