## BEAUTY AND THE BEASTS!

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LOVE LOVES
THE UNLOVELY

LAST NIGHT THE PUNNIEST THING CAME TO ME WHILE WE WERE DANCING AT A NATIVE NIGHT SPOT!



DO YOU REMEMBER THAT OLD FAIRY TALE ABOUT THEGIRL WHO GOT LOST IN THE FOREST AND THE BEASTS CAME AND TOOK CARE OF HER? SHE WAS SO KIND TO ALL THE ANIMALS! FINALLY THIS OLD LIGHY BEAST CAME AND SHE EVEN LOVED HIM, THE UGLIEST OLD BEAST IN THE FOREST! WHEN SHE FINALLY MADE LOVE TO HIM HE TURNED INTO HER PRINCE CHARMING, AND ALL THE OTHER BEASTS HIS MEN! THEY'D BEEN CURSED, AND ONE OF THE CONDITIONS WAS THAT IF A PRINCESS WOULD COME ALDNG WHO COULD LOVE THEM, THE SPELL WOULD BE BROKEN!

IT MUST BE THAT SOME OF
THESE FAIRY TALES WERE MEANT
TO HAVE A SIGNIFICANT
MEANING! MAYBE GOD GAVE
THOSE TO SOME PROPHET
IN THAT DAY AND PEOPLE
RETOLD THEM BUT LOST THE
REAL MEANING OF THEM
AND JUST TOLD THEM AS

STORIES!

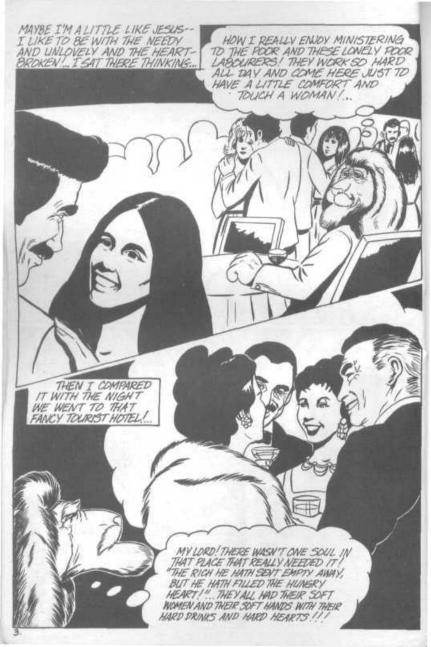


I SAT THERE THINKING WHAT WE WERE DOING WAS SO FUNIN, IT REMINDED ME OF THE STORY, "BEAUTY AND THE BEAST"! I LOOKED AT DEAR MANUELS HANDS SO HARD AND WRINKLED WITH HARD WORK, AND I GOT THE MOST WONDERFUL FEELING, IT ALMOST MADE ME CRY!...









THEN I WAS THINKING ABOUT MARIA, MY SECRETARY AND HOW SHE'S SO TINY AND FRAGILE AND DELICATE AND GENTLE AND LITTLE AND SOFT! I THOUGHT, "ALL THESE ROUGH OLD LABOURERS, POOR ROUGH HANDS !-- HOW COULD SHE HAVE SO MUCH LOVE TO LOVE THESE HARD ROUGH LABOURERS!" BUT I THOUGHT, "HOW MUCH MORE THEY APPRECIATE HER LITTLE TENDER LOVING GENTLE TOUCH AND HER LITTLE SOFT WARM BODY THAN THOSE FANCY DANCERS AT THE SWANKY TOURIST HOTEL, MOST OF WHOM WERE REALLY ONLY TRYING TO SHOW OFF THEIR OWN DANCING AND WEREN'T REALLY CONCERNED ABOUT YOU!" BUT LAST NIGHT AT THE NATIVE CLUB I SAID. "THANK YOU, LORD! THESE POOR MEN REALLY APPRECIATE BEING ABLE TO HOLD HER IN THEIR ARMS! AND TO LEAN THEIR CHEEK UP AGAINST HER'S MEANS EVERYTHING TO THEM, EVEN IF IT'S ONLY FOR A FEW MINUTES! THEY FEEL LIKE THEY'VE AT LEAST BEEN LOVED A LITTLE, ESPECIALLY IF THEY FEEL YOU REALLY LOVE THEM AND ARE REALLY AFFECTIONATE AND NOT JUST DOING IT FOR SEX!

I THINK ALL THOSE LITTLE SIGNS OF GENUINE LOVE AND AFFECTION REALLY MEAN MORE TO THEM THAN THE WAY THAT WOMAN WAS PUSHING HER'S AGAINST MINE, TRYING TO GET ME GOING SEXUALLY! T COULD TELL SHE WAS JUST DOING IT FOR HER OWN BENEAT SELFISHLY BECAUSE SHE WANTED IT! AND SHE JUST LAUGHED LIKE THE DEVIL LIKE SHE THOUGHT IT WAS PUNNY! BUT SHE WAS JUST DANCING WITH ME FOR HER OWN BENEFIT! SHE DIDN'T ACT THE LEAST BIT

AFFECTIONATE!

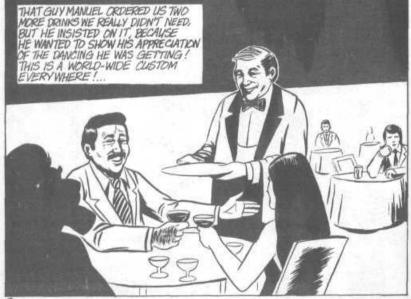


EVEN THE LITTLE THINGS YOU CAN DO MEAN A LOT: A LITTLE BIT OF LOVE GOES SUCH A LONG WAY AND MEANS SUCH A LOT TO THESE FOOR FELLOWS THAT DON'T GET MUCH, IF ANY! WE'VE GOT THE SPIRIT AND LOVE OF GOD! THEY CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL THAT THEY'RE REALLY BEING LOVED!...



I ALSO THOUGHT, "LORD, WE'RE CERTAINLY NOT JUST OCMING HERE FOR OUR OWN BENEFIT AND OUR OWN PLEASURE! IT ALSO COSTS MONEY!" BUT EACH TIME I HESTATE TO PAY FOR THOSE ROOR BONS DRINKS, I GET THE AWFULEST CHINTZY BELITTUING FEELING!





IN FACT, IN AMERICA, THEY MAKE A REGULAR RACKET OF IT! IF A HOSTESS OR A SHOWGIRL SITS DOWN WITH YOU AND EVEN ONLY SITS AND TALKS WITH YOU A FEW MINUTES, IT'LL COST YOU A FORTUNE! THEY NO SOONER START TO LOWER THEIR FANNY ONTO THE CHAIR, THAN, ZIP - THERE'S A TWO-DOLLAR GLASS OF CHAMPAGNE SITTING ON THE TABLE IN FRONT OF THEM, OR A \$2 GLASS OF TEN-CENT COLD TEA MAKING IT LOOK LIKE WHISKEY! AS I WAS EVEN TOLD BY A GIRL WHO WORKED IN SUCH A PLACE!





I'M COMPARING **OUR** WORK WITH THEIRS, WHERE THE DEVIL DOES IT STRICTLY FOR SELFISH GAIN AND MONEY AND USES IT, AND IT'S NOTHING BUT A SHAM AND A COUNTERFEIT, AN IMITATION OF LOVE! THE POOR LONELY SUCKERS WANDER IN JUST DYING FOR A WOMAN'S TOUCH OR ONE WORD FROM A SYMPATHETIC WOMAN'S LIPS OR JUST ONE SYMPATHETIC WOMAN'S EAR TO TALK TO, AND THESE VULTURES AND RACKETEERS POUNCE ON HIM AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HIS NEED AND WORK HIM OVER FOR EVERY DOLLAR HE'S GOT! THEY'LL OFTEN, JUST BYSITTING DOWN THERE TALKING WITH HIM FOR A FEW MINUTES, SOAK HIM WITH A BIGGER DRINK BILL THAN IF HED GONE OUT AND HIRED HIMSELF A WHORE! I LEARNED MY LESSON ON THAT ABOUT ONCE AND THAT FINISHED IT! THEY PROMISE YOU EVERYTHING AND GIVE YOU NOTHING!

ABOUT THE TIME A SHOWGIRL HAS SOAKED YOU WITH A TENOR TWENTY DOLLAR BILL FOR DRINKS, YOU BEGIN TO FEEL IT'S WORTH AT LEAST A DANCE AND YOU ASK THEM FOR ONE, THEN THEY SAY ... OH, I'M SORRY! BUT I HAVE GOT TO GO TO THE DRESSING ROOM AND GET READY FOR MY NEXT ACT! SORRY! THEN THEY GET ON STAGE AND TAKE OFF ALL THEIR CLOTHES AND TEASE YOU TILL YOUR MOUTH IS WATERING AND YOU'RE DRIPPING, AND THEY ACT LIKE THEY'RE OFFERING YOU EVERYTHING, BUT YOU WIND UP WITH ABSOLUTELY NOTHING! THOSE STRIP JOINTS ARE NOTHING BUT CLIP JOINTS!

THE BUSINESSMEN OF THE WORLD DO IT ALL THE TIME JUST TO ENTERTAIN CUSTOMERS! THEY PUT OUT A LOT OF MONEY FOR DRINKS AND EVEN GET



WE'RE DOING IT TO SELL OUR PRODUCT, TOO -- THE LOVE OF GOD! AND IT COSTS COMETHING! THE SCRIPTURE I GET ON IT IS WHAT JESUS SAID: "IF YOU'RE GOING TO ENTERTAIN ANYBODY WITH A FEAST AND FOOT THE BILL, INVITE THE POOR, NOT THE RICH WHO CAN REPAY YOU COMMER-CIALLY BY BUYING YOUR PRODUCTS AND RETURNING YOUR FAVOURS, BUT THE POOR WHO CAN'T REPAY YOU!" SO THAT'S WHAT WE'RE DOING: GOING DOWN THERE AND LAYING BEFORE THOSE FELLOWS A FEAST OF FELLOWSHIP AND FUN, AND WE'RE CHARGING THEM NOTHING FOR IT! WE'RE EVEN PAYING FOR IT AND JUST TELLING THEM WE'RE DOING IT BECAUSE GOD LOVES THEM!



BUT MOST OF THESE WOMEN WHO COME TO THESE CLUBS ARE STRICTLY HERE FOR THEIR OWN SELFISH PLEASURE AND FOR WHAT THEY CAN GET OUT OF A MAN! THEY ONLY DANCE WITH THE MEN THEY LIKE, JUST THE CNES THAT APPEAL TO THEM SELFISHLY! THEY DON'T DANCE WITH THE UGUY OLD BEASTS THAT ARE OBNOXICUS TO THEM! THE POOR MEN PAYAND PAYAND PAYAND BUY THEIR DRINKS JUST TO GET A FEW KIND WOXEDS AND A FEW DANCES, WHILE THE WOMEN JUST LAUGH AT THEM BEHIND THEIR BACKS BECAUSE THEY KNOW THEY'RE PLAYING



BUT WE COME THERE AND I PAY FOR THEIR DRINKS AND I OFFER MARIA FREE OF CHARGE AND SHE GIVES THEM LOVE AND AFFECTION AND DANCES,

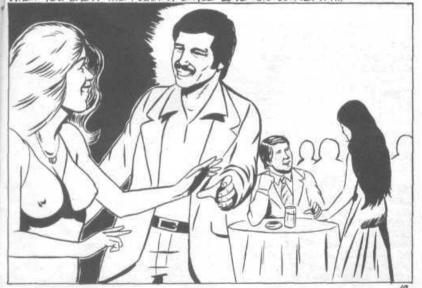


THEY PROBABLY AT FIRST KEEP TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT'S UP AND WHATS IN IT FOR US! THEY'RE WONDERING WHAT ARE WE DOWN IT FOR? ESPECIALLY WHEN WE DON'T TAKE ANY OF THEM HOME WITH US, IT SHOWS WE'RE NOT TRYING TO GET CUSTOMERS FOR PROSTITUTION! BUT IF THEY SEE THAT WE REALLY DO IT BECAUSE WE LOVE THEM AND ARE SORRY FOR THEM AND ARE TRYING TO SHARE WITH THEM AND CHEER THEM UP, THEY JUST CAN'T HELP BUT REALIZE IT IS REAL LOVE AND IT YUST AMAZES THEM! THEY CAN'T GET OVER IT!... THEY DON'T EVEN WANT TO DANCE WITH THE OTHER WOMEN!

IT'S SO EASY FOR US TO MAKE SOMEONE HAPPY! THERE WAS THIS POOR LONELY SAD-LLOKING MAN LOCKING LIKE HE'D LOST HIS LAST FRIEND AND ON THE VERGE OF TEARS, AND ALL MARIA HAD TO DO WAS TO ASK HIM TO DANCE! AFTER THE DANCE, HE WAS SO RADIANT AND HAPPY! I NEVER SAW ANYBODY LOOK SO SURPRISED AND HAPPY AND AMAZED THAT SHE GAVE HIM SUCH LOVE!



WHAT "PRINCE CHARMINGS" WE'VE TURNED SOME OF THESE "BEASTS" INTO WITH JUST A LITTLE "BEAUTY" OF LOVE AND AFFECTION! THEY COME IN LOOKING SOSAD AFTER A LONG DAY'S WORK, WONDERING IF ANY BODY CARES! BUT THEY THEY GET SO HAPPY AND FEEL SO FREE AND ARE LAUGHING AND DANCING WHEN YOU SHOW THEM JUST A LITTLE LOVE AND CONCERN!...



BECAUSE REAL SPIRITUAL LOVE AND AFFECTION REALLY COUNT THE MOST! THE REAL LOVE THAT YOU SHOW THEM, THE CONCERNED AND LOVING WORDS YOU SAY, THE AFFECTIONATE COMFORT OF HOLDING YOU IN THEIR ARMS AND SIMPLY FEELING YOU DEAR AND CLOSE TO THEM, TO PEEL THAT SOMEBODY LOVES AND CARES FOR THEM EVEN HAS A GREATER AND MORE LASTING SPIRITUAL VALUE THAN JUST MERE SEX ALONE! THEY'RE REALLY HUNGRIEST FOR COMPAN-IONSHIP AND REAL LOVE AND SYMPATHY, JUST SOME BODY TO TALK TO, TO RELIEVE THEIR LONLINESS AND TO FEEL LIKE SOMEBODY REALLY CARES AND SHARES THEIR MISERY AND THEIR NEEDS AND PRO BLEMS! I THINK THAT REALLY MEANS MORE TO MOST OF THEM THAN TO BE ABLE TO FINALLY CARRY YOU OFF AND MAKE LOVE TO YOU! THAT'S JUST A MERE PHYSICAL- MECHANICAL CONSUM-MATION, THE LAST AND IN SOME WAYS ALMOST THE LEAST AS FAR AS REAL SPIRITUAL LOVE IS CONCERNED!

KNOWING THAT YOU'RE LOVED EVEN GIVES YOU HODE AND FAITH FOR OTHER THINGS, TOO! IT CHEERS UP YOUR WHOLE OUTLOOK! THAT'S ONE OF THE WON-DERPUL THINGS ABOUT GOD'S LOVE: WHEN WE KNOW THAT GOD LOVES US, WE KNOW EVERYTHING'S GOING TO BE OK, INCLUDING HIS TAKING CARE OF EVERYTHING! WHEN THESE MEN FEEL YOUR LOVE AND YOU TELL THEM IT'S GOD'S LOVE, THEY KIND OF FEEL LIKE, MAYBE SOME BODY UP THERE DOES LOVE ME! -MAYBE EVERYTHING IS GOING TO TURN OUT OK IN THE END AFTER ALL! ... IT NOT ONLY ENCOURAGES THEM FOR THE PRESENT. BUT GIVES THEM A BRIGHTER CUTLOCK ON THE FUTURE! 30 SHOWING A LITTLE REAL LOVE REALLY GOES A LONG, LONG WAY!





## THE OLD PAPA LION! POSTSERIPT.

ILLUSTRATIONS BY EMAN ARTIST AND SAMSON WARNER - LETTERING AND DESIGN BY JACOB CARTDON

SPEAKING OF "BEAUTY AND THE BEAST", I HAD THE PUNNIEST DREAM THE OTHER PUNNIEST DREAM THE OTHER BIG ROOM, LIKE IN A HOSPITAL, WITH A BLINCH OF MEN STANDING ARCLIND IN WHITE COATS LOOKING LIKE DOCTARS AND THEY WERE ALL EXAMINING THIS HUGE BIG OLD LION!

A COUPLE OF THEM OFENED HIS MOUTH WIDE AND MARIA STUCK HER HEAD IN AND LOCKED ALL ARCXIND AS THOUGH SHE WERE EXAMINAGE HIS TEETH VIETY CAREFULLY, LIKE YOU WOULD IF YOU

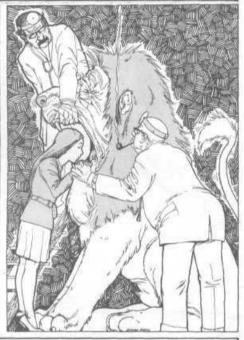
WERE BLYING A HORSE!
YOU'D THINK THE HOSPITAL
WAS SOME KIND OF A PET
SHOP, BECAUSE SHE WAS
TELLING THE DOCTORS SHE
WAS LOOKING FOR SOMETHING
LIKE A WATCHDOG TO GWARD
HER, BUT SHE WANTED
SOMETHING VERY UNUSUAL,
THE ORDINARY!

SO ONE OF THE DOCTORS

SAID, "WELL, THIS IS THE ONLY ONE HERE, AND THICUGH HE'S VERY OLD, HE'S STILL VERY STRONG, AND YOU CAN SEE HIS TEETH AND HE STILL HAS ALL OF THEM! ALTHOUGH HE'S PRETTY BIG AND EATS A LOT, HE'LL SE VERY GOOD TO HAVE ARCUND, AND I'M SURE YOU'LL BE SATISFIED WITH HIM!"

IN FACT HE WAS SO BIG THAT EVEN WHILE HE WAS SITTING DOWN, SHE HAD TO STAND ON HER TIP TOES TO SEE INTO HIS MOUTH, BUT HE SEEMED PLEASED THIS LITTLE GIRL WAS INTERESTED IN HIM, SO HE VERY OBLIGINGLY OPENED HIS MOUTH WIDE FOR HER TO SEE!

SO THE NEXT THING, SHE WAS LEADING HIM WITH THIS BIG WHITE



ROPE SLOWLY DOWN THE STREET
THROUGH THE CROWDS WITH HER HEAD
HELD HIGH AS THOUGH SHE WERE
VERY PROVING TO HIM, BUT STILL SHE
WAS TRYING TO ACT LIKE PEOPLE LEAD
LIONS DOWN THE STREET EVERY DAY, OF
COURSE, SO WHY ALL THE EXCITEMENT?

AND THE BIG OLD LION PADDED SLOWLY AND FAITHFULLY ALONG BESIDE HER AS THOUGH HE WERE QUITE PLEASED WITH HIS NEW MISTRESS WHO WAS NEARLY DWARFED BY HIS IMMENSE SIZE— WHEN SUDDENLY TO MY AMAZEMENT HE CHANGED INTO ME!

30 NOW SHE CALLS ME HER OLD LION AND STILL PROUDLY LEADS ME AROUND AS PEOPLE STARE! IT WAS REALLY FUNNY, BUT ALL SO SERIOUS, AND IT SURELY REMINDED ME OF



AS LONG AS IT WORKS, THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS! AS LONG AS HE MAKES YOU FEEL SO GOOD AND STAY SO HAPPY, THAT'S WHAT COUNTS! DON'T TRY TO FIGURE HIM OUT!—JUST LET HIM IN! TRY HIM! YOU'LL LOVE HIM! HE WORKS!! WRITE US TODAY IF YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE! AND ORDER YOUR COPIES OF "SEX WORKS". "THE DANCER". "SPACESHIP". "LOVE VS. LAW". "COME ON MA" WRITE TODAY! WE LOVE YOU!!!

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