

MEXICO TRIP. → THIS WAS A WEEK OR TWO BEFORE COLORADO

17th - 27th MAY  
2001

TONNY CALLS ME, ~~EARLY~~ ~~LATE~~ MID-MAY AND TELLS ME OF A PLAN. APPARENTLY, NECK, RYAN AND BRUCE WERE DRUNK AND DECIDED A MEXICO TRIP WAS IN ORDER. THE IDEA WAS DESIGNED AS SUCH:

ALL OF US WERE WHITE SURFS AND PARADE AROUND TOWN DRUNK, STONED, ON DRUGS, INTENSEIFIED WITH POSITIVE PASSION FOR LIFE AND POETRY.

"THE VISION"

NOTE THE REFLECTION IN HIS GLASSES.



WHEN I HEARD OF THIS I RESOLVED THAT I MUST GO.  
I TOOK MY MANAGER, KIMBERLY, ASIDE AND TOLD HER  
"I HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY THAT I CANNOT PASS UP."  
SHE TURNED PALE AND HER JAW DROPPED. LOOKING BACK  
NOW I THINK SHE THOUGHT I WAS LEAVING. SO WHEN  
I UTTERED, "I NEEDED A WEEK UNPAID OFF." SHE  
SEEMED RELIEVED. IMMEDIATELY SHE RETORTED, "I'LL  
GIVE YOU A WEEK PAID IF YOU COME BACK."

AND THAT WAS THAT.

SO IT GOES AND I FOUND MYSELF WITH MANY MEMBERS OF  
THE WEWEHOBOTRED. NAMED NOT BECAUSE THERE ARE  
THOSE OF US, BUT BECAUSE OUR PASSES ARE PRINTING,  
PECHMAKING, MUSIC, POETRY, PROSE, ACTING, ETC. I  
WOW, THERE ARE NOT JUST THREE AND OUR TITLE  
DOESN'T MAKE SENSE. THEN AGAIN MOST OF US, AND  
MOST OF THE THINGS WE DO MAKE NO SENSE  
EITHER.

TYLER, RICO, RYAN, COLON, NEAL



CIRCA JAN 17<sup>th</sup> 2001

SANTA CRUZ, CA  
BOARDWALK

THE PREMISE OF OUR JOURNEY IS SIMPLE ENOUGH TO UNDERSTAND. MEXICO, VACATION, BEER, SUN, FUN, DRUGS. NOW ALL OF THESE BY THEMSELVES ARE EASY TO UNDERSTAND. BUT THROW SEVEN INSANE ARTISTS IN WHERE SUITS TOGETHER WITH THE RECIPE AND YOU HAVE A LEGENDARY STORY OF A LIFETIME:

ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE YOU TO MY FRIENDS.

## NICK



"JUGGER QVAKES"

BY FAR THE MOST ENTERTAINING MEMBER OF THE GROUP. INVENTOR OF THE COMED STIMP OULVER NELSON. HE IS INSANE WHEN HE DRINKS WITH US. I REMEMBER HIM GETTING INTO AN ARGUMENT WITH HIS HAND. LATER IN THE WEEK, SINGING THE SONG, "MOMMA NEVER TOLD ME, DADDY NEVER WANTED ME, I WAS GONNA BE BORN RETARDED..."

CHEWS, "RETARDED" A FEW MOMENTS AFTER WHICH HE TRIED TO PURCHASE A 14 YEAR OLD MEXICAN GIRL FROM THEIR BROTHERS FOR \$15 AMERICAN.

RYAN

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FILM MAKER, PHILOSOPHER  
BY EXAMPLE. RYAN WILL  
TRAVEL THE WORLD  
WITH THE BEST LUCK.  
HE WILL TELL YOU  
THAT KINDNESS WILL  
GET YOU EVERYWHERE.  
THE TRUTH BEING SELF  
EVIDENT. GOOD HEARTED,  
ALWAYS LAUGHING, EVEN  
IN THE FACE OF  
DEATH... HE IS (EVEN-  
MAY IN HIS EXECUTION).

IF RYAN LOVES YOU  
HE WILL SNEEZE IN  
YOUR FACE. IF HE  
LOVES YOU HE WON'T  
BAT AN EYE IF YOU  
URINATE ON HIS SHOES.





ME  
 WITH MAKE-UP  
 ON  
 I HAVE THE  
 BIGGEST  
 DICK.  
 WHAT EVER  
 GOOD  
 THAT  
 SEMPS

COLIN IS A MYSTERY. GIRLS LOVE HIM THE  
 MOST. HE IS THE RELUCTANT FRONT MAN  
 OF THE GROUPS BAND. HIS IDEAS ARE  
 ALWAYS CONFRONTED BY THE REARERS OF  
 OUR SOCIETY. NONETHELESS, HE IS ALWAYS

↳ COLIN ↲



"CRYPTOGRAPHER SECRETES"

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 NEEDS  
 KID

MOVING TOWARDS A VISION. HE IS A MULTIFACETED  
ARTIST WITH OUT A ~~PROPER~~ TITLE. WHEN EVERYONE  
ELSE DROPS OUT OF THE SCENE, IT WILL BE  
COLEN AND I LEFT STANDING WITH A BRUSH  
IN ONE HAND AND THE OTHER TOWARDS THE SKY.

## JONNY



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JONNY IS THE GOER OF THE TRIBE. HE WRITES, TAKES  
BREATHT PICTOS, SMOLES AND FAGES LIFE WITH A  
STRONG DEDICATION. HE IS BREATHT YET HE EXPECTS  
NOTHING OUT OF THAT. HE WILL WIN IN LIFE  
BY VERNE OF HIS PRESENSE AND BY THE GOOD-  
NESS HE PROJECTS. I REMEMBER PARTING TWO  
NAMED WOMEN - GERS WITH HIM ONE NIGHT. WE  
WERE ALREADY TWO BOTTLES DEEP WHEN THEY CAME  
OVER. NOW HE IS WITH THE LOVE OF HIS LIFE  
CASHW. THEY WILL MARRY AND SPANW A NEW  
GENERATION OF LOVING POETS.

# BLAKE

WHEN I FIRST MET BLAKE,  
MY DRESH FRIEND UDM  
AND I WERE DRINK AT  
A PARTY FULL OF WOMEN.  
LEAM SAW A POOL, TOOK  
OFF HIS CLOTHES AND  
JUMPED IN NAKED. THE  
WHOLE PARTY FOLLOWED. LATER  
BLAKE AND I DISCOVERED  
THAT WE HAD PARTICIPATED  
IN THE SAME TRIP TO  
SPAWN, ONE YEAR A PART.  
ALTHOUGH HE IS NOT AN  
OFFICIAL MEMBER OF THE  
WHB, HE HAS THE RESPECT  
OF ALL OF US.



Now  
SIH

RICO



DRAWING BY COLIN

RICO IS THE LEAD GUITARIST IN THE BAND. HE IS A MAGNET FOR AND HAS A WEAKNESS FOR BEAUTIFUL WOMEN. BY FAR HE IS THE BEST MUSICIAN I KNOW. HE HAS A KNACK AND AN ABILITY THAT COULD THWST THEM INTO STARDOM. IN ADDITION TO HIS PROWESS AS A GUITARIST. RICO STARTED PAINTING ONE DAY IN LOS ANGELES. HIS FIRST PEECE SOLD FOR \$500 - NEEDLESS TO SAY, COLIN AND THE REST OF THE L.A. CREW WERE A BIT ANNOYED. RICO ALSO IS HIGHLY INTELLIGENT. HE COULD HAVE PURSUED ANY ACADEMIC GOAL OF HIS DESIRE. INSTEAD, HE DECIDED TO HANG OUT WITH US. :-)





## AGUSTINA

I MET HER YEARS AGO. SHE IS BEAUTIFUL. SHE HAS GRACE, EXOTIC SEXUALITY AND A MYSTERIOUS WAY AROUND HER. BUT SHE HAS A FATAL FLAW, SHE HAS NO DEFENDABLE TALENT. SHE WAS, AS I CAME TO UNDERSTAND LATER, THE GROOPER FOR THE FIRST HALF OF THE SUMMER OF 2001. UNABLE TO COPE WITH NOT ~~BEING~~ FEELING LIKE AN EQUAL, SHE DREW ATTENTION TO HERSELF IN OTHER, LESS CREATIVE WAYS.

WILT A SHAME. SHE WAS HALF OF MY MOTIVATION TO GO ON THE TRIP. THE WEEK PRIOR I WAS VISITING FOR A FEW DAYS. UNABLE TO SEE THE WILDER TRUTH AT THE TIME, SHE DREW ME IN WITH ADMIRABLE COMPLIMENTS TOWARDS MY WORK. FOR A MOMENT THE ROMANCE IN ME BELIEVED THAT SHE COULD HAVE BEEN THE ONE. OR, AT LEAST, A ONE. GETTING ALONG WITH MY DEAREST FRIENDS, LIVED MY WORK, BEHAVING AND EXOTIC ALL MADE FOR A NICE DREAM. BUT LIKE ALL DREAMS, YOU USUALLY WAKE UP SOMETIME AND ARE Faced WITH REALITY. SOMETHINGS THAT REALITY IS HARD TO SWALLOW.

# CAITLIN



## "ATHENA SURVIVES"

WE USE TO WATCH HER AT OUR LOCAL HANG-OUT, CASEY MOONIES. WE CALLED HER "ELUSIVE BOKE GIRL" BECAUSE WE SAW HER MOUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD. WHAT A LOOKER. GEORGEOUS. BREATHTAKING. SINCERE. WELCOMING. I, OF COURSE, WROTE HER POEMS. TO IMPRESS HER FURTHER I TOOK TWO PERCOCCES AND DRANK HEAVENLY, PASSING OUT IN FRONT OF HER ONE NIGHT AT CASEY'S. IT HAPPENS. A SHORT WHILE LATER SHE MET JOHNNY. IT WAS ALL OVER. I WOULD BE JEALOUS IF IT WENT FOR THE FACT THAT THEY WERE MADE FOR ONE ANOTHER. HOW CAN ANY MAN BE UPSET OR DISSAPPOINTED IF THE OUTCOME IS AS MAGNIFICENT AS THE PAIRING OF TWO, SO SPECIAL PEOPLE. GOD BLESS THEM. I LOVE THEM BOTH.

SO WE ARRIVED IN MEXICO AND QUICKLY (AT THE BORDER)  
PUT ON OUR SUITS. OUR PREVIOUS ARRANGEMENT FOR  
A CONDO FEEL THOUGH. SO WE NEEDED A PLACE TO  
STAY. WE ARRIVED IN ROYAL POINT AND QUICKLY  
FOUND ONE, NEAR (OR ON) LA PLAYA BONITA.



WE WERE BEAUTIFUL, DISHIE, PARADING AROUND TOWN.  
WE EITHER INTRODUCED OURSELVES AS "IN A WEDDING  
PARTY." OR "IN A BAND." FOR SOME REASON  
PEOPLE DIDN'T ASK QUESTIONS AFTER STATING SUCH.



AT THE TIME I WAS STILL EMPLOYED AT NETSCAPE, OR MORE PROPERLY DESCRIBED AS THE AFTERMATH OF WHAT WAS ONCE A HALLMARK CORPORATION. WHEN ~~WITH~~ I INFORMED FRIENDS OR STRANGERS OF MY PENDING (AND CURRENT) EMPLOYMENT THERE THE REACTION WAS ALWAYS THE SAME... NOW, YOU WORK AT NETSCAPE? THE TRUTH IS, I WORKED FOR AOL. THEY HAD BOUGHT NETSCAPE OUT A YEAR OR SO PRIOR SO MY PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT WAS THE OLD NETSCAPE BUILDINGS AND SOME OF THE GHOSTS STILL IN HABITED THE PLACE. IT WAS A GOOD EXPERIENCE. LIKE I MENTIONED BEFORE IT AFFORDED ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE MY OLD CRAZY FRIENDS IN MEXICO.













FERNANDO



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FIREWORKS







YOU DON'T KNOW  
UNLESS YOU ASK

I ASKED











