

HUNGRY
A 90-second monologue
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Drama/Comedy

ROSEMARY (any age) tells her porn-addicted husband why she's leaving

You say cookbooks are women's porn? Cookbooks!

When I'm slapping a sausage on the grill, I'm not thinking of you or any other man, believe me!

You say rom cons are women's porn!

When Harry Met Sally he wasn't sitting at the computer jerking off all day.

Cook books and rom cons don't degrade you – don't objectify you.

You wanna know what women's porn is? You want to know what really turns us on?

It's being taken seriously. Being heard. That's the ultimate turn on.

It's not just your porn addiction that's ending our marriage.

I'm not leaving you just because you get off by watching other women – and men. Or because it's turned you into someone I don't recognise.

I'm leaving you because you don't get off by watching ME – truly looking, seeing, listening and sharing.

You don't want what I'm hungry for.

The lawyer said it should be straightforward.

A 50-50 split – the house, super – everything.

Everything except the cook books.

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