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HE

Hiii... how's my funny bunny? Got you some cookies, and chocolates, and a cheese basket...

SHE

What, I've gained a few pounds so you think you can bribe me with food?

HE

No. I just... I'm sorry about what I said on the phone.

SHE

Well, you should be. Eminem says nicer things about Kim.

HE

I wasn't serious, Beth. I was just being controversial. That's my job. I don't think having a baby is hell. It's beautiful, and wonderful...

SHE

No, it's not! It's hell!

HE

First you're mad because I said it's hell. Now you're mad because I said it's not hell. Which is it?

SHE

It's both!

HE

Baby, I always talk about our lives on the show. The good and the bad. Why is this such a big deal?

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SHE

I don't know. I guess I felt better about myself before. I was successful. I was an Art Director at the biggest agency in town. I worked with friends. I went to lunch...

HE

You went to lunch? Sorry...

SHE

Now I'm just a pudgy, sleep deprived, hormonal Mommy from hell.

HE

You are not pudgy.

SHE

Thanks. When you said that you couldn't wait for Kevin's party because you need a break, I was like, "How do youthink I feel?" At least you get to go to work and deal with adults. This is my job now, Jimmy, and I never leave the office, and my co-worker's a cry baby. I could use a break, too.

HE

You're right. We're partners. We should take care of the baby together. You're my best bud. I want you to be happy. Why don't you go to Kelin's party tomorrow and I'll stay home with Otis.

SHE

No. You can go to the party.

<u>HE</u>

I don't want to go.

<u>SHE</u>

Don't lie. You do too.

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HE

Okay. I do want to go, but I want you to go more.

SHE

That's really sweet, and I appreciate the offer, but I don't think you're ready to take care of Otis alone yet.

HE

What? You gotta be kidding! I can take care of him alone. This is my boy. I love him more than anything in the world. He's in good hands with me.

SHE

You're holding a pillow.

HE

I don't care if he's a pillow. He's still my boy and I love him. Oh, pillow... I love you...