

Lucas Sample

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SFX: Office ambiance

LUCAS

Karrie's great, man, going out there to be with you.

GRAHAM

(unconvincingly)

Yeah. That's why I love her.

LUCAS

So we couldn't put anyone else on the road in your territory, but I had Jim contact your stops for last week, and we've rescheduled you. Will you be ready to go back on the road next week?

GRAHAM

Lucas, I just fainted. I'm fine! It was just bad timing. I can get back on the road today.

LUCAS

Nope. Boss man says you're staying in office this week.

GRAHAM

I just want to get back into my routine! Back to normal life!

LUCAS

Be glad for the change! It shows he cares. I'd be fired if it happened to me.

GRAHAM

No you wouldn't.

LUCAS

We both know it's true. You get over a week of recovery time after almost a week in the hospital. I'd get drug tested and our boss would pray to whatever unholy devils he worships for me to fail the tests.

GRAHAM

Well, see, there's part of the problem right there.

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LUCAS

What?

GRAHAM

Your attitude about Mr. Dunston.

LUCAS

I don't follow.

GRAHAM

I'm just saying maybe that's why you think he has it out for you.

LUCAS

Nah! It's because he's a jerk, Graham. Listen, orders for dermastatox are low across the board, but yours are the highest. If Dunston could clone you, he would. The rest of us just want to know your secret.

GRAHAM

You don't need a TedTalk to figure this out. I care about my job, I care about the people I'm talking to, and I care about the people who might be helped by what we sell.

LUCAS

Sure, man.

SFX: warbling sensing sensation

GRAHAM

Whoa.

LUCAS

Hey, man. You okay?

GRAHAM

Yeah. Just a little dizzy. I'm fine. I just had a feeling like . . . like . . .

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LUCAS

Like millions of voices suddenly cried out in terror and were suddenly silenced?

GRAHAM

No . . .

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(pauses in his answer as he  
realizes what he just felt)  
No. Just one.

LUCAS

Anyway, boss man wants you to join me  
downstairs this week to help sort  
through and shred some of the  
paperwork from back before everything  
was digital. Here's a protip, we don't  
actually have to sort through it. We  
can just shred it all. I found some  
invoices from 1991 down there . . .

SFX: Office ambiance and Lucas fade out