

William

What would you like... Tea? Coffee?

ANNA

Tea would be great...

I am really sorry about last time... I mean he just flew in... I had no idea...

William

Well...

Anna

In fact, I had no idea if he was gonna fly in oagain...

William

Listen, it's not often one has the opportunity too. Adios the plates of a major Hollywood film star... It was thrilling for me
So how is he?

Anna

I don't know... I just got to the point where I forgot any of the reasons, we were together.
And you and love...

William

Well, there is a question without an interesting answer...

Anna

I have thought about you... It is just that anytime I have tried to keep anything normal with a person that was normal...it has just been a diester.

William

Yeah, no, listen I appreciate that, absolutely. SO, what is that... a film you are doing?

Anna

Yes, I start in LA on Tuesday

William

Would you like me to take you through your lines?

Anna

Would you? Because it is all talk, talk, talk...

William

Come on... hand it over...Right... Basic plot?

Anna

I am a difficult but brilliant junior officer, who in about 20 minutes is gonna save the world from nuclear disaster...

William

Okay, well done, you.

“Message from command would you like to them to send in the HK’s?”

Anna

“No. Turn over the 4 TRS’s and tell them we need radar feedback before the KFT s return at 19:00. The inform the Pentagon we need Black Star cover from 10;00 through 12:15 and if you say one word about how many mistakes I made in that speech, I ‘ll pelt you with Olives...”

William

“Very well Captain, I’ll pass that on straight away.”

Anna

“Thank you”

How many mistakes did I make?

William

Eleven

Anna

Dammit.

“And Wainwright.”

William

“Cartwright.”

Anna

Cartwright, Wainwright, whatever your name it... I promised little Jimmy I’d be home for his birthday, so could you get a message to him that I may be a little late?

William

Certainly, “and little johnny?”

Anna

My son’s name is Johnny?

William

Yup

Anna

“Well, then get a message to him, too.”

William

“I’ll do what I can, Captain, but I can’t promise anything”

Anna

What do you think?

William

Gripping. You know it’s not Jane Austen. It is not Henry James. But it’s gripping.

Anna

You think I should do Henry James instead?

William

Well, I think you would be brilliant in Henry James but, you know, this writer... Writers...They’re damn good, too.

Anna

Well, you never get anyone in Wings of the Dove saying. “Inform the Pentagon we need Black Star cover.”

William

Well, and for me, the book is the poorer for it.

Anna

I can’t believe you have that picture

William

You like Chagall?

Anna

I do. It feels like what love should be...
Floating through a dark blue sky.

William

With a goat, playing a Violin.

Anna

Well, yes... Happiness isn't happiness without
a violin playing goat.

The thing that is so irritating is that now...I am so totally fierce when it
comes to nudity clauses.

William

You actually have clauses in your contract about nudity?

Anna

Definitely. You may show the dent of the top of the artists buttocks
But neither cheek. Or if there is a stunt bottom being used, artist must
have full consultation.

William

You have a stunt bottom

Anna

I could have a stunt bottom, yes.

William

And are people tempted to go for better bottoms
Then their own?

Anna

Yeah, I mean, I would. This is important stuff

William

Well, it's one hell of a job, isn't it? I mean what do you put on your
passport? Profession Mel Gibson's bottom.

Anna

Mel does his own ass work.

William

Right

Anna

Why wouldn't he?

William

Absolutely

Anna

It is delicious

William

The cookie or Mel Gibson's bottom?

Anna

Both equally

William

But you would not necessarily lick both?

Anna

Well, this is sweet and fuzz free

William

The bedroom I 've put clean sheets on.

Anna

This has been a good day which under the circumstances is unexpected

William

Thank you... anyway, time for bed...or sofa bed...

Anna

Goodnight

