"THE LAST SUPPER"

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INT. RESTAURANT - NIGHT

Jesus is eating his last supper with the 12 apostles: Peter, Simon, John, Thomas, Matthew, James, Andrew, Judas, and Philip (and three other dudes whose names are too long to write).

JESUS

And I say to you now, this will be the last time we break bread together.

There are quiet "No's" and GASPS.

JESUS (CONT'D)

For tomorrow, I will be sacrificed for the sins of the world and rejoin my father in heaven.

The disciple's faces are filled with sadness.

JESUS (CONT'D)

So it is destined. So it shall be.

The apostle all bow their heads in sad contemplation. Just then, the waitress walks over with the bill.

WAITRESS

I'll just leave this here and pick up when you're all ready.

JESUS

My thanks.

She leaves the check on the table. Jesus glances around the table, but none of the apostles are making eye contact. They're all looking away.

Jesus COUGHS, clears his throat.

JESUS (CONT'D)

Did I mention this is the last time you're all going to see me?

The apostles reply "Yes," "Yes," "Of course, my Lord."

JESUS (CONT'D)

I'm getting sacrificed tomorrow, you know.

They reply, "Yes, my Lord, we know," "We know."

Jesus is starting to look frustrated.

PETER

Forgive me, my Lord, I would gladly pay the bill, but I left my coin purse in my other robe.

Simon SCOFFS.

PETER (CONT'D)

What? What is it?

SIMON

Nothing. Just that I've heard that excuse before, about ten thousand times!

PETER

No, not ten thousand.

SIMON

You always forget your coin purse every time we go out.

PETER

Well, I have a lot on my mind, what with spreading the Gossip and everything.

SIMON

(Disbelief)

Please! I mean, is just a huge coincidence that every time we go out to eat you've got the Gossip on your mind.

PETER

Yes!

SIMON

Whatever.

Jesus shakes his head.

MATTHEW

Maybe we should split the bill evenly.

JAMES

Wait! What? That's not fair! I just ordered a salad and water! Andrew ordered a three course meal, there's no way I'm paying the same as him!

ANDREW

It's not my fault you're a vegetarian.

PHILIP

Let me see the bill. It can't be that much.

Philip grabs the bill and starts looking through it.

JESUS

This is ridiculous. I mean, I'm about to die for you people. You'd think you could treat me to one last meal?

JOHN

Jesus is right.

THOMAS

Stop being such a kiss ass, John.

JOHN

I'm not a kiss ass!

THOMAS

(Mocking John)

Sure, I'll get the donkey for you, Jesus! Whatever you want. Wash your feet, no problem!

PHILIP

Who the hell ordered oyster soup? That doesn't even taste good.

JAMES

I mean, I would ordered a five course meal if I knew were splitting the bill among us.

MATTHEW

I need to go to the bathroom.

Matthew starts to stand when Jesus snaps his fingers.

JESUS

Sit down! I'm not falling for the whole go to the bathroom slip out the back door routine!

MATTHEW

But I really....

JESUS

I said sit the fuck down!

Matthew sits.

PETER

(To Simon)

I can't believe you'd think I'd leave my coin purse on purpose.

SIMON

If the sandal fits....

JAMES

We should each pay for what we ate. It's only fair.

PHILIP

Who ordered the sweet and sour churrascos? I don't even know what that is?

MATTHEW

(Shaking in place)

I really need to go to the bathroom.

JAMES

Is it too late to order? I might as well get some real food if we're all going to split the cost.

JOHN

Our lord deserves finer treatment on his last supper among men.

THOMAS

Kissss assssss.

They all start talking at once, becoming LOUD and INAUDIBLE.

JESUS

(Fed up and SHOUTING)

All right, all right! Enough already!

The group quiets down.

ANDREW

My lord, can't you just... you know...

(Gesturing)

"Magic hands" the bill.

JESUS

Oh, that's right. Jesus will make it all better again, with his magical powers. Like he always does. Please! You think if I could manifest money, I'd be wandering the desert with a pair of oak sandals?

ANDREW

It was just an idea.

JESUS

You know, I'm just sick and tried of helping everybody out and getting nothing in return. To hell with this.

(He stands)

I'm going home, and I hope you all think long and hard about how under-appreciated I am.

The apostles all look down in shame as Jesus leaves the restaurant, MUMBLING to himself.

THOMAS

Jesus is right.

JOHN

That's what I said.

PETER

We should appreciate him more.

ANDREW

He is the son of God and everything.

The apostles all nod their heads.

JAMES

What a second. Did he just stiff us with the bill?

The realization slowly dawns on all of them.

JOHN

That mother--

JUMP CUT TO: BLACK

THE END

EPILOGUE OVER BLACK:

We hear Andrew's voice.

ANDREW

Oh, God, I just pissed myself.

THE OTHER APOSTLES

(Together)

Ewwwwwww.

THE END