

## DANNY AND THE DEEP BLUE SEA (Act II "BRIDE MONOLOGUE")

DANNY: *(To Roberta)*

Did you get in the whole white outfit, you know, when you got married?  
Why you keep the doll? *(Picks up Bridal Doll in Roberta's room)* It's pretty. Bein' a bride.  
All in white and everything. Flowers. *(pause)* I was at a wedding once. They left  
through this garden. All these roses all around. I never seen so many roses. Bee's  
buzzin. Lotsa other flowers too. They came out. Everybody was throwin rice.  
*(pause)* Why they do that?  
And then the bride came out. The groom was nothin. He looked good. But it was  
the bride. Here comes the bride, here comes the bride. I was sitting on this stone  
bench, just waitin' for em' to come out. When I saw the bride, I stood up. She  
was so....I stood up. This big white dress. A veil. Flowers in her hand with ribbons  
blowin all around. Little ribbons. And all around her, all these roses. And bees  
buzzin. And nice girls. And everybody dressed in good clothes. Then everybody  
started throwin rice. Not hard. Nice and easy. You know? Friendly. Underhand. I  
forgot to throw mine. *(Pause)* You wanna hear something really crazy? I mean  
nuts? *(pause)* Nah, I'm not gonna tell ya. *(Pause again)* All right. I wanted to be the  
bride. I wanted to be the bride. Walkin out the big doors. All dressed in white.  
Music. Flowers all around. Everybody bein nice. Special, you know? Special.  
Yeah, I wanted to be that bride.

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