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EPISODE #2 - "A SIDE HUSTLE"

17 INT TRADER JOES CHECKOUT COUNTER

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Rabbi Shimmel is behind the register. He runs items over a scanner. He is dressed in a Trader Joe's Hawaiian Shirt but still has his long beard, Payot curls and a Hoiche Hassidic Hat.

CUT TO

JOEL (30's Male) a local Jewish shopper, in a Yarmulke, looks up.

JOEL

Rabbi Shimmel?? Is that you? What are YOU doing here?

RABBI SHIMMEL

Oh hello Joel. Haven't seen you at Shul for a while now. Well, religious membership has dropped significantly over the last few years. We can't afford the rent at the Temple so we've moved over to the Rec Center. And I've had to take a pay cut. So...

(indicates his cashier job)

JOEL

Oh that's terrible.

RABBI SHIMMEL

Well, it's not so bad, I'm only here two days a week. I'm much better off than Mike. He's working FIVE days a week.

JOEL

Mike?

The Rabbi points over to the next register where Fr. Mike in a Hawaiian smock over his priest collar, scans groceries.

JOEL

Father Flannery?!?!?!

FR. MIKE

(shouting across the store) Oh hello Joel, we missed you at last night's AA meeting.

Joel looks embarrassed as Rabbi Shimmel scans his 6-pack of beer AND a box of donuts.

FR. MIKE (CON'T)
Oh... And let your wife know that
Overeaters Anonymous has been moved
to Wednesday Nights.

CUT TO

JOEL

(embarrassed)

GEEZUS!!

JÉSUS (OC)

Jes?

CUT TO

Jésus Cervantes is revealed bagging groceries in an open Hawaiian shirt over his custodian onesie.

CUT TO

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