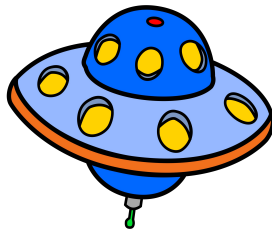


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Character List

Reg

Debbie

Adooda

Patrick

Dianne

(On a starry moonlit night in a quiet mountain range, a couple is slowly hiking while enjoying all that nature has to offer. They stop at a bluff to admire the view, putting down their backpacks.)

Reg: It's beautiful isn't?

Debbie: Wow, what a view. Glorious.

Reg: Really makes that three hour hike worth it.

Debbie: Shall we camp here tonight?

Reg: Lets, but I'm not putting up the tent!

Debbie: Business as usual then!

Reg: Careful, or I won't...what the?

(Reg is interrupted by a bright light shooting across the sky.)

Debbie: What was that?

Reg: I have no idea. Looked like a shooting star or something.

(An orb of light appears in the sky and descends to sit opposite Debbie and Reg.)

Debbie: What is it? Don't get too close Reg.

Reg: It's an orb, it came from that bigger brighter light.

Debbie: Reg! Don't get too close.

Reg: I think it's ok.

(Reg steps closes to the orb of light. The orb makes a loud beeping noise, and Reg jumps back.)

Debbie: Crumbs, we should go. I'm getting scared.

Reg: No it's OK.

(The orb or light begins to speak.)

Adooda: Hell.....Hellooo.....earthlings.

Debbie: It knows our language.

Reg: Hello, we mean you no harm. My name is Reg.

Debbie: My name is Debbie.

Adooda :Greetings, my name is Adooda. I come from a faraway planet. I have travelled for millennia's meeting new life forms on planets across the universe. We are a peaceful race and, I have come to your planet to learn about you, earthlings, and your culture. I want to know everything.

Debbie: We will tell you what we can. Right Reg?

Reg: Yes of course.

Adooda: Thank you. Perhaps I should take a human form, to put you at ease. Reg, could I scan your body to take a human form? I will be an exact replica of your body in every way. The head will be somewhat similar, our technology finds facial features difficult to replicate.

Reg: Yes, I would be honoured.

(Adooda sends out a bright light which scans across Reg's body. Adooda then appears in human form, he is wearing the same clothes as Reg)

Debbie: Wow Reg, Adooda looks just like you.

Reg: It's uncanny.

(Adooda examines his human form, looking at his legs and feet, arms and hands.)

Debbie: Even the clothes, the arms the legs, exactly the same. Cool.

Reg: Even the face is close.

(Adooda is still examining his body, and he begins to look down his pants.)

Adooda: What's this?

Debbie: Exact replica! Wow!

(Adooda is still looking down the front of his pants.)

Reg: What is it Adooda?

Adooda: It is tiny.

Debbie: What is tiny?

Reg: Calm down, it is not tiny.

Debbie: Oh, I see.

Adooda: Is this normal?

Reg: Yes, it is normal among the male population. Right Deb?

Debbie: Hmmm. **(Shakes her head no.)**

Reg: Right Deb?

Adoola: Are you are fully grown male?

Reg: *Yes!*

Debbie: Perhaps something went wrong in the copying process?