

DORIS. *Mildred?*

MILDRED. Hello, Doris.

DORIS. I wasn't aware that you were coming with us.

MILDRED. Well, I was supposed to go with George and Elaine but Sam and I were out having dinner last night and I was telling him how the only thing worse than going to a wedding alone is going as a third wheel and he said he wasn't going with anyone either. I mean, he's driving you and Ida and Lucille but he wasn't *going* with anyone. So he asked me to go with him. How could I resist?

DORIS. Of course.

SAM. She didn't want to go with George and Elaine.

DORIS. (To Sam.) It's nice to see you working on a new chapter so quickly.

MILDRED. (To Sam.) I just hope those are your dancing shoes you're wearing because I have no intention of letting you leave the dance floor.