

GETTING THERE *by Molly Wu*

GENRE: Drama

SYNOPSIS: Three harried mothers express frustration with trying to get their families to church on Sunday mornings.

TIME: 3 minutes

CAST BREAKDOWN: 3F

THEME: Christian Living, Church; Parenting

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: Hebrews 10:25

CHURCH YEAR SEASON: Any

SUGGESTED USE: Sermon Starter; Worship Service

CHARACTERS:

PAM
LYNNE
KELLY

PROPS: None

COSTUMES: Contemporary

SOUND: Three wireless microphones

LIGHTING: General stage

SETTING: Unspecified

DIRECTOR'S TIP: Pacing is important: fast enough that the 'obstacles' are a bit frantic (perhaps building in speed), but slow enough that the audience can still understand and 'track' them.

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Lights up.

PAM, LYNNE, and KELLY face the audience, standing side by side.

PAM: The alarm goes off.

LYNNE: I hit snooze.

PAM: It goes off again.

LYNNE: I hit snooze again.

KELLY: I can't wake up.

PAM: We're out of coffee filters.

LYNNE: And eggs.

KELLY: And Pop Tarts.

PAM: The kids have to settle for Cheerios.

LYNNE: They don't want Cheerios.

KELLY: And we're out of milk.

PAM: David can't find any clean socks.

LYNNE: Maddie can't find her Bible.

KELLY: Carson lost his toothbrush.

PAM: I'm losing my mind.

LYNNE: Emily has gum in her hair.

KELLY: There's a stain on this skirt.

PAM: There's a spot on that tie.