

IMPERTINENT WAITER
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This skit opens with a man at a restaurant table, impatiently consulting his watch.

Waiter: *(Approaching)* Is there a problem, Sir?

Man: Well, yes. But I doubt that you can help. My wife's in the powder room, doing her best to make me late.

Waiter: Going to a show? *(Begins to clear off table)*

Man: No, I have a speaking engagement I can't afford to miss.

Waiter: *(Holding plates)* Oh? What do you do for a living?

Man: I head up men's ministries for Affiliated Churches of America. I'm supposed to be addressing pastors from all over the nation in less than an hour.

Waiter: Sounds like an important job. I bet you take it serious.

Man: Of course! *(Puffs up a bit)*

Waiter: Do you live nearby? I thought I saw you walk here.

Man: Yes. Over in Belmont Towers.

Waiter: Nice place! Do they have an elevator attendant?

Man: Yes they do. Why?

Waiter: I was curious. Do you know his name?

Man: No. No I don't

Waiter: Does he have any kids?

Man: *(Stares)* I have no idea.

Waiter: Is he happy?

Man: How would I know?

Waiter: Is he saved?

Man: *(Gets angry)* I've never asked. What's it to you?

Waiter: I thought you said your job was to minister to men. Seriously now! What do you really do for a living?

Light fades on the angry man, rising from the table.