

Morticia/Gomez Sides #2

WEDNESDAY (CON'T)

BUNCHES OF CHRYSANTHEMUMS
LOLLIPOPS AND PILLOW FIGHTS
AND CHRISTMAS EVE! SUGARPLUMS!
STRING QUARTETS AND CHIA PETS
AND AFTERNOON BANANA SPLITS
ANGELS WATCHING AS I SLEEP
AND LIBERACE'S GREATEST HITS
HAVE GOT ME PULLED IN A NEW DIRECTION
IF THEY KEEP INSISTING
I'LL STOP RESISTING
JUST WATCH ME PULLED IN A NEW DIRECTION
I SHOULD STAY IN THE DARK
NOT OBEY EVERY SPARK
BUT THE BOY HAS A BITE
BETTER EAR THAN HIS BARK
AND YOU BET I'LL BITE, TOO
DO WHAT'S TRULY TABOO
AS I'M PULLED IN A NEW DIRECTION!

*(WEDNESDAY exits. GOMEZ and MORTICIA
peek from behind the curtain, having
observed this.)*

START

MORTICIA

I was right! It is the boy -

GOMEZ

Yes, but I don't think it's such a big -

MORTICIA

*Puppy dogs? Disney World? She's in no state to entertain
guests. We have to cancel the dinner.*

GOMEZ

No!

MORTICIA

What?

GOMEZ

I mean we can't do that.

MORTICIA

Why?

GOMEZ

Because then there won't be a dinner.

MORTICIA

Gomez - do you love your daughter? Do you care for her mental well-being?

GOMEZ

Of course -

MORTICIA

Do you want her to be put on heavy medication and spend the rest of her days hating us because we let her ruin her life?

(DING!)

#6A FOUR THINGS

GOMEZ

THERE ARE FOUR THINGS

MORTICIA

Gomez!

(DING!)

Would you stop that!

GOMEZ

I think we should have this dinner.

MORTICIA

Why?

GOMEZ

We need to introduce her to the world -

MORTICIA

Are you out of your mind? Have you seen the world lately? Now stop prattling and go tell her the dinner is off.

GOMEZ

But, *cara* -

MORTICIA

You're the father. The father is the canceller. And if after 25 years of marriage you can't do this one thing for me, then I just don't know what!

END