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WWJD

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GENRE: Comedy

SYNOPSIS: Radio show contest participant grows frustrated with never winning prizes, regardless of how many times she calls in.

TIME: 11 minutes

CAST BREAKDOWN: 1M, 1F

THEME: Prayer; Listening to God

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: Luke 11:1-13

CHURCH YEAR SEASON: Any

SUGGESTED USE: Seeker service focused on the “big ways” that God says “Yes” to us.

CHARACTERS:

JENNA – radio show listener

BOB Hope – radio Voice

CALLER

PROPS: Phone and radio

COSTUMES: Contemporary clothing

SOUND: Wireless microphones (optional)

LIGHTING: General stage

SETTING: Unspecified

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Lights up.

BOB: Good morning! It's 9:57 AM in the Motor City, and you're listening to Bob Hope on WWJD. All talk all the time. Thanks for tuning in on this beautiful Autumn day. We're going to reach a high of 65 today with a low in the 40s. Cloudy tomorrow, though, with a 50% chance of rain, so get out and enjoy this beautiful weather while you can.

JENNA: You do my laundry and I'll go for a nature walk, Bob.

BOB: At the top of the hour, please tune in to top nutritionist, Mother Jane, when the topic will be "High Fructose Corn Syrup – murderer or myth". But now, if you're the 30th caller –

JENNA: *(Drops what she is doing and begins frantically searching for the telephone while radio voice continues)* Phone, phone, phone....C'MON!!!!....phone, phone, phone. *(Digging through clutter and furniture until finally finds it)* Phone!

BOB: It's time for "Just ask". Our prize today is a TIVO Premier DVR and lifetime subscription to service. Bringing all your entertainment from TV and the web together in one amazing, easy-to-use box, with up to 45 hours of HD recording time: "Think you know TIVO? You don't." That's a \$600 value, so, call right now, be our 30th caller and just ask "Did I win?" Three little words. It's just that easy.

Jenna turns down her radio and you can hear the fast dial of 11 digits while she paces the room – busy signal is heard – she tries 5 more times, busy signal is heard each time, until it rings on the 6th time

JENNA: Okay.

BOB: WWJD. Just ask.

JENNA: Did I win?

BOB: No, thanks for asking, you are the 11th caller. Try again.

JENNA tries 5 more times, busy signal heard each time until it rings again.

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JENNA: Did I win?

BOB: No, thanks for asking, you are the 29th caller. Try again.

JENNA: Are you freaking kidding me? 29th?? *(Slams down phone and turns radio back up)*

BOB: WWJD. Just ask.