LETS TALK ABOUT SEX

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TEASER

INT. RADIO STATION - CALL BOOTH - NIGHT

The small and brightly lit booth faces the main radio room. A sound proof glass wall separates the booth from the main radio room.

CASSANDRA WASHINGTON, a pretty, dark skinned, confident black woman in her late twenties with a sophisticated yet urban style sits in front of a phone wearing a headset.

DENNY JONES, a white man in his early thirties with a muscular build and boyish good looks sits on the opposite side of the room from Cassandra. He is the show engineer.

Cassandra screens phone calls with a sense of urgency.

CASSANDRA

Thanks for calling Let's Talk About Sex with Leslie. Name and location?

DEREK (O.S.)

Derek and The East Village. Why won't people accept my girlfriend? I'm so tired of people judging us. Me and Wilma love long drives together and she really loves it when I wash her.

CASSANDRA

So you and Wilma bonded over your car?

DEREK (O.S.)

No, Wilma is my car.

CASSANDRA

So, do you and Wilma have sex?

DEREK (O.S.)

<u>Yes!</u> We have a very healthy sex life.

CASSANDRA

Ok. Hold please for Leslie.

Cassandra clicks another phone line.

CASSANDRA (CONT'D)

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BOB (O.S.)

Bob and Brooklyn and my question is why are sheep so hot?

CASSANDRA

What exactly do you find so hot about sheep?

BOB (O.S.)

I love the way they walk around all pleasant and the noise they make, baa, baa, baa. It's so hot! I just want to grab that sheep and--

CASSANDRA

Ok! Hold please for Leslie.

Cassandra clicks another phone line.

CASSANDRA (CONT'D)

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MIKE (O.S.)

Mike and Queens. Why do I like oral sex better than regular sex?

CASSANDRA

Do you mean giving oral sex is better or receiving oral sex is better?

MIKE (O.S.)

Both?

CASSANDRA

Ok. Hold please for Leslie.

Cassandra clicks a button and takes her headset off.

INT. RADIO STATION - MAIN ROOM - SAME TIME

The intimate and semi dark room only has a large desk and a couple of chairs in the middle. A microphone comes down from the ceiling.

LESLIE JACKSON, a black woman in her mid thirties with an old school 1970's vibe and look sits at the desk in front of the microphone. The desk is covered with snickers bars wrappers. She's eight months pregnant.

FEMALE CALLER (O.S.)
I think I'm addicted to the smell of men's feet. I love rubbing my man's feet all over my face and body. Why is that?

LESLIE

Well, many people find that part of the body very erotic. Some <u>way</u> more than others--

FEMALE CALLER (O.S.)
I mean I <u>really</u> love it. Especially when he comes home from the gym.

LESLIE

Pheromones is the smell that attracts females to males and vice versa. Feet are a strong area, as well as the armpits.

FEMALE CALLER (O.S.)

So, I am normal?

LESLIE

Perfectly! Thanks for calling.

FAYE HILL, a medium skinned black woman in her early thirties wearing too much make up and overly sexy clothes strides in and sits in a chair next to Leslie.

LESLIE (CONT'D)

Time for a commercial break. And up next is Faye's Love Forecast.

INT. RADIO STATION - CALL BOOTH - SAME TIME

Leslie turns to Cassandra and throws a candy bar wrapper at the glass wall and talks in the microphone. Cassandra hits a button.

LESLIE

Cassandra! You know even the mention of feet makes me sick.

CASSANDRA

Sorry, but it makes for good radio.

LESLIE

Yeah, yeah.

Leslie grabs her belly.

LESLIE (CONT'D)

Little man has been kicking non stop.

CASSANDRA

He wants out.

Faye grabs the microphone.

FAYE

(sarcastic)

Well hello Cassandra. Looking lovely as usual. There must have been a sale at Target.

CASSANDRA

Well I like to keep it low key and comfortable. This <u>is</u> radio.

FAYE

You have to dress for the job you want.

CASSANDRA

Oh ok, well the street corner is outside.

Faye shakes Cassandra off.

Leslie moves her chair to the side.

FAYE

(sensuous into the microphone)

For all of you out there looking for love or just looking to get some lovin it's time for Faye's Love Forecast. Aquarius, this week is gonna be a wild one. Crazy sex is on your calender for the next week. Pisces, though you are the water sign, this week is gonna be fairly dry, so sorry bout that.

Cassandra sucks her teeth and hits a button. Faye can no longer be heard.

DENNY

I'll be back in five.

CASSANDRA

Ok.

DENNY

Want anything?

CASSANDRA

Nope.

As Denny walks out JOSEPH EVANS. a chubby white guy in his late forties with a bald head and coffee stains on his shirt glides in the room and stands next to Cassandra. He's the station manager.

CASSANDRA (CONT'D)

Hey Joe! Did you have a chance to listen to the audition tape I left for you?

JOSEPH

Look, I'm gonna keep this short and simple. I'm telling you before the announcement tomorrow. Leslie isn't coming back after she has the baby.

CASSANDRA

What?!

JOSEPH

She wants to concentrate on her family now. But don't worry, we have a replacement in mind.

CASSANDRA

Really?!

JOSEPH

Someone that is excellent with the callers.

Cassandra gets excited.

CASSANDRA

Right.

JOSEPH

Someone who knows this show like no other.

CASSANDRA

You know that I'm completely dedicated to this show.

JOSEPH

I do. Someone who can take this show to the next level.

CASSANDRA

Oh Joe--

JOSEPH

I've decided that it's between Faye and Freaky Ricky from Atlanta. He's a huge fan.

CASSANDRA

Faye and some guy who has the nerve to call himself Freaky Ricky?

JOSEPH

He's what's <u>hot</u> in Atlanta right now.

CASSANDRA

Seriously?

JOSEPH

Cassandra, you are a very important part of this team. I remember when you were just an intern. With this new transition we need to keep things running smoothly. You're hard working and a team player.

Cassandra sighs with disappointment.

JOSEPH (CONT'D)

Keep up the excellent work.

Joseph smiles and walks out.

Cassandra puts her headset back on and clicks a phone line.

CASSANDRA

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APRIL (O.S.)

April and Long Island. I spent some time locked up for trying to cut off my ex boyfriend's dick when I caught him cheating. I met this guy now and I'm not sure how to tell him about my past. So how do you move on with your life when you feel like you can't escape your past?

CASSANDRA Girl, you just asked a mouth full.

END OF TEASER