



Postmates - A Short Film: INTRODUCTION

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Fade In.

EXT. SUBURB - DAY

MASTERSHOT

A car enters frame, driving down the road, center of the scene.

EXT. DRIVEWAY - DAY

The car pulls up and onto the driveway.

ANGLE ON DRIVER SIDE DOOR.

KingBach opens the door, and slips out.

ANGLE ON KINGBACH

KingBach is spiffy and wearing designer frames for no reason.

INT. HOUSE DOORWAY - DAY

KingBach enters the home.

INT. HOUSE LIVING ROOM - DAY

KingBach collapses upon the couch and has his phone. He begins to order with Postmates:

KINGBACH
(With relief)
Finally home, bout to get me some
food.

In the midst of ordering, his stomach violently growls and KingBach expresses severe discomfort.

KINGBACH
(In pain)
Oh no...!

He hastily completes the order, drops his phone on a table, and rushes to the bathroom. While we hear him move through the house, erratically:

SWIVEL ARC ONTO PHONE SCREEN TO REVEAL HIS ORDER IS ON ITS WAY

INT. HOUSE BATHROOM - DAY

CLOSE ON:

KingBach is plopping down on the toilet.

We hear a large and disgusting bout of diarrhea flow from his body while he expresses serious and worthwhile relief.

He goes for the toilet paper.

ANGLE ON HAND REACHING FOR PAPER.

The toilet paper is all gone:

KINGBACH
Great, not again.

The doorbell rings:

ANGLE ON KINGBACH:

KingBach looks to the window in the bathroom:

KINGBACH
Hey, I'm upstairs! It's going to be a few minutes!

KingBach is outside at the door, assuming the role of a Postmates employee.

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)
It's postmates!

EXT. HOUSE - DAY

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)
I've got your food!

He steps back a bit to look up at the window:

KINGBACH
Yeah, uh...it's going to be a minute.
I'm kinda in the middle of somethin!

KingBach from Postmates looks around like he knows not how to handle the situation.

INT. HOUSE - DAY

KingBach scours the house to find an absence of toilet paper

in every possible place where you might expect to find some.

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

Are you going to come get your food!?

KingBach fondles the idea, then returns to the bathroom, and sticks his head out the window.

EXT. HOUSE - DAY

KINGBACH

Hey uh...just toss it all up here.

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

Are you sure?

KINGBACH

Yeah, yeah uh...just toss it I got this no problem.

ANGLE ON KINGBACH FROM POSTMATE

ANGLE ON KINGBACH IN WINDOW

The food and a soda come flying towards KingBach, falling short of the window and smashing into the wall underneath...hard.

KINGBACH

Oh for real bro?

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

Oops...my bad.

ANGLE ON KINGBACH FROM POSTMATES

A homeless guy walks up and steals his attention.

HOMELESS GUY

You gonna eat that?

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

That's his, I'm just delivering.

ANGLE ON KINGBACH

KINGBACH

Hey, your the guy who keeps putting his cart on my lawn.

HOMELESS GUY

It's my cart, I'll do what I want with it.

KingBach begins to make it rain 10's and 20's:

KINGBACH

Will you just get out of here my man,
you're scaring my roommates the way
you be looking at us in the morning
with them teeth-

FLASHBACK

KingBach and his roommate come outside in the early morning and see the homeless man staring them deeply and intimately in the eyes while smiling, exposing his rotten teeth while he plays with some trash in his cart and farts loudly.

END FLASHBACK

The homeless guy farts loudly while eating the food.

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

I'm just going to leave.

KINGBACH

Take him with you, please!

An awkward pause.

KINGBACH (POSTMATES)

No!

A few more homeless guys walk up:

HOMELESS GUYS

- Oh yeah money!
- Let me get some of that!
- yaaay!

INT. HOUSE BATHROOM - DAY

ANGLE BEHIND KINGBACH

Police roll up on the pad.

EXT. HOUSE - DAY

The homeless guys scurry into the house and are chased by the police:

POLICE MAN
Get back here!

HOMELESS GUY
I live here leave me alone!

KINGBACH
He doesn't live here, get them outta
my house!

POLICE MAN
Don't move we're coming for you next!

KingBach expresses confusion.

KINGBACH
Wait, why would you be coming for me?!

INT. JAIL - DAY

The jail door closes, with KingBach standing in the doorway.
The homeless guys are with him.

KINGBACH (V.O.)
You wanna know how this happened? It
actually makes sense, but it's a crazy
story-

HOMELESS GUY
Just wait till you meet big Frank,
he's always locked up!

KINGBACH
Will you get away from me please?

KingBach continues to look into the camera, dazed.

KINGBACH (V.O.)
Watch the whole story unfold at
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Fade Out.