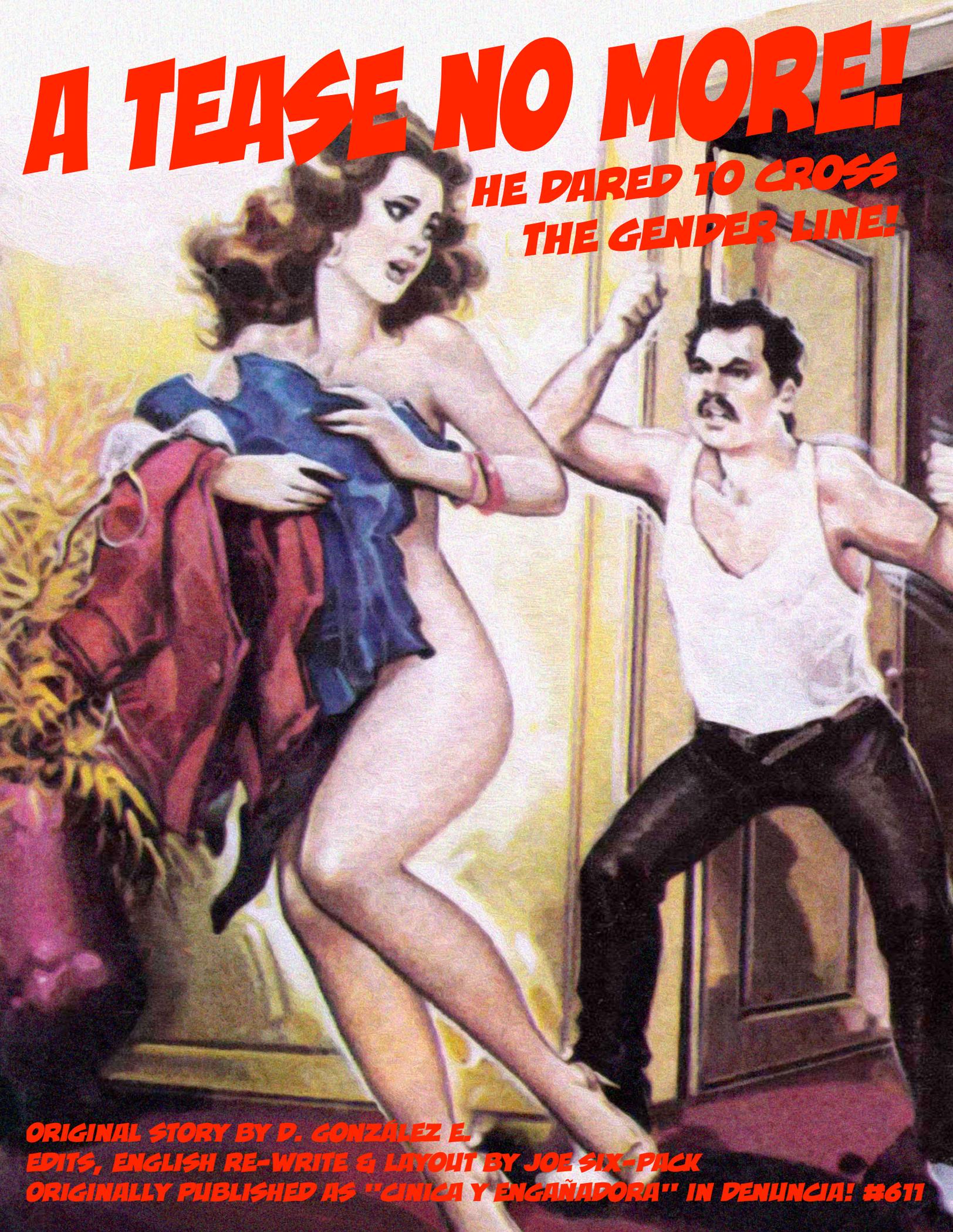


A TEASE NO MORE!

**HE DARED TO CROSS
THE GENDER LINE!**



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WARNING!

This story contains hard-boiled,
edgy, plulpy transgender material!

Entering the dangerous
and forbidden world of
hairdressing, David
becomes a transvestite.
Then, David's greed and
ambition leads him to
his ultimate fate - to
tease men no more!

A TEASE NO MORE!



THEY SAY LOVE IS BLIND... BUT YOU MADE ME SEE... YOU AND I WERE MEANT TO BE...

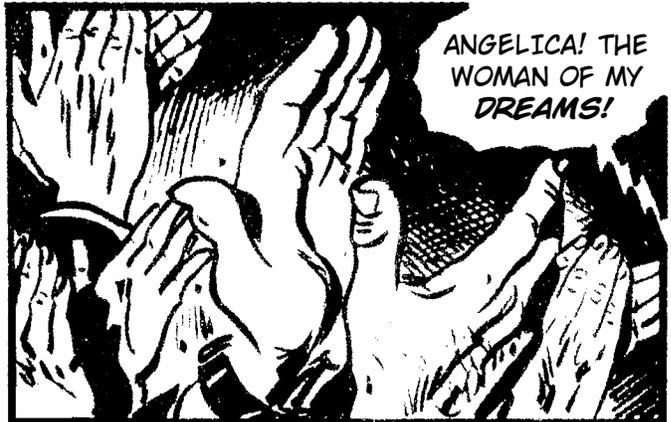
DRUGS, SMOKE, MUSIC, SEX AND LIQUOR WERE THE TRAPPINGS OF THE "SHOWSTOPPERS" NIGHTCLUB...

AND THE LOVELY ANGELICA WAS THE STAR PERFORMER.

♪ YOU MADE ME BELIEVE IN LOVE...



SHE KNEW HOW TO WIN OVER AN AUDIENCE...



ANGELICA! THE WOMAN OF MY DREAMS!

AND FOR HER, THE ATTENTION WAS NEVER-ENDING FROM NUMEROUS SUITORS...



I'VE GOT FIFTEEN INVITATIONS LEFT FOR YOU AT THE DESK!

DON'T ACT LIKE THAT, BABY! THEY'RE JUST SHOWING THEIR APPRECIATION!

STAN, YOU'VE ALWAYS LET ME DO AS I PLEASE...

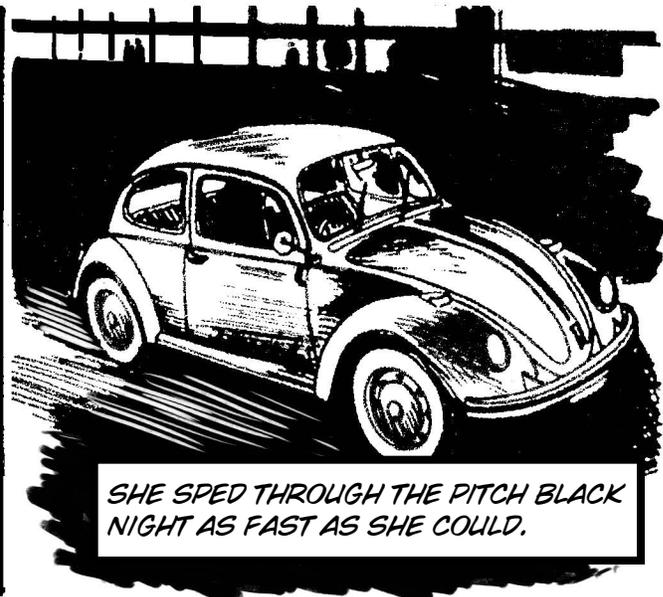


OH, STAN... YOU KNOW THEY MEAN NOTHING TO ME.



...AND DON'T FORGET WHAT I'VE ALWAYS TOLD YOU! I WANT **NOTHING** TO DO WITH THAT **MOB!**

WITHOUT ANOTHER WORD, SHE GOT INTO HER CAR AND LEFT.



SHE SPED THROUGH THE PITCH BLACK NIGHT AS FAST AS SHE COULD.

SOON, SHE WAS IN A DARK HOUSE, HER HEELS HASTILY CLICKING QUICKLY ON THE FLOOR.



THERE, A DISTRESSED WOMAN WITH A WEARY LOOK IN HER EYES AWAITED.



I WAS ABOUT TO CALL! WHAT TOOK YOU SO LONG?

LIKE USUAL, A LITTLE BIT OF CHARM WAS ABLE TO DISPEL ELISE'S SOUR MOOD.



I'M SORRY, ELISE. THE CUSTOMERS GOT ROWDY AND I HAD TO DO THREE ENCORES.



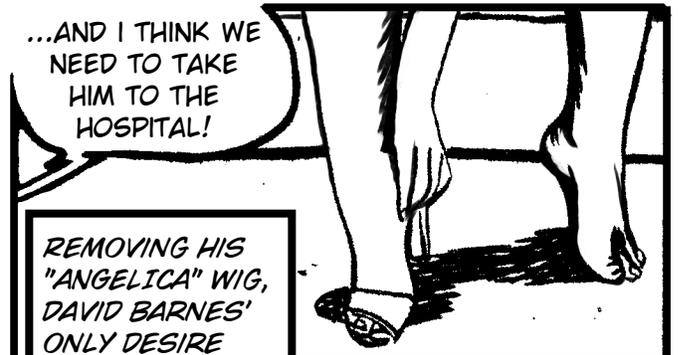
OF COURSE, ALL I THOUGHT OF WAS YOU...

AND I YOU... BUT THIS IS NOT THE TIME FOR LOVE. THE BABY IS VERY SICK!



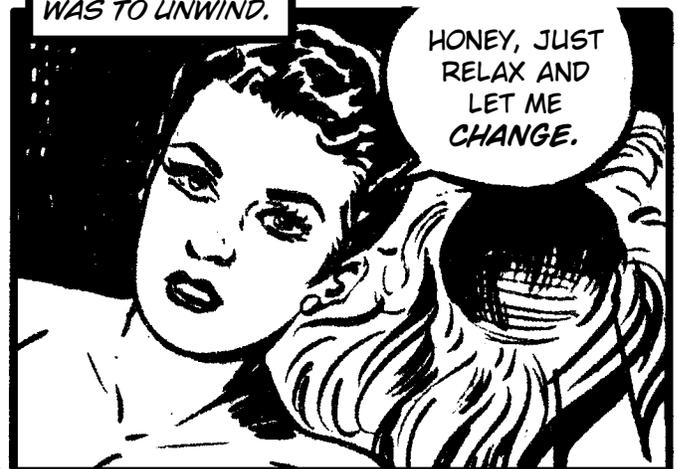
WHAT NOW?

ANGELICA COULDN'T WAIT ANOTHER MINUTE AND SAT TO REMOVE THE HIGH HEELS WHILE ELISE CONTINUED TO TALK.



...AND I THINK WE NEED TO TAKE HIM TO THE HOSPITAL!

REMOVING HIS "ANGELICA" WIG, DAVID BARNES' ONLY DESIRE WAS TO UNWIND.



HONEY, JUST RELAX AND LET ME CHANGE.



DAVID CLEANED HIS FACE AND SLOWLY HIS MALE APPEARANCE WAS RESTORED.



AFTER SEVERAL MINUTES, DAVID HAD CLEANED HIS FACE, UNDONE HIS CORSET AND REMOVED HIS BREAST FORMS. NO TRACE OF "ANGELICA" REMAINED, AND HE WAS READY TO HUMOR HIS WIFE.

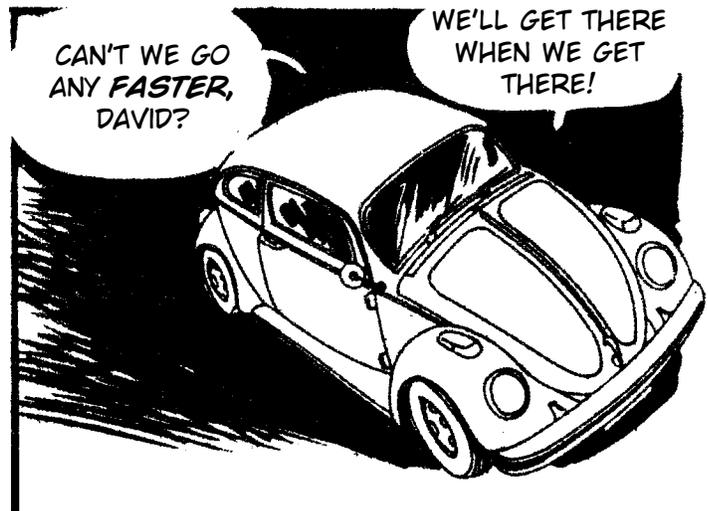
DAVID'S PATIENCE WAS TAXED AFTER A LONG NIGHT ENTERTAINING A CROWD OF UNRULY MEN. DEALING WITH FAMILY ISSUES WAS THE LAST THING HE WANTED TO DO, ESPECIALLY THIS LATE AT NIGHT.



IT WAS CLEAR TO DAVID THAT HIS WIFE WAS PRACTICALLY FALLING TO PIECES OVER THE HEALTH OF THEIR LITTLE BOY. HIS ATTEMPTS TO CALM HER WERE FRUITLESS, AS SHE CONTINUED TO FRET.

DESPITE ELISE'S PLEAS, THE LAST THING HE NEEDED WAS TO GET INTO AN ACCIDENT.

WE NEED TO DO SOMETHING NOW! OUR BABY CAN'T WAIT!





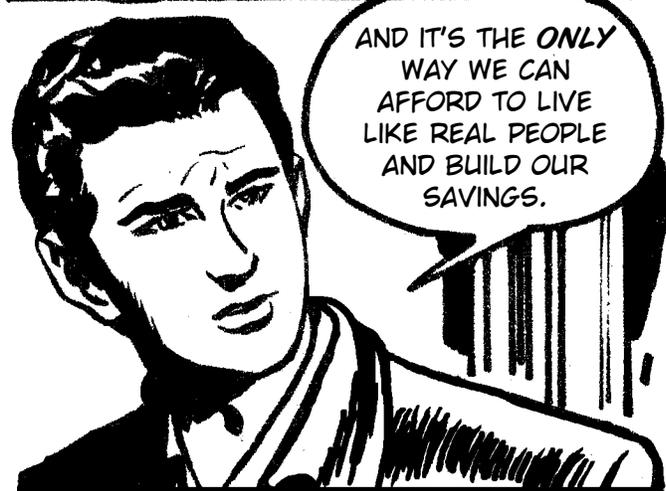
THIS IS A PUNISHMENT FROM GOD FOR THE JOB YOU HAVE!

EXAM

WITH THE BABY UNDERGOING AN EXAM, ELISE'S FEARS CAME TO THE SURFACE.



DON'T BE SILLY! MY JOB IS LIKE ANY OTHER...



AND IT'S THE ONLY WAY WE CAN AFFORD TO LIVE LIKE REAL PEOPLE AND BUILD OUR SAVINGS.



I WORRY SO MUCH ABOUT THE STRANGE LIFE THAT WE LEAD... KEEPING YOUR JOB SECRET...

I SHOULD THINK YOU WOULD THANK GOD THAT I FOUND SOMETHING THAT ALLOWS US TO ENJOY THE GOOD LIFE!

AND WHILE WAITING FOR THE EXAM RESULTS, DAVID RECALLED HOW HE HAD COME TO WORK AT "SHOW-STOPPERS" SO LONG AGO.



IT BEGAN WHEN HE HAD ARRIVED AT A HAIR SALON CALLED "TONY AND PERRY'S"



MAYBE I'LL GET LUCKY AND MAKE A SALE HERE!



¿ AND WHAT ARE YOU SELLING, SWEETIE PIE? ¿

I'M WITH "TRUE HUE," THE HAIR DYE THAT PEOPLE ASK FOR BY NAME!



OH, DARLING, WE DON'T NEED ANY MORE *GIMMICKS!* WE NEED PEOPLE WHO CAN *HELP US* HERE IN THE SALON!



HEARING THAT, DAVID SAW HIS OPPORTUNITY AND WENT FOR IT.

WELL, WHAT KIND OF SALARY DO YOU GUYS OFFER?



OH, DON'T WORRY, THE MONEY IS IN THE TIPS!

WHICH ARE *FABULOUS!*

THAT NIGHT, ELISE WAS MORTIFIED TO SEE WHAT HER HUSBAND WAS DOING...



HAVE YOU LOST YOUR MIND?!



EASY, SUGAR! I'VE SCORED A JOB IN A BEAUTY SALON, AND I NEED TO *PREPARE!*



THIS IS A CRASH COURSE IN COSMETOLOGY: MAKEUP, HAIR, NAILS! I'LL PRACTICE ON *BOTH OF US!*

FOR SEVERAL DAYS, DAVID WAS DEVOTED TO USING MAKEUP LIKE A WOMAN...

I CAN'T STAND SEEING YOU IN MAKEUP!

YOU'VE GOTTEN TOO GOOD AT THIS!

AND SO, DAVID BECAME A HAIRDRESSER. HE WAS DRIVEN TO SUCCEED, AND SOON WAS THE MOST POPULAR STYLIST IN THE SALON.

WHICH OF US DO YOU PREFER? ME OR TONY?

OH, I WANT DAVID, OF COURSE!

IF YOU WANT US TO HAVE A DECENT LIVING, STOP COMPLAINING! I NEED THIS JOB TO GIVE OUR BABY SECURITY! NOW DON'T BOTHER ME!

WHY DON'T YOU COME THIS WAY?

THAT JERK DAVID FLIRTS WITH ALL THE CLIENTS!

THE LADIES LOVE HIM! LET HIM DO WHAT HE WANTS.

SOON, HE WAS TAKING IN GENEROUS TIPS HAND OVER FIST.

DON'T FORGET THE GRATUITY, BEAUTIFUL!

I WOULDN'T THINK OF IT!

THANK YOU! AND DON'T FORGET THAT I'M STARTING MASSAGE SESSIONS SOON AND I'D LOVE TO HAVE YOU AS A REGULAR!

QUICKLY, DAVID WAS MAKING MORE THAN EVER WITH HIS MESSAGES.

I'M GOING TO MAKE THESE ABSOLUTELY UNFORGETTABLE!



DAVID, YOUR HANDS ARE LIKE AN ANGEL'S! I MAY HAVE TO COME HERE EVERY DAY!



MAN, THE MONEY IS GREAT, BUT I WANT MORE!

HARDER, DAVID! MAKE ME REALLY FEEL IT!



AND THINGS WERE QUITE PROFITABLE UNTIL ONE DAY, A CLIENT MADE AN ODD REQUEST.

DAVID, MAYBE YOU COULD HELP ME...



I WAS HOPING YOU MIGHT KNOW A GIRL WHO WOULD BE ABLE TO DO THE JOB. WE'RE LOSING MONEY EVERY NIGHT... WE'LL HIRE ANYONE AND PAY GENEROUSLY!

WELL... I MIGHT KNOW SOMEONE...



MY HUSBAND AND I RUN A NIGHTCLUB, AND OUR STAR SINGER HAS LEFT US FOR ANOTHER CLUB.



USING HIS NEWFOUND BEAUTY SKILLS, DAVID WAS HATCHING A DARING PLAN!

WITH A CORSET AND BREAST FORMS, DAVID HAD A KNOCKOUT FIGURE! EMBOLDENED, HE WAS READY TO PUT ON HIS WIG TO SEE THE FULL EFFECT!



HMMM... ELISE WAS RIGHT! I DO LOOK GOOD IN MAKEUP! I MIGHT BE ABLE TO PULL THIS OFF!

DAVID'S BEAUTY SKILLS WERE PAYING OFF!



LET'S SEE HOW I LOOK IN A DRESS AND PANTYHOSE!



I USED TO SING IN SCHOOL. I WAS PRETTY GOOD!

WHY CAN'T I GIVE IT A TRY? I CAN DO THE JOB JUST AS GOOD AS ANY WOMAN!



DRIVEN BY THE LURE OF HIS BIGGEST PAYDAY EVER, DAVID WAS PRACTICALLY BLIND TO THE INSANITY OF HIS PLAN!

NOT BAD! NOT BAD AT ALL!

WORLD, GET READY TO MEET "ANGELICA!"

AFTER AN AUDITION THAT BROUGHT THE HOUSE DOWN, DAVID REVEALED HIS IDENTITY TO THE NIGHTCLUB'S OWNERS!

AND DAVID'S SHOW AS "ANGELICA" WAS A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS! HE WAS HIRED!

SO WHAT DO YOU THINK? EVEN IF I'M REALLY A MAN...

YOU DEVIL!



IT'S A CRAZY IDEA, DAVID! BUT WE'RE TRULY DESPERATE. WE'LL GIVE YOU A TRY-OUT.

WOW! WHAT A STONE COLD FOX! WHAT DO YOU THINK?

SHE MAKES ME THINK INDECENT THOUGHTS!



THE OWNERS OF "SHOWSTOPPERS" LOOKED ON AT THEIR NEW STAR ATTRACTION. FROM THEN ON, "ANGELICA" WAS THE TOAST OF THE TOWN!

A DRINK, BABY? YOU'RE DRIVING ME CRAZY AND I'M NOT GOING TO ACCEPT NO FOR AN ANSWER!



HELLO, BEAUTIFUL!

EVERYONE WANTED ANGELICA.

BUT DAVID HATED THE ATTENTION.



I'M NOT THAT KIND OF GIRL! I DON'T FALL FOR HAM-FISTED PICKUP ATTEMPTS!

LEAVE ME ALONE, YOU OLD PERVERT!

MAN AFTER MAN WOULD TRY AND CLAIM "ANGELICA," BUT DAVID WOULD HAVE NONE OF IT!

YOU'VE REJECTED ME FOR THE LAST TIME!

OH, YOU WANT TO GET PHYSICAL?



WHEN DAVID HAD TO FIGHT, HE NEVER BACKED DOWN!



AND IF YOU STILL DON'T GET THE POINT, I CAN KICK YOU IN THE BALLS, TOO!



SHE DIDN'T MEAN IT! SHOWSTOPPERS IS GRATEFUL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!

YOU CAN'T TREAT CUSTOMERS LIKE THIS! KEEP HER AWAY FROM ME!



BUT JUST A TABLE AWAY, A WEALTHY GENTLEMAN BECAME ONLY MORE INTRIGUED BY "ANGELICA'S" DISPLAY.

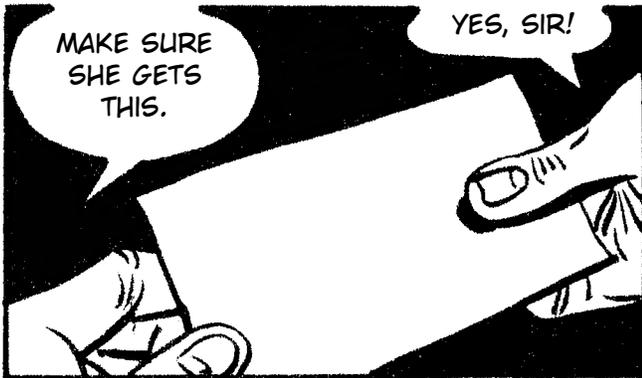


SHE HAS THE FIERY TEMPER! JUST LIKE MY MOTHER! ...AND JUST AS BEAUTIFUL!

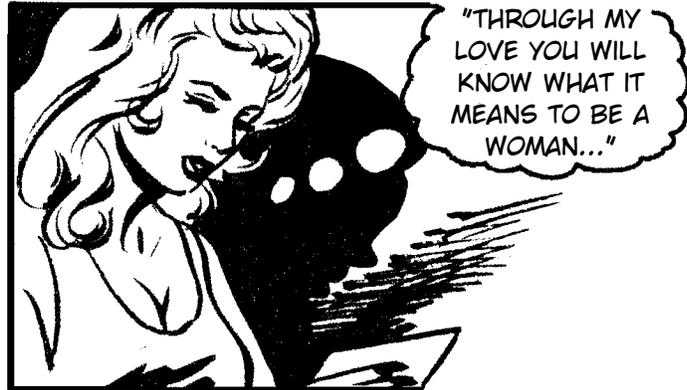




HIS FIRST STEP WAS TO SEND ANGELICA A HAND-WRITTEN NOTE.

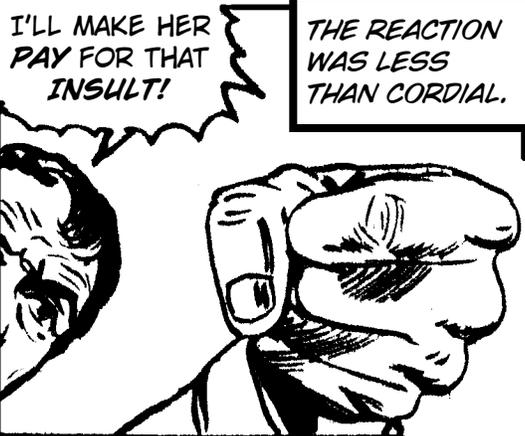


IN HIS DRESSING ROOM, DAVID READ IT.



DAVID REPLIED WITH HIS OWN NOTE...

Is your ass jealous of the crap that just came out of your brain? You couldn't handle a woman like me, and you'll never get the chance.
-Angelica XXOO



I'LL TEACH HER TO INSULT ME!

WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS? I'LL SHOW THAT SLUT THE CONSEQUENCES OF DEFYING ME!



AN EVENING'S WORTH OF DRINKING HAD DRIVEN HIM TO REACT VIOLENTLY.

COME OUT AND FACE ME, WOMAN! FACE ME OR I'LL KEEP SHOOTING!



FRANTICALLY, THE OWNERS SEARCH FOR DAVID!



THEY BEG FOR HELP!

YOU MUST COME! A MADMAN IS DESTROYING OUR CLUB!



IT'S JACOB J. SLYKE! HE'S A POWERFUL BILLIONAIRE! HE CAN GET AWAY WITH WHATEVER HE WANTS!

EITHER DAVID FACED THIS MAN SLYKE, OR THE CLUB WAS RUINED!



THE NOTE! IT MUST HAVE BEEN HIS! VERY WELL... I SUPPOSE I HAVE TO DO WHAT HE WANTS, TO SAVE MY JOB! BUT MAYBE I CAN TURN THIS TO MY ADVANTAGE!



I'LL DO IT! BUT I BETTER GET A NICE, FAT BONUS FOR THIS!

WHATEVER YOU WANT! JUST PLEASE GO AND STOP HIM!

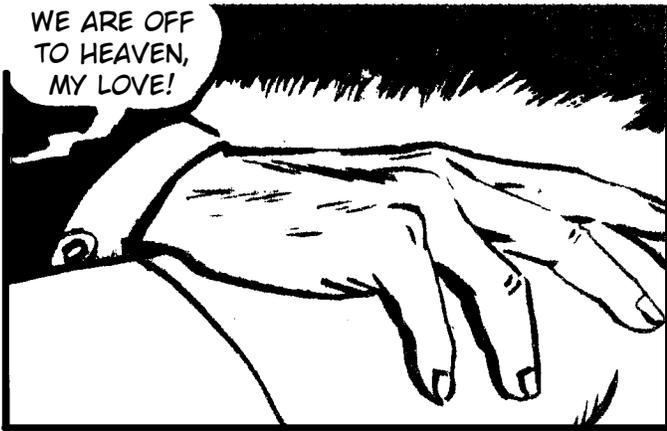


"ANGELICA" SAUNTERED ONTO THE FLOOR, GRACEFULLY SWINGING HER HIPS.

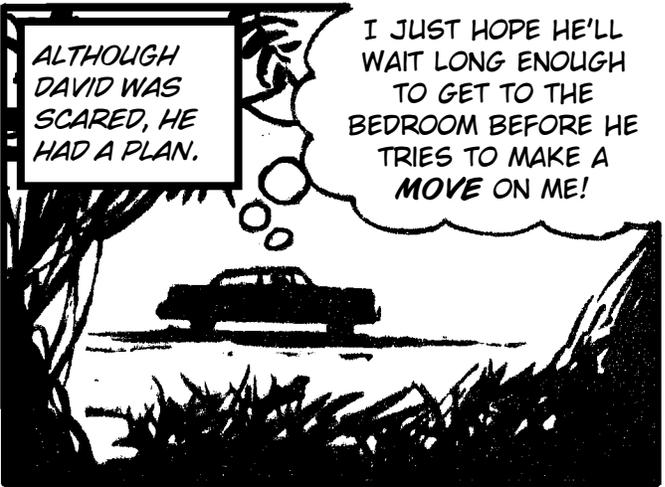
CALM DOWN, BIG BOY.



SLYKE QUICKLY WHISKED DAVID INTO HIS CAR.



WE ARE OFF TO HEAVEN, MY LOVE!



ALTHOUGH DAVID WAS SCARED, HE HAD A PLAN.

I JUST HOPE HE'LL WAIT LONG ENOUGH TO GET TO THE BEDROOM BEFORE HE TRIES TO MAKE A MOVE ON ME!

BUT IT WAS CLEAR THIS POWERFUL MAN WAS DETERMINED TO POSSESS ANGELICA.



YOU WILL EXPERIENCE A LOVE LIKE YOU NEVER DREAMED, MY LOVELY.

THIS GUY IS SO FULL OF HOT AIR HE'S GOING TO EXPLODE!



OH, DARLING, LEAVE THE LIGHT OFF, WOULD YOU?

AND BE DENIED THE VISION OF YOUR BEAUTY? NO!

BUT THE LIGHT MAKES ME BASHFUL! PLEASE TURN IT OFF! I PROMISE...

YOU TRY MY PATIENCE, WOMAN!

DAVID TRIED EVERYTHING HE COULD TO SLOW DOWN JACOB J. SLYKE'S LIBIDO.



WHY NOT DO THIS ANOTHER DAY WHEN I'M MORE IN THE MOOD?

I BEG YOU, MY LOVE! PLEASE TAKE IT SLOWLY!

YOU CANNOT RESTRAIN ME! I AM A SAVAGE LION STALKING HIS PREY!



SLYKE'S DESIRE OVERWHELMED DAVID, WHO COULD ONLY FIGHT HIM FOR SO LONG.

TAKE IT OFF!
TAKE IT ALL OFF!

NOO! NO! NO! NO!



AND WHEN "ANGELICA'S" SECRET WAS REVEALED, SLYKE HOWLED!

AAIEEEE!!



WHY!? WHY IN GOD'S NAME DID YOU NOT TELL ME YOU WERE A MAN!?

I SAID YOU COULDN'T HANDLE ME!



YOU TRICKED ME!
YOU **BASTARD!** I HAVE STAINED MY REPUTATION!

WELL, YOU SURE STAINED THE SHEETS.



IF ANYONE FINDS OUT I MADE LOVE TO A **MAN**, MY LIFE WOULD BE RUINED!

DON'T WORRY, I WON'T TELL A SOUL!



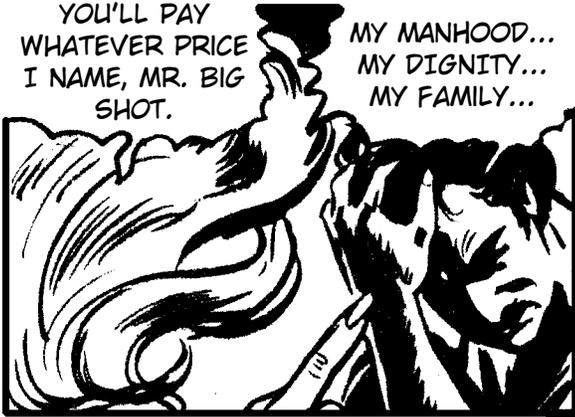
FOR A **PRICE**, THAT IS. I CAN BE VERY **REASONABLE** WHEN IT COMES TO TERMS. **TWENTY THOUSAND** A MONTH IS A GOOD START.

YOU THINK YOU CAN **BLACKMAIL** ME? **BLACKMAIL** JACOB J. SLYKE?



YOU'LL PAY
WHATEVER PRICE
I NAME, MR. BIG
SHOT.

MY MANHOOD...
MY DIGNITY...
MY FAMILY...



I'LL PAY YOU
NOTHING, YOU
PARASITE!

WHACK!

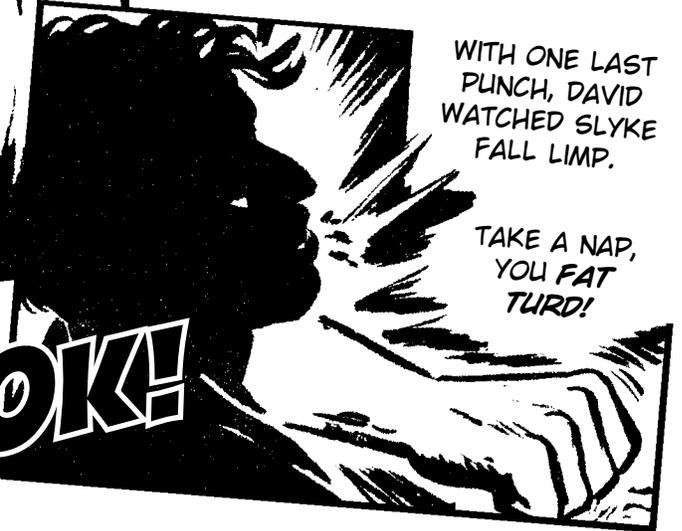


ERK!

POW!



OOF!



WITH ONE LAST
PUNCH, DAVID
WATCHED SLYKE
FALL LIMP.

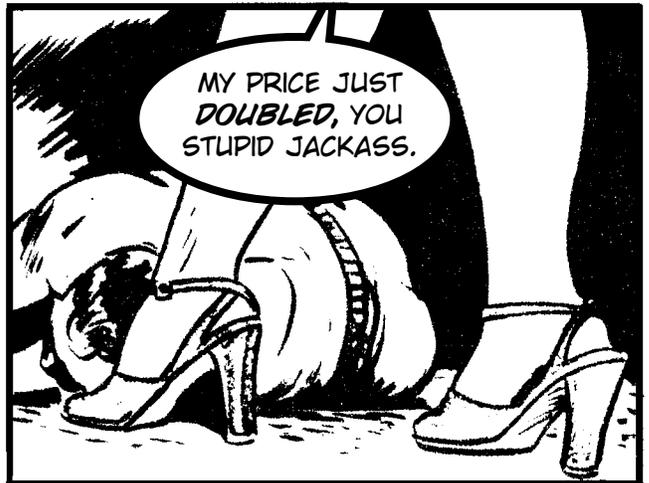
TAKE A NAP,
YOU FAT
TURD!

THOK!

DAVID DIDN'T
WAIT. HE
DRESSED
QUICKLY AND
LEFT.



MY PRICE JUST
DOUBLED, YOU
STUPID JACKASS.



A FEW DAYS LATER, DRIVEN BY HIS ANGER AND EGO, JACOB J. SLYKE RETURNED TO THE SHOWSTOPPERS CLUB IN A DARK CORNER.



SLYKE WAS STILL OBSESSED WITH ANGELICA, BUT HIS MALE EGO KEPT HIM MOTIVATED FOR REVENGE.

YOUR FATE IS SEALED, FIEND!



SO HOW WAS YOUR NIGHT WITH ANGELICA?

I.. UH...

SLYKE HAD TO LIE, EVEN AS HIS BRUISED FACE TOLD A DIFFERENT STORY.



SHE WAS NO MATCH FOR ME! SHE WAS PUTTY IN MY HANDS!

IN THE EARLY HOURS OF THE MORNING, AS DAVID LEFT THE CLUB, HE HAD VISITORS.



DON'T MAKE A SOUND!

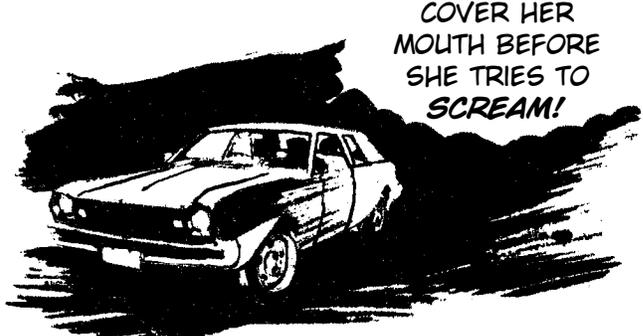


SEVERAL MEN SURROUNDED DAVID...

ONE FALSE MOVE AND I'LL SHOOT!

AAAA!

THEY ALL GOT INTO A WAITING CAR AND SPED OFF...



COVER HER MOUTH BEFORE SHE TRIES TO SCREAM!

THE NEXT THING DAVID KNEW, HE WAS LAID OUT, TIED UP AND HELPLESS.



WHERE AM I?

DAVID WANTED TO RUN, BUT THERE WAS NOTHING HE COULD DO.



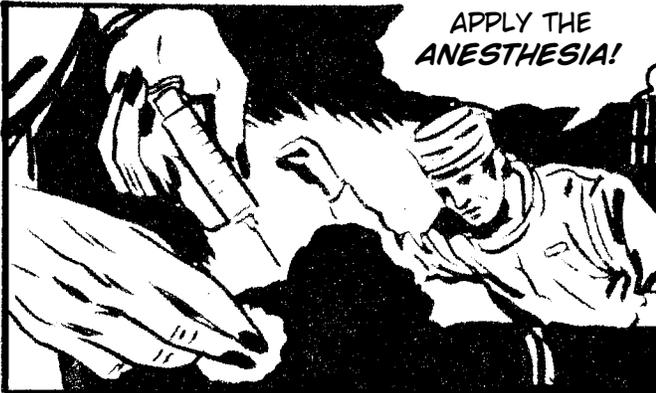
WHEN HE SAW HE WAS BEING WHEELED INTO AN OPERATING ROOM, FEAR GRIPPED HIM...



WHAT IN GOD'S NAME IS GOING ON?

OPERATING ROOM

HE TRIED ONE LAST TIME TO TRY AND ESCAPE, BUT IT WAS TOO LATE...



APPLY THE ANESTHESIA!

ONLY NOW DID DAVID START TO REALIZE THAT THIS WAS SOME SORT OF BIZARRE PLAN. HE HAD NO WAY TO STOP WHAT WAS ABOUT TO HAPPEN, WHATEVER IT WAS.

I ONLY PRAY THAT GOD MAY FORGIVE ME FOR WHAT I AM ABOUT TO DO.

MMRRF!

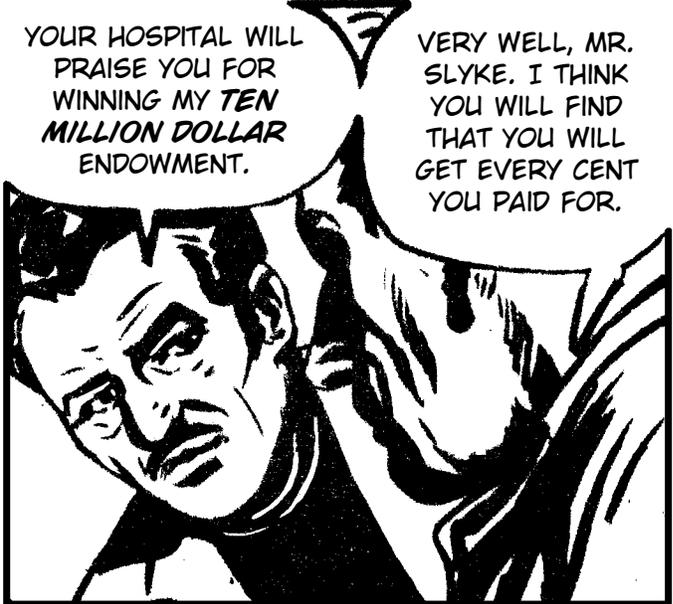


JUST AS HE WAS SLIPPING AWAY...

WHAT DO THEY WANT FROM ME? WHAT IS THIS NIGHTMARE?



AFTER AN HOURS-LONG OPERATION, THE DOCTOR WAS JOINED BY JACOB J. SLYKE, WHO WAS WAITING OUTSIDE.



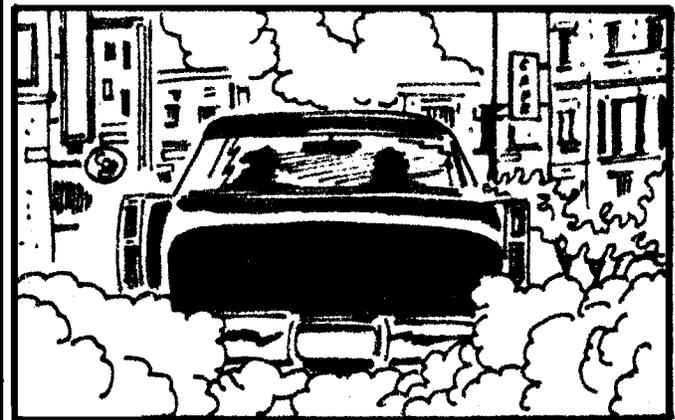
MEANWHILE, DAVID'S WIFE, ELISE, DESPERATE TO FIND HIM, VISITED THE SHOWSTOPPERS NIGHTCLUB.



MONTHS PASSED, AND ELISE HAD REPORTED HER HUSBAND AS A MISSING PERSON.



AT THAT VERY MOMENT, DAVID'S UNCONSCIOUS BODY WAS BEING DRIVEN ACROSS TOWN.



SLYKE'S THUG KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE LIMP FIGURE HE WAS CARRYING INTO A HOTEL ROOM. HE WASN'T PAID TO THINK.



MR. SLYKE ORDERED HIS MAN OUT, LEAVING HIM AND THE SLUMBERING DAVID ALONE.



HOURS LATER, WHEN DAVID FINALLY AWOKE, HE FELT VERY PECULIAR...

HE FOUND THAT HIS VOICE HAD SOMEHOW CHANGED... HIS THROAT SEEMED TIGHTER... AND THAT WASN'T ALL...



OOOOHH...
WHERE AM I?



MY WHOLE BODY
HURTS, ESPECIALLY
BETWEEN MY
LEGS...



HOW DID I GET
HERE? THE LAST
THING I REMEMBER
WAS BEING JUMPED
IN AN ALLEY...



I'M SO SORE!

HIS CHEST
AND GROIN
WERE
BANDAGED
AND
ACHING...

HE COULD NOT CONTAIN HIMSELF, AND THE NEW FEMALE HORMONES IMPLANTED INSIDE OF HIM LEFT HIM SOBBING LIKE A LITTLE GIRL!



NO... NO! NO!



AND WHEN HE
DARED REMOVE
THE BANDAGES...

NO! NO! IT'S
NOT POSSIBLE!
WHO DID THIS
TO ME!?

EVENTUALLY, DAVID HAD TO LEAVE THE HOTEL. THE ONLY PLACE HE COULD THINK TO GO WAS THE SHOWSTOPPERS CLUB.

BUT SHOCK WASN'T EVEN CLOSE TO DESCRIBING WHAT THEY FELT WHEN DAVID SHOWED THEM WHAT HAD HAPPENED.





AREN'T YOU CURIOUS TO KNOW WHO DID THIS TO YOU?

IT MUST HAVE BEEN JACOB J SLYKE.



AND I'LL KILL THAT BASTARD IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO!

AND SPEND THE REST OF YOUR LIFE IN PRISON? THAT WOULD BE A WASTE, MY DEAR.

AFTER THE CLUB OWNERS HAD MANAGED TO CALM DAVID DOWN, THEY CONVINCED HIM TO RETURN HOME TO GO SEE HIS WIFE...



DAVID! DAVID, YOU'VE COME BACK!



YOU MIGHT NOT BE SO HAPPY ONCE YOU KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENED TO ME, ELISE!

AFTER A TEARFUL CONFESSION...



...AND THEY GAVE ME AN OPERATION THAT MADE ME A WOMAN!

DAVID!

AS DAVID TOLD ELISE THEY COULD NO LONGER BE MARRIED, THEY EMBRACED.

YOU DON'T DESERVE THE SHAME I'VE BROUGHT ON YOU. JUST LET ME SEE MY SON...



I AM A MAN!
I AM A MAN!

OUR LOVE IS FOREVER...



ALTHOUGH, THE NEW
FEMALE HORMONES
MADE IT DIFFICULT
TO RETAIN A MALE
SELF-IDENTITY...

TIME PASSED, AND
"ANGELICA"
RETURNED TO THE
SHOWSTOPPERS
NIGHT CLUB, MORE
SUCCESSFUL THAN
EVER.



SO MUCH SO THAT ANGELICA DIDN'T SHY
AWAY FROM HER FANS ANYMORE...

A WONDERFUL
PERFORMANCE!
WONDERFUL!

THANK YOU ROBERT.
I TRY TO MAKE MY
SONGS... INTIMATE.

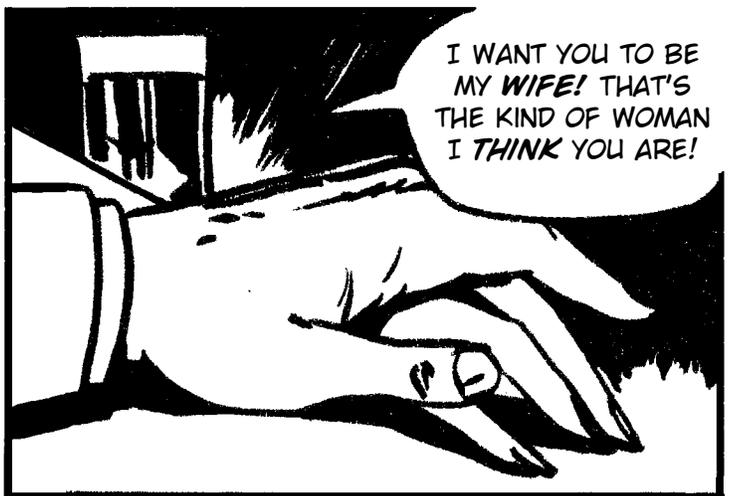


ANGELICA, YOU ARE A
WONDERFUL WOMAN
I'VE COME TO ADORE!

CAREFUL, ROBERT.
I'M NOT THE WOMAN
YOU THINK I AM.



I WANT YOU TO BE
MY WIFE! THAT'S
THE KIND OF WOMAN
I THINK YOU ARE!



ANGELICA HAD COME TO ENJOY A LITTLE FLIRTING, BUT NO MORE THAN THAT.

I SHOULDN'T LET HIM GET HIS HOPES UP. I HAVE TO LET HIM DOWN EASY.



BUT UPON ENTERING, SHE GOT A SHOCK SHE COULD HAVE NEVER EXPECTED!

ELISE!?



THE NEXT DAY, SHE DECIDED TO VISIT ELISE AND SEE IF SHE NEEDED ANYTHING.

I SO MISS MY BOY...



DAV... ANGELICA! I WASN'T EXPECTING YOU!

DARLING, WHO IS THIS? ...YOUR SISTER?



OH, DAVID! I CAN'T RAISE A SON LIKE THIS! I'M MARRYING PETER AND MOVING AWAY!

IS THAT WHY YOU CHANGED YOUR HAIR? A NEW START? I GUESS I CAN'T BLAME YOU, ELISE. THIS IS ALL BECAUSE OF MY FOOLISHNESS.



OH... SHE'S JUST A FRIEND. I'LL NEED A MOMENT ALONE, MY LOVE.

YES, OF COURSE. EXCUSE ME.





OUR SON CAN'T GROW UP WITH **TWO** MOTHERS. YOU'RE RIGHT. WE COULD NEVER EXPLAIN IT TO HIM. IT'S BEST THAT HE **STAYS** WITH YOU, ELISE.



I'M GLAD YOU THINK SO, DAVID. AND I ALSO THINK... I THINK YOU SHOULD **NEVER** SEE OUR BABY AGAIN.

Y... YOU'RE RIGHT.



I'LL MAKE A GOOD HOME FOR OUR BOY. HE'LL KNOW HIS FATHER WAS A **DECENT** MAN WHO WORKED **HARD** TO GIVE US ALL WE NEEDED.

HE CRIED BITTER TEARS.



I'VE LOST **EVERYTHING** I EVER LOVED! MY FAMILY... MY MANHOOD... MY DIGNITY!



I WISH IT COULD BE DIFFERENT, DAVID! THERE'S NOTHING LEFT FOR US ...BUT TO SAY **GOOD BYE**.

REMEMBER I LOVED YOU. I LOVED OUR SON! G... G... GOOD BYE.



SHATTERED AND BROKEN, ANGELICA RETURNED HOME TO HER APARTMENT, WHERE SHE HAD A VISITOR.

MY LOVE! YOU'VE BEEN **CRYING!**

ROBERT!

IT WAS SUDDENLY CLEAR THAT ROBERT WAS THE ONLY PERSON LEFT WHO ACTUALLY CARED FOR HER.



WHAT MAKES YOU SO SAD?

IT'S NOTHING. JUST THINKING ABOUT OLD TIMES.

SHE WAS NOW A WOMAN WHO HAD NO FUTURE... WITHOUT A MAN TO LOOK AFTER HER.

YES, MY DARLING. BEFORE I HAVE SECOND THOUGHTS. LET'S MAKE LOVE RIGHT NOW.

YOU HAVE MADE ME THE HAPPIEST MAN ALIVE!



SHE NO LONGER COULD DENY HIS WISHES.



ONCE AGAIN, MY DARLING, I BEG YOU TO BE MY WIFE! I LOVE YOU MADLY! I HAVE NEVER KNOWN SUCH PASSION!

AS THE TWO HELD HANDS, ANGELICA SURRENDERED.

YOU WILL BE A QUEEN! I'LL BUY YOU THE MOST EXPENSIVE JEWELRY AND ALL THE BEAUTIFUL CLOTHES YOU DESIRE!



YES...

...EVERYTHING A WOMAN COULD WANT.



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