

ANOTHER STORY OF VIOLENCE

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FADE IN:

EXT. MOVIE THEATER - NIGHT

Under a marquis that advertises "CLOCKWORK ORANGE," three YOUNGSTERS (20's, ratty leather jackets and chains) gang upon a DRUNK (50's, filthy overcoat and greasy hair).

A LADY and a GENTLEMAN (50's, both groomed) amble out of the theater. Their affable conversation freezes when they stumble on the scene.

GENTLEMAN

Dear Lord! Should I do something?

LADY

I don't know...! Yes! Go! But, for the love of God: be careful!

He barrels on the aggressors.

GENTLEMAN

No! This isn't right! Stop!!

The Youngsters stop, taken aback by his resolute demeanor.

GENTLEMAN

What on earth are you punks doing?

One of the Youngsters confronts the Gentleman.

The older man pushes the younger one aside and punches the Drunk, who bends over and collapses.

GENTLEMAN

See? This is how it's done!

The Lady bursts behind the Gentleman, shoves him off her way.

LADY

Men!

She kicks the Drunk in the face and, arms akimbo, turns to face those around. Silence reigns for a moment.

LADY

Well?

Gentleman and Youngsters scramble to resume the beating, and she joins them.

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