

HE

If the lake were to swallow me up
right now, I would die a happy man.

SHE

It's been a long time since I've
been this happy, too.

HE

Can I ask you something?

SHE

What?

HE

Is it just me, or do you also have
this uncontrollable desire to put
our lips together?

SHE

We can't.

HE

You're right. We can't. (Beat)
Wait a minute. Why can't we?

SHE

Have you ever cheated on Tish?

HE

Once.

SHE

You did?

HE

Yeah. We were playing Monopoly and
I stole all her good properties
when she was doing her nails. How
'bout you?

SHE

A good Catholic School girl? No.
What's going to happen to us?

HE

Well, we could be lovers. Or, we
could be friends.

SHE

We are friends. If we became lovers, we would have to lie all the time. I don't think I could do that.

HE

Yeah, me neither.

SHE

We could make love once.

HE

We could?

SHE

Yes. And then we could never see each other again.

HE

Friends, then. Very, very special friends.

SHE

Tom and Tish would be insane with jealousy.

HE

So what? I mean, who cares? We'd be innocent. We'd be this famous couple in the Guinness Book of Records. "Twenty years," people would say, "and they never had sex."

SHE

Think so?

HE

Yeah. And in all those years, I'd be dreaming of kissing you.

SHE

With or without your tongue?

HE

Do you have to make this any harder?