

"Celebrity Jeopardy 1"

A Ralphland TV Sketch

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FADE IN:

INT. JEOPARDY STUDIO -- DAY

We see the Jeopardy splash screen come up and then get a close up of "Alex Trebek".

ALEX

Welcome, everyone to Celebrity Jeopardy. I was really looking forward to this week, which is a sad commentary on the way my life has been going, until I realized that contractual obligations required us to keep our current champion on the show.

KEN

Hi, Alex! I bet you would have missed me if they'd kept me off this week.

ALEX

That is a bet I'm willing to take. Our first celebrity contestant is Star Jones, who is by all accounts a lawyer.

STAR

I'm glad you brought that up, Alex. Yes, I am a lawyer.

ALEX

Great. And taking up yet another space on our panel of contestants is Mr. Sean Connery.

SEAN

Hey, no need to be so formal. Besides, I'm going to kick that nerd's ass today!

ALEX

Great. That has about as much of a chance of happening as I do of leaving this show with my dignity intact. Here are our categories today- "Things We Hope Ken Jennings Doesn't Know", "Things A Lawyer Should Know; This Means You, Star Jones", "More Things We Hope Ken Jennings Doesn't Know", "Stuff We Made Up, So Ken Jennings Should Get All of The Questions Wrong", "Bring in the Funk" -And I warn you Mr. Connery, you will get fined by the FCC if you intentionally mispronounce that category- and

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ALEX (CONT'D)

lastly, "Things a Decent, Honorable, alleged Morman Shouldn't Know." And now-

KEN

If I didn't know any better, I'd think I wasn't welcome here anymore.

ALEX

I had thought the dump I took in your car would have clued you in, but anyway, Mr. Connery- you will select first since this is a special celebrity edition and you can use all the help you can get.

SEAN

Thank you Alex. I'll take "Things A Lawyer Should Know; This Means You, Star Jones" for 400 dollars.

ALEX

Okay. 'This is the legal term for a company that is the only buyer of a particular item of which there are many sellers'. Uh, Mr. Connery, you rang in?

SEAN

Sure, Alex. What is Monopsony?

ALEX

As always, Mr. Connery, that is absolutely- um, right? How did you do that?

SEAN

I told you, Alex. I came to win. Now I'll take "Bring in the-

ALEX

Watch it, Connery!

SEAN

"-Funk for 400 dollars."

ALEX

Oh. Okay then. 'This funk pioneer sang the song Mary Jane and recently died. Something we wish would happen to a certain know it all geek.' um, Sean again.

SEAN

Who is Rick James?

ALEX
My god, that's right.

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We see the scores of the three contestants; Sean Connery is narrowly leading Ken Jennings.

ALEX
We've got a barn burner, here folks.
Unbelievably, Mr. Connery is on top-

SEAN
Just the way your mother likes it,
Trebek!

ALEX
I'm going to let that one go since I
am ecstatic that a certain know it
all punk is getting what's coming to
him.

KEN
That's not nice.

ALEX
No, what isn't nice is Star Jones'
score. Perhaps you need to take the
bar exam again, Ms. Jones.

STAR
I don't need to take the exam again,
because I am a lawyer.

ALEX
Could have fooled me. In any case,
the Final Jeopardy category is-
'Current Affairs'- Nope. I'm changing
it to 'XXX Rated movies that Ken
Jennings probably hasn't seen but
Sean Connery has.'

SEAN
Ah hah! The game is afoot!

ALEX
The question- 'In this movie, a Tom
Hanks look-alike gets pleased by
numerous women while sitting on a
park bench.'

The Jeopardy music plays.

ALEX (CONT'D)

Let's hope that Ken Jennings doesn't know this and Sean Connery does. As a matter of fact, Mr. Jennings should be ashamed of himself if he gets this one right.

The Jeopardy music stops.

ALEX (CONT'D)

Let's see what they wrote down. Mr. Jennings, your religion forbids you from viewing these movies, therefore it would be an embarrassment for you to answer correctly. Your answer- 'Forrest Hump'.

KEN

I took a guess, there Alex.

ALEX

And thank goodness you did. That answer is wrong. Let's hope that you wagered a lot.

KEN

I didn't.

ALEX

Yes, you took the coward's way out and wagered nothing. I won't even bother to read Star's answer because there's no way in hell she can win at this point anyway. Moving on, let's look at what Sean Connery wrote down.

SEAN

I was surprised that you knew anything about hetero porn, Trebek.

ALEX

I'd do anything to get Mr. Jennings off this show.

SEAN

I'll be nice and not say anything about that comment.

ALEX

Great. Now you answered- 'Saving Ryan's Privates' which is correct!

SEAN

It was a trick question! 'Forrest Hump' didn't have a Tom Hanks look-alike in it.

ALEX
Correct! Now I can officially say
that the reign of terror is over and-

SEAN
Alex.

ALEX
What?

SEAN
Alex!

CUT TO:

ALEX TREBEK'S BEDROOM -- NIGHT

Alex Trebek is startled and awakens.

ALEX
I knew it had to be a dream- it was
too good to be true!

Alex rolls over and sees Sean Connery in bed with him.

SEAN
That's what your mother said too.

ALEX
Ahhhhh!!!!!!!!!!

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