

WHO ARE CONTESTANTS?

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INT. "JEOPARDY!" SET - DAY

Just back from a commercial break, ALEX TREBEK, America's favorite game show host, walks over to the three contestants for their intro chats.

Alex approaches LAURIE, a grinning large woman wearing a holiday-themed sweater.

ALEX

(to camera)

I get the feeling this young lady, Laurie Singer of Shreveport, Louisiana, was a handful as a kid.

(to Laurie)

At eight years old, you wrote a letter to the editor of your local newspaper. Why?

LAURIE

They published an article about the twentieth anniversary of Sylvia Plath's death, and they mistakenly referred to her novel simply as Bell Jar. So I wrote a letter in to remind them that the actual title of her book was The Bell Jar.

ALEX

I bet that made you very popular with your classmates.

LAURIE

(giggling)

Not at all.

Alex moves on to WALLACE, a middle-aged African-American man who clearly has never been laid.

ALEX

(to camera)

Wallace Bixby of Portland, Oregon.

(to Wallace)

On the eve of your thirtieth birthday, I'm told you witnessed something remarkable. What was it?

WALLACE

I saw three hummingbirds sucking nectar from the same Lobelia cardinalis flower.

ALEX

What a fascinating birthday that must have been for you.

WALLACE

(grinning)

I drank myself to sleep.

Finally, Alex moves on to MILES (24).

Unlike the previous, more dressed-up contestants, Miles is a mess. He's wearing a stained Ramones t-shirt, his hair isn't combed, and he appears to be slightly hung over.

ALEX

(to camera)

And finally, Miles DeCico--

MILES

Psycho.

ALEX

(to camera)

Alright. Psycho, from Bangor, Maine.

(to Miles)

It says here that during your junior year of college, you had an interesting experience in Thailand.

MILES

I did, Alex.

ALEX

Tell us about it.

MILES

Well, I flew there with three of my homeboys for spring break. My buddy Tony, we call him Tone-Bot, agreed to be a mule for this drug kingpin cat we met one night when I delivered him a Papa John's pizza.

ALEX

What kind of pizza was it?

MILES

Hawaiian.

ALEX

My favorite.

MILES

I'm more of a meat-lover's guy myself. Anyway, so my buddies and I land in Thailand ready to party.

ALEX

Who wouldn't be?

MILES

Exactly. So we pick up these four chicks... well, *actually*, one of them was a tranny, but it was cool because my boy Steve, who goes by Steve the Cleave--

ALEX

(interrupting)

I assume he's from Cleveland?

MILES

No, he's a butcher. Anyway, Steve the Cleave is bi, so he was all like, "I'll tap that, too!" So, like, we all go out to the bars, and then we end up back at this seedy motel where all eight of us get into this crazy-ass orgy.

ALEX

Sounds fun.

MILES

It was nuts. The room was filled with all these dicks--

ALEX

(interrupting)

Five of them, if my math is correct.

MILES

Exactly. And a bunch of titties--

ALEX

(interrupting)

Four pairs for eight total.

MILES

Yep. So we're all fucking for, like, five hours or something, right? And then, it was so crazy, we all passed out.

ALEX
From all the drinking?

MILES
No, Alex, from all the fucking.

ALEX
Ah, I see.

MILES
But then, and this is where it gets insane, we wake up to someone kicking down the door. It was the Hawaiian pizza drug kingpin dude and a couple of his goons looking for the drugs that my buddy Leslie--

ALEX
(interrupting)
What's his nickname?

MILES
Nothing. We just call him Leslie because it's already such a stupid name for a dude, right?

ALEX
Absolutely.

MILES
So my buddy Leslie had all these drugs shoved up his ass, and the Hawaiian pizza dude wants 'em. Now. So Leslie shoves his hand up his ass, trying to find the balloons. But guess what? They're gone.

ALEX
Oh, no. What happened next?

MILES
The pizza dude shot Leslie.

ALEX
He killed Leslie?

MILES
No.

ALEX
Thank God.

MILES

But he did kill Tone-Bot. You know,
just to make a point.

ALEX

One can't be disrespected.

MILES

Right. So anyway, Leslie suddenly
remembers that in the middle of the
orgy he went and took a shit. So he
goes in the bathroom and finds the
balloons floating in the bowl.

ALEX

Ah, so Leslie is the friend who
never flushes.

MILES

He totally is!

ALEX

Everybody has one.

MILES

So yeah, it was a totally memorable
trip to Thailand.

ALEX

Did you bring Tone-Bot's body back
home for burial?

MILES

We thought about it, but it was the
first day of our vacation.

ALEX

I'm sure Tone-Bot would understand.

MILES

He totally would.

ALEX

(to camera)

Alright, let's get back into this.
Psycho has command of the board.

(to Miles)

Go ahead and make a selection.

MILES

I'll take Potent Potables for \$200.

THE END