





OH MY!
TYSON!!

IS THAT
TRUE?



OHHH...WHY DOES
MY PREVIOUS BOY
GET TREATED
LIKE THAT?

WHERE DID
THEY HIT YOU?

IT'S NOT A
BIG DEAL.



IT'S BEEN
TOO MANY
TIMES!

I CAN'T STAND
THIS ANYMORE!
I'M CALLING
THE SCHOOL---

MOM!
CALM DOWN!



LOOK AT ME.
I'M NOT HURT
AT ALL.

PLEASE LISTEN
TO THE WHOLE
STORY.



THAT'S WHAT
HAPPENED...

I'M SO GLAD
THAT BOY
CAME TO
RESCUE YOU.



WOW! THAT GUY
WHO HELPED YOU
IS SUCH A HERO!

HE SURE
IS!



BUT HE IS FROM FRETCHMAN VINTAGE. ISN'T HE?
HE MUST HAVE BEEN BROUGHT UP WITH TENDER CARE.



I DON'T.
BUT TOBIAS ISN'T LIKE THAT AT ALL. HE...
HE DOESN'T BOAST ABOUT HIS UPBRINGING.
IF YOU MEET HIM, YOU WILL SEE WHAT A NICE GUY HE IS.



DO YOU THINK YOU'LL GET ALONG WITH HIM?
I THOUGHT YOU DIDN'T LIKE PEOPLE WHO ARE RICH AND PAMPERED.



HMM? SO YOU ARE ALREADY THINKING ABOUT INTRODUCING HIM TO US?



HE'S...MY FRIEND. SO THERE IS A GOOD CHANCE TO INVITE HIM.



"HE'S MY FRIEND"??
COME ON, TY! BE A MAN AND ASK HIM OUT ON DATES!
WHAT!?! MARK! YOU'VE BEEN LISTENING?

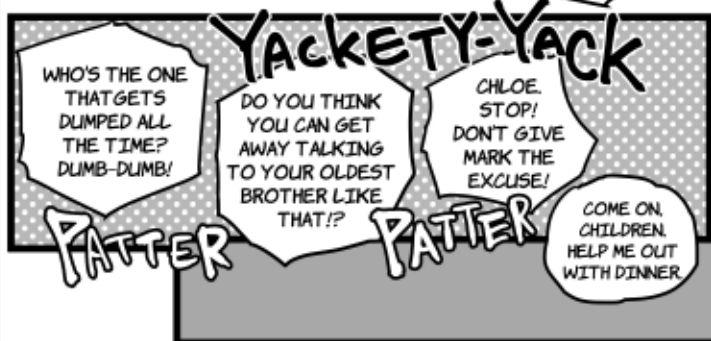


NONE OF YOUR BEESWAX!
TY FINALLY MET HIS PRINCE CHARMING, SO HE WANTS TO BE A GENTLEMAN!

SQUISH



HE'S NOT LIKE YOU, MARK!
YOU ALWAYS BRING DIFFERENT GIRLS HOME!
SWEET CHLOE, CHLOE. YOU'LL NEVER KNOW WHO'S RIGHT FOR YOU UNLESS YOU DATE DIFFERENT PEOPLE.



WHO'S THE ONE THAT GETS DUMPED ALL THE TIME? DUMB-DUMB!
YACKETY-YACK
DO YOU THINK YOU CAN GET AWAY TALKING TO YOUR OLDEST BROTHER LIKE THAT!?
CHLOE, STOP! DON'T GIVE MARK THE EXCUSE!
PATTER
PATTER
COME ON, CHILDREN. HELP ME OUT WITH DINNER.



THE NEXT DAY,
I WENT STRAIGHT
TO TOBIAS.

AS WE CHATTED,
I FOUND OUT THAT
WE TOOK THE SAME
CLASSES FOR CERTAIN
SUBJECTS.



I COULDN'T BELIEVE
HOW STUPID I WAS TO
NOT NOTICE THIS GUY!



AS IF WE WERE TRYING TO CATCH UP THE DAYS
WE DIDN'T KNOW EACH OTHER, WE SPENT
A LOT OF TIME TOGETHER IN HIGH SCHOOL.



BY THE WAY, ALTHOUGH IT WASN'T
MY THING TO PEEK ON PEOPLE IN
THE LOCKER ROOM--

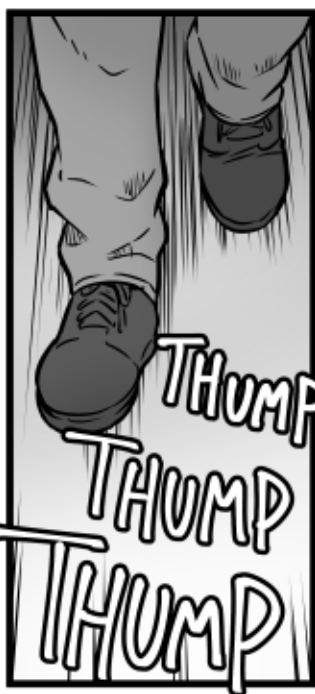
I COULDN'T RESIST THE
TEMPTATION TO LOOK AT
TOBIAS WHEN WE WERE GETTING
CHANGED FOR PHYS ED.



THE MARKING AROUND TOBIAS' BELLY BUTTON
I GLIMPSED AT, LEFT A STRONG, TINGLING IMPRESSION.



WE WENT ON MANY
DATES OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL
AND WE GOT CLOSER
EACH TIME.





TOBIAS' FATHER LOOKS A BIT SCARY, BUT HE'S A KIND PERSON. JUST LIKE TOBIAS.



AND MRS. FRETCHMAN IS FRIENDLY AND EASY TO TALK TO...

LET'S CLEAR THE TABLE AND HAVE DESSERT.

CHILDREN, HELP ME OUT A LITTLE.

OH! TIME REALLY FLIES!



I'LL COME TOO.

YOU'RE THE GUEST TONIGHT. STAY HERE.



TYSON.

YES!?



I WANT TO APOLOGIZE FOR WHAT JONATHAN DID TO YOU.

AND I'M SINCERELY SORRY ABOUT HOW—

HE WAS RUDE TO YOU EARLIER.

