

Fall finally fell eight years later. Until then everything was shooting up. We couldn't lose money if we tried. And then it all went down. Whatever you heard, it's not true that people jumped out of windows. But at least one was pushed. I heard someone wrote a very sympathetic suicide note for him. Said he'd bought on the margin and lost everything. Nah, he didn't lose his shares. He didn't even misplace them. They were all in a neat pile in his desk drawer. Yes, we sold them at a loss. But it wasn't our loss. I actually wonder, what if I deliberately tried to lose... but I'd have to have eyes in the back of my head.

