

SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
"JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON / CHARLIE XCX"

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TRUMPAGANDA ~ ALEC/CHLOE

(OPEN ON: VT: WHITE HOUSE DAY

ALEC AS DONALD TRUMP IS WATCHING THE
ROCK IN "SKYSCRAPER" FROM HIS DESK IN
THE OVAL OFFICE)

THE ROCK (O.C.)

*Whoa! Now THAT is the world's
tallest Skyscraper... and I'm the
world's strongest man.*

ALEC

This is just... incredible stuff.

(ALEC PICKS UP HIS PHONE)

ALEC

How tall is the Trump World
Tower?... *Uh uh...* and how tall
is the Trump International
Tower?... *I see...* Okay, what I
want you to do, is take the
International Tower and stack it

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(CONTD)

ALEC (CONTD)

on top of the World Tower so it's
one big super tower... Okay, so
put the World Tower on top of the
International Tower then....

Wouldn't work either?... Look, I
know why it wouldn't work, but
still explain it to me using
small words as if I *didn't* know,
just as a joke... you don't have
time?... Who's Sue Anne? I never
touched her... SuDAN?... I see.
I'm going into a tunnel. *Sfgshsh*.

Damn this Trump Tunnel! The
longest tunnel in the world!

(TRUMP HANGS UP. HE PRESSES A BUZZER
ON HIS DESK.

CHLOE AS KAYLEIGH MCENANY ENTERS.)

CHLOE

You rang sir?

ALEC

Send a pre-emptive edible
arrangement and a card with a
vague apology that could also be

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ALEC (CONTD)

construed as a threat to everyone
on the staff named Sue Anne. I
have a bad feeling.

CHLOE

Something like, "Please Accept
this Edible Arrangement" but with
"Arrangement" in quotes?

ALEC

Perfect.

CHLOE

What're you watching sir? That
doesn't look like- *what's on Fox*
at this time- Oh, Steve Doocy's
Carpool Karaoke. That's fun. I
think he's having Ted Nugent on.
Again.

ALEC

No this is HBO MAX. I finally
found the remote - Miller had
used it as part of his nest.

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CHLOE

I've been meaning to ask you
about that- it seems like Stephen
keeps chewing through my ethernet
cables?

ALEC

Yeah he'll do that. He just likes
the rubber casings and needs to
chew on something or else his
teeth will keep growing and
eventually pierce his skull.

CHLOE

I understand sir. So - what are
you watching?

ALEC

I've been watching a lot of T.V.
now that I've got so much free
time. It's summer, I've secured
the 2020 election-

CHLOE

Sir, we have not secured the 2020
election, there's still a lot of
work to do.

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(CONTD)

ALEC

Nah, we activated Kanye. The
sicko libs are ripping themselves
apart as we speak.

(CHLOE THINKS FOR A MOMENT- THEN
SHRUGS. HE'S RIGHT.)

CHLOE

...Have you seen Chernobyl? I
heard that was great.

ALEC

No. I keep seeing ads for it-
looks like fake news.

CHLOE

Oh, not the HBO version, I'm
talking about the state sponsored
Russian remake, the one that
completely reframes the story so
that it's not the government's
fault at all. Putin sent over an
advanced copy.

ALEC

We can just remake whatever we
want?

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CHLOE

Yes sir. It's called propaganda.

ALEC

Prop...a...gan...da. Yes. Okay,
get me the best director willing
to work with the Republican party-

CHLOE

Clint Eastwood?

ALEC

Anyone younger? We don't need two
guys sundowning on set every
night.

CHLOE

I think... Tim Allen directed a
couple episodes of *Last Man*
Standing?

ALEC

Perfect. I want to do a remake of
When They See Us, the central
park five story- but where the
kids aren't only tried as adults-
they're played by them too. Like

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ALEC (CONTD)

Dawson's Creek, only with black
people in the cast.

CHLOE

Yes sir.

ALEC

And I want my story told
truthfully. A savvy young
business man trying to save the
city and protect the innocent by
taking out a full page newspaper
ad calling for the death of five
innocent children. Except this
time they'll be adults, and
guilty, and the newspaper will be
the internet, and I'll have
invented the internet.

CHLOE

Yes sir.

ALEC

And we'll shoot the whole thing
over zoom.

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(CONTD)

CHLOE

Will people still watch that?

ALEC

Does it matter? We're an
institution. We get points just
for trying. Oh - and one more
thing.

CHLOE

Yes sir?

ALEC

LIVE FROM NEW YORK, IT'S SATURDAY
NIGHT!

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SEEKING SEEKING ARRANGEMENTS ~

AIDY/LESLIE/MELISSA/ALEX/MIKEY/EGO/KATE/JOHN DAVID
WASHINGTON/CECILY V.O.

(OPEN ON: UPSCALE SUSHI "SUGARFISH"

A RICH OLDER MAN, ALEX, AND A YOUNG
WOMAN, MELISSA, FLIRT OVER SOME WINE.)

CECILY V.O.

When it comes to dating, you
don't have time to play games.
You're an older man who's worked
hard for what he has, and now
you're looking for something- oh,
you're not? Right. You're a young
woman too busy studying to work,
and drowning in college debt,
looking for a little extra-
You're not that either?

(THE CAMERA PANS TO REVEAL AIDY
WATCHING THE OLDER MAN AND YOUNG WOMAN
ON THEIR DATE)

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CECILY V.O.

Oh that's right. You're a messy
bitch who loves drama. For you,
there's no greater thrill than
spotting a potential sugar baby
situation unfolding in front of
your very eyes. You scoot closer,
lean in, and let the eaves
dropping begin-

(AIDY LEANS IN TOWARDS THE TABLE NEXT
TO HER)

ALEX

You don't seem like the 9-5 type
at all. You should be pursuing
your passion...(?)

MELISSA

-Singing?

ALEX

-Singing! Sure. I can help with
that.

(ALEX TOUCHES MELISSA'S HAND, SHE
LOOKS AROUND NERVOUSLY)

AIDY

Girl...

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CECILY V.O.

But you don't always know if
you've got a real sugar date, or
if it's a dad daughter thing, or
an interview, or something
weirder.

(CUT TO: UPSCALE ITALIAN "CARBONE"

A DIFFERENT OLDER MAN, MIKEY, AND
YOUNG WOMAN, HEIDI, ARE SHARING BREAD.

AIDY LEANS IN TO LISTEN.)

MIKEY

I want to help you pay your rent.

(A PAUSE, AIDY LICKS HER LIPS.)

HEIDI

Thanks dad. I love you.

MIKEY

Now that mom's gone we have to
take care of each other.

AIDY

Blah!

CECILY V.O.

Introducing: *Seeking Seeking*
Arrangements. The only app that

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CECILY V.O. (CONTD)

alerts you when a sketchily
arranged, monetarily motivated,
age inappropriate date is
happening near you.

(AIDY GETS A NOTIFICATION)

AIDY

He's taking her to P.F. *Changs*!?

This is gonna be good-

(SHE RUNS OFF)

CECILY V.O.

But sometimes, not knowing is
half the fun. That's why we've
partnered with certain fine
dining restaurants to offer
special father-daughter discounts
to bring in some ringers, and
keep the guess work going with
our new "*Challenge Mode*"

(CUT TO: UPSCALE AMERICAN "ABC
KITCHEN")

AIDY SITS BETWEEN TWO POTENTIAL SUGAR
COUPLES. HER PHONE BEEPS. IT'S THE APP
ALERTING HER THAT A SEEKING
ARRANGEMENTS DATE IS HAPPENING NEAR BY)

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(CONTD)

AIDY

Here we go!

(AIDY LEANS TO HER LEFT)

COLIN

You're daddy's special little
girl.

(AIDY LEANS TO HER RIGHT)

KENAN

You're daddy's special little
girl.

AIDY

Oh boy.

(CUT TO: UPSCALE CHINESE "BUDDAKAN"

AIDY PEEKS OVER A MENU AT JOHN DAVID
WASHINGTON AND KATE.)

CECILY V.O.

Watch as these two virtual
strangers perform the delicate
dance of give and take, both
unsure as to at what point this
becomes straight up prostitution.

(JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON TRIES TO HAND
KATE CASH. SHE SHAKES HER HEAD. HE
THEN PRESENTS HER WITH A TENNIS
BRACELET. SHE NODS.)

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(CONTD)

(CUT TO: UPSCALE INDIAN "JUNOON"

AIDY WATCHES BECK AND EGO LOOK OVER
THEIR MENUS, A WAITER APPROACHES HER.)

WAITER

Are you gonna order?

AIDY

(harshly)

Just bring me another water.

CECILY V.O.

She, the delicate ingenue, trying
to rinse an older man for some
heels and a new purse. He, an
overworked gen-x-er who hasn't
felt genuine human touch outside
of a firm handshake in five
years. And you, the thirsty
little troll gobbling up this
five-course drama-buffet and
licking the plate clean.

(A WAITER APPROACHES BECK AND EGO'S
TABLE)

WAITER

Have you joined us before?

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(CONTD)

BECK

I have. She hasn't.

EGO

I actually have.

BECK

What?

(THE WAITER GRIMACES. AIDY SIPS HER
WATER LOUDLY. SHE CAN'T GET ENOUGH.)

(CUT BACK TO: "SUGARFISH"

ALEX AND MELISSA SHARE A GENUINE
LAUGH.)

CECILY V.O.

Seeking Seeking Arrangements.

Does this make you feel good?

(AIDY LOOKS TO THE CAMERA)

AIDY

What?

CECILY V.O.

So you read the headline of a
Vice article on Facebook, and now
you truly believe the world will
end within the next 50 years. You
don't think you'll ever find love
or have a family, and now you

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(CONTD)

CECILY V.O. (CONTD)

can't even see the point in
trying. You've pushed those fears
deep down into some unspeakable
place within your heart, and as a
result they've become twisted and
deformed within the dark recesses
of your suppressed psyche, only
to resurface now as confused
outward projections of moral
superiority you aim at these
strangers you'll never meet,
who's circumstances and story
you've reduced to anecdotal
punchlines for what you perceive
to be wrong with the world today.

(AIDY SCOFFS)

AIDY

I don't use Facebook.

(SHE RETURNS TO LOOKING AT THE COUPLE)

CECILY V.O.

And for those sugar daddies out
there for whom the shame is sort

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(CONTD)

CECILY V.O. (CONTD)

of part of it? Introducing
Seeking Peeking Arrangements.

(BECK LOOKS AROUND THE RESTAURANT)

CECILY V.O.

The app that lets you know when
you're being watched by someone
from *Seeking Seeking*
Arrangements.

BECK

I turn up the heat by using
Challenge Mode. Now I feel like
everyone is judging me. Just
because I choose to date
discreetly, doesn't mean I don't
still crave a little humiliation.

CECILY V.O.

Seeking Peeking Arrangements is
exclusively available as a Tesla
in-car download.

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DOG LEARNS TO SHAKE ~ KYLE/PETE/BECK/HEIDI/JOHN DAVID
WASHINGTON

(OPEN ON: MODEST LIVING ROOM.

PETE AS A DOG SITS FACING KYLE.

KYLE HOLDS HIS HAND OUT TO PETE.)

KYLE

Come on, shake.

PETE

What?

(KYLE TAKES PETE'S PAW AND SHAKES IT)

KYLE

Come on, Champ! Shake!

PETE

What are you doing dude?

(KYLE TAKES PETES PAW AND SHAKES IT
AGAIN. HARDER.)

KYLE

Shake!

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(CONTD)

PETE

Oh wait- do you want me to- put
my...

(PETE PLACES HIS PAW INTO KYLE'S
HAND.)

KYLE

Yes! That's it! Good boy! Mom!
Dad! Come see this! I taught
Champ a new trick!

PETE

I mean, you led me to the water-
(HEIDI AND BECK ENTER)

BECK

Hold on Aaron, your mom and I
have to pop over and say goodbye
to Mr. Pingree before he leaves.

HEIDI

He's going back to college. See,
Aaron, it's never too late, or
too early, to be thinking about
college!

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KYLE

Mom, I'm thirteen! The only thing
I'm thinking about is video
games.

BECK

Him and his video games!

KYLE

(suddenly serious)
How long will you be gone though?

HEIDI

We're only going across the
street.

KYLE

I'm just looking for a return
E.T.A, not a full itinerary mom.

BECK

Jeeze, Aaron, like five minutes.

HEIDI

You can show us the trick when we
get back. Don't get into any
trouble.

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(CONTD)

KYLE

What could I possibly do in five
minutes?

(BECK AND HEIDI EXIT. KYLE SPRINTS
AROUND THE ROOM, GRABBING A BOTTLE OF
HAND LOTION FROM THE ARMOIRE, A LAPTOP
FROM THE DESK, AND SOME TISSUES FROM
THE COFFEE TABLE- ON SECOND THOUGHT,
MAYBE SOME MORE TISSUES. HE EXITS
WHILE UNDOING HIS PANTS.)

PETE

Huh. He's probably just excited
to show off our new trick. Shake.
Awesome. I guess this old dog *can*
learn new tricks. Ruff Magazine
was right- Seven *is* the new
three. Hmm, Maybe I'll just check
to make sure Aaron is alright.

(PETE WALKS OFF FOLLOWING AFTER KYLE)

PETE (O.C.)

OH JESUS CHRIST!

KYLE (O.C.)

Champ! Get out of here!

(PETE WALKS BACK INTO THE LIVING ROOM,
VISIBLY STUNNED, STARING AT HIS PAWS.)

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PETE

All day. We were shaking all day.

(BECK AND HEIDI RE-ENTER)

BECK

Aaron! We're back!

PETE

Oh no-

HEIDI

Turns out Mr. Pingree is just
going to ITT Tech? Which is
online? And stopped existing
three years ago?

BECK

But that doesn't mean we weren't
serious about YOU going to
college. In fact we're more
serious-

(KYLE ENTERS, OUT OF BREATH)

KYLE

I told you to always text me when
on you're on your way home.

HEIDI

We were just across the street-

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KYLE

When you're gone and the house is
empty, assume I'm looking for
that heads up text.

PETE

House wasn't empty, man.

HEIDI

Why are you so out of breath?
Were you working on your special
little trick?

PETE

Don't say that.

KYLE

Oh right. Yes. Watch this. Champ,
shake.

PETE

Absolutely not.

KYLE

Huh. That's weird, I was just
shaking like crazy a couple
minutes ago.

PETE

Stop it, oh my god.

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(CONTD)

BECK

Let me try. Champ, come here.

(PETE WALKS OVER TO BECK)

PETE

Sit.

(PETE SITS.)

BECK

Shake.

(PETE SHAKES BECK'S HAND)

BECK

Oh! Maybe he just likes me
better!

(BECK STARTS RUBBING PETE ALL OVER)

HEIDI

Or maybe it's because you've
showered today. Aaron I can smell
you from here, why can't you be
like your dad? He takes two
twenty minute showers every day.

PETE

No- oh god no!

(PETE RUNS FROM BECK)

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(CONTD)

BECK

Weirdly, it helps me wake up, but
also helps me sleep.

KYLE

I shower.

HEIDI

Come here.

(KYLE WALKS TO HEIDI, SHE SMELLS HIS
HEAD, THEN HIS HANDS)

HEIDI

Hmm, your hands smell good. What
is that, Aloe?

(HEIDI PRESSES KYLE'S HANDS TO HER
FACE AND BREATHE IN DEEPLY)

PETE

FOR THE LOVE OF GOD, STOP.

HEIDI

Smells like Icy Hot-

KYLE

That would explain a lot actually-

HEIDI

Are you having joint pain?

(HEIDI STARTS TO RUB KYLE'S HANDS)

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PETE

Stop this right now or I will
bite a baby and force you to put
me down.

HEIDI

You're playing those video games
too much- You know how many
charges were on my credit card
this month for *Foot Night*?

BECK

I thought that game was called
Fort Night?

KYLE

No, it's called *Foot Night*. Don't
Google it.

PETE

No one wants to Google that man.

HEIDI

All that button mashing isn't
good for your hands, it's too
much.

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(CONTD)

BECK

I know someone who doesn't use
her hands too much anymore, after
Daddy's little Christmas present.

HEIDI

Honey stop! Plus, you know Champ
turned that into a chew toy last
week.

(PETE GAGS UNCRONTROLLABLY. JOHN DAVID
WASHINGTON ENTERS.)

JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON

Hey everybody.

PETE

Thank god- Mr. Pingree, you've
always been normal to me!

(PETE RUNS TO JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON,
WHO STARTS TO PET PETE)

JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON

Good boy!

PETE

Oh my god your hands are huge.

JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON

I just wanted to come over and
let you know, there's a new sex

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(CONTD)

JOHN DAVID WASHINGTON (CONTD)

offender in the neighborhood.
He's been going around saying
things like. "My Name is John
Pingree and I am legally
obligated to inform you that I am
a registered sex offender, and
due to recent complications
relating to misunderstanding on
Hinge, I will not be attending
USC in the fall, but rather
taking online courses with ITT
Tech." Totally crazy. Anyway, be
on the lookout.

(PETE STARTS TO STRUGGLE IN JOHN DAVID
WASHINGTONS HANDS BUT CAN'T GET FREE)

PETE

NOOOOOO!

(OUT)