DEB

I've been seeing another man for the last eleven weeks and it was nothing and I ended it tonight. At first, I was just keeping an eye on the Real Estate Market and then it was me being insecure and searching for some kind of validation and-

JOHN

Hold on, hold on, hold on... um...
umm... am I missing what you're
saying. I'm... ok... you can't keep
talking and expect me to follow if
you just do what you did.

DEB

Just what did you hear?

**JOHN** 

Well, there was a crack in the planet... whew that was noisy... oh wow it was an actual noise in my head, no kiddin'.

DEB

A ma bab, then a maw-

JOHN

If you talk that fast, I'm not going to hear you. There is a lot going through my mind right now.

(beat)

Have you said yet whether you slept with him?

DEB

Well, so far, I've just been taking about a little flirtation-

JOHN

Have you said whether you slept with another person, because I... I really am missing your words so help me out here.

DEB

I've been trying to say that for the first ten weeks I've been-

JOHN

You still haven't said yet, right?

DEB

I this your way-

JOHN

Yes, this is my way, this is my way of asking you if whether or not you..... ah man, once I ask it..... just give me give me a second. I'm trying to figure out if there is any way to avoid knowing.

(beat)

No, damn it! There isn't... ok your shortest answer-

DEB

YES!

JOHN

Really?

DEB

Now I made up my mind that I was going to answer every question you had. I'll answer everything and anything and more-

JOHN

What other questions could there be?

DEB

Are you really that much nicer than me?

**JOHN** 

Well, you don't set the bar real high.

DEB

Wait, just wait. Please don't go. I think if you just listen to what happened then you can do what you need to do, just please listen to me, I'll tell you everything. The reason I took this chance telling you is because I want to be close, I want to feel like your not nuts to be in love with me..... so what I think we should do is, I think we should just talk until we just pass out, talk until we are so sick if each other that there is nothing left to do but take that first step out of hell ..... so lets not leave this room until you have heard and said everything ok ..... please say ok.....

**JOHN** 

I'm sorry what?

DEB

John, you didn't hear me?

JOHN

I'm sorry you... you keep talking.

DEB

Wait!

**JOHN** 

Stay put!