

THE CARNIVAL

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WE DECIDED TO HAVE A CARNIVAL SHOW AND WE DECIDED TO HAVE IT ON A DAY WHEN NO ONE'S PARENTS WOULD BE ANYWHERE EXCEPT AT WORK. OUR MAIN ATTRACTION WAS GOING TO BE: "THINGS LIGHTED ON FIRE" OUR MAIN PROBLEM WAS GOING TO BE: "MARLYS TELLING"



MARLYS WAS MAKING A HARD TIME FOR EVERYBODY TO THINK UP THINGS TO DO BECAUSE NO MATTER WHAT YOU THOUGHT OF, SHE SAID SHE'D TELL ON YOU FOR IT. AND SHE WOULD TOO. FINALLY SOMEONE HAD THE GENIUS TO ASK MARLYS TO BE THE STAR OF THE SHOW.



MY SISTER AND DEENA WERE GOING TO DO A SPECIAL TUMBLING SHOW TO THE SONG "LOVE IS BLUE." TO GET THE MUSIC THEY HAD TO PUT IT ON FULL BLAST AND PUSH THE RECORD PLAYER OVER BY THE WINDOW. MARLYS WAS GOING TO TELL ON THEM FOR THAT TOO.



FOR ABOUT ONE SECOND MARLYS STOOD THERE LOOKING AT US LIKE SHE NEVER EVEN MET US BEFORE. THEN SHE WENT OUT OF HER MIND AND YELLED "I HATE YOU, I HATE YOU ALL" ABOUT 600 TIMES UNTIL SHE WAS PRACTICALLY DROOLING. IT SCARED US AND DEENA AND MY SISTER STARTED CRYING ALONG WITH MARLYS WHO WOULDN'T EVEN LET US COME NEAR HER. AFTER THAT WE REALIZED IT WAS A LOT BETTER FOR MARLYS IF YOU JUST KEPT TREATING HER LIKE YOU HATED HER GUTS.



MARLYS SPRING

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I SHARE THE BED WITH MY LITTLE SISTER MARLYS WHO SOMETIMES JUST KILLS ME. LIKE THIS MORNING SHE WAS SINGING "JEREMIAH WAS A BULLFROG" OUT THE OPEN WINDOW OF OUR BEDROOM.



IT WAS THE FIRST WARM DAY OF THE YEAR. IN THE FRONT YARD THERE WERE FLOWERS. SHE SAID DID I DARE HER TO GO OUT ON THE ROOF AND DO THE BUTT DANCE IN HER PAJAMAS. THIS IS THE DANCE WHERE YOU STICK YOUR BUTT OUT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. SHE INVENTED IT.



SHE CLIMBS OUT THE WINDOW AND STARTS SINGING "LA CUCARACHA" THEN SHE BENDS OVER AND SINGS "SOMEONE LEFT THE CAKE OUT IN THE RAIN." A CAR HONKS AT HER AND SHE STICKS HER ARM IN THE AIR AND SHOUTS "BLACK POWER!" THEN THE DOOR FLYS OPEN AND IT'S MY GRANDMA YELLING IS MARLYS TRYING TO KILL HER?



AT BREAKFAST MY GRANDMA WON'T SHUT UP ABOUT HOW I HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY. HOW COULD I LET MY SISTER BEHAVE THAT WAY, SHE COULD HAVE FALLEN OFF THE ROOF AND WHAT ABOUT THE NEIGHBORS. THEN SHE TURNS HER HEAD TO GET THE TOAST, AND MARLYS LOOKS AT ME AND SMILES. MAN, I NEVER KNEW I LOVED HER SO MUCH.



**SUPER MARLYS GUIDE
TO BE VERY POPULAR !!**
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People ask me Marlys how did you get so totally popular? #1 answer is GIVE OUT CANDY to people. Give out lunchmeat to dogs! (if you also want to be popular with dogs which is an excellent feeling!)



AND make sure it is not bun Scrubber candy like menthal or butterscotch or lunch meat with pieces of weird stuff mashed in it that you got two-for-one on sale. People always know when you are being skimpy.



Other ways to be popular is tell people incredible Compliments Like for a dog you say "Good boy! Here boy what a good doggie, boy!" For a person you can go what long luxurious eyelashes! or you always look so clean what is your Soap?



My sister May bonne says I am plastic jive for wanting to even be popular. I told her she was looking incredible and gave her a thing of Sugar Babies. She said I was still plastic jive but let me sit on her bed with her and listen to the radio. What's wrong with being plastic jive if it turns your life so incredible?

