

MICK AND JESSE  
Episode 3: Goody Goody Gump Drops

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Jesse and Mick have ice creams. They lick away gleefully. Jesse is quite camp with the way he eats. Mick considers this.

MICK

Taste is a funny thing. Some people like chocolate. Others like goody goody gumdrops. It's all good. You know?

(beat)

I mean, you don't really *choose* the kind of ice cream you like though right? You just...like it.

JESSE

Ice cream's Ice cream's Ice cream really. I mean, there's no *law* against what ice cream you have to eat.

MICK

And that's a beautiful thing. It's 2018. You just... have whatever you want.

JESSE

Are you saying you're looking at choosing another ice cream flavour?

MICK

I'm curious.

Jesse is impressed. Mich shrugs.

MICK (cont'd)

When did you first know you... liked goody goody gumdrops?

JESSE

Oh man, ever since I was a kid. Yeah, there was no doubt. All the other boys wanted chocolate or cookies n cream, but no. Not me, not little Jesse. I wanted goody goody gumdrops. I remember there was another boy in our year who also liked goody goody gumdrops. Yoshi Tokumaru. He loved goody goody gumdrops. So naturally, we became quite close. Really close. Spent a lot of time just sharing ice cream. Two little goody goody gumdrops lovers having a good time. Having fun. I screamed,

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JESSE (cont'd)  
Yoshi screamed, we all screamed  
for Ice cream... ed. Yoshi moved  
away in the summer of '02 and I  
never saw him again. You know to  
this day, whenever I lick a goody  
goody gumdrops ice cream, I think  
of Yoshi Tokumaru.

Jess remembers fondly. Mick is genuinely moved by his  
fiend's story.

JESSE (cont'd)  
Crazy thing is, recently I found  
out he was gay too.

MICK  
(genuinely surprised)  
Oh no way?

End.