

# PEACHY

## A one-minute monologue

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### *Comedy*

*IMELDA, 40s-60s, tells her husband why she's not leaving.*

You think I'm staying because I love you?

I'm staying because I love our life together...our family, our home, the history we've made together, and the fact that we're finally free of financial struggle. Finally!

You think I'm gonna throw that away just because you're fucking some poor little bitch that thinks the sun shines out of your saggy arse?

I'm staying because our life together is worth more than that.

So what if we don't have sex anymore? I'm as dry as an autumn leaf.

What do I care if you wanna go pick yourself a peach?

I'd rather read a book.

I'd rather stay and enjoy the fruits of our labours.

I own half those fruits, remember?

Oh, no! You'll have to do more than that to get me out of here!

*134 words*

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