

The Man and the Moon

EXT. MOON SURFACE.

ASTRONAUT is looking up at space. We see he is alone. No method of transportation, just him in the barren moon land.

ASTRONAUT  
My name is John Kai.

He begins trekking across the moon.

ASTRONAUT  
I've been stranded on this ball of rock and dust.

He looks up at the earth above.

ASTRONAUT  
If you can hear this message, I require assistance.

He looks out over the emptiness ahead of him.

ASTRONAUT  
If you can hear this, I'm probably already dead.

Blackness

WHISPERING VOICE  
Keep going.

Feet moving across the land.

WHISPERING VOICE  
You're so close now. Come on.

At the edge of a huge crater.

WHISPERING VOICE  
I want to help you.

ASTRONAUT  
Where are you?

WHISPERING VOICE  
I'm here. I'm here. Keep going.

ASTRONAUT  
I don't see anybody.

MOON  
Look down, you can't miss me!

He looks into the crater and sees nothing.

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ASTRONAUT  
There's nothing there.

MOON  
Nothing?! Who you calling a  
nothing! I'll have you know my  
gravitational pull is much greater  
than yours!

ASTRONAUT  
What?

MOON  
Did I just call myself fat?

ASTONAUT  
You're, the moon?

MOON  
Bingo! Give the man a prize!

Pan out to reveal the moon has a face, and is looking up  
where the astronaut is if we can make him out.

ASTRONAUT  
Oh this is just great.

MOON  
We're going to have SO much fun  
together!

EXT. MOON SURFACE.

Astronaut is lying down.

MOON  
Aw, buddy, whats the matter? You  
want some ice cream?

ASTRONAUT  
I want to go home.

The moon makes a face and a house appears on the moon.

MOON  
There ya go! It's got plush  
carpeting, two and a half baths,  
the fridge is full of my homemade  
salsa.

ASTRONAUT

No, I want to go to earth.

Astronaut looks up towards earth.

MOON

Earth huh? I haven't been there in a long time. Last time, I got realllllly drunk.

ASTRONAUT

Um, moon?

MOON

Well, we can make that happen! LETS GO!

The moon starts laughing crazy as he starts heading towards earth.

EARTH

Oh, this is just great.