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## THE WORLD ACCORDING TO GARP

INT. ROOM. BEDTIME. NIGHT

**GARP** 

I wish I'd known you when you were 15, No, I really wish I'd known you when you were 5! I wish we'd grown up together as kids. That way I could see you flatchested and watch you as your breasts grew.

ELLEN

You get to see my breasts sag, my teeth fall out, and my hair turn grey. It's not as exciting but ...

**GARP** 

Our youth is gone, isn't it?

ELLEN

Um-hmm.

**GARP** 

How about that...I'm 30, dirty 30!

ELLEN

Why dirty?

GARP

I don't know...you know, maybe we should move.

ELEN

Why?

GARP

There's nuclear plants near by, there's crazy drivers everywhere...strangers!

ELLEN

What strangers?

GARP

Well, we haven't had any strangers but I mean, well, strangers can come between us.

ELLEN

Did you seduce that babysitter?

**GARP** 

Oh, Jesus Christ! That really--that really get's me!

ELLEN

Sorry.

**GARP** 

I should hope so!...Let's make love!

HELEN

I don't think so!

GARP

Don't you think I want to?

ELLEN

No, I don't think I want to.

**GARP** 

I do, I really really do!

ELLEN

No, I don't, I really don't! I want to finish reading this story.

GARP

You're reading another writer in my bed, Helen, that's adultery. You see, a stranger has come between us...Max knoll! That's catchy! Michael Milton...It that his name?

HELEN

Yeah.

GARP

Sounds like a flavour in a gay ice cream parlor. Strawberry swirl, Chocolate Chocolate Mocha Madness Michael Milton.

ELLEN

He is not gay! His writing is no were near as good as yours.

**GARP** 

He writes sad stuff, too?

ELLEN

Hardly,...he is one of my gradual students. He's bright enough, he's just...

GARP

What?

ELLEN

I don't know, young, maybe...he's just...young-very bright but...young.

GARP

How young? Seventeen?

ELLEN

No, not seventeen.

GARP

Eighteen, nineteen? Is he a teen?

ELLEN

I don't know!

**GARP** 

Let's go look at the kids.

ELLEN

We looked at 'em last night.

GARP

I know but I really need to look at themfor both of us to look at them.

ELLEN

All right, let's go look at the kids.

GARP

I really love it!

ELLEN

What?

GARP

Being a father, being a husband and a father. Oh, I really adore it. I will never ever write anything that lovely. I mean I have the talent as a writer but I'm natural at only two things: wrestling and being a family man.

ELLEN

Come on family man!