He's Just Not That Into You

ALEX

What can I get you? GIGI Oh, that's OK. I'm meeting someone. ALEX Oh, yeah? Got a hot date? GIGI I don't know if you'd call it hot --I mean this guy Conor and I have only been out the one time so -ALEX Wait - Conor Barry? GIGI Oh, uhh, yeah -ALEX Conor's not coming in tonight. Did he forget he was supposed to meet you? GIGI See when I said "meeting someone" I guess that was kind of a broad term, kind of a wide interpretation of the word "meeting"! ALEX Because I could just call him -GTGT NO! I mean, totally unnecessary. I mean, I actually was just - in the area -so I figured I'd just swing by and see if he was around - because - uhhh --GIGI (CONT'D) I uhh, had to return his --

GIGI (CONT'D)

Pen. I had to return this - pen. He left this. So, I thought I should really return it before he - you know -- freaks out.

ALEX

Dr. Frankel - Adult, Child and Geriatric Dentistry.

GIGI

Look, I'm not gonna judge about what may or may not be important to someone.

ALEX

That's not even his dentist.

GIGI

Oh, really? Then who's his dentist?

ALEX

My dad.

GIGI

I'm Gigi. Conor and I went out last week. And I just...I thought if I ran into him... I don't know. I'm gonna go.

ALEX

Hey. Just - hang out for a second. Lemme buy you a drink.

Gigi SMILES and sits back down.

ALEX

Look, you seem like a cool girl, so I'm just gonna be honest - Conor is never going to call you.

GIGI

Oh really? How do you know?

ALEX

Because I'm a guy. It's how we do it.

GIGI(hopeful)

He said it was nice meeting me.

ALEX

I don't care if he said you were his favorite female since his mommy and Joanie Cunningham. Over a week went by -and he didn't call.

GTGT

But maybe he called me and I didn't get the message. Or maybe he lost my number, or was out of town, or was hit by a cab, or his grandma died.

ALEX

Or maybe he just didn't call because he has no interest in seeing you again.

GIGI

Yeah but my friend Terri once went out with this guy who never called and she totally wrote him off - then like a year later she ran into him -

ALEX

Your friend Terri's an idiot. And she's the exception.

GIGI

OK. But what if I'm the exception?

ALEX

You're not. You're the rule. And the rule is - if a guy doesn't call you, he doesn't want to call you.

GTGT

Really? Always?

ALEX

Yeah. Always. I know what blowing off a woman looks like. I do it early and I do it often. Trust me - if a guy is treating you like he doesn't give a shit - he doesn't. No exceptions.

GIGI

Why are you telling me all of this? Aren't these man-secrets - like why men need to watch televised golf?

ALEX

I don't know. You looked like you could really use the help.

GIGI

Thank you. You've given me a lot to think about. Gigi smiles at him