

~~RONA~~

That is very impressive — especially the piano.

CONT. ("especially the piano" meaning "not the table" that in Dan Knechtges and James Lapine's staging MARCY has karate-chopped in half at end of song)

PANCH

Miss Park the word is CAMOUFLAGE.

MARCY

Camouflage.

(to herself)

START

Dear Jesus, can't you come up with a harder word than that?

JESUS

(from offstage)

Of course I can, my child

#13 - Jesus

ALL

AAAAAHHHHIHHH!

(JESUS appears, played by actor playing Chip.

MARCY is absolutely astounded to see him — none of her parochial education has prepared her for this.)

MARCY

Jesus?

JESUS

Marcy?

MARCY

Hi!

(depending on casting, we sometimes replace with: Wow — Jesus — I knew you were Asian!)

JESUS

Hi.

MARCY

How are you?

JESUS

I'm good. Is that your prayer, Marcy, for a more difficult word?

MARCY

Well yeah it was but now that you're here can I ask for something better?

JESUS

I'm here for you now Marcy. *C'est pour toi que je suis ici.*

MARCY

(convinced, she decides to take this seriously and ask something she really would like to know)

Jesus... I was wondering what would happen if I didn't win today.

JESUS

What do you think would happen?

MARCY

I don't know, but what I mean is, would you be disappointed with me if I lost?

JESUS

Of course not—but Marcy? I also won't be disappointed with you if you win.
(Beat as SHE looks confused)

MARCY

You're saying it's up to me then?

JESUS

Yes, and also, this isn't the kind of thing I care very much about.

ALL

AAAAAHHHHHHH!

↑
END

MARCY

Camouflage. C-A-M. . . O-U

(still deciding)

F-L. . . A. . . J

(and as soon as she dares miss the first letter, she takes more and more joy in getting it wrong) . . .

Z!! . . H!!! Camafajzh!

(Ding)

END

MARCY

GIRLS

I BLEW THAT WORD.

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PRAISE JESUS!

LIFE HAS SUCH POSSIBILITY

SHE BLEW THAT WORD

PRAISE JESUS!