LIKE, BROMANCE

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INT. LIVING ROOM - DAY

Miles Walker (17), a flamboyant gay guy, and Kyle Howl (17), a muscular jock, sit on opposite ends of a couch.

Catherine Walker, Miles’s mom; and Frank Howl, Kyle’s dad sit in front of them.

FRANK
(memories)
It was a crazy party. Lots of gravy.

MILES
Was it a potato?

FRANK
(confused)
What?

Miles stares at him as he waits for an answer.

FRANK (CONT’D)
No.

CATHERINE
So... Miles, Kyle... you two are brothers.

FRANK
Accidents from a party with lots of gravy.

Kyle’s face falls in surprise, he starts to freak out, but stays seated. Miles is not impressed.

MILES
Ok. KYLE
What!?

MILES
(to Kyle)
So you have a problem?

KYLE
Dad, he can’t be my brother!

FRANK
I know you’re surprised, but...
MILES
(to Kyle)
It’s not my fault you’re a druggie!

KYLE
What!?

FRANK
Kyle!

KYLE
I’m not!

MILES
(to Frank)
Your son does marijuana. Lots and lots of it - parking lots.

KYLE
Liar!
(to Frank)
He’s lying.

MILES
When I saw him I was like, “where is he from? Tijuana?”.

KYLE
No.

MILES
He offered me some the other day, and I was like, “no... it’s wrong”.
(beat)
He also fucks tons of girls... in public.

KYLE
(to Miles)
What? Well, In that case, you fuck lots of men!

MILES
(to Kyle)
Why men?

KYLE
I don’t know. Because you’re from the rainbow side?

MILES
Why are your eyes red, Kyle? Huh?
(to Frank)
Marijuana makes them hallucinate.
KYLE
I’m not high!

MILES
Well Frank, as I was telling you, you’re gonna be a grandpa!

KYLE
What the hell?

MILES
(to Kyle)
What are you gonna name him?
Carlitos?

KYLE
(to Miles)
Now you’re just being fucking racist!

MILES
(offended)
Why are you saying that? Just because I’m black?

KYLE
You’re not black!

MILES
Why can’t I be black? Because you don’t like blacks?

KYLE
(to Frank)
See how he’s turning everything around?

MILES
(to Kyle)
And your names starts with a K...
(echoing)
K... K...

KYLE
Fuck you, Miles! Fuck you! I’m out of here!

Kyle rushes out of the room.

MILES
I’m out too! Don’t have sex.

Miles exits.
CATHERINE
What was that?

FRANK
(surprised)
You were here the whole time?

EXT. PORCH - CONTINUOUS
Miles joins Kyle on the porch swing. Silence.

KYLE
I think we need to break up.

MILES
Yeah.

They smile at each other.

FADE OUT.