

INT. STORE - DAY

The boys are looking around the store for something.

STAN  
Is this what you're looking for, Kyle?

Stan holds up a tire pump.

KYLE  
No, I don't think so.

Kenny holds up a hair dryer.

KENNY  
Mph rmph rm?

KYLE  
No, that's a hair dryer!

The CLERK walks up.

CLERK  
Can I help you find something?

KYLE  
Yeah. Do you have any nerections?

CLERK  
Any what?

KYLE  
I need to get a nerection for my dad.

CLERK  
Very funny boys. Go on, beat it.

STAN  
Why is that funny?

KYLE  
Dude, my mom and dad keep fighting all the time. And I heard them say its cause my dad doesn't have a nerection. So I want to get him one.

EXT. STORE - SOUTH PARK AVENUE - DAY

Outside the door slams in the kids faces. The stand there a minute and then start to walk down the street.

KYLE  
Dammit! What the hell is wrong with everybody?!

STAN

That's the fifth store we've been  
kicked out of! Why is it so hard to  
get a nerection?

KENNY  
Mph rm rmph rm.

KYLE  
I just want a nerection so I can go  
give it to my mom!

A couple townspeople hear this and stop.

TOWNSPERSON  
What?

The boys just keep walking.

KENNY  
Mph rmph rm mph.

CARTMAN  
Oh, where are you going to go Kenny?  
You gonna see your little girlfriend  
again?

KENNY  
Mph rmph rm mph.

CARTMAN  
Dude, you spend way too much time with  
that girl, if you don't-

Very suddenly, Kenny spontaneously combusts all of a  
sudden. Within seconds, he is reduced to a pile of ashes.

STAN  
OH MY GOD! THEY KILLED KENNY!!

KYLE  
YOU BASTARDS!!

CARTMAN  
What the hell happened to him?

STAN  
He just... Ignited.

A few townspeople walk into frame.

TOWNSPERSON  
WHAT HAPPENED?!

TOWNSPERSON (cont'd)  
I saw it from across the street! He  
just caught on fire!

Sirens. Officer Barbrady pulls up and jump out of his car.

OFFICER BARBRADY

Okay, people stand back. Give the little burnt boy some breathing room.

(Kenny is just a pile of ashes)

TOWNSPERSON

I've heard about this! This is spontaneous combustion! But it usually only happens to fat people near open flames!

TOWNSPEOPLE

Is it contagious?!//Am I going to spontaneously combust?!//I hope nothing happens to me!!//This is very scary!

INT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

The Mayor is sitting at her desk, with her two aides at her side, talking to the camera.

MAYOR

The people are panicing about Spontaneous combustion. That's why I've assmebled this crack team of scientists, to find out the cause of the phenomenon. You are the best scientific minds South Park has to offer!

Reverse. Reveal that only Stan's dad is standing there. He looks around.

STAN'S FATHER

Uhh... Mayor I'm a GEOLOGIST.

MAYOR

Right!

STAN'S FATHER

Well, I don't study human biology. I study the Earth.

MAYOR

Look, you're the only scientist that lives in this town. You have to find an answer before more people combust! You do that and you'll be the most beloved man in South Park.

ZOOM IN to Randy's head.

EXT. SOUTH PARK - DREAM

In Randy's mind, he is being carried on the shoulders of the South Park townspeople.

They are all cheering his name and throwing him up in the air.

TOWNSPEOPLE  
RANDY!! RANDY! RANDY!!

TOWNSPERSON  
We love you Randy!

TOWNSWOMAN  
Make love to me Randy! Please!

ZOOM BACK OUT.

INT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

Randy is standing there with a big smile.

STAN'S FATHER  
Wow...

MAYOR  
Marsh, I'm not asking you, I'm telling you. Find the cause of Spontaneous Combustion or else.

RANDY MARSH  
Or else what?

MAYOR  
Exactly.

INT. CHURCH - FUNERAL - DAY

A large funeral for Kenny. The boys walk in the door.

Kenny is laying in an open casket, but we can't see him.

STAN  
Dude, he looks so peaceful without his little orange coat on.

KYLE  
Yeah...

The boys go and sit down in the pews.

PRIEST MAXI  
The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away... Sometimes the GIVETH seems a little dispropotionate to the TAKETH. There seems to be a lot more TAKETHING

going on... but there it is.

Kenny's mother is crying with a hankkerchief. His dad, sitting next to her, is reading a magazine.

PRIEST MAXI

Perhaps if more of you attended church on Sundays, the Lord would not have felt it necessary to punish us by TAKETHING this little boy...

Kenny mom really breaks out crying.

MR. GARRISON

Oh here comes the guilt trip again.

PRIEST MAXI

Now let us pray.

Everyone lowers their heads.

PRIEST MAXI

Lord... Though we have lost Neil Smith to free agency and Steve Atwater to the Jets... Still, we hope our beloved Broncos can bring home another Super Bowl championship, and once again bathe in the glory of your light. Amen.

TOWNSPEOPLE

Amen.

PRIEST MAXI

Let's go.

TOWNSPEOPLE

Let's go.

PRIEST MAXI

Broncos.

TOWNSPEOPLE

Broncos.

PRIEST MAXI

Let's go Broncos.

TOWNSPEOPLE

Broncos. Let's go!

The Organ MUSIC starts up again and people slowly start to file out.

A couple of pallbearer guys slam the casket shut and take Kenny out to bury him.

STAN

Wow, that was short.

Priest Maxi walks up to the kids.

PRIEST MAXI (cont'd)

Boys, I haven't seen you in church lately.

The boys look at each other.

KYLE

Well, I'm Jewish.

PRIEST MAXI

You're not too Jewish to worship Jesus, are you?

KYLE

I guess not.

PRIEST MAXI

Good. Boys, how would you like to perform the stations of the cross this Friday night?

STAN

The what?

PRIEST MAXI

It's like a skit. Where you re-enact the death and glorious resurrection of Jesus Christ.

KYLE

HEY! RESURRECTION! THAT'S WHAT MY DAD NEEDS!

PRIEST MAXI

Huh?

KYLE

We'll do it! We'll do it!

PRIEST MAXI

Wonderful. Here's a booklet on how to perform it. Don't let me down, boys!

He hands them a booklet, the cover of which says 'Performing The Stations Of The Cross' and has a fifties looking picture of a smiling boy and girl.

KYLE

Dude, this is great. You know all the stations of the cross, right Stan?

STAN

I don't know, dude. I'm gonna have to go look in The Bible.

EXT. CHURCH - NIGHT

A few people are leaving the church. Others are getting in their cars and driving away.

MAN  
Goodnight, Jerry.

JERRY  
See, ya, Tom. Bye Helen.

HELEN  
Bye, Jer- WAH!

Helen suddenly combusts.

MAN  
OH MY GOD! ANOTHER ONE!

JERRY  
HELEN!! NO!

Suddenly, a whole MOB of people gather around Helen's ashes.

TOWNSPEOPLE  
What happened?!

JERRY  
God must be very angry with us. But why? How have we angered you, LORD?!

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT - THAT NIGHT

Stan's dad is in the basement with a lab coat on. He is mixing viles of stuff.

STAN'S FATHER  
Now let's see, if they combust from the...No...The...No...

Stan and the boys walk down the stairs.

STAN  
Dad, where's our Bible.

STAN'S FATHER  
Not now, Stan. I have to find what causes spontaneous combustion or else...

STAN  
Or else what?

STAN'S FATHER  
Exactly.

STAN  
What?

STAN'S FATHER  
Right.

STAN  
Where's our Bible?

STAN'S FATHER  
It's in the attic with the old LPs.

The boys start to leave.

STAN'S FATHER  
Boys... Did you notice anything  
strange about Kenny in the weeks  
leading up to his combustion? What did  
he spend his time doing?

The boys think.

KYLE  
He didn't do anything. He was always  
with his new girlfriend.

STAN'S FATHER  
New girlfriend.

STAN  
Yeah, he started seeing this girl and  
he spent all his time taking the bus  
to go visit her. What does that have  
to do with his death?

STAN'S FATHER  
Maybe nothing... Maybe everything...

Dramatic Music STING.

STAN  
Well, we're gonna go work on getting  
Kyle's dad an erection.

STAN'S FATHER  
(Not paying attention)  
Yes, yes of course... I've got work to  
do.

Stan's father goes back to work. The boys go back  
upstairs.

After a few seconds, Stan's dad finally raises his head.



STAN'S FATHER (cont'd)

What?!

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - STAN'S ROOM

The boys are gathered around Stan's bed. Kyle is reading the booklet, and Stan is reading The Bible.

STAN

So, let's see... Jesus got crucified... then he died, then three days later he had his erection.

Beat.

STAN

Okay... There's fourteen stations of the cross. It says we can make costumes out of sheets.

KYLE

This is gonna be fun!

CARTMAN

I get to be Jesus!

KYLE

You're too fat to be Jesus!

CARTMAN

Oh and like YOU'RE gonna do it, JEW?!

KYLE

Stan should be Jesus.

CARTMAN

Either I'M Jesus, or else screw you guys I'm going home.

KYLE

Oh, you're such a fat baby!

CARTMAN

Well, I guess you guys can do the stations of the cross by yourselves.

Cartman makes the screw you guys gesture. Stan and Kyle look at each other.

KYLE

Alright, alright, you can be Jesus you tubby cry baby!

CARTMAN

Sticks and stones may break my bones but I'm Jesus and you aren't.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT - THAT NIGHT

Stan's dad is standing there with a clipboard.

STAN'S FATHER  
Alright, alright, let's try it again.  
Kenny was standing here...

Stan's dad walks over to an adult dressed like Kenny and leads him to the center of the room.

STAN'S FATHER  
Stan, Kyle and Cartman were walking  
around him...

Now we see three more adults, all dressed like the boys. Stan's dad positions them as well.

STAN'S FATHER  
Okay... Now walk...

The four adults start to walk... The Kenny looks nervous. Stan's dad takes notes as they walk, but nothing happens.

STAN'S FATHER  
Do you feel hot?

KENNY STAND IN  
No.

STAN'S FATHER  
Dammit. How come you're not  
combusting?!

STAN WALK IN  
Come on, Randy, you said we were gonna  
drink beer and watch the fight.

Suddenly, a crowd runs down the stairs.

JERRY  
Another one! Another one combusted!

STAN'S FATHER  
Oh no.

They put the ashes on Randy's table.

STAN'S FATHER (cont'd)  
Had she been doing anything odd?

JERRY  
No, she was on her way to her new  
boyfriend's house.

STAN'S FATHER  
(Thinking)

Boyfriend? And they said Kenny had a new girlfriend...

CARTMAN STAND IN

This is stupid. Screw you guys, I'm going home.

STAN'S FATHER

No! I think I might have it!

INT. CHURCH - NIGHT

The church is almost full.

PRIEST MAXI

Well, well, well. A lot of you came to church... Looks like we're all a little NERVOUS about this spontaneous combustion thing, huh?

The people all nod.

PRIEST MAXI

Well, on this blessed Friday, let us give thanks for stuff... and things. Lord...is it so much to ask that you not let us suddenly burst into flames for no aparent reason? I mean...come on. Amen. And now some of our darling local children are going to perform the stations of the cross.

The boys walk out dressed in sheets.

AUDIENCE

Aw!

Stan walks up to the podium.

STAN

Station one. Jesus is condemned to death by pilot.

KYLE

(Smacking Cartman)

DIE!

CARTMAN

OW! You can do what you will, but I am the lamb of God.

AUDIENCE

Aw!

STAN

Station two, Jesus takes his cross.

Cartman picks up the cross.

CARTMAN  
This cross is seriously heavy. Oh man,  
this is totally weak.

STAN  
And then Jesus' deciple, Peter, denies  
he knows him.

CARTMAN  
Peter.

KYLE  
(as Peter)  
I don't know you, dude.

CARTMAN  
Oh Peter, weak. Peter, Lame, but I am  
Jesus, so I'll forgive you, I guess.

INT. MAYOR'S HOUSE - NIGHT

The Mayor is sitting up in bed with a face mask on,  
reading a magazine. (The same magazine that Kenny's dad  
was reading in the church)

Her phone rings.

MAYOR  
Mayor.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT

Stans' dad is on the other end of the phone.

STAN'S FATHER  
Mayor! I have it! I found out why  
people spontaneously combust!!

BACK TO MAYOR'S HOUSE

MAYOR  
Why?

STAN'S FATHER  
It's too complicated to explain over  
the phone...

REVERSE onto Randy's clipboard. It says  
Girlfriend==>Dead.  
Boyfriend==>Dead.

STAN'S FATHER (cont'd)  
Call a town meeting tomorrow.

MAYOR

Okay. If you're right about this,  
Marsh, you're going to be the most  
popular man in South Park!

ZOOM IN to Randy's head.

EXT. SOUTH PARK - DREAM

In Randy's mind, he is being carried on the shoulders of  
the South Park townspeople.

They are all cheering his name and throwing him up in the  
air.

TOWNSPEOPLE  
RANDY!! RANDY! RANDY!!

TOWNSPERSON  
We love you Randy!

TOWNSWOMAN  
Make love to me Randy! Please!

ZOOM BACK OUT.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT

Randy is standing there with a big smile.

STAN'S FATHER  
Wow...

The Mayor hangs up the phone.

MAYOR  
Shmuck.

INT. CHURCH - NIGHT

The boys continue doing the stations of the cross.

STAN  
Station eleven, Jesus is nailed to the  
cross.

Kyle ties some rope around Cartman's arms.

CARTMAN  
Oh, this has gone from weak to super  
weak. Things can not get any more weak  
for me.

STAN  
Then a crown of thorns was placed on  
Jesus' head, and he was all, like,  
'thanks'.

Stan places a crown of thorns on Cartman's head.

CARTMAN

Well, this sucks that I have to die.  
But if I die, everyone's sins will be  
forgiven, so I guess it's cool.

Kyle drags Cartman and the cross out the door.

STAN

And then Jesus was lead away. To mount  
Sinai, where he died, and had a reser-  
rection three days later.

The parents all smile.

CARTMAN

Hi mom!

The boys leave. The priest walks back to the podium.

PRIEST MAXI

Thank you boys. Blessed be the name of  
Jesus.

TOWNSPEOPLE

It's a great name, isn't it.

EXT. FOREST - NIGHT

Kyle and Stan continue to haul Cartman through dark,  
isolated forest.

KYLE

Hey, that went really well. They  
really liked it!

CARTMAN

Yeah, I told you I'd be a sweet Jesus  
you guys.

KYLE

Aw man, at least the real Jesus didn't  
WEIGH FOUR HUNDRED POUNDS!

CARTMAN

Up your ass with broken glass.

STAN

This spot looks good.

The boys set the cross with Cartman down, then raise it  
and stick it in the ground. Cartman is now fully  
crucified.

KYLE

Yeah, that looks pretty good.

STAN  
Okay, cool. See ya, Cartman.

The boys start to walk off.

CARTMAN  
Hey wait! Where the hell are you  
going?!

STAN  
I dunno... I'm going home I guess.

KYLE  
Yeah, me too.

CARTMAN  
Well get me down from here.

KYLE  
Cartman how stupid are you!? Didn't  
you read the bible!? We have to leave  
you up there until you die and then  
you come back to life in three days.

CARTMAN  
WHAT?!

STAN  
Yeah, dummy, you have to get an  
erection.

KYLE  
Yeah, then I can give it to my dad.

The boys walk off.

CARTMAN  
AY! AY! I don't wanna be Jesus  
anymore! DON'T LEAVE ME HERE! You  
guys!

But the boys are gone.

CARTMAN  
Alright, that does it! Screw you guys,  
I'm going home! Okay, I'm getting  
pissed now.

Silence... Cartman struggles to get his hands free.

CARTMAN  
AGAHGAH!!!!

EXT. TOWN HALL - DAY

The townspeople have all gathered at town hall to hear

Stan's dad's speech. Stan and Kyle are there too.

MAYOR

Alright, people. Scientist Marsh and I have been working VERY hard on the problem of spontaneous combustion and we HAVE finally come up with a solution! Mr. Marsh?

Stan's dad steps forward.

STAN'S FATHER

The little boy combusted... Because he had a new girlfriend.

the townspeople look confused.

STAN'S FATHER

It wasn't the girl that caused him to combust... It was the fact that Kenny did not want to pass gas in front of her.

Stan's dad uses some diagrams and a pointer.

STAN'S DAD

You see, as food is digested, the natural processes give off a by-product known as methane gas. The methane gathers here in the bowel area where it causes pressure. Normally, a person would expel this build-up in the form of a pleasant fart. Should the gas NOT be expelled, the methane can build up, and then ignite, leading to disaster-

He flips the page. It is a picture of Jocelyn Wildenstein, that wierdo Cat woman from New york.

STAN'S FATHER

Kenny combusted, because he held his farts in for too long.

A long silence.

MAN

You mean all we need to do is fart and we won't explode?

STAN'S DAD

Exactly.

A fart is let out. A pause as everyone registers this. Then another fart. And another.

MAYOR



So, from this day forward, everyone in South Park will be required to fart on a regular basis to ensure that nobody else spontaneously explodes.

The crowd begins chanting, "Randy! Randy!" Dad is stunned. He waves hesitantly.

TOWNSWOMAN  
Make love to me Randy, please.

STAN  
Woa, dude! My dad's famous!

KYLE  
Come on, let's go see how Cartman's doing with his erection.

EXT. HILLSIDE - DAY

Stan and Kyle walk over the hill, to find Cartman, dead on the cross.

STAN  
Wow, he died.

KYLE  
Now we just gotta wait for his erection and I can give it to my dad!

Cartman wakes up.

CARTMAN  
AY! There you guys are!!

STAN  
Cartman?

CARTMAN  
You guys are in BIG TROUBLE! NOW GET ME DOWN FROM HERE!!

KYLE  
How come you're not dead yet, Cartman?!

CARTMAN  
You guys... I am seriously... get me down... right now!

STAN  
Look, fat ass. After you die and get resur-erected, you'll have all kinds of super powers just like Jesus.

CARTMAN  
Really?

KYLE

Yeah. So hurry up and die you piece of  
crap.

The boys walk off again.

CARTMAN

WHEN I GET SUPER POWERS I'M GONNA USE  
'EM TO SMOTE YOU TWO ASSHOLES RIGHT  
OFF THE PLANET!!!

(To himself)

Dude, super powers are sweet.

EXT. SOUTH PARK AVENUE - DAY

Townspeople mill about in shorts, all with clouds of  
colored gas behind them. Officer Barbrady, appointed  
chief of the fart police, speaks to the crowd.

Stan and Kyle walk down the street.

Mackey is walks past them. He is wearing a women's caps  
with a big brim.

MR. MACKEY

Hi boys!

BOYS

(Imitating)

Hi Mr. Mackey!

MR. MACKEY

Have you boys been sure to pass gas  
regularly so you don't spontaneously  
combust?

KYLE

We know how to fart, Mr. Mackey!

MR. MACKEY

Let me show you, just to be sure,  
m'kay?

STAN

We don't need a demonstration, dude.

MR. MACKEY

It'll just take a second.

Mackey starts pushing and contorting, working up a huge  
fart.

MR. MACKEY

(to himself)

Mmm, good girl. Mmmm.

Pbbbbtt! A huge purple cloud from Mackey's ass. The boys catch a whiff and immediately cover their noses with their shirts.

KYLE  
Jesus Christ!

STAN  
Sick, dude!

MR. MACKEY  
(laughing)  
I had steak wrapped with bacon last night.

KYLE  
Dude, I think you pulled mud!

MR. MACKEY  
So you boys understand you have to do that regularly, m'kay?

STAN  
Okay, okay. Just go away!

He walks off, laughing.

KYLE  
God, that was not cool at all, dude.

Cartman's mom walks by.

CARTMAN'S MOM  
Oh hello boys. Have you seen Eric around anywhere?

Stan and Kyle look at each other.

STAN  
We've been taking care of him.

KYLE  
Yeah, we're having him reser-erected.

CARTMAN'S MOM  
Oh alright! I was just at the store buying some apples.

STAN  
Apples?

CARTMAN'S MOM  
Yes, apples.

FFFFFAAAAARRRRTTTT!!!! Cartman's mom drops the biggest bomb the boys have ever heard. She laughs.

CARTMAN'S MOM  
Apples! Get it?

STAN  
Dude!

KYLE  
Sick!

CARTMAN'S MOM  
Stinky apples! See you boys!

She exits. A beat as the boys take this in.

STAN  
I don't think I like this new law.

Cartman's mom sticks her head back into frame.

CARTMAN'S MOM  
(Farting as she says)  
Squeaker!

Mom farts with a little grunt.

The boys just sit there for a second.

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EXT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

Everyone is gathered outside the Mayor's office with 'We love Randy' signs. An eight foot statue is next to the mayor, covered with a sheet.

Most of the people have their shirts up over their noses.

MAYOR

And so I declare today Randy Marsh  
day. Where we shall remember forever  
how he freed us all from the threat of  
spontaneous combustion.

Everyone cheers. A few people FART.

MAYOR

Gentlemen!

A few men pull a large sheet of the statue. It is quite similar to the statue of David, except that its Stan's dad, little penis and all.

The crowd cheers again. A few people FART again.

STAN'S FATHER  
Wow... It's beautiful...  
(To audience)  
I feel like the chosen one!

TOWNSPERSON  
YOU'RE THE BEST, RANDY!!

STAN'S FATHER  
I am? ...I AM huh? I never knew the  
depth of my scientific genius until  
now!

STAN  
It's too bad Cartman can't be here to  
enjoy this.

KYLE  
Yeah.

EXT. HILL - DAY

Cartman is still tied to the cross. He looks really mad.

CARTMAN  
YOU GUYS! SERIOUSLY! SOMEBODY GET ME  
DOWN FROM HERE!!

Officer Barbrady walks up.

OFFICER BARBRADY  
Noo noo nooo nooo nooo nooo noo...

He stops when he sees Cartman.

CARTMAN (cont'd)  
OFFICER BARBRADY!!

Barbrady looks long and hard at the crucified Cartman.

OFFICER BARBRADY  
T! T is for turtle! Noo noo noo noo  
noo noo noo noo noo...

He walks away.

CARTMAN  
AY! HELP ME YOU SON OF A BITCH!!  
(To himself)

I'm going to die up here...

INT. DOROTHY CHANDLER PAVILLION - DAY

It looks like the academy awards, but this is the Nobel Prize show. All are in block tie, and most people have their shirts up over their noses.

ANNOUNCER

We now return to the 42nd annual Nobel Prize Awards! Here again your host -- Whoopi Goldberg!!

Whoopi comes out in a really stupid looking dress.

WHOOPI

Republicans are so stupid.

REVERSE to the LARGE AUDIENCE. They laugh and applaud.

Whoopi stands there, taking in the applause... Finally she speaks again.

WHOOPI

I hate Republicans.

The audience ROARS into laughter again. After the applause dies down, Whoopi speaks again.

WHOOPI

...Republicans are so stupid.

Again, laughter and applause.

WHOOPI

And now here to present the Nobel Prize for Science here is Nick Nolte.

The orchestra plays as Nick Nolte walks out.

NICK NOLTE

(Reading teleprompter)

Science is good. Science is very impor... tant. This year's nominees are:

Just like the academy awards you see images of the people working as they are announced.

NICK NOTLE

Herald R. Pinkerton for his further development on the grand unified theory of physics.

Applause.

NICK NOTLE

Randy Marsh, for his formulated break  
wind theory on spontaneous combustion.

Applause. Stan's dad is sitting with his entire family,  
including Stan and Kyle.

NICK NOTLE

And Alfonz Mephesto for his seven  
assed galapagos turtle.

TURTLE

Rmmm!!

NICK NOTLE

And the Nobel Prize goes to...  
(Opens Envelope)  
RANDY MARSH FOR THE THEORY OF  
SPONTANEOUS FART THING!!!

MEPHESTO

NO!! NO THIS CAN'T BE!! NO!!

Thunderous applause. Randy dashes to the stage as more  
ORCHESTRAL music plays.

RANDY MARSH

(Out of breath)

WOW! Oh, WOW! I'm the best, YEAH,  
YEAH! Uh, It's just so amazing to be  
told that you're the best... I thought  
I was just a normal person like all of  
you, but...YEAH...well, thank you for  
showing me otherwise! YEAH! I kick  
ass! YEAH!

Randy dashes off, holding his nobel prize high in the  
air.

MEPHESTO

FIX!! FIX!!

(To himself)

That was supposed to be MY award  
Kevin! I'll get him for this! Mark my  
words!!

STAN

Wow! My dad's the BEST!! All other  
dads SUCK compared to MY DAD!!

KYLE

Hey! My dad's pretty cool too!

INT. KYLE'S HOUSE - NIGHT

Kyle's dad is laying in bed naked with Kyle's mom. He  
sighs.



KYLE'S DAD  
I'm sorry, honey.

KYLE'S MOTHER  
It's okay. I'll just call some twenty  
year old and have him come over.

KYLE'S DAD  
WHAT?!

KYLE'S MOTHER  
I'm just kidding!

KYLE'S DAD  
Kidding?! Well that's not funny! That  
hurt my feelings!

KYLE'S MOTHER  
Why?

KYLE'S DAD  
WHY?!

KYLE'S MOTHER  
Kyle!

They look and see Kyle standing in the doorway.

KYLE  
Don't worry you guys. I'm getting an  
erection as we speak.

KYLE'S DAD  
Huh?

KYLE  
Well, actually, Cartman's getting an  
erection... But then we're gonna give  
it to you!! So BUCK UP!!

Kyle happily walks away. The two parents just sit there  
in silence.

KYLE'S MOTHER  
We have a very strange little boy,  
Gerald.

EXT. HILLSIDE - DAY

Cartman is still alive on the cross, sweating his ass  
off.

Stan and Kyle walk up to him.

STAN  
Dude! He's STILL not dead!

CARTMAN

You guys my mom is TOTALLY worried about me! You better let me down!

KYLE

She's not worried about you.

CARTMAN

Yes she is! Listen! I've been hearing her all day...Listen...Listen

(Out the side of his mouth)

Eric? Eric? Where are you? I miss you very much.

STAN

That's not your mom calling!

CARTMAN

(Out the side of his mouth)

Yes it is you guys. I'm seriously. This is Eric's mom and I want him home right now.

KYLE

How stupid do you think we are?! Now you die on that cross and you get reserected before I KICK YOUR ASS!!

CARTMAN

You guys it's too hot out here!! I can't do this!!

STAN

He is right. It HAS been getting really hot lately.

KYLE

Yeah, I noticed that too... Let's go get some ice cold lemonade.

STAN

Hey yeah!

They walk away.

CARTMAN

Oh! God dammit!! You guys wanna hear my 'I hate Stan and Kyle' song?!

(Singing)

I hate Stan and Kyle!! I seriously hate Stan and Kyle!!

INT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

Everyone is wearing summer clothes, but still sweating.

MAYOR

My God, It's burning up in here! Can't we crank the A.C. up some more.

AIDE

It's already on full.

Stan's dad walks in. He is still carrying his Nobel prize.

STAN'S FATHER

You wanted to see me Mayor?

MAYOR

Yes, Marsh. We have a new problem, and I think only you can solve it.

STAN'S FATHER

I suspect you're talking about the dramatic heat wave.

MAYOR

Yes. The temperature is steadily rising every day. I want you to find out why.

STAN'S FATHER

Mayor, I think I'm a little over-qualified for this. My scientific mind is best used on global problems.

MAYOR

Alright, alright, name your price.

STAN'S FATHER

Ten thousand. I have to protect my talent.

MAYOR

Done. Just find out what's happening.

STAN'S FATHER

Don't worry, mayor. I'll find the cause. Or else. Or else what? Exactly.

EXT. HILLSIDE - NIGHT

The stars are out, and Cartman is still crucified.

CARTMAN

(Weakly)

You guys... Seriously...

Just then, Chef pulls up in his car.

CHEF

What the... Oh what now?!

Cartman lifts his head.

CARTMAN  
CHEF!! CHEF!!!

Chef runs over to Cartman.

CHEF  
Children, what the HELL are you  
doing?!

CARTMAN  
Just get me down from here!

Chef unties the ropes and gets Eric down.

CARTMAN  
Oh, FINALLY! My arms are KILLING ME!

CHEF  
You children shouldn't be out  
crucifying yourselves in this heat!!

INT. CHEF'S CAR

CARTMAN  
Sweet. Now, I AM GONNA KILL THOSE  
GUYS!!!

CHEF  
Eric, I have to tell you something.  
And It's really gonna bum you out.

CARTMAN  
What?

CHEF  
It's really gonna piss you off.

CARTMAN  
WHAT?!

CHEF  
This is just a dream. You're still up  
on that cross.

SMASH CUT TO:

EXT. HILLSIDE - NIGHT

Cartman wakes up, crucified.

CARTMAN  
Aw, DAMMIT!!

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT - NIGHT

Stan's dad is back in his lab coat pouring beakers of things into beakers of things. Behind him, the television is on playing some silly commercial.

Stan sticks his head in from upstairs.

STAN  
Dad, where's the phonebook?

STAN'S FATHER  
Not now, Stanly. Without my scientific genius the town is doomed.

Stan leaves.

STAN'S FATHER  
Let's see now... When exactly did the temperature start to go up... Hmmm...

ANGLE - TELEVISION

It's Jesus and Pals.

JESUS  
Our topic tonight is the rising temperatures in South Park.

This catches Stan's dad's ear. He turns around and watches the TV.

INT. JESUS AND PALS SHOW - NIGHT

JESUS  
Let's go to the phones. Caller, you're on the air.

We can't see the caller, but it is obviously Stan's voice.

STAN  
Yeah, Jesus... After you got crucified, how long did it take you to die and resurrect?

STAN'S FATHER  
Stan?

JESUS  
Uh, that's not the topic tonight. The topic is global warning.

STAN  
Oh.

JESUS  
Do you have an opinion on global warming?

STAN

Uh... It's sucks ass.

JESUS

Okay, thank you caller... Well, let's just go to our first guest. Doctor Alfonz Mephesto.

Mephesto walks out.

JESUS (cont'd)

Thanks for coming. You claim to know the cause of global warming in South Park.

MEPHESTO

I most certainly do. The cause of global warming is... RANDY MARSH!!

Mephesto holds up a large picture of Stan's dad, that has a mustache and devil ears drawn on it.

ANGLE - STAN'S DAD

He looks perplexed.

JESUS

How do you figure?

MEPHESTO

It was Marsh's theory on spontaneous combustion that told everyone to fart all they want... Well... Now all the methane from all those farts has ripped a hole in our ozone layer! WE ARE ALL DOOMED TO DIE!!!!

DRAMATIC MUSIC STING.

STAN'S FATHER

Oh, crap.

EXT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

It's a riot. People, all dressed in summer clothes, are furious.

TOWNSPEOPLE

WE WANT ANSWERS//YOU KILLED US  
ALL!!!//SOMEONE'S GOTTA PAY//IT'S OUT  
OF CONTROL!!

INT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

The Mayor and Stan's dad look out the doors at the angry mob.

MAYOR  
Boy, they're really pissed.

STAN'S FATHER  
Well, they're right. We should have  
known that all that methane could  
adversely effect the atmosphere.

MAYOR  
Well, let's just go talk to them.  
Stick by me.

They walk out the door. As soon as Stan's dad is out, The  
Mayor stays in and slams the door shut. Stan's dad is  
stuck outside, alone.

STAN'S FATHER  
HEY!

The people push their way toward him.

TOWNSPERSON  
YOU'VE KILLED US ALL!!

TOWNSPERSON 2  
SHOVE THAT NOBEL PRIZE UP YOUR ASS!!!

Stan and Kyle walk up into the crowd.

STAN  
Oh my God... What's going on?

TOWNSPEOPLE  
So now we either hold in our farts and  
spontaneously combust, or we let out  
our farts and kill our entire planet!!  
Well I for one am NOT FARTING ANY  
MORE!!

He spontaneously combusts. People scream.

STAN'S FATHER  
Uhh... I'll try to find a solution.

TOWNSPERSON 3  
WE DON'T WANT YOUR SOLUTIONS, PHONEY!!

TOWNSPERSON  
Give me that!

He rips Randy's nobel prize off his neck.

TOWNSPERSON 2  
Damn you, Marsh! Get outta town!

Some townspeople push the statue over onto Stan's dad. He

hauls it over his shoulder and starts to drag it through town.

TOWNSPERSON

You FRAUD!!

The townspeople all start throwing rocks at Randy. He tries to get away, but he is starting to bleed. He falls into Mr. Garrison's arms.

STAN'S FATHER

Mr. Garrison!! Help me!!!

MR. GARRISON

I... I don't know you, sir.

Stan's dad continues to get stoned. He walks on with his statue.

Kyle throws some rocks too.

KYLE

Yeah! Take that!

STAN

Dude! That's my dad!

KYLE

Oh yeah... sorry.

### ACT 3

INT. NEWSROOM - DAY

NEWSREPORTER

The spontaneous combustion problem escalates as more and more people go back to holding in all their farts...

PAN ALONG a line of people, three of which implode.

NEWSREPORTER

Meanwhile, the ozone layer continues



to deplete as other refuse to hold in their farts for fear of combustion. As we all know, the cause for all this is Randy Marsh, the son of a bitch who calls himself a scientist. We caught up with Marsh earlier today, and he had THIS to say...

ANGLE - videoscreen

An image of Stan's dad pops up.

STAN'S FATHER  
Uh... I don't know what to say.

RESUME - Newsmen

NEWSREPORTER  
What an asshole. I hate that guy and so do you. And now on to the weather: It's fucking hot thanks to Randy Marsh, son of a bitch.

EXT. STAN'S HOUSE - DAY

A bunch of people are gathered outside Stan's house. A few are burning things. More are just marching around shouting at Stan's dad.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - DAY

Stan and Kyle look out the window at the angry mob.

KYLE  
Dude, those people are PISSED.

STAN  
I know, huh.

KYLE  
Where's your dad?

STAN  
He's hiding down in the basement. I don't know what to do.

KYLE  
Well you have to help him, just like I have to help my dad.

EXT. LAW OFFICE - DAY

A sign reads Brovlofski & Jaskson Attourneys at law'

INT. LAW OFFICE - DAY

Kyle's dad is sitting at his desk, working. The radio is

on.

RADIO ANNOUNCER

Still more effects from the heat wave caused by Randy Marsh! A giant glacier is melting above South Park and the entire town is doomed!! And now these messages.

VOICE

Having a HARD time with male potency? Well I don't and I'm Bob Dole. What's wrong with you? Christ, I'm Bob Dole and I can get it up-

Kyle's dad switches the radio off. And looks depressed.

Just then, three hot chicks walk into Gerald's office.

HOT CHICK

Are you a lawyer?

KYLE'S DAD

Yes.

HOT CHICK

We want to sue Randy Marsh!

KYLE'S DAD

Why?

HOT CHICK

He gave us skin cancer!

HOT CHICK 2

Yeah. He put that hole in the ozone, and now we've got skin cancer all over our hot bodies, LOOK!

The girls start taking their clothes off. Kyle's dad looks very excited.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT

The boys walk downstairs to find Stan's dad, snuggled in the corner with a comforter.

STAN

What are you doing dad?

STAN'S FATHER

Stanly, I think its best you live with Kyle from now on. His dad is better than me.

STAN

No he's not. He can't even get an

erection.

STAN'S FATHER

(laughing)

Really?

STAN

DAD, YOU'VE GOT TO WORK! People are dying, dad. You've got to come up with a solution.

STAN'S FATHER

Not me. I'm not a scientist. I'm a hack. Even if I found a solution, those people would still all hate me.

STAN

Well that doesn't matter! I learnt something from the stations of the cross.

STAN'S FATHER

What?

STAN

See, as first Jesus was all like 'why me'... And he was all pissed and stuff. But then he saw that what mattered most was everybody else. So he stopped thinking about his own misery, and did what had to be done.

Stan's dad thinks.

STAN

Right as Jesus was dying, he raised his hand and said 'The needs of the many outweigh the needs of the few.'

STAN'S FATHER

You're right, Stanly. You're absolutely right.

Stan's father heads back to the lab.

STAN'S FATHER

Hey... That Bible sounds like kind of a good book.

STAN

It ain't bad. You should try reading it sometime.

HAPPY MUSIC STING. Stan's dad walks away.

KYLE

Dude, that was Star Trek again.

STAN

Huh?

KYLE

The needs of the many outweigh the needs of the few. That was Wrath of Kahn.

STAN

Oh. Well, Bible, Wrath of Kahn, what's the difference?

STAN'S DAD

Alright, now let's get to work.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - BASEMENT - THAT NIGHT

MONTAGE of Randy, back in his lab coat, doing all sorts of tests and lab work. THE MONTAGE IS JUST LIKE A SCOOBY DOO 'CHASE'.

A SONG plays; "You and Me Girl" a seventies style happy song.

1. Stan's dad at the table, pouring beakers of liquid into other beakers of liquid as the boys watch.
2. Stan's dad at the chalkboard, writing math equations INCREDIBLY fast as the boys watch.
3. Stan's dad watching a boiling beaker. It boils over and Randy jots down notes.
4. A hallway with several doors on each side. Randy and the boys run out of one door and into another. A big scary AZTEC MONSTER runs out the same door and into another door. It continues like this a couple times.
5. Randy, Stan and Kyle running through frame, chased by the Aztec Monster. The background is obviously looped. Just a window and a panda bear repeating over and over.
6. Randy, Stan and Kyle in a band actually playing the song. It fades out, and APPLAUSE starts.
7. RANDY'S FACE - his eyes are all red and puffy. ZOOM OUT from Randy's face to reveal that Randy is just sitting there in a big chair in the living room with a joint in his hand.

STAN

Dad? Dad?

STAN'S FATHER

Wow.

Stan walks up to his dad.

STAN

Dad! What are you doing?! You have to get started!

STAN'S FATHER

Right right right.

INT. KYLE'S HOUSE - NIGHT

Kyle is sitting on the couch watching television. The door opens and his dad walks in, side view. We can see a throbbing boner protruding from his pants.

KYLE'S DAD

Kyle! Where's your mother?!

KYLE

She's upstairs.

KYLE'S DAD

Well, I've got something to give to her! Don't worry Kyle, everything is going to be okay between me and your mom.

He proudly marches away.

KYLE

Really! Great, I don't have to worry about that anymore.

EXT. SOUTH PARK - AVENUE -NIGHT

Stan's father looks quite nervous as he walks up to the Town hall and takes to the steps.

TOWNSPERSON

LOOK! THERE HE IS!!

TOWNSPERSON 2

GET HIM!!

STAN'S FATHER

Uh... Please... Everyone-

TOWNSPERSON

YOU'RE A DEAD MAN, MARSH!!

People gather, and immediately start throwing rocks at Randy.

STAN'S FATHER

Please, just listen to me... I think I found the answer.

People continue to bombard him.

TOWNSPERSON 3

Could I borrow one of your rocks?

STAN'S FATHER

It's all about moderation! We had it right all along. If you NEVER fart you combust, but if you ALWAYS fart you deplete the ozone. So we must fart only when at appropriate times or when its really, really funny.

The people slowly stop throwing their rocks.

STAN'S FATHER

I know you all hate me. But please, for your own sakes... Fart in moderation... You can keep stoning me now if you want.

The townspeople slowly lower their rocks and their heads.

Stan and Kyle smile at each other.

EXT. MAYOR'S OFFICE - DAY

Everyone is happily gathered outside the Mayor's office. Stan's dad has his Nobel Prize with him again.

A TITLE reads 'THREE WEEKS LATER'

MAYOR

And so we salute Randy Marsh, and his unified theory of moderation that has saved us all!

The crowd CHEERS.

STAN

See?! My dad IS the coolest after all!

KYLE

Well, my dad's...

Suddenly, the boys look at each other with worried faces.

STAN

DUDE! CARTMAN!

KYLE

I FORGOT ALL ABOUT HIM!!!

The boys suddenly dash off.

EXT. HILL - DAY

We see only the bottom of the cross, and Stan and Kyle's heads appear over the horizon.

STAN  
He's been up there for like three weeks!

The boys make it to the cross, and their jaws drop.

KYLE  
WOW!!

STAN  
That's amazing!!

CARTMAN (O.S.)  
YOU GUYS!! I AM REALLY PISSED NOW!!  
GET ME DOWN FROM HERE!!

We can't see Cartman yet.

KYLE  
Dude, you're STILL alive, Cartman?!

CARTMAN  
I SAID GET ME DOWN GOD DAMMIT!!

STAN  
Dude, you survived all this time on the fat stored up in your body?!

Now we finally R

EVERSE to reveal Cartman, skinny as a rail, but pissed off as ever.

CARTMAN  
Yes, and when I get down from here I am gonna kick you both right in the nuts!!