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hold a job, was insensitive, indifferent, obnoxious, homely or lousy in bed.

VAL. So, these are the kinds of guys who are out there?

NINA. For the most part, yes.

(VAL stands and looks around the bar.)

What are you doing?

VAL. I'm checking out the women. There's gotta someone in this bloody world who's right for me.

NINA. No, I'm not saying there's no one, Val. I'm just saying don't set your sights too high.

VAL. I beg your pardon?

NINA. You heard me. Aim a little lower.

VAL. Aim a little lower?

NINA. Yeah. *(Looks towards the bar.)* What's keeping those guys?

VAL. You know, Nina, I happen to think that I'm a pretty good catch.

NINA. What?

VAL. No, I'm a very good catch. I'm smart. I have a good sense of humour. I'm well read, well spoken, I've got a good career, and I can look pretty damn sexy with the right outfit and proper lighting. And you know what else? I've got nice hair. Yeah. No split ends, soft to the touch and easy to manage. And with that kind of package you expect me to aim lower? I don't think so, Missy. In fact, if anything, I'm going to aim just as high as I can, because I think I deserve the best. That's right. Somewhere out there is one very nice, very good-looking, very successful man who is going to meet me and say, 'Wow. Why aren't you spoken for yet?' And I'll say, 'Because I haven't found anyone good enough yet and that includes you, Jerk-off, so hit the road.' So, thanks for the advice, Nina, but