LUV

A musical

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CAST OF CHARACTERS

BROOKE - 21
TAYLOR - 20
JASON - 20
PHILIP - 21
JULES - 21
BRAD - 21 (Can double as Ensemble)
ARIEL - 19 (Can double as Ensemble)
ENSEMBLE: (Consists of - Men's Chorus, Female Chorus, Ensemble, Commentators 1-6)
SETTINGS

ACT 1

Men's Change room
Taylor's Dorm
Restaurant
Philip's Dorm
Cafe

ACT 2

Taylor's Dorm
Philip's Dorm
Cafe
Movie theatre
The street at night
Frozen Yogurt Shop
PHILIP
LOOK AT ALL THESE PEOPLE
LOOK AT ALL THESE FRIENDS
LOOK AT ALL THESE FOLLOWERS
WHO LOVE US TO NO END

WE’RE BLOWING UP ON TWITTER
KILLING ON THE GRAM
40 COMMENTS ON FACEBOOK
AND NOT A SINGLE ONE IS SPAM

WHO KNEW TAYLOR WAS THE ANSWER
TO SUCH SOCIAL SUCCESS
THE TWO OF US TOGETHER
WILL ALWAYS MANAGE TO IMPRESS

IT’S BEGINNING TO BRING UP FEELINGS
SOMETHING WARM AND DEEP INSIDE

COULD IT BE A NEW FOUND LOVE?

NO
THAT’S NOT IT
IT’S PRIDE!

IT’S VALIDATION
IT’S A FUNNY LITTLE THING
VALIDATION
IT’S GOT A NICE RING
TO IT

IT KIND OF JUST ROLLS
OFF THE TONGUE

ENSEMBLE

OFF THE TONGUE
PHILIP
IT KEEPS ME FROM FEELING HIGH STRUNG

ENSEMBLE

YOU’RE HIGH STRUNG

PHILIP
OH VALIDATION
IT’S A FUNNY LITTLE THING

IT’S TRUE I HAVE FUN WITH TAYLOR
SHE’S AMAZING IN SO MANY WAYS
BUT IT SEEMS I LIKE HER BETTER
WHEN THE INTERNET GIVES US PRAISE

SOME MIGHT CALL IT SHALLOW
AND SOME MIGHT CALL IT CHEAP
THEY SAY LOVE COMES FROM WITHIN
BUT I’M NOT THE KIND TO LOOK THAT DEEP

I JUST NEED
VALIDATION
IT’S A FUNNY LITTLE THING
VALIDATION
IT’S GOT A NICE RING
TO IT

IT KIND OF JUST ROLLS
OFF THE TONGUE

ENSEMBLE

OFF THE TONGUE

PHILIP
IT KEEPS ME FROM FEELING HIGH STRUNG

ENSEMBLE

YOU’RE HIGH STRUNG
PHILIP

OH VALIDATION
IT’S A FUNNY LITTLE THING
(talking)
I mean, just look at these comments!

COMMENTATOR 1

OH MY GOD, THEY’RE SO HOT

COMMENTATOR 2

I WANT WHAT THEY GOT

PHILIP

THANKS A LOT

COMMENTATOR 3

CHECK THEM OUT

COMMENTATOR 4

THERE’S NO DOUBT

COMMENTATOR 5

THEY’RE EVERYTHING
LOVE IS ABOUT

COMMENTATOR 6

THEY LOOK LIKE BROTHER AND SISTER

COMMENTATOR 4

HEY MISTER,

ENSEMBLE

YOU’RE WRONG!

THEY’RE ADORABLE
A PERFECT TEN
POST SOME MORE
AND WE’LL LIKE YOU
AGAIN AND AGAIN
PHILIP

YEA, WE’RE ADORABLE
A PERFECT TEN
THE WORLD
HAS SPOKEN
I SHOULD SEE HER AGAIN!

ENSEMBLE

VALIDATION!

ACT 2 - SCENE 4B

Street at night.

JULES
You think Philip is feeling alright?

JASON
He’ll come to eventually.

JULES
Maybe.

(beat)
Man, you and him make a really weird pair.

JASON
Are you and I any better?

JULES
I guess not.

(beat)
I gotta admit, the coffee shop was getting pretty stale before you came along.

JASON
It’s been a good time.

JULES
Yea. You make it worth it y’know. Having you there every day ...

(beat)
Jason, look ... I don’t know what you’re looking for, or how to even put this really. I guess it’s all kind of new to me too. But, I uhhhh --