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CAST

BARRY: Any age male.

SYLVIA: Any age female.

<u>Time</u> Present day.

<u>Place</u> An Automobile.

At Rise: Barry is seated. The chair next to him is empty. A Michael Jackson CD is playing on the imaginary car CD player. Barry is casual yet elegantly dressed and obviously happy. Sylvia is waiting stage right for him. She has a small suitcase or tote.

BARRY: Hello my sweetheart. (*Jumping out of the car, he rushes to help his beloved Sylvia with her bag.*)

SYLVIA: (*Passionate, she is thrilled to see him. She too is casual but elegantly dressed.*) Oh darling, I couldn't wait to see you. I love you so much. (*Brief pause*) Is that Michael Jackson? I didn't know you liked him.

BARRY: I think my heart is about to jump out of my chest. Oh and look at my stunning Sylvia. I can't keep my hands off you. Just how am I going to drive? (*Passionately hugs her and walks around to get into car.*)

SYLVIA: Okay, so we're off on our first pre-marriage honeymoon. That is if such a thing exists.

BARRY: Well if it doesn't, we're going to start a new trend.

SYLVIA: That's a great idea Barry. You are so clever. That's one of things I love about you. I mean you make everything fun. I don't care what it is, you make it fun. You're the perfect man Barry. Oh Michael Jackson, huh? I don't like him. Of course I always say to each his own, but he's definitely overrated.

BARRY: Well you'll never be overrated baby, never. Sylvia, you are the love of my life. (*Passionate again*) Now, here's to a thousand more beautiful trips like this.

SYLVIA: Were you really serious about taking me to Greece this spring?

BARRY: Of course I am. My divorce should be final by then and I couldn't think of a more romantic place to honeymoon.

SYLVIA: You mean we could actually be married by then? (*Brief pause*) Honey, could you please turn that CD down just a bit? It's hard for me to hear you.

BARRY: Sweetheart that's my number one goal...to be married to my beloved Sylvia by spring's end.

SYLVIA: (*Kisses him on the cheek*) I'm so excited. I honestly wish we could get away like this more often. Where are tonight's reservations, honey?

BARRY: Oh I didn't make any. We're not sure how long we want to drive, are we? I thought we'd just play this one by ear and pull in someplace, when we get tired.

SYLVIA: But what if we can't find a room and it's, it's late and we're both dead-dog tired and can't drive another mile?

BARRY: Then we'll just have to sleep in the car won't we?

SYLVIA: Are you out of your mind?

BARRY: Well, the good news is we'll already be dressed and just think of the early start we'll get!

SYLVIA: I am not sleeping in a car Barry. Will you please turn that thing down?

BARRY: Oh pumpkin I'm only kidding. Can't you tell? But I shouldn't do that should I?

SYLVIA: No you shouldn't because it's mean. Your sense of humor can get way out of control and you can hurt people. (*She turns off the CD player.*)

BARRY: I thought I told you I liked Michael Jackson. In fact I play his music a lot in my car.

SYLVIA: I'm sorry honey. That was inappropriate on my part. Forgive me?

BARRY: Of course, you don't know me sweet one, but I could never get mad at you. *Hugs or kisses her.*)

SYLVIA: (Screams) Barry! Watch out!

BARRY: What the heck??????

SYLVIA: That blue car. He started to pull over into our lane. I didn't think you saw him.

BARRY: You know I've been driving for years and I've never had an accident or a speeding ticket...like a lot of people.

SYLVIA: You can get a ticket for driving slow. Just because you're a pokey driver doesn't mean you're a good driver. Actually pokey drivers cause more accidents.

BARRY: So what you're really saying is I'm a pokey driver?

SYLVIA: Oh no, you're not a real pokey driver. I'd say you're more the cautious type. Yeah, that's it. Absolutely not pokey at all, just cautious and...actually it's a good thing, really.

BARRY: Yeah and you're a fast driver. Oh well, to each his own.

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You'll want to read and perform this show!