

SPENNY Sides: Peter from Spider Man

- OR -

choose your own scene

PETER

Hey!

M.J.

(doesn't look up)  
Buzz off.

She walks right past him and continues on down the sidewalk.

PETER

No, wait!

He turns and follows, catches up to her.

PETER (CONT'D)

M.J., it's me.

She stops, turns and looks at him.

PETER (CONT'D)

Peter.  
(nothing)  
From high school.  
(still nothing)  
Mary Jane, I lived next door to  
you. For fourteen years.

Finally, she recognizes him. Uncomfortable, she pulls her raincoat around herself more tightly.

M.J.

Oh, hey, right, how are you?

PETER

Good, good, okay, I'm... I'm  
alright. What are you doing here?

M.J.

I live around the corner.

PETER

Wow, I'm right here!  
(MORE)

PETER (cont'd)  
(points to the building)  
I'm moving, though. This is  
hilarious, we can't get away from  
each other, huh?

M.J.  
Yeah. Hey, I gotta take a shower  
and get over to an audition, so,  
uh...

PETER  
An audition, that's great, so  
you're an actress now, you're a  
real actress!

M.J.  
Yeah, I'm working steady. It's  
great, you know, I've never been  
happier. It's like some kind of  
dream.

PETER  
Good for you. I'm going to college,  
Empire State. I could have stayed  
at home, but after... Well, a  
buncha stuff happened and money got  
pretty tight for my aunt, so I let  
her sublet my old room and I got a  
job here.

Remembering his story more fully now, she feels badly for  
him. She makes eye contact.

M.J.  
Peter, I'm so sorry. I heard about  
your uncle, when that happened. I'm  
sorry, man.

PETER  
You wanna, um... grab a coffee or  
something? With me? I mean?

Considering how hard his heart is beating, that came out as  
smoothly as could be expected.