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Austinville #15
Josh and Mo
10:15am

FADE IN:

INT. COFFEEHOUSE - DAY

MOHAMMED sits in a quirky little café; it's kind of dead this time of day. He taps uselessly at a laptop computer, which shows a LOOPING FLASH ANIMATION.

We may or may not notice the following fliers attached to the walls: "Echo Madison, tonight at 8pm!"; "Alamo TV Night for 'I Won't Eat That!'"; "Austin Mime Convention -- Public Performance! -- 3pm @ Wooldridge Park"; and a sign in Korean, which actually says "ACC Korean Class rules!" transliterated into Hangul.

MOHAMMED

What the --

Tap-tap-tap. Nothing.

He gives up, stands, and stretches. Suddenly he sees Jesus (33), a 'domesticated hippie' type, standing nearby; Jesus adds sugar to his coffee, looking a little paranoid.

MOHAMMED

Josh?

Jesus looks around, scared.

MOHAMMED

Hey! Long time no see, bro --

JESUS

Keep your voice down!

MOHAMMED

What? Can't a guy say hi to his --

JESUS

Mo, *shut up*.

MOHAMMED

O-kay.

Jesus nods at a table in the corner. Mohammed, confused, gathers up his laptop.

INT. COFFEEHOUSE - LATER

Mohammed sits across from Jesus.

MOHAMMED

Well, okay, downtime is good, but
come on --

JESUS

I can't get permission for anything
these days! "But nobody manages
the place like you do, Josh! No
one handles the old man like you
do, Josh! What about the tidal
wave the last time you went AWOL,
Josh?"

MOHAMMED

Well, they kind of have a point --

JESUS

I didn't cause it! I just wanted
to take my birthday off! I --
forget it. I'm not having that
fight anymore. It's just gonna be
easier to ask forgiveness this
time.

MOHAMMED

You should have cleared it --

JESUS

Have you not listened to all my
problems?

MOHAMMED

You're not the only one with
problems, Josh! I got guys showing
up every single day: "Where are my
girls? They said there'd be
virgins!" Do you know how hard it
is to find quality -- nah, you
wouldn't, would you. Never mind.
I just wanna shout, "Dude! Not
part of the business plan!" But
you can't, y'know? 'cos there's
more stuff coming in --

JESUS

If things are so busy, how'd you
get the day off?

MOHAMMED
He, uh, He told me, um --

JESUS
Waiting...

MOHAMMED
(small voice)
He said I'd been working too hard
and told me to take the day off.

JESUS
Oh, you little --

Jesus's cellphone rings. They exchange a worried look.

Jesus answers his phone.

JESUS
Hello.

GABRIEL (V.O., FILTERED)
Mr. Jesus H. Christ. Greetings.
This is Agent Gabriel.

JESUS
Oh no.

GABRIEL (V.O., FILTERED)
We need to talk, Mr. Christ.

Jesus hangs up.

JESUS
They're coming.

MOHAMMED
Dude, I am so sorry --

JESUS
You never saw me, right?

MOHAMMED
Right, right --

JESUS
No, Mo, you never saw me.

Jesus performs a gesture.

A blank look crosses Mohammed's face.

JESUS

Sorry.

Jesus exits in a hurry as Mohammed stares into space.