

# The Boys Club Skit #3

## The Garden Gnome

Kevin Lee

Performers × 2

Harriet/Narrator

Joe

Props

Can and glass

Har (On her knees). "I don't know why we have so much garden?...All I ever do is weed it."

Joe (Comes along, a can of beer in one hand, a glass in the other).

Har "I wondered when you'd come to help?"

Joe "Yeah....I was enjoying my beer inside..But I felt guilty watching you out here....So I thought I'd come and give you moral support."

Har "Aren't you going to help?"

Joe "Help?...Can't you see I've got a beer?...If it gets warm it'll spoil...I thought you'd be finished by now anyway?"

Har "No...Superman got called out on a rescue and left me to finish it alone."

Joe "Superman?...Is that a joke?"

Har "Why have we got so much garden anyway?...All I ever do is weed it!"

Joe "It looks nice..."

Har "So why don't you weed it?"

Joe "Because...You know?...You're stuck in the house all day...So it's good exercise for you."

Har "I'm not the one with a beer pot..."

Joe "What?"

Har "You heard me!"

Joe "My beer's empty now...And you probably need a rest...So how about getting lunch ready?"

Har "Yes Master."

Joe "And could you put another couple of beers in the fridge please?...I'll just admire what you've done...It's great...Maybe you should put a few boulders around with moss on them...That would be an improvement...And some pixie paths meandering here and there..."

Har "Sorry Master I forgot my clipboard...Remind me about that at lunch."

Joe "I wasn't being critical...I was only suggesting...And you could wear a bikini while you're in the garden too!"

Har (Shakes her head and walks inside).

Joe "What did I say?...Harriet?...Did you lock the door?...Did you lock me out?...Harriet?.. Come on...Don't do that?..I've run out of beer...It's too hot to be outside...Pass a couple of beers out the window then?...Or just one?...Harriet?. .Oh..Women!" (Shakes his head).

End

Narrator "Why did you get married? Was it to have someone to do all the chores you don't want to do? Or was it to spend every day with the one who makes each day so special for you, and to bear each burden together?"

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