

Unbullyvable

How a bully recognised the grace he'd been given

Scene 1

We're in a classroom where a teacher is given a lesson about John Newton

Teacher Mr Jefferson

John Newton... (I give some spiel about John Newton)

Jane

Mr Jefferson, as you know the trophy cabinet was broken this morning. We strongly suspect who did it so we need you to come and help us with some questions.

Teacher Mr Jefferson

Class, I'll be about 10 minutes. Please study your notes in the meantime and behave.

Sue

You know who they're suspecting don't you?

Rocco

Well do you blame them?

Sue

I don't but I can tell you it wasn't me.

Rocco

Well you've done lot's of that before.

Sue

Elaine.

Elaine

Yes Sue.

Sue

I feel so ashamed.

Elaine

Why. You said you didn't do it.

Sue

Not about that but how I was such a jerk with you before. After learning about John Newton and the undeserving help he received, the amazing grace, I realise that despite the idiot I was to you. You're the one that's helped me.

Elaine

Look Sue. I just realise that I'm happy when I'm helping people, not being nasty. After all, that's what John Newton discovered isn't it.

Rocco

(Laughs) that's a load of rubbish. You guys have all gone soft like that loopy John Newton.

Sue

Rocco I used to think just like you. But I realised I was the one being loopy. I realise that while I was

being nasty and despite me being nasty. People like Elaine were showing but kindness that I didn't deserve.

Rocco replies sarcastically.

Rocco

Yeah yeah. Well we all know that you broke the cabinet.

Teacher comes in just as Rocco says that.

Teacher Mr Jeffersoon

Uh, Sue could you come with me please.

Sue get's up feeling upset that she should be singled out. The teacher is just about to shut the door when Rocco says

Rocco

Sir. I don't think Sue deserves to be accused.

Teacher Mr Jeffersoon

Why is that Rocco?

Rocco

I don't think she did it.

Everyone looks surprised.

Teacher Mr Jeffersoon

So how did you reach that conclusion?

Everyone is looking at Rocco. Rocco has his head down. They're all waiting he sighs.

Rocco

Cause it was me. I broke the trophy cabinet.