

THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT MARY (L.B.)

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HEALY

Um, excuse me, I'm sorry to bother you, but do you have change for a dollar?

MARY

No.

HEALY

All I've got are these damn Nepalese coins.

MARY

You've been to Nepal?

HEALY

Hmm? oh, ah, not in months. I ah... I don't even know why I bought the damn place.

MARY

Well it was nice meeting you.

HEALY

You too.

MARY

So what's your name?

HEALY

Pat Healy.

MARY

Want to know mine?

HEALY

I already know it, Mary.

MARY

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MARY

How did you know that?

HEALY

Because it is right there on your golf bag (pause)  
Ah, damn.

MARY

Wow, are those blue prints?

HEALY

Oh those? Um, they're just some projects that I'm  
working on, museum... hospital for kids.

MARY

Really? Are you an architect.

HEALY

Just until I get my PGA tour card.

MARY

No, I mean, are they putting up some sort of a new  
museum in town, or is it...

HEALY

Well to tell you the truth, I'm sort of burnt out talking  
about it.

MARY

Oh, I'm sorry.

HEALY

It's just a job. You know something to keep me  
moving, my real passion is my hobby.

MARY

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MARY

Really, what's that?

HEALY

Working with retards.

MARY

Isn't that a little politically incorrect?

HEALY

Well, to hell with that no one is going to tell me who I can and can't work with, right?

MARY

No I mean....

HEALY

We've got this one kid....Mongo, he's got a forehead like a drive in movie theatre, but he's a good shit so we don't bust his chops too much. So one day Mongo gets out of his cage...

MARY

What? They keep him in a cage?

HEALY

Well it's just an enclosure.

MARY

No, but they keep him confined?

HEALY

Right. Yeah.

MARY

That's bullshit!

MARY

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HEALY

Well that's what I said, so anyway I went out and got him a leash...

MARY

A leash?

HEALY

Yeah one of those ones you can hook onto a clothes line and he can run back and forth and there's plenty of room for him to... to dig and play. That kid he has really uh, he's really blossomed you know. Now I can take him to movies and um.. baseball games, fun stuff.

MARY

Sounds cool.

HEALY

Oh yeah it's cool for them, but for me it's much more than that, for me it's ... it's heaven you know. Those goofy bastards are just about the best damn thing I've got going in this crazy world.