

REAL CONVERSATIONS: STAINLESS STEEL

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INT. KB'S PARENTS' HOUSE (LIVING ROOM) - DAY

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JUSTIN (39) lies on the couch mindlessly flipping through TV channels when his father-in-law, ADAM (60s), enters.

ADAM

Have you seen my knife?

JUSTIN

Your knife? What knife?

ADAM

My little stainless steel knife.
Last night I was slicing up a brick
of cheese with it while lying on
the couch, and now I can't find it.

(beat)

It's probably stuck somewhere
between the cushions.

Justin leaps off the couch.

JUSTIN

Why would you leave a sharp knife
on a couch?

ADAM

(ignoring, walking off)

Just let me know if you find it.

JUSTIN

(calling after)

Here's a better question: Who lies
on a couch while slicing up a brick
of cheese? I'm pretty sure that's
why kitchens were invented.

Behind Justin, KB (35) enters. She goes to sit on the couch--

KB

What was that--

--but is saved by Justin who, in one quick motion, turns and
SHOVES the couch out of the way. KB misses the couch, and
falls HARD to the floor on her ass.

KB (CONT'D)

Dude! What the fuck?!?

THE END