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LIGHTS UP

Jack and Aaron are seated at a restaurant booth with Waitress writing order on her pad of paper.

JACK

I do have a question about the breakfast special. Is there a chance you'd like me to buy it for you tomorrow?

WAITRESS What?

JACK

You know...after tonight.

WAITRESS
You mean after we sleep together?

JACK

Ha. Us. Sleeping together. That would be funny.

WAITRESS
Is that what you are asking me?

JACK Maybe.

WAITRESS
Look dude, I got a lot of tables. Don't be weird.

Waitress leaves shaking her head.

AARON Nice. Work.

JACK

I'm telling you man, we almost slept together! What about her?

AARON
Alright. Watch and learn.

Aaron walks over to woman reading at the bar.

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AARON I see you like reading.

LUCY Excuse me?

AARON

Well maybe you could read me a bedtime story. And then tuck me in.

LUCY Fuck off.

AARON Alright.

He returns to table and hi-fives Jack.

AARON I'm telling you what, I'm a pro.

JACK Well just bear witness to this.

Jack walks over to a mother.

JACK Would you adopt me?

Aaron nods head and gives big thumbs up.

LIGHTS OUT