

MIKE
What was that?

LIZ
What was what?

MIKE
That reaction.

LIZ
...It was nothing.

MIKE
No. You have something in mind. What is it?

LIZ
Forget it Mike.

MIKE
Tell me.

LIZ
...Your kisses.

MIKE
My kisses? What about them?

LIZ
They were a little sloppy.

MIKE
Really?

LIZ
Yes.

MIKE
How come you never told me this?

LIZ
Because I thought clamping my mouth shut would be enough.

MIKE
I thought you liked it that way.

LIZ
No, I have my own saliva.

MIKE
Wow...Ok....
(Now Mike disengages,
tilting his head back
with his eyes closed.
(MORE)

MIKE (CONT'D)
In the future, he can see
the internet in his
head.)

LIZ
...What are you doing?

MIKE
(eyes still closed)
Nothing.

LIZ
Are you on the internet?

MIKE
Maybe.

LIZ
Are you looking at porn again?

MIKE
(opens his eyes)
No.

LIZ
Yes you are. You're lying.

MIKE
Ok, what's the difference?

LIZ
That's unbelievable. How could you look at porn at a time
like this?

MIKE
Well, let's see. I could stand here arguing and getting
ripped apart by you, or I could look at naked women having
sex. Mmm...That's a tough choice.

LIZ
See! That's the kind of stuff that ruined our marriage!

MIKE
No. Selling the house ruined our marriage.

LIZ
What?

MIKE
Everything in our lives became about being the best, having
the best, doing the best...

LIZ

Wanting a better life isn't grounds for divorce in most states.

MIKE

Did we get a better life?

LIZ

Is that my fault?

MIKE

Well I know you think it was my fault. Everything you did was 110 miles per hour!

LIZ

I had to because you're average speed was 6 inches a day!

MIKE

Changing schools and buying that house put pressure on us. And pressure caused stress. And stress broke down our family.

LIZ

Every dollar we spent caused stress for you.

(mocking)

"Oh my chest. Pain in my chest"...We had enough money!

MIKE

No we didn't.

LIZ

(tired of arguing, she changes gears)

...Why are we here today?

MIKE

(dismissing)

I don't know. Because we are.

LIZ

There has to be a reason why we came here.

MIKE

Says who? Why does everyone always have to come up with a reason why things happen?

(mocking)

"I missed the bowl this morning while I was taking a piss. I wonder why. There has to be a reason...I know! Maybe the piss killed some deadly microscopic organism on the floor and saved my life. Wow! How amazing!"