

Ext. Night. Site of a Train Crash.

Kyle and Peter are covered in fire blankets.

KYLE

They're literally replacing me with a monkey. A seal or some kind of animal. Apparently animals don't get residuals.

PETER

Monkeys can't do your job.

KYLE

Ah...

PETER

How much do you have left?

KYLE

Not as much as I owe. Probably have a repo man showing up at my house in a few weeks. Take my Ferraris back.

PETER

Ferraris? Plural.

KYLE

Three.

PETER

You are incorrigible.

KYLE

I'm just an idiot, Pete, you said so yourself.

PETE

You're not an idiot, Kyle. You're... you're not.

KYLE

What?

PETER

You're just overly optimistic.
That's all.

KYLE

That's a nice way to put it.

Pause

KYLE

I don't know...who am I kidding. I honestly started thinking that Kaylani and our kid would be better off without me. Maybe I oughta just bail now for their sake. Because then maybe Kaylani could tell the kid a cool story the way mom did. "Yeah your dad was base jumping into a volcano! The lava got him. He was a brilliant doctor" like you.

PETER

You have the kindest heart of anyone I ever met. And a little while ago I thought I'd lost you forever and it was the worst feeling I've ever felt. No one's better off without you, Kyle. You're gonna be a great dad.

KYLE

Remember you were always asking mom about dad? I wasn't that curious. I think because I had you.

PETER

What?

KYLE

Yeah, I had a lotta friends. Girlfriends. People that love me because I'm kind of a...you know...bon vivant. Raconteur. Whatever you wanna say. But you never thought I was any of those things. But you

(MORE)

Kyle (CONT'D)

were still there! Gettin' on me!
"Hey don't jump off the roof into
the pool! You'll break your neck!
Hey, let me show you how to tie
your tie." Always kind of thought
that was the type of stuff our dad
woulda been saying. And I'm sorry
about your glasses.

PETER

Don't be. I don't need em.

KYLE

What do you mean?

PETER

I don't need glasses. I have 20/20
vision. I just had this image of
who I thought I should be and.
Glasses fit the bill. And there you
go.

KYLE

That's why your brilliant.

PETER

Why did I wear glasses for 20
years?

KYLE

Because you're an idiot!

PETER

I'm a big dumb idiot! (Woohoo!)

KYLE

I guess we missed our flight. You
wanna check and see when the next
one is?

PETER

Nope. I feel very confident that
the universe is telling us to
proceed with "Operation Who's Your
Daddy."

KYLE

Are you messing with me?

PETER

We started this goddamn mission to find our father together, and we are gonna finish it. Come hell or high water.

KYLE

Dammit! That's spirit!

They hug.

KYLE

Let's do this!

PETER

We're goin' in!

KYLE

We're goin' in!

PETER

This is happening!

They carry their suitcases and walk off.

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