

Obvious Child

Donna

You can look at my sheet, I'm okay. I don't have any secrets.

Max

Oh nice, mental illness runs in your family.

Donna

Mm.

Max

Yeah, we have um... Diabetes and depression.

Donna

Ohh, the diabetes. You guys like to eat a lot of candy in your family?

Max

Lot of desserts, lotta pie. Lotta brownie sundaes.

Donna

That's darling.

Max

Yeah. (beat) It's so cold out today.

Donna

When I looked on weather.com this morning, to pick out my outfit, I saw that it is the coldest day of the year.

Max

Really

Donna

Mhm.

Max

I heard they're gonna start naming snow storms, like they do with hurricanes. That's how intense its gonna be from now on. (Movie trailer voice:) *'The Donna',* snow storm of the century. Donna 2.

Donna

Have you ever watched a weather report before?

Max
Man I gotta get on that...

Donna
Just movie trailers for you huh?

Max
Is that what that is? Is that all?
(beat.)
Sorry I took off last night, I got your voicemails, and I just didn't know what to do.

Donna
Umm, I also made a very extreme move last night

Max
Yeah... But... Asshole move on my part.

Donna
No but... I think we're both just trying to figure out how to... Do... Everything.

Max (overlapping)
Yeah

Donna
I really wanted to tell you when we were at dinner, but then you... I freaked out because you started talking about wanting to be a grandfather.

Max
And you thought I meant, like tomorrow?

Donna
Well you're like 76 right?

Max
Yeah, yep.

Donna
I just don't, you know, we've just been acquainted. I didn't know if you'd be okay with this. Are you okay with this?

Max
Yeah... Yes. Of course.

Donna (overlapping)
Good

Max

I wanna be a grandpa, you know, someday. Dad first then...

Donna

Yeah

Max

Right. This may be the best, slash, worst Valentine's Day I've ever had.

Nurse

Which one of you is Donna?

Donna raises her hand.

Nurse

Follow me please.

Max

Okay.

Donna

Well, thank you for coming.

Max

Thank you for letting me.

Donna

See you on the other side?