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Roommates Lucas and James are sitting on a couch playing video games facing the audience. In walks their third roommate, Suzie, in emotional distress. The door slams behind her and that grabs the boy's attention.

LUCAS:
Suzie, are you ok?

JAMES:
What's wrong?

SUZIE:
ANDY AND I BROKE UP!

Lucas and James go to hug Suzie and she overdramatically sobs into James's shoulder.

LUCAS:
There, There. It's
gonna be ok.

He was such a dick,
wasn't he James?

Such an asshole.

JAMES:
I never liked him
anyway.

What an asshole.

Yeah, a total dick.

SUZIE:
He wasn't a dick he was the love of my life.

Lucas puts Suzie's head in his hands.

LUCAS:
Suzie, I'm telling you this as your roommate and one
of your best friends of five years, he was so lame.

JAMES:
So lame dude.

LUCAS:
Like literally the worst.

JAMES:
What was with his feet thing again?

LUCAS:
Yeah, what was that again Suzie?

SUZIE:

He was prone to foot fungus.

JAMES:

That shit's nasty.

LUCAS:

Hella nasty bro.

SUZIE:

It's actually a very serious medical condition.
(*remembering something*) Oh no!

JAMES:

What?

SUZIE:

His special foot cream is still in my bathroom! I
have to go through all of my stuff and give it back.

Suzie curls into a ball on the floor.

*Lucas and James give each other a "how do we fix
this crying mess on our floor look".*

*James exits and comes back with a bottle of foot
cream in one hand and a severed foot behind his
back.*

JAMES:

Do you mean this foot cream?

SUZIE:

Yeah.

James chucks it across the stage.

Suzie laughs a little.

JAMES:

Oooooo noooooooooooooo I guess his nasty feet will
have to live without it.

LUCAS:

What is he ever gonna do?

James shows the severed foot.

JAMES:

You guys-

SUZIE: What the fuck??

LUCAS: NASTY!

JAMES: Calm down it's just-

SUZIE: Why do you have my
ex's foot in your
hand?

LUCAS: Where did you get a
foot?

LUCAS: Wait, how do you know what your ex's feet look like?

SUZIE: Is this really the most important thing right now?

LUCAS: ... yes.

SUZIE: Sometimes I applied the foot cream when he was too
tired to.

LUCAS: Nasty.

JAMES: You guys!

SUZIE: Yes?

LUCAS: Yes?

JAMES: I found it wedged in the bathroom door.

*Suzie's phone DINGS with a text. She looks and
frowns.*

SUZIE: Why did he just text me?

JAMES: Because your ex still has one foot in the door.

LUCAS: (to Suzie) Ignore him. (to James) Can I have it?

JAMES: Why?

LUCAS:

The game's a foot.

Lucas shrugs. James groans at the pun.

James tosses Lucas the foot. Throughout the rest of the play they toss it back and forth, fiddle with it. Idk just have fun.

James and Lucas help Suzie get up off the floor.

LUCAS:

Suzie, you're actually in a very lucky position.

SUZIE:

What? How is this lucky?

LUCAS:

Your first relationship has ended.

SUZIE:

Again, how is this/

JAMES:

The post-breakup ho phase.

LUCAS:

The post-breakup ho phase.

The lights change subtly to a jokingly intense vibe.

SUZIE:

What?

JAMES:

The post-breakup ho phase is a genderless, ageless, and timeless tradition of men and women alike.

LUCAS:

Right now, you have the perfect excuse to get out there... sow your wild oats... and avoid romantic feelings like the plague.

SUZIE:

I don't think a thot phase is really my style.

LUCAS:

Really? There isn't at least one person you wanna smash without having to worry about commitment.

SUZIE:

Well... there is a cute guy in my ASL class that is

way to into lego replicas of movie sets.

JAMES:

So he's hot, but you don't want to commit because he's way into children's toys.

SUZIE:

Pretty much.

JAMES:

You have amazing instincts. You have the perfect excuse to stop talking to him and other people and they cannot judge you for it.

LUCAS:

You just have to avoid your monogamous instincts and everything will be great.

SUZIE:

Monogamous instincts?

JAMES:

(motioning with toes of the severed foot) Let's not tip-toe around the subject.

SUZIE:

Could you please stop playing with my ex's foot?

LUCAS & JAMES:

No.

Lucas and James set up two chairs facing each other. James sits in one. Lucas motions for Suzie to sit in the other. She does.

JAMES:

Let's practice. Say we are on a date.

SUZIE:

I wouldn't-

JAMES:

I know I know, It would ruin our friendship. This is hypothetical. What would you ask someone on a date?

SUZIE:

Ok. How's their relationship with their parents?

JAMES:

WHAT?

LUCAS:

ARE YOU KIDDING ME?