



Wonder Boy

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Roshi is cast as Hamlet in the school production of 'Hamlet'. In this speech, Roshi describes the plot of Hamlet to their friend Sonny, who is playing one of the Guards.

(The lockers. After school. Sonny runs in. Roshi jumps out from a locker terrifying him. Roshi is holding a skull. Dressed in FULL-ON ye olde Shakespearean gear.)

ROSHI: HAMLET'S BASICALLY A BAD VERSION OF THE LION KING. THERE'S THIS BLOKE CALLED HAMLET. HE'S LIKE IF SIMBA WAS TOTALLY BASIC. SO THERE ARE THESE TWO GUARDS—ONE OF THEM YOU!!!!!! THEY'RE OUTSIDE FREEZIN AND THEY SEE A GHOST OF HAMLET'S DEAD DAD AND THEY'RE LIKE OHMYGOD THAT'S SO RANDOM WE SHOULD TELL HAMLET. MEANWHILE, HAMLET'S DAD JUST DIED AND HIS MUM GOT REMARRIED TO HAMLET'S UNCLE SUPER-QUICK.

HE'S GOT THAT FEELIN WHEN YOU GO TO THE MALL AND SEE CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS THE DAY AFTER HALLOWEEN. HAMLET'S MUM IS LIKE A HUMAN PROP WHO DOES NOTHIN. LIKE SHAKEY P JUST WHEELS HER OUT BUT SHE DOESN'T REALLY DO ANYTHIN. SHE'S A PERSONALITY VACUUM.

SO HAMLET'S DEAD DAD COMES UP TO HAMLET AND IS LIKE YO YOUR UNCLE MURDERED ME I WAS HAVING A NAP AND HE'S ALL LIKE TAKE SOME EAR FOR POISON. HAMLET IS LIKE SHOCKED PIKACHU FACE. HAMLET'S DEAD DAD IS LIKE LOL YEAH YOU SHOULD PROBABLY KILL HIM. BUT I'M LIKE HMMM HOLD ON WHY HAS THE GHOST WAITED NEARLY A MONTH SINCE THE MARRIAGE BEFORE SHOWIN ITSELF?

BUT HAMLET'S DEAD DAD IS LIKE GOTTAGOBYE AND THEN FOR LIKE MOST OF THE PLAY HAMLET PROCRASTINATES. HAMLET GETS DEPRESSED BECAUSE HE ISN'T AS COOL AS SIMBA. HAMLET'S EVIL UNCLE DOESN'T EVEN SING 'BE PREPARED' SO HE CAN GO AWAY.

HAMLET WAS SEEIN THIS GIRL OPHELIA. ANOTHER HUMAN PROP. HE'D SLIDE INTO THIS DM 'U UP BABE.' OPHELIA IS LIKE 'YEAHS' LIKE HAMLET IS LIKE 'HERE'S A CAT PICTURE.' OPHELIA IS LIKE 'OHMYGOD I LOVE YOU.'

AND THEN HAMLET SETS OUT TO AVENGE HIS FATHER'S MURDER AND GETS HIS ENTIRE FAMILY AND EVERYONE ELSE IN THE PLAY KILLED. SO BASICALLY HAMLET DECIDES TO PUT ON A SHOW AND IS ALL LIKE WITH JAZZ HANDS I WILL MAKE MY UNCLE CONFESS TO MURDER.

BUT IT DOESN'T WORK AND HAMLET IS REALLY LIKE SURE IT NEARLY WORKED CUZ HIS UNCLE FARTS OR SOMETHIN THEN HE ACCIDENTALLY KILLS OPHELIA'S DAD BECAUSE HE HATES THE CURTAINS IN THE ROOM.

AND THEN OPHELIA FALLS IN A PUDDLE AND DROWNS AND EVERYONE'S LIKE WHATEVER AND HAMLET GOES TO HER FUNERAL LIKE FEEL LIKE SHIT JUST WANT HER BACK.

HAMLET GETS CASUALLY KIDNAPPED BY PIRATES JUST CUZ... AND THEN HAMLET'S MUM IS ALL LIKE LOL I'M THIRSTY AND DRINKS SOME POISON AND EVERYONE'S LIKE WHATEVER AND HAMLET FINALLY KILLS HIS UNCLE. AND HAMLET KILLS LAERTES. AND LAERTES KILLS HAMLET.

AND ALL OF THIS COULD HAVE BEEN STOPPED IF AT ANY POINT SOMEONE—ANYONE—TOLD HAMLET TO

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UP!!!!!!!

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