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She thinks you forgot. You were never great at remembering dates but you've been planning this night for awhile

. It's your _____^{Number}_____ year anniversary. You remembered everything. Dinner at her favorite restaurant, the one with the name like _____^{Adjective}_____ or _____^{Adjective}_____. The kind of place where they dont have _____^{Noun - Plural}_____ on the menus, and usually your hands are _____^{Verb - Present Tense}_____, busy under the table wringing each other so hard you think they'll break, or worse, she'll notice. "Relaaax. Why do you get so worked up over this _____^{Swear}_____. You've been dating her a year. If she laughs at you, she laughs at you. You laugh at each other all the time." More wringing.

A _____^{Size}_____ tip. You leave the restaurant thinking "I should leave a _____^{Adjective}_____ review on Yelp, or something. That was _____^{Adjective}_____." But you never do. "People who do that are kind of weird. Leaving reviews on everything. Have I ever gone somewhere because I read about someone else having a great time there ? I think I only check those things to read bad reviews. Is that weird? I'm the _____^{Swear-}_____ breed of vulture. I grew hands instead of wings."

"Try to resist the urge to check your _____^{Noun}_____, you idiot. You know she hates that. Especially when you're driving."

Door open, keys on the _____^{Furniture}_____, _____^{Personal Belonging}_____ on the table, _____^{Noun}_____ off. "I think this is a ritual for me. I think I've done the same thing every day since we moved in here. Maybe I should switch which back pocket my _____^{Personal Belonging}_____ goes in. Would that _____^{Swear}_____ everything up? Would I enter some weird

Twilight Zone because of some butterfly effect I did?"

"You want to see something cool?" "I guess." "Check it out." You open the box and remove the Material cloth from inside. "What is that? It looks like a little Instrument." "Yeah, it's the Instrument from Video Game. But did you know it can also play Pop, Classical, Rock and Flamenco?"

You spin toward the entertainment center, a little curbside special, but hey- it's held up pretty well. You tap play on the cd player mid-spin. Smooth, like the Adjective finish of your Instrument, which you bring to your lips as you turn back to face her. "Nice spin. Are you going to play that or-" "Yeah, I'm going to play it." You inhale and hope you've timed this correctly.

Video Game Character Song Form starts coming out of your stereo. It's good as hell, it's from a video game. She is fairly impressed that you know it. She moves to the Furniture, her Body Part bouncing off of every note. "This is so good. I love it. I love video games, also. They're great." She pours a glass of Drink, a gift from her Noun-Person as a thank-you for completion of a big project. Working in Career is stressful, but it has its perks. "Grab yourself a sugar cookie in the shape of an ocarina-er a Instrument. Grab one of those Instrument cookies."

She's back on the couch with a mouthful of Drink. You're just about to start the second track,

Video Game 2: Video Game Character Revenge, when there's a knock at the door..

