



THE SLEEPER TRAIN.

[This text is read aloud at the beginning of this video:]

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The Sleeper Train.

A man and a woman who had never met before, and were both married to other people, found themselves sharing a carriage on a sleeper train crossing Europe.

They were both a bit uneasy and felt a bit awkward about it, but they were both very tired and fell asleep quickly.

The man took the top bunk and the woman took the bottom one.

All was well until about 1 a.m., when the man woke up feeling very cold. He just couldn't get warm. He knew there was a locker down near the bottom bunk with an extra blanket in it. So he leant over and gently woke the woman up and said,

'I'm really sorry to disturb you, but do you think you could reach into that locker and pass me up an extra blanket?'

'Well,' said the woman, 'I have a much better idea. Just for tonight, let's pretend that we're married.'

'Wow!' said the man. 'That's a great idea!'

'Good,' said the woman. 'Get your own blanket!'