

BIGFOOT IN LOVE

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FADE IN:

EXT. WOODS - BLUFF CREEK, CALIFORNIA - MONDAY - DAY

An ordinary suburban house in the middle of nowhere.

The mailbox reads, "Woods."

INT. WOODS HOUSE - KITCHEN

ALAN WOODS (better known as BIGFOOT) reads a tabloid.

The cover story reads: "Exclusive! Details on Bigfoot's costly divorce!"

Bigfoot is a 40-year-old large, hairy ape-man. Almost seven feet. Speaking of feet, his are enormous: 24 by 8 feet. He wears glasses. He is neurotic.

Bigfoot's father, HAROLD (sixties), reads the newspaper. Harold is equally large and hairy, except for his receding hairline. He has a strong Archie Bunker personality.

Bigfoot's mother, MARGE (sixties), eats a bowl of cereal. She is surprisingly large, hairy, and ape-like for a woman.

BIGFOOT

Divorced? I wish I were that lucky!

Harold takes a drink of coffee.

HAROLD

Look at you, Alan! You're forty years old and never been on a date in your life. Are you sure you're not--

Marge cuts him off.

MARGE

Harold!

BIGFOOT

Dad, I'm not gay if that's what you're thinking. I've just... never found the right woman.

HAROLD

Life's too short, son!

BIGFOOT

You know what, Dad? I'll prove it to you. I'm gonna put a singles ad in the paper.

HAROLD

"Single white Bigfoot seeking single white female?" Good luck with that.

EXT. AMY'S HOUSE - WEDNESDAY - DAY

A suburban house in an average suburban neighborhood.

INT. AMY'S HOUSE - KITCHEN

AMY, 36 and pretty, eats cereal and toast. She has gorgeous, long, brown hair.

She reads the newspaper.

AMY

"Single white male seeking single white female. I'm forty years old and never been kissed. Never gotten a girl in my life. I admit I'm a bit scruffy looking. I hope this won't be a problem..."

Amy smiles and giggles.

AMY

Yes!

INT. WOODS HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - SATURDAY - NIGHT

Marge fixes up Bigfoot's fancy Armani suit, while Harold just stands there smoking his pipe.

BIGFOOT

How do I look, Mom?

Marge smiles and cries. She nods.

BIGFOOT

Dad?

HAROLD

About damn time.

MARGE

I can't believe this is your first date, dear. Is she pretty?

BIGFOOT

It's a blind date.

HAROLD

I bet she's a looker. One in a million, like your mother.

BIGFOOT

Whoa, it's almost seven! Bye, Mom and Dad.

Harold stops in front of him. He nods.

He opens his arms to hug him.

HAROLD

Go get her, Son.

He sheds a tear.

Bigfoot exits.

BIGFOOT

Thanks, Dad.

EXT. BRIDGES RESTAURANT

Amy arrives.

INT. BRIDGES RESTAURANT - BIGFOOT'S TABLE

Bigfoot sits at a table.

Amy looks around the room. The WAITER follows close behind.

WAITER

Your table, madam.

The waiter sits Amy down at Bigfoot's table.

Amy pauses. She gulps.

AMY

Uh, uh...

BIGFOOT

Amy...?

Amy lets out a blood-curdling scream. Other patrons react.

BIGFOOT

No, no, Amy, Amy. It's me. Alan.

She starts to calm down.

AMY

I'm dating Bigfoot?

Bigfoot sheepishly nods his head.

Amy goes hysterical again.

AMY

What in the hell? Who's my next date? The Loch Ness Monster? The Chupacabra?

WAITER

The Yeti?

Amy stares at the waiter and then back at Bigfoot.

She clears her throat.

AMY

Excuse me.

She runs to the women's restroom.

RESTROOM

Amy looks at herself in the mirror.

AMY

How did I get myself in this mess?
I can't do it. He's not my date.

One of the toilets flushes.

A WOMAN walks up to Amy and washes her hands.

WOMAN

Excuse me, I couldn't help but
overhear...

AMY
What, that I'm dating Bigfoot?

WOMAN
I think you should give the guy a chance. I had a date once where the guy wasn't who I expected. But I said to myself, "The show must go on."

Amy thinks for a moment.

AMY
You know, you're right. The show must go on. Thank you, ma'am.

BIGFOOT'S TABLE

Bigfoot buries his face in his hands.

BIGFOOT
I blew it! What'll Dad say? "I told you so." Now I'll never get a date.

Amy returns.

AMY
Alan?

BIGFOOT
I know.

AMY
I just wanted to say... I'm sorry.

Bigfoot raises his head up and puts his hands down.

BIGFOOT
You... what?

Amy clears her throat and takes a deep breath.

AMY
Mind if I call you Bigfoot?

BIGFOOT
You're not the only one.

The waiter appears.

WAITER
Are you two lovebirds ready to
order?

BIGFOOT
What goes great with Burgundy?

WAITER
Steak, sir.

Bigfoot nods his head.

AMY
I'll have the same.

The waiter takes their menus.

WAITER
Excellent choices.

The waiter leaves.

AMY
So, um, Bigfoot...

Bigfoot perks up.

AMY
Tell me a little about yourself.

BIGFOOT
I'm a big outdoors-man and like
hanging out in the woods in the
nude, but I guess you knew that.

Bigfoot and Amy share a laugh.

BIGFOOT
But don't believe everything you
read. I'm quite civilized. I'm an
avid reader. I sometimes golf. I
don't hibernate in the winter.

AMY
I only hibernate till noon.

Bigfoot laughs heartily. He snorts.

BIGFOOT
Oh, I'm sorry.

AMY
You've got a cute snort.

BIGFOOT
You think so?

Amy stares at the feet that gave Bigfoot his famous moniker.

AMY
What size shoes do you wear?

BIGFOOT
Bigger than Shaq.

EXT. BRIDGES RESTAURANT

Amy opens up her car door.

AMY
Thank you for this wonderful evening, Bigfoot.

Bigfoot grins. He rubs his big foot on the ground.

BIGFOOT
Aw, shucks.

Amy accidentally steps on Bigfoot's big foot as she gets in.

Bigfoot grabs his foot.

BIGFOOT
Ah. Ah.

AMY
Sorry.

BIGFOOT
Happens a lot.

Bigfoot and Amy laugh lightly. Bigfoot lets go of his foot.

BIGFOOT
Thank you, Amy. For everything.

AMY
I love you.

Amy closes the door. Bigfoot backs away.

Amy drives off. Bigfoot smiles.

BIGFOOT
We should do it again!

FADE OUT:

THE END