

# omg I forgot you had legs

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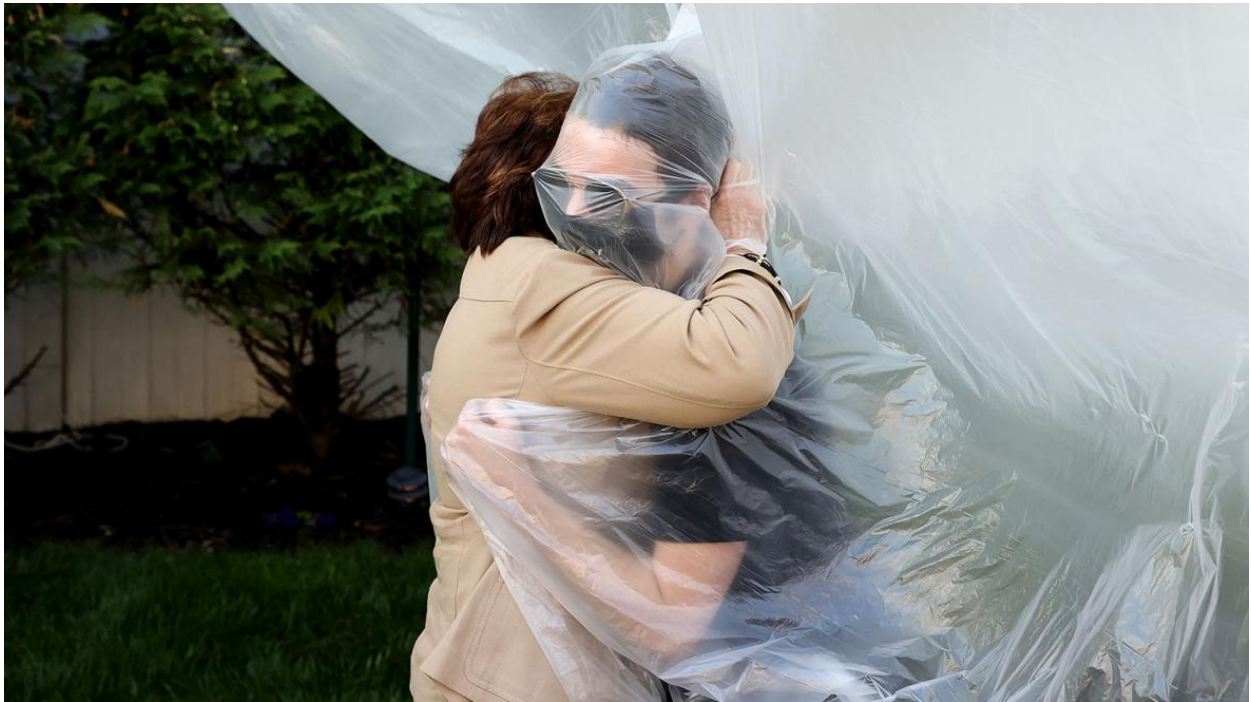
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**Prompt:** Write a play that includes a reunion

## CHARACTERS

RITA

ZOEY



*It's a park or another outdoor location. We hear Rita and Zoey before we see them.*

RITA (off)

EEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEE!!!!!!!

ZOEY (entering)

Ri-ta! Ri-ta! Ri-ta! Ri-ta! Ri-ta!

*Rita and Zoey enter from opposite sides, Rita at a run and Zoey at a hop/prance with her arms flailing. They have a BIG hug. It's an epic reunion.*

RITA

Zoey you're a real person!!!

ZOEY

You have legs!!

RITA

Zoey!! I'm so glad I didn't make you up!!

ZOEY

I forgot you had legs!!!

RITA

It's so weird that you're 3D!!!!

ZOEY

I never see your legs anymore!! Look at those legs!!

*Zoey happily slaps Rita's legs*

ZOEY

They're so LONG!

RITA

I do have legs!

ZOEY

Wow!

RITA

Your voice sounds different, I think.

ZOEY

Really?!

RITA

Everyone's voice just sounds different on the phone, the real thing has a specific quality to it, you know??

ZOEY

Huh, I think you're kinda right????

RITA

Yeah!

ZOEY

Wow!

RITA

This is CRAZY!

ZOEY

I KNOW!

RITA

I haven't seen you in so long!!!!

ZOEY

I haven't seen anyone in so long!

RITA

Yeah, I mean, me neither I guess.

ZOEY

EEEEEEEEEE!

RITA

Can we just keep hugging?

ZOEY

Okay!!!

*They hug some more.*

RITA

Should we go?

ZOEY

Yeah, I'm just parked over there.

RITA

I just don't want people to think this is like OKAY.

ZOEY

Yeah, yeah, you're right.

RITA

I mean I guess ~ this ~ is okay because we're outside and it's just us, but like !!

ZOEY

No, I get it, I get it, I totally get it. We need like a sign or something.

RITA

Yeah I want like a little holograph message above my head: "HAS BEEN FULLY QUARANTINED FOR 2 MONTHS. DO NOT TRY THIS AT HOME. THIS IS A UNIQUE SCENARIO AND NOT ONE YOU SHOULD TAKE EXAMPLE FROM."

ZOEY

I'll just yell it while we're walking to the car.

RITA

No, see that seems extreme--

*Zoey starts walking.*

ZOEY

ATTENTION EVERYONE. THIS IS A UNIQUE SCENARIO. WE HAVE BEEN FULLY QUARANTINED FOR A SIGNIFICANT PERIOD OF TIME. WE ARE NOT A REASON TO SEE YOUR FRIENDS OUT AND ABOUT WILLY NILLY AND GIVE HUGS OUT LIKE FREE CANDY. THIS IS A CALCULATED RISK PEOPLE...

*Zoey and Rita have disappeared.*

END OF PLAY