The Sam & Jesse Radio Show

Week 12, Episode 4: Leon Sold You A Chance on A Wild Turkey?

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| 00:00 | Jesse | Leon sold you a chance on a wild turkey? |
| 00:02 |  | [music] |
| 00:10 | Narrator | [over music] It’s time now for another day in the life of Sam and Jesse. Gum Springs, Arkansas. |
| 00:24 |  | [music fades out, then repeats] |
| 00:35 | Jesse | Well, what’s in the paper today, Sam? |
| 00:37 | Sam | There’s a chairman of a big business here gettin’ nearly two-million dollars in benefits, and paper says that’s illegal. Jesse, what can we do about that? |
| 00:47 | Jesse | Well, well nothin’ I think, Sam. Th-them big business people, they got lots of connections and they can hire all the lawyers they need, ya’ know. [overlap] |
| 00:54 | Sam | [overlap] That ain’t what I was talkin’ about, Jesse. |
| 00:56 | Jesse | Wh-what was you talkin’ about, then? |
| 00:57 | Sam | H-how can we get in on that? All that money? Ya’ know, them benefits? |
| 01:01 | Jesse | Sam! I thought you wanted to see justice done, and what you really want is to get us in on all them illegal doings. |
| 01:08 | Sam | Now, Jesse, I’d rather make a lot of money legal like. Like we’re tryin’ to do, but-but you know I- |
| 01:12 | Jesse | Sam! Them people is stealin’ from the owners of the company. Now, we own this company. We’d have to steal from ourselves. |
| 01:21 | Sam | That wouldn’t be honest. |
| 01:22 | Jesse | Wouldn’t be possible. We ain’t hardly makin’ enough money to divide now. It ain’t good business to steal from a bad business. [truck starts to pull up and roar] [over truck] Us being Baptist and all.  [over truck, then truck stops] Well, looks like business is pickin’ up here.  Hey, can we help you s- Oh, it’s just you, Leon. |
| 01:37 | Leon | Nah, sir, Mr. Jesse. U-uncle Clyde was just givin’ me a ride. I-I come up here to cheer ya’ll up. Sam said yesterday business wasn’t too good. |
| 01:46 | Jesse | Well, now there’s at least two ways you can cheer me up, Leon. You get your Uncle Clyde here to buy some gas or get him to give you a ride down to some other station. |
| 01:54 | Leon | Well, I thought of a third way, Mr. Jesse. I-I’m gone sell you a chance on a turkey. |
| 01:59 | Jesse | Sell me a chance on a turkey?! Leon, what’s that for, now? |
| 02:03 | Leon | Well, that-that-that church I preached at last Sunday. They tryin’ to build a roof over [?]. You know, in case it rains? [music starts and immediately stops] |
| 02:10 | Jesse | Well, well how big is this here turkey, Leon? |
| 02:13 | Leon | Well, we don’t know yet, Mr. Jesse. It ai- it ain’t even time to hunt for-[music overlaps] |
| 02:16 |  | [music] |
| 02:24 |  | [music fades out, then repeats] |
| 02:34 | Jesse | Oh, me! Wild turkeys and church members who won’t pay for what they need. I don’t know why I bought a chance on that turkey that ain’t even been caught yet. |
| 02:43 | Sam | Maybe we can help him catch it, Jesse. Where is it? |
| 02:46 | Jesse | Well, it’s – well, it’s, well I – Well I don’t know. It’s out in the woods somewhere, Sam. |
| 02:50 | Sam | Leon sold you a chance on a turkey that’s out in the woods? |
| 02:54 | Jesse | Well, yeah, but—but you know he had a real good reason. [music overlap] |
| 02:57 | Sam | [music overlap] Yeah, I-I bet he did. He needed a dollar I expect. |
| 02:57 |  | [music] |