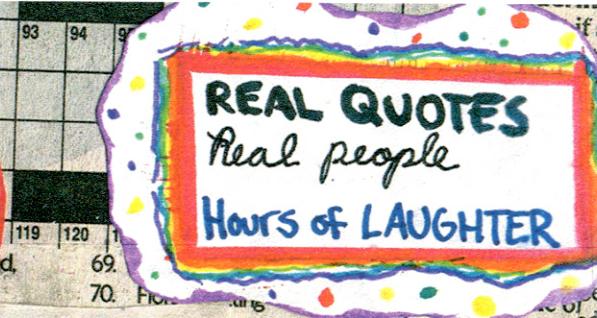


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your life on your terms
rather than someone
else's. Marry the woman
you love. Enjoy the time
you spend with her and



9. Title role played by
Hilary Swank in a
2009 biopic

I can see
public events,
yes.

IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT I
PUT MY PHONE IN THE CHEESE

103. Searching in
yellow-and-blue tin
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THE ART OF eavesdropping

OVERHEARD CONVERSATIONS

IM A
FISH!

MY SISTER'S A
FISH, SMALL
WORLD!



"I'm going to carve myself into
a BANANA!"

Audrey (Walter)
nnon passed away in
na, Wa December 22,
after an extended
s.

was born January 27,
in Streator, Illinois to
ts Edna and Arthur
er, the fifth of eight

I REMEMBER IN
KINDERGARTEN, MY
TEACHER TOLD ME
BABIES COME FROM
EGGS. I THOUGHT I
WAS A CHICKEN FOR
THE LONGEST
TIME."

"Oh, God. Someone
thinks I'm Tim."

"GOOD THING I'M
NOT MADE OF BROWN
SUGAR!"



Every day, strangers, friends,
and family members have conversations.
This zine contains brilliant, hilarious,
overheard snippets of these conversations
that make you

QUESTION HUMAN EXISTENCE

"IM NOT SAYING
SHE DESERVES TO
DIE, BUT MAYBE A
BROKEN LEG."

IMAGINARY
NUMBERS ARE
NOT REAL
NUMBERS"

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"LIKE BIRDS."

and she tried
her family for
memory
lossah,
Taco-

Harter on January 21, 1981
and together they live in
the same house since 1979. She
is a developer and builder
of houses and Robert and
Robby Way Jr., living the life
in 3403 on a scheme. They are
in service was December 19
to Palms Springs. Robert
loved anything with
els and loved his collec
One of his cars won
very prestigious award pre
sented to him by Chip Foose.
Robert was preceded in
death by his parents, his first
wife Mary Lou, and his
others. Survivors include
his loving wife Donna, son
Rick (Lisa), Randy (Carrie),
Robby (Michelle), daughter
Cheryl Phillips (Edgar) along
with eleven grandchildren
and seven great
grandchildren.

A celebration of life will



I WONDER HOW MANY DUCKS DIED BECAUSE OF THAT DECOY DUCK. IS THERE ANY BLOOD SPLATTERED ON IT?"



IVORY

"Have you never WATCHED a cartoon?! Every time they eat a bar of soap they start hiccupping bubbles!"

"It's not a felony to throw coffee at a two-year-old in Seattle."

"I'm on a strict diet of infants, water, and salt."



"Just when we thought this day couldn't get any worse, we get random live footage of a guy peeling a carrot with his ear!"

"Can I have some apple juice?"

"Yes, you can have the blood of my enemies."

"Apples are your enemies?"
"NO! They're my children!"



I MEAN, IT'S A
WATER BOTTLE. IT'S NOT
A FASHION STATEMENT.

"JUST SO YOU KNOW, I WAS
SNIFFING YOUR EAR, NOT
YOUR COOKIE!"

"Oh my gosh! You're going
to be a philosopher
when you grow up!"

"What's a philosopher?"



"So, you know
how I'm a
gerbil dealer?"

"You still look so small!"

"I'm gonna eat your
book!"

"I WANT SOME
FOOD."

"THEY'VE GOT SOME
STUFF IN THE TOILET."



"I don't have a favorite font, I just hate a lot of them."

"It'll be delicious, but you're not going to like it."

"That's why whales are so light and they can fly! Because their intestines are so small!"

"I am an alternative, therefore, I am better."

"It's like taking a bath with everyone else! Except there's no soap and you swallow the water."

"I'm sorry I killed your entire family, but I'm a Capricorn, so deal with it."



"She's drawing straws, dude. You don't have to have an attitude about it!"

"SUSAN! I want kids!"

"Thats what you think!"

"Imagine being so strong that when you squeeze someone, they turn into a lemon!"



Dedicated to my family, Bridget, Elise, Skylar, Lia, Katie, Dax, Wyatt, Henry, Ayla, Frankie, Leah, Lacey, Asher, Kyra, Linden, my grandparents, my parents, and everyone living on St. John, USVI.

Thank you for making this zine ↗

"Hell?! That's not a swear word! It's a place! A place that you're gonna go, because you STOLE MY BROWNIE!"

- a teacher at Kopachuck Middle

"Uh, dude,
it's a banana"

"Is that a
meatball?"
"No, it's a
pineapple."

"I came to school
with 19 oranges
and now I have
44."

"Where's my
gluestick?"

"I ate it, sorry."

"Boy if you touch my Doritos,
I will slap you across the face!"

"You live in Disneyland?"

"NO! Disneyland is in
Hollywood, not California!"
slaps face

"You wouldn't think
that carrying ten
pounds around for
five minutes would throw
your back out of alignment
but you'd be wrong!"

"Frank, don't start knitting
now! We have places
to go!"

"I feel like we're back in
time on the Titanic and I'd
just like to warn everyone
that we're all gonna die!"

"I got the cabinets, he
got the concrete, and
we came out with big
smiles on our faces."

"If I were to eat
plaster, would I be
dismissed from school?"

"Most people would
not have unicorn
statues in this time
period!"

We should
make a taco
holding
monster.

"You know that
feeling when you
realize your
mom's a chicken
and your dad's
a rooster?
Hashtag relatable!"

"Does anyone
else think
rootbeer is
just watered
down blood?"

"You'd better
get your
crap together
for Thursday!"

awesome.

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