HERTZ Ms. Regina?

REGINA Mr. Klinemann?! What are you doing here?

HERTZ (Wiping his tears.) Vat are YOU doing?

REGINA Taking a stand! Not that you know anything about that!

HERTZ You know you turned my son against me.

REGINA You sure that was me?

HERTZ You're right. I have no son. (Begins to cry.)

REGINA I'm not falling for that crap, fascist. (HERTZ cries harder. Finally...) Jesus. Pull yourself together. You have a son, okay? And he loves you. He just has a dream. Like all those people out there! If you could only see how happy it makes him,

HERTZ He doesn't understand! I did it all for him. For his future!

REGINA

you wouldn't -

But he doesn't want it! Christ, I know you must've had a dream nobody understood.

HERTZ

NEIN!! ...Wait! (Then.) Vell, vhen I vas young I vanted to... Make formal wear... For pets.

REGINA You... Really? HERTZ Unt my fazer zought I vas a fool! Maybe I vas.

REGINA Or maybe you...veren't?

HERTZ Were you really going to jump?

REGINA I believe in my cause.

HERTZ But vat vill zat accomplish? It's crazy!