

Blackouts

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Cast:

Joe

(Joe enters)

JOE

Welcome to our life improvement seminar. First, we begin with stretching and words of encouragement.

(the hokey pokey begins to play joe sings with it)

Put your right hand in, put your right hand out, you put your right hand in, and you shake it all about, you do the hokey pokie...

(These are the words of encouragement section, very stern, serious, and loud)

AND YOU TURN YOURSELF AROUND BECAUSE THAT'S WHAT IT IS ALL ABOUT.

(BLACKOUT)

CAST

Nurse 1

Nurse 2

Amy- Pregnant Women

Narrator

(narrator enters)

NARRATOR

Over winter break, my grandmother told me that they shaved her crotch before she gave birth to all of her children. I looked it up and they stopped that practice in the 90s. But my question is, what happens when the baby comes too fast?

(nurse 1 and Amy enter amy is pregnant about to give birth)

NURSE 1

Push! Push!

AMY

Ahhhh!

(nurse 2 enters)

NURSE 2

Wait, we forgot to shave her cooch!

(Amy continues to push)

NURSE 1

Oh shit. Don't tell Dr. Micheal

(Baby comes out and baby cries noise)

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CAST

Kate

Julie

(both are standing in front of an
imaginary mirror in a bathroom)

KATE

Ugh! I hate my face.

(trying to pop a pimple)

JULIE

Kate, you are hard on yourself for no good reason.

KATE (confused)

I thought this was how female friendship was formed.

JULIE

Huh?

KATE

We both share what we hate about our bodies, feel a connection over the shared experience, and then BOOM, friendship!

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CAST

Kate- Mother

Anne- Child

(Kate is sitting on a chair onstage, and Anne calls out)

ANNE

Mom! What am I supposed to wear?

MOM

Wear that sexy shirt!

(Anne enters with a shirt on)

ANNE

This one?

MOM

No, the green one.

(BLACKOUT)

CAST

Bob- pitching to Sharktank

Bob enters confidently

BOB

Ok, sharks. A few years ago, I had a question when the nut milk craze started. We had oat, almond, and soy milk, but I wondered what about the classic winter nut, the chestnut. So I made my company Bob's Special Nut, a chestnut milk for the people.

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