

INT: CAR. A HUSBAND AND A WIFE ARE DRIVING ON VACATION.

Wife is reading a brochure, husband is driving. Light music is playing, and he's nodding and singing along.

BECKY JEFFRIES

What if the bats under the bridge  
come toward us?

Chris turns the music down

CHRIS JEFFRIES

What?

BECKY JEFFRIES

What if the bats under the bridge  
fly out toward us and bite someone?  
We could get rabies.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

They won't, honey.

BECKY JEFFRIES

But--

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Do you think if bats gave people  
rabies in Austin a lot, they'd let  
people go watch them anymore?

The music switches off and the phone bluetooth link begins to ring. Chris answers the phone.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

This is Chris.

CHASE REP 1

Mr. Chris Jeffries?

CHRIS JEFFRIES

This is he.

CHASE REP 1

Hi Mr. Jeffries, I'm calling on  
behalf of your Chase Quicksilver  
card. I'm from the fraud department  
and we've flagged a transaction as  
suspiciously outside your spending  
habits. I just want to call and  
verify with you.

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CHRIS JEFFRIES

Oh that's terrible--sure, what was the charge to?

CHASE REP 1

It was for \$700 to Machado Jiu Jitsu in Frisco?

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Oh, yep, that was mine. No problem there at all.

Chris hangs up.

BECKY JEFFRIES

You're taking Jiu Jitsu lessons?

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Yeah, I mean, we talked about starting a family and I'd like to be in shape, maybe learn how to defend us. Be a man, you know?

BECKY JEFFRIES

That's so sweet! It's expensive, but very sweet.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

It was cheaper if I just paid all at once.

The phone rings again. Chris answers.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Hello?

CHASE REP 1

Mr. Jeffries, I'm sorry, You hung up before I could finish. There were more flagged charges I need to clear with you.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Oh, well, uh, go ahead.

CHASE REP 1

I have a \$500 charge to an Etsy store under the name of I Am The Night in New York.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Oh yep that was mine thank you so much.

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Chris hangs up.

BECKY JEFFRIES  
What the hell did you buy from  
Etsy?

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
Just some memorabilia. It was  
handmade, thought my...dad would  
like it. For his birthday.

BECKY JEFFRIES  
His birthday is in January.

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
I wanted to make sure I got it in  
time.

The phone rings again.

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
THIS IS CHRIS.

CHASE REP 1  
Just a few more charges to clear  
Mr. Jeffries. First one is from  
Mercenary Outfitters from Arkansas?

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
YEP. CAR ARMOR.

CHASE REP 1  
The next one is for a real estate  
purchase, \$4,000, Frisco?

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
YEP BOUGHT A CAVE THANK YOU--

CHASE REP 1  
JUST ONE MORE SIR! I have a charge  
here for \$7,000 for international  
adoption services in...Thailand?

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
YES OK YES THAT WAS ALSO ME I AM  
ADOPTING A YOUNG BOY THANK YOU  
GOODBYE.

Chris hangs up the phone very quickly.

BECKY JEFFRIES  
Car armor? A young boy?

CHRIS JEFFRIES

Yes.

BECKY JEFFRIES

Are you fucking trying to be  
Batman?

Chris pulls over quickly, parks.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

IT WAS MY LIFE GOAL, BECKY. YOU  
TOOK THAT FROM ME. YOU SAID I  
COULDN'T BE BATMAN.

BECKY JEFFRIES

YOU'RE 36! YOU WORK AT H&R BLOCK.  
YOUR PARENTS ARE ALIVE!

CHRIS JEFFRIES

NOT FOR LONG!

The phone rings again. Chris slams his hand down on it.

CHRIS JEFFRIES

What now?!

CHASE REP 2

Hi, I'm from Chase Sapphire,  
calling for a Becky Jeffries?

BECKY JEFFRIES

Oh, uh, that's me.

CHASE REP 2

I'm calling on behalf of the fraud  
department. It seems we have some  
strange charges that came up, and I  
just want to clear them with you.

BECKY JEFFRIES

Go ahead.

CHASE REP 2

I have a \$900 charge from Ace  
Chemicals?

BECKY JEFFRIES

YEP THAT WAS MINE.

She shuts the phone off quickly.

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
Joker serum?

BECKY JEFFRIES  
Joker serum.

They have a sweet moment.

CHRIS JEFFRIES  
That means a lot that you'd join in  
with me like this. I love you,  
Becky.

BECKY JEFFRIES  
NIGHTY NIGHT BATS.

She pulls out a gun and fires. A flag comes out that says  
BANG.

BLACKOUT