

Adapted Scene from 'War of the Roses' by Michael J Leeson

BARBARA: I was driving to the hospital ... and I was getting on the expressway, suddenly, I had this feeling that you were dead and I knew what it would feel like to not have you in my life and I was so scared and I had to pull over.

OLIVER: You don't have to be scared anymore.

BARBARA: I got scared because I felt happy.

OLIVER: You were 'happy' because I was dead?

BARBARA: I was happy to be free, like a weight had been lifted.

OLIVER: Like a weight had been lifted?

BARBARA: Yeah!

OLIVER: So, how am I supposed to take that?

BARBARA: I want a divorce, Oliver.

OLIVER: No you don't. You can't have one.

BARBARA: I've thought about this a lot, I really don't want to be married to you anymore.

OLIVER: Why, why do you want a divorce? Did ... I do something? Did I not do something?

BARBARA: I can't give you specifics, Oliver.

OLIVER: Is there someone else? Another man?

BARBARA: No.

OLIVER: A woman?

BARBARA: You wish. You know, when I watch you eat, when I see you sleep, when I look at you lately, I just want to smash your face in!