

UNREQUITED SEX

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INT. COFFEE SHOP - DAY

DAVE, average guy, mid 20s, is having coffee with his friend, ALEX, also average, also mid 20s.

DAVE
How was your date with Alicia?

ALEX
Good. The sex is amazing.

DAVE
Really?

ALEX
Yeah, it's non-stop but we're in this weird unrequited phase.

DAVE
You love her and she's not feeling it?

ALEX
Dave, we barely know each other. Not unrequited love... sex.

DAVE
So she won't... reciprocate things?

ALEX
No, she's not even there.

DAVE
Dude, you're not having sex, you're just masturbating.

ALEX
Yes, but don't make it sound cheap. I'm thinking about her.

Their buddy MARK enters and pulls up a seat at their table.

DAVE
Hey Mark!

ALEX
Maaaaark.

MARK
Hey guys! What's going on?

DAVE
Alex is trying to convince me he's
not just spankin' it when he has sex
with Alicia... *by himself!*

MARK
Unrequited sex?

ALEX
Yeah.

MARK
Totally get that.

DAVE
What? That's not a thing.

MARK
It is. Also... I had sex with three
different ladies this week.

Mark high fives Dave and Alex.

DAVE
That's not the same. You were with
them when it was happening.

MARK
No I wasn't. But boy, are they
demanding.

ALEX
I get that. Alicia and I did it four
times last night. Once at my place
and three times at the restaurant.

DAVE
Ewww Dude! You were alone...

ALEX
Doesn't make her less of a freak.

DAVE
At the restaurant!

MARK
Right? Mindy has me do this stuff
with my tongue. Some sick shit but
I'm really into it.

DAVE
But you weren't really with her.

MARK

I know, but keep it on the DL. I don't want to upset Tiffany or Megan.

ALEX

No one wants to know they're being cheated on.

MARK

Exactly. Oh, I slipped and told Megan I loved her the last time we had sex.

DAVE

What did she say?

MARK

Nothing. We were doing this crazy move called the Propeller and suddenly my asshole is getting fingered, which freaks me out a little but I decided I was into it, and also... she wasn't there so--

DAVE

So she never heard you say it.

MARK

Well, no, but it's the thought that counts.

DAVE

And you fingered yourself.

MARK

Don't over think this.

ALEX

Yeah! Check this out. Last week Alicia wanted to try a threesome so I invited Steve over.

DAVE

Wait, wait, wait, but Alicia wasn't there so that means... it was just you and Steve jerking off in the same room?

ALEX

Well technically, we jerked each other off.

MARK

Dave, some day you'll understand.

ALEX

Yeah, you haven't met the right girl yet. I need another coffee. You guys need anything?

MARK

No, I'm good.

DAVE

I'll take one. But make sure the barista doesn't look over here.

ALEX

Why? Were you rude to her?

DAVE

No, but she's on to me. When I hit up the bathroom before I order, I've been having sex with her.

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