

The Diner



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HEY AMANDA! GLAD YOU COULD MAKE IT, I HEARD THE TRAFFIC IS REALLY BAD.

WELL, IT WASN'T EASY TO GET HERE I HAVE TO SAY, BUT IF YOU NEED ME, I'M HERE FOR YOU.

YEAH... THANKS FOR COMING IN AGAIN! I KNOW YOU WORKED AT THE OFFICE TODAY AS WELL AND I'M SURE THAT SINCE IT IS ONLY JUST A PART TIME JOB, YOU WOULD BE MORE HAPPY TO SPEND THE FRIDAY NIGHT AT HOME.

NO, IT'S OK. YOU KNOW I LIKE TO WORK HERE EVEN AS A PART-TIMER. AT LEAST HERE I CAN GET SOME STEAM OFF! IT'S NOT EASY TO BE AN OFFICE LATER!





WELL I'M SURE IT IS NOT! BUT I'M REALLY GRATEFUL THAT YOU CHOOSE THIS PLACE AND YOU WORK WITH US.

ANYWAY SO FAR THERE WASN'T TOO MANY PEOPLE HERE, PROBABLY WON'T BE OUR BUSIEST NIGHT.

JUST GO BACK CHANGE, AND YOU CAN START YOUR SHIFT. PROBABLY I WILL ONLY NEED YOU HERE FOR A FEW HOURS. IF THINGS GET REALLY BUSY JUST SEARCH FOR ME! I WILL BE IN MY OFFICE.

WILL DO AND THANKS!

AFTER A FEW CUSTOMERS, AND SEVERAL HOURS LATER...

WELL IT REALLY WASN'T A BUSY NIGHT! MY SHIFT IS ALMOST OVER, BUT HEY LOOKS LIKE THERE'S ANOTHER ONE IN THE CORNER.





THIS GIRL... SHE
LOOKS... FAMILIAR... BUT
FROM WHERE?


WELL, WELL, WELL...
SO THIS IS WHERE THE BIG
AMANDA HENSON SPENDS HER
FRIDAY NIGHTS! WHAT A
SURPRISE!



I'M SORRY, DO I
KNOW YOU?

OH, AMANDA! DON'T
TELL ME YOU DON'T
RECOGNISE ME FROM
SCHOOL!

THE GIRL WHO YOU
ALWAYS TORTURED, YOU KNOW
THE QUIET LONELY GOTH GIRL?
YOU KNOW, ME: HAYLEY
ANDERSON!

A woman with dark hair pulled back, wearing a grey button-down shirt and a red tie, stands in an office. She has a surprised expression. The background shows office cubicles and a door with a blue sign. Five speech bubbles are overlaid on the image, containing dialogue.


WHAT? HAYLEY? IS THAT
REALLY YOU? OH MY GOD, I
HAVEN'T SEEN YOU FOR AGES!
YOU...

...CHANGED?

WELL, YEAH! YOUR
OUTLOOK, THE WAY YOU
DRESS! YOU LOOK
NORMAL...

AHA.. THAT'S WHAT
HAPPENS WITH PEOPLE!
THEY CHANGE..

TRUE... BUT I STILL
REMEMBER YOU
DIFFERENT!



I BET.... YOU STILL SEE THE
GIRL WITH THE DARK CLOTHES,
TALKING TO HERSELF, LISTENING
GOTH MUSIC...

WELL I CAN SAY THAT
I'VE CHANGED! THE YEARS AT
THE UNIVERSITY REALLY HELPED
ME TO BECOME WHO I AM
TODAY!

YOU WOULDN'T
BELIEVE ME, IF I WOULD
SAY HOW MUCH THAT "TALKING
TO MYSELF" HELP ME!
GIGGLE



BUT I CAN SEE THAT YOU ALSO CHANGED!

ME? OH, NO IT'S NOT...

NOT TO MENTION THE FACT, THAT YOU WERE A TOTAL ASSHOLE, YOU WERE SUCH A GREAT PROMISE! BUT NOW, IT LOOKS LIKE YOU WENT DOWN THE HILL!

DON'T WORRY, YOU ARE NOT THE FIRST ONE WHO WAS SUCH A PROMISE THAN TURNED OUT TO BE A TOTAL WASTE!



WH-WHA--WHAT ARE
YOU... TAAAALKIN'...
'BOUT...






I MEAN THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH BEING A WAITRESS, BUT SOMEONE WHO SPENT YEARS AT A UNIVERSITY THIS IS NOT SOMETHING I WOULD EXPECT TO SEE!

YOU DID A GREAT JOB BACK THERE, FOOLING EVERYONE THAT YOU WERE A SMART GIRL AND HIDE YOUR DUMB SILLY ATTITUDE! THAT'S HALF SUCCESS!

BUT THE OTHER MISSING HALF... WELL THAT'S ANOTHER THING! THE PROUD CHEERLEADER GIRL TIMES ARE OVER!



I'M SURE IT'S REALLY
HARD FOR YOU!

A woman with dark hair pulled back, wearing a white button-down shirt and a red tie, stands in a hallway. She has her hands on her hips and a slightly annoyed or questioning expression. To her right is a white door with a blue sign featuring a female figure and a male figure. The background shows a modern office or dormitory setting with recessed ceiling lights and a counter with various items.

UHMMM.... OKAY, I DON'T
KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING
ABOUT, BUT I'M SURE THAT I'M
NOT THAT DUMB!


ARE YOU SURE?

DON'T YOU REMEMBER,
ALL THE TIME WHEN YOU
WERE COMING TO MY DORM
TO HELP YOU STUDY?




BUT I... I WASN'T... I...

OF COURSE YOU
WERE! YOU'LL HAVE TO
PASS THOSE EXAMS
SOMEHOW!

A woman with dark hair pulled back, wearing a white long-sleeved shirt and a red tie, stands in a bar or office setting. She has a confused expression and her hands are raised. In the foreground, the back of a woman's head with long brown hair is visible, looking towards the woman in the white shirt. The background shows a bar counter with stools and various items on it.

N-NO... YOU.. YOU ARE
DOING SOMETHING! MY
HEAD.. YOU MAKE ME SO
CONFUSED! STOP IT!

ME? TSK-TSK!
DON'T BE SILLY, MANDY!
IT'S OK TO BE CONFUSED!
AT LEAST IT'S OK FOR
YOU!



IT HAPPENED SO MANY TIMES BEFORE! I'M NOT SURPRISED CONSIDERING THE FACT, THAT HOW MANY TIMES YOU ACT DIFFERENTLY WITH EVERYONE!

I REMEMBER THAT YOU HAD TO CREATE MULTIPLE PERSONALITIES TO FOOL EVERYONE!




DID YOU TRAPPED IN ONE OF YOUR FANTASY?

HUH...? NO... I MEAN...

IT'S OK. I KNOW IT CAN MAKE YOU CONFUSE! TELL ME ABOUT IT.

WELL... I MEAN... I'M KINDA LIKE HER BOSS OR SOMETHING AT AN OFFICE! I'M A LEADER! I ONLY WORK HERE AS A PART TIMES TO HELP OUT...



OH MY GOD! THAT
SERIOUS AND THAT BIG!?
OF COURSE YOU'RE
CONFUSED! THANK GOD WE
MET!


I REMEMBER
HOW HARD IT WAS TO
SHAKE YOU OUT FROM ANY
OF YOUR FANTASY
WORLD!



LET ME HELP YOU HERE,
MANDY! YOU ARE NOT A PART
TIMER HERE! HOW COULD YOU?
THIS IS YOUR FIRST AND ONLY
JOB!


YOU WERE WORKING AS A
SECRETARY DURING THE
UNIVERSITY. BUT YOU WERE JUST AN
INTERN AND YOU ONLY WORKED
THERE FOR A FEW WEEKS!

I WAS?



OF COURSE! CAN YOU
IMAGINE YOURSELF MORE
THAN AN OFFICE BIMBO? I
BET NOT!


THIS WAS THE ONLY
PLACE, WHERE YOU COULD
FOUND A JOB AFTER YOU WERE
DROPPED OUT FROM THE
UNI!



I WAS? BUT...

OMG! YOU WERE REALLY DEEP DOWN IN THAT FANTASY, MANDY! YOU WERE TRYING TO GIVE A BLOWJOB TO THE HEADMASTER! OF COURSE YOU WERE KICKED OUT!

THAT IS REALLY NOT THE RESUME WHAT COULD GET YOU INTO ANY HIGH POSITION. SPEAKING OF WHICH...

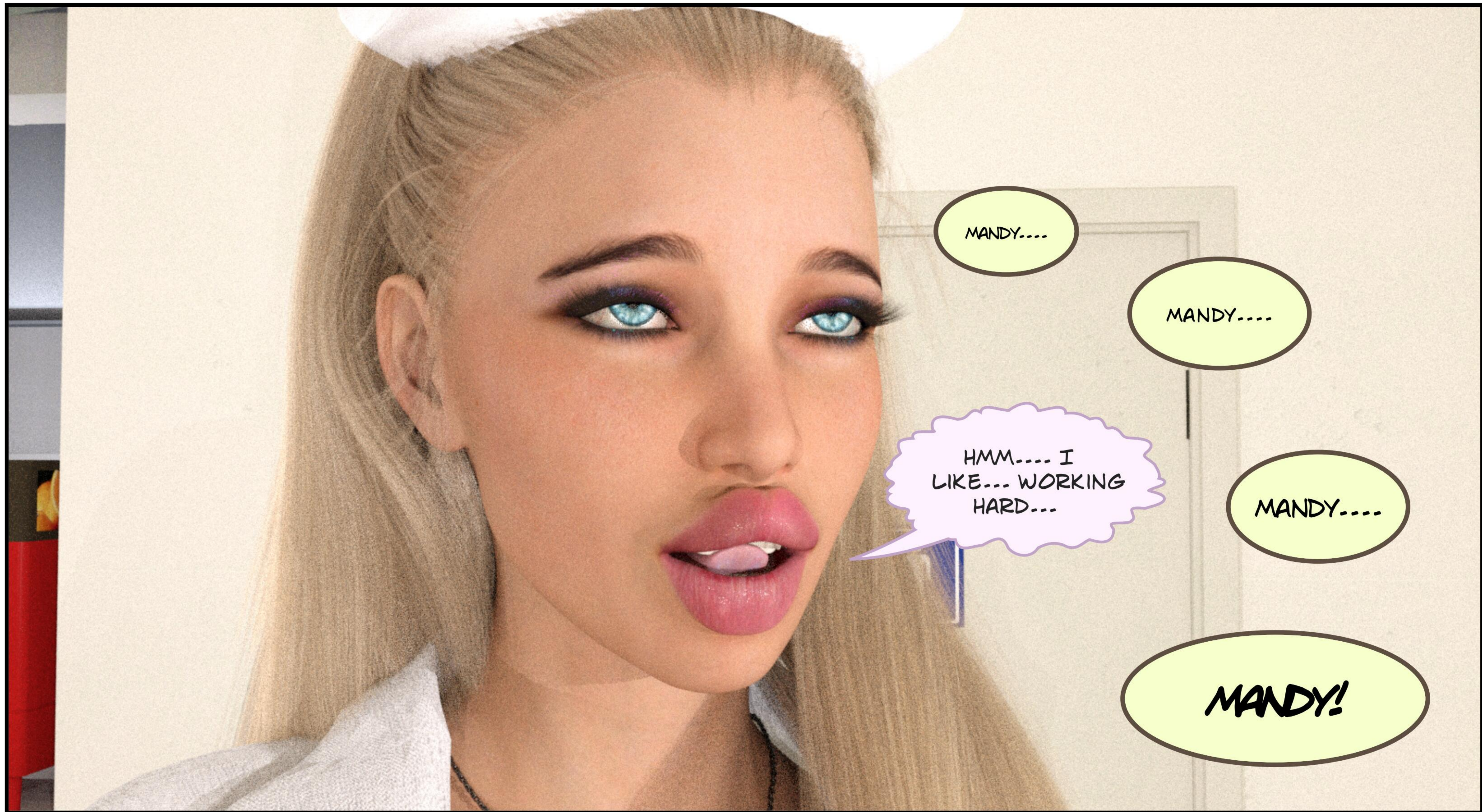


WHY THE HOSPITALITY? I
MEAN YOU CAN'T FOOL PEOPLE
HERE! EVERYTHING HAPPENS SO
FAST! ALL THE PEOPLE, THE ORDER,
REMEMBER ALL THE TABLES AND
FOOD!

I'M SURE THAT YOU
HAVE TO WORK REALLY
HARD TO KEEP THIS
POSITION!



IF YOU KNOW WHAT I
MEAN...




MANDY....

MANDY....

HMM.... I
LIKE... WORKING
HARD...

MANDY....

MANDY!



WHOHOO! EARTH TO
MANDY! ARE YOU THERE!
YOU LOST A LITTLE BIT!

I WOULD LIKE TO
CHAT MORE, BUT I THINK
IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO DO
YOUR JOB! I WON'T
ORDER.



HUH?

ORDER?

LIKE, FROM
ME?

WELL, YOU ARE
THE ONLY WAITRESS
AROUND HERE.



I WOULD LIKE
SOME FISH AND CHIPS
WITH SOME KETCHUP, AND A
DIET COKE TO WASH IT
ALL DOWN!

CAN YOU
REMEMBER IT?

LIKE, TOTALLY! FISH AND
CHIPS WITH A COKE! LIKE
YEAH, I GOT IT!



YEAH I GOT IT...



3 MINUTES LATER...

I'M LIKE, SORRY!
WHAT WAS THAT YOU
ORDERED?

JUST AS I THOUGHT!
WHY DON'T YOU USE A
NOTE?

MY NOTE?

THE ONE THAT YOU
CARRY BETWEEN YOUR
TITS!





OH! YEAH IT SHOULD DO THE TRICK!

FISH AND CHIPS AND A DIET COKE!

I THINK I GOT IT!

-1 diet COCK
-1 CIPZ



30 MINUTES LATER...

LIKE, SORRY FOR THE WAIT BUT I HAD SOME TROUBLE WITH THE CHIPS!





HAYLEY? WHERE IS SHE?



SHE LEFT 10 MINUTES AGO! WHAT TOOK YOU SO LONG?

IT HAPPENS ALL THE TIME, IT LOOKS LIKE YOU CAN'T HANDLE SINGLE TASK!




BUT THE CHIPS...
THEY WERE LIKE
FROZEN AND STUFF! I
HAD TO... I...

OF COURSE
THERE FROZEN YOU
DUMB BIMBO!
JESUS!

AND WHERE IS
THE FISH? AND WHY
ISN'T COKE A DIET
ONE?

DUMB SLUT! YOU COST
ME MORE THAN ANYTHING IN
THIS PLACE! I SHOULD JUST
KICK YOUR SILLY ASS OUT
RIGHT NOW!



NO!! PLEASE DON'T
FIRE MANDY OUT! THAT IS
MY ONLY JOB!

I CAN'T LIKE, GET A NEW
ONE! PLEASE MR. BOSS!
DON'T KICK ME!

FINE! I GIVE YOU ONE FINAL
CHANCE! BUT YOU HAVE TO PAY
FOR THE LOSS! BEHIND THE
COUNTER, NOW!

