

RAYMOND (CONT'D)

Now you know how ya momma can be.

YOUNG DARIUS

But everybody going down to the
carnival, all my friends will be
there.

RAYMOND

And you are too, only you going
with the church.

DARIUS

But I want to go with my friends.

RAYMOND

Sometimes you just gotta do what's
gonna keep the peace, you
understand?

YOUNG DARIUS

No.

RAYMOND

It's like this, you can fight it
and not go to the carnival or you
can go to the carnival and maybe,
just maybe end up riding the rides
with your friends. You understand
now?

The two start smiling

DARIUS

Yeah pops.

RAYMOND

Good, now grab that screw driver
and tighten these hoses.

DARIUS

Sure pops.