

# **LifeLine Productions**

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### **Introduction**

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**Theme:** Lying.

**People:** 2

**Scene:** Jensen walks in front of the stage and starts pacing.

**Jenson:** Oh man I'm so late! What am I going to tell the boss. Uh, let's see, my Aunt died! No, too morbid. The traffic was heavy! Yeah that's it! The traffic was heavy! "I'm sorry I'm late sir, but the traffic was heavy." No, too official, "I'm sorry I'm late sir but the traffic was heavy." No too friendly. "I'm sorry I'm late sir, but the traffic was heavy." That's it. (*Enters the building*)

**Boss:** Jensen.

**Jenson:** I'm sorry I'm heavy sir, but the traffic was late.

**Boss:** What?

**Jenson:** (*laughing at his own joke*) I'm sorry I'm heavy... I mean I'm sorry I'm traffic but the heavy was late, I mean the late was heavy, no the late was traffic, uh the traffic was late...

**Boss:** Jensen, what are you talking about?

**Jenson:** My Aunt died sir. Terrible thing.

**Boss:** What?

**Jenson:** Uh... (*Thinking real slow*) the... traffic... was... heavy! Yeah! That's it! The traffic was heavy sir.

**Boss:** Oh really, I don't remember it being so heavy.

**Jenson:** (*Desperation set's in. Jenson has to think of a new plan on the spot*) Uhhh... That was... before the... bus crash.

**Boss:** (*With a slight bit of suspicion*) A bus crash?

**Jenson:** Uh, yeah, a bus full of nuns.

**Boss:** Nuns.

**Jenson:** It was terrible sir, it hit a telephone pole and burst into flames.

**Boss:** Goodness, I hope no one was hurt.

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**Jenson:** Oh no! sir. We were able to get all of the nuns out just in time.

**Boss:** Oh. I don't see any soot or smoke on your clothes.

**Jenson:** Uh... that's because there were only ten nuns and I was the eleventh car. They ran out of nuns before I got there.

**Boss:** I see. Well, I'll hear all about this on the 6:00 news.

**Jenson:** Uh! I don't think so sir.

**Boss:** Oh?

**Jenson:** Yes sir, we got those nuns out and the fire put out and the nuns took off before any camera crews could get there.

**Boss:** Is that right? Well you had better get to work after such an adventurous morning. *(Starts to walk away.)*

**Jenson:** Yes sir! *(Looks away, relief sets in.)*

**Boss:** *(Turns to Jensen)* Oh, by the way, your wife called and said you'd accidentally slept in and would be a little late this morning.

**Jenson:** Uh... thank you sir.

**Boss:** Oh yes, Jensen, give my regards to your uncle.

**Jenson:** My uncle sir?

**Boss:** Your aunt died?

**End**