

MY OWN PRIVATE IDAHO

SCOTT

Getting away from everything feels good.

MIKE

Yeah it does.

SCOTT

When I left home the maid asked me where I was off to. I said wherever, whatever. Have a nice day.

MIKE

You had a maid?

SCOTT

Yeah.

MIKE

If I had a normal family and a good upbringing then I would have been a well-adjusted person.

SCOTT

Depends on what you call normal.

MIKE

Yeah, it does. Well, you know, normal like a mom and a dad and a dog and shit like that. Normal.

SCOTT

So you didn't have a normal dog?

MIKE

No, I didn't have a dog.

SCOTT

You didn't have a normal dad?

MIKE

I didn't have a dog or a normal dad anyway. Yeah. That's alright. I don't feel sorry for myself. I feel...I mean I feel like I'm well-adjusted.

SCOTT

What's a normal dad?

MIKE

I don't know. I'd like to talk with you. I mean I'd like to...uh...really talk with you. I mean we're talking right now, but, you know, I don't feel like I can be...I don't feel like I can be close to you. I mean we're close...right now we're close, but I mean...you know....

SCOTT

But? How close? I mean....

MIKE

I don't know. Whatever.

SCOTT

What?

MIKE

What do I mean to you?

SCOTT

What do you mean to me? Mike, you're my best friend.

MIKE

I know that. I know, I know I'm your friend. We're good friends and that's good to be...you know, good friends. That's a good thing.

SCOTT

So?

MIKE

So I just...that's okay...really friends....

SCOTT

I only have sex with a guy for money.

MIKE

Yeah, I know.

SCOTT

Two guys can't love each other.

MIKE

Yeah. Well, I don't know, I mean...I mean for me...I could love someone even if I, you know, wasn't paid for it. I love you and you don't pay me.

SCOTT

Mike.

MIKE

I really wanna kiss you, man. Well, goodnight, man. I love you, though. You know that. I do love you.

SCOTT

Alright. Come here, Mike. Let's just sleep. Come on. Let's just sleep. Come on.

They spoon.