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INT. DORM BEDROOM- EVENING

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In a college dorm, two teenagers are sitting on the floor playing an intense video game on a small television. The room is dimly lit by string lights and a small desk lamp.

ANT, a lazy, 19 year old college sophomore who avoids all responsibilities, wins the game. He slams down the controls and brags about his skills.

MIKE, a tomboy-ish, A average girl who is Ant's best friend, rolls her eyes. She secretly has a crush on him.

MIKE

You know, you don't have to throw the damn remote every time you win. It's a Gamecube controller, so you know its not easy to replace.

ANT

Why do you take everything so seriously. Lighten up a little bit, Mikey.

ANT playfully nudges MIKE, who in turn hits him back. ANT pushes her lightly, but accidentally knocks her out of her sitting position.

MIKE

So, I'd be wrong if I punched you dead in the nose, right?

ANT

I know you won't, that's why its so fun to mess with you.

MIKE grabs her bookbag off the floor and stands up to leave. ANT continues to sit on the floor.

ANT

Why you leaving so early, Mike?
What am I supposed to do while you're gone?

MIKE opens the door and begins to walk out, but she stops and turns around halfway out.

MIKE

I, like most college students, have a job so I can afford to go here. Why don't you pick up one of those

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MIKE (cont'd)
\$350 textbooks and, I don't know,
try to get a fucking education
instead of wasting your time and
money?

ANT laughs and stands up from the floor.

ANT
Why do you curse so much? For an
"intellectual", your word choice
isn't very broad.

MIKE
You stress me out.

ANT (SMILING)
I know.

MIKE turns around and fully walks out the door, blushing.
She walks swiftly and covers her mouth to hide her wide
grin.

ANT(YELLING FROM THE ROOM)
Don't forget to bring home some
dinner, babe!

MIKE
Don't call me babe. I'm not your
girlfriend.

MIKE walks out the door, slamming it loudly. ANT picks up
the game controller and begins playing the game again.

ANT (TO HIMSELF)
We'll see about that.

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