

SAMESIES

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EXT. WOODS - DAY

TITLE CARD - "THE BEGINNING OF TIME"

A small group of people huddle around one man, URG. URG is the leader of this first group of human beings. He has an announcement.

URG

Alright, everybody quiet. We're here today to talk about a pressing issue. As you all know our population has been dwindling, and we think we've figured out why. When men are with men, or women are with women, basically, when we do Same-sies no people come out.

Crowd GLARES.

URG (CONT'D)

Ok, well we can't do Same-sies for a while.

Crowd grows angry and confused. They grumble.

URG (CONT'D)

(Raising his voice) Listen, we don't have enough people! We need more people.

DAVID

Are you serious?

STEVE

But I love Same-sies!

URG

We all love Same-sies, okay? Let me explain.

URG points to his left to reveal SEAN holding slabs of rock with drawings on them.

The drawings are in red.

URG (CONT'D)

I've created these drawings to show my point. I would like to thank Anne for the blood.

Pan to show ANNE on the ground, clearly unconscious from the blood-letting.

URG (O.S.) (CONT'D)
Lazy, lazy Anne.

URG points to drawings.

On one rock there is a drawing of a man and woman with multiple checks underneath. On the other rock there is a picture of a man and a man with no checks underneath.

URG (CONT'D)
You see, all of the people have come from opposites and none from Same-sies.

STEVE
What about Al?

Pan to a weird looking person who seems asexual.

URG
No one is sure about Al.

DAVID
Can't we just do both?

URG
No! You see you waste the people juice when you do it Same-sies.

DARRYL
(raises hand) Hi, what the fuck is people juice?

URG
You know it's the...

URG pantomimes the action of masturbating.

The crowd is confused.

URG (CONT'D)
You know? The AHHHHH...

URG pantomimes ejaculation.

In unison the crowd responds...

CROWD
AHHHHHHHHHHH.

STEVE
That's my favorite part.

DARRYL

Man, I waste a lot of people juice.

STEVE

Ok. Ok. Ok. Here me out. I have a solution: We still do Same-sies BUT we take the people juice and throw it into an opposite!

URG

I feel like you won't do that.

STEVE

Yeah I won't.

URG

Ok, listen guys: No more Same-sies!

Crowd still grumbling and upset.

DARRYL and URG exchange RAPID-FIRE.

DARRYL

Wait can I ask two women to do Same-sies if I promise to put a people in both of them?

URG

Yes. That's fine. Any more questions?

DAVID

(Pointing to Darryl) Yeah, why does he look like the night?

URG

Questions about Same-sies!

MAN in crowd, ILG, raises his hand.

URG (CONT'D)

Ugh. Yes...

ILG

Hi, Ilg here. I'm the animal herder for the village. Listen I think this is great! Same-sies are disgusting!

Crowd groans like they've had to deal with ILG before.

We hear a private conversation between two women in who are slightly separated from the pack.

GIRL 1 is very ditzy whereas GIRL 2 is more down-to-earth.

GIRL 1
(Glaring at ILG) I think he's sexy.

GIRL 2
He's a total asshole.

GIRL 1
Yeah but I like that. The other day I saw him crush a fruit with his bear hands.

GIRL 2
So he was wasting food?

GIRL 1
Yeah but it was sexy.

GIRL 2
You know your tit is hanging out right?

Wide shot reveals GIRL 1's breast has been out the whole time.

She is unfazed.

GIRL 1
(Still twirling her hair) Yeahhhh.

BACK TO THE GROUP CONVERSATION

ILG
No, I mean it! A man should lay with a woman, not his same-sie!

STEVE
(To ILG) You know this new rule means you can't fuck sheep, ILG.

ILG stares at STEVE. Beat. Turns to URG.

ILG
That's not true, right?

GUY 1 and GUY 2 emerge from the woods.

GUY 1
Sorry we're late. We were (makes air quotes) *looking for sticks*.

GUY ! And GUY 2 laugh and high five.

STEVE

You can't do that anymore.

GUY 2

Why not? That's a great joke.

STEVE

No, you can't do same-sies anymore. Urg is saying that we need more people and when we do that it doesn't make people.

GUY 2

What about Kirby?

STEVE

That's what I said.

URG

Listen guys, we need more people and we can't make people if we keep doing Same-sies. We only have like 20 people, we only live til we're 15 I'm like...(counts his fingers)..like 12! We have to get moving.

STEVE

Alright, I'll do opposites with Carly.

CARLY

Ew. No.

STEVE

Well fuck you, Carly! I'm not even...

URG

ENOUGH! Listen! We need more people And we don't get them when we do same-sies, or sheep, so we have to do opposites for now. I promise, once we have enough people we can go back to same-sies.

ILG

And sheep.

URG

Actually ILG I think I speak for the group when I say the sheep thing has to stop, okay? No more sheep.

(MORE)

URG (CONT'D)

So everyone no more same-sies for
now...and no more sheep forever.

Crowd reluctantly nods. ILG kicks some dirt. Everyone is walking away but one man YELLS OUT.

DAVID

But what if, one day, (beat) there's
too many people?

The crowd goes quiet.

URG slowly walks off of his rock, walks up to DAVID and punches him in the face.

URG

(Screaming) That's the stupidest
thing I've ever heard! That's it!
No more! We can only do opposites!
More people! No sheep and NO. MORE.
SAME-SIES!

We hear a voice off screen.

ATTRACTIVE MAN (O.S.)

Hey I didn't know anyone else was
out here!

Reveal ATTRACTIVE MAN, a tall, very handsome, young man emerging from the woods.

The GROUP stares.

URG

(To the crowd) STARTING TOMORROW!

END