

SIDE 4 - TED, TONY

DISASTER!

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CHAD

(to Scott)

Now you try it.

Scott approaches another, much less interested, young woman.

SCOTT

Uh... what's your sign?

YOUNG WOMAN 2

Taurus.

SCOTT

The virgin, huh?

YOUNG WOMAN 2

No.

SCOTT

(trying to save it)

Cancer. I am a cancer. I don't have cancer. I thought I did but the doctor told me that it's normal for one to be bigger than the other, so...

He goes in for a kiss. She walks away disgusted.

CHAD

(comforting)

You'll get it, man.

They exit, and Jackie continues her song momentarily.

JACKIE / ENSEMBLE

S-A-T-U-R-D-A-Y...NIGHT

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Tony enters, followed by a very focused Ted.

TONY

An earthquake? How?

TED

You've drilled this pier directly into a fault line.

TONY

(all charm)

Well, we're not on the pier.

START

TED

But the casino is *attached* to the pier and your guests will soon cause their own deaths.

TONY

(disbelieving)

How are my guests going to trigger an earthquake?

TED

Vibrations!

TONY

From?

TED

The Hustle! The Bump!

(POINTS TO SOMEONE FREE-STYLING)

That! Every funky dance move shakes the pier which will soon cause the fault line to snap.

TONY

You've lost me, Professor.

TED

You need to get everyone off this casino.

TONY

Are you crazy?

TED

No. The doctors said that "humorless" is not the same thing as "crazy".

TONY

Professor, you are not going to ruin this night for me.

TED

Everyone here will die unless—

TONY

Keep your voice down!

TED

You've got to listen to me!

JACKIE

ALL

TONY

Get the hell off my ship!

END