WORKING THE ENGLS.

MARGUERITTE

I'm sorry to hear about your sister's sudden attack of 'feminine problems', but why are you still in my house?

JIMMY

I left my glasses behind. Not two glasses. One. Like a monacle. I think monacles are hot, don't you?

MARGUERITTE

I have no clue what you're talking about.

JIMMY

I have some questions for you.

Jimmy and Margueritte stand facing each other.

JIMMY (CONT'D)

Aren't you going to ask me to sit down?

MARGUERITTE

I don't think I am.

JIMMY

Mrs. Guernsey, I think we all know what's what here.

MARGUERITTE

And what is that?

JIMMY

(lost)

What's what?

MARGUERITTE

I don't think I like your tone.

JIMMY

I don't think I like your lying.

MARGUERITTE

Be very careful, Mr. Engel.

JIMMY

It's Jimmy. Margueritte.

MARGUERITTE

It's Mrs. Guernsey, Jimmy.



JIMMY

Oh, is it?

MARGUERITTE

It is.

JIMMY

What's your problem?

They step closer.

MARGUERITTE

You're my problem.

JIMMY

Oh I'm the least of your problems. You know you're lying about Carmen, we all know it.

MARGUERITTE

You think you're pretty smart.

JIMMY

(sincere)

I do. I really do.

MARGUERITTE

Well, I think you're pretty rude.

Jimmy gets even closer.

JIMMY

And I think you're snooty and frosty.

MARGUERITTE

I find you impertinent.

JIMMY

And I find you I don't know what that means.

Finally they're nose to nose in a standoff.

MARGUERITTE

Wouldn't you like to know?

JIMMY

Wouldn't you?

Finally they can't resist each other any longer and suddenly they start making out wickedly. Falling onto the couch, they kick over the coffee table, knocking over crystal knick knacks and art books.

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