

A script from



"The Dream Machine"

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- What** If there was a machine that could give you anything you wanted, what would you ask for? **Themes:** Idols, Greed, Laziness, Want, Need, God, Diligence, Wisdom
- Who** John
Mary
- When** Present
- Wear (Props)** Machine- The Make-o-mater can be something you make out of a box covered in tin foil. It needs to have an opening and possibly someone hiding behind it to hand off the things that John and Mary take from it.
Bill- million dollar, can be made from paper
Salad
Duct Tape
Paper bag and marker
Picture of a dog
Coloring Book
Picture of John and Mary
- Why** Proverbs 12:14; Proverbs 14:23; Matthew 6:31-32; John 15:5
- How** Be sure to practice with the machine. You can also add sound effects for when the machine outputs the objects.
- Time** Approximately 3-5 minutes

A machine is alone in the scene. John and Mary enter, talking.

John: *(Sees machine)* Whoa! Check it out! It's one of those machine things!

Mary: What machine thing?

John: You haven't seen one of these? They are TV all the time *(sings like imitating a TV jingle)* "Its the Make-o-mater! Don't be hater! You got to have a Make-o-mater!"

Mary: *(Covering ears)* How do I make you stop singing?

John: I can't believe you haven't heard about this. It's going to change our lives!

Mary: Okay. What does it do?

John: Well, you tell it what you want, and it makes it for you. But the best part is that you can also tell it what you DON'T want and it will adjust what it makes for you.

Mary: That sounds a little too good to be true. My mom always said not to trust any machine you can't throw out a window.

John: Here, I'll prove it to you *(presses button)*. Okay, Make-o-mater. Make me a million dollars!

Machine makes noises, makes a dollar bill.

Mary: *(Takes bill from machine)* Hey! You're right! It's a million dollar bill with your face on it! It made you a million dollars! Cool! I want to try. Make-o-mater, I want a the nicest, most delicious cheeseburger in the world, but I don't want it to give me any carbs, calories, or anything unhealthy.

Machine makes noise, makes a salad.

John: Hahaha! Look! It made you a salad. It's got tomatoes, onions and lettuce with a little bit of ketchup.

Mary: I asked for a burger! I didn't want a salad! This things broken! I want my money back!

John: Yeah but look. It's perfect cuz there's no carbs and hardly any calories! It's exactly what you asked for.

Mary: Okay. Make-o-mater. Can you make John a better singer?

Machine makes noises, makes a roll of duct tape.

Mary: *(Laughs)* Look, John! Your machine made some tape for your mouth! It's the only way you'll be a better singer! I think I like this thing. Let's try again. Make-o-mater, how about you make John more handsome?

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ENDING:

Mary: Why don't we just have the machine make one?

John: Yeah! Good idea! *(Pops knuckles)* Okay, Make-o-mater. We want a god. But we want him to be nice.

Mary: That means he can't punish us too much.

John: Yeah. We want a god who will let us do what we want. We want him to be cool.

Mary: That means he has to change with the times. He can't be stuck on one thing or one way of doing things.

John: And he has to be powerful. We want him to help us when we need it.

Mary: Yeah, he should not let anything bad happen to us.

John: We want a god who lets us live happy lives and fixes all our problems. But most importantly, he will make us happy and content and do everything we ask. Make that!

Machine makes some noises. It takes longer to make it this time. It takes pictures of John and Mary.

Mary: John! It made us!

Lights out. The end.