

The Plane by David Walke

Characters: Dolly, Sid, Steward/ess, Captain.

- Dolly** Come on Sid. Hurry up or we're going to miss the plane.
- Sid** Oh shut up Dolly! This case is heavy! What have you got in it?
- Dolly** Just a few things to keep me cool in the sun.
- Sid** Don't tell me, you're taking the freezer.
- Dolly** No, just some nice summer dresses.
- Sid** It feels more like a freezer to me!
- Stewardess** Jet-set Holidays calling. Passengers for plane 202 to Costa Lotta come to desk 13.
- Dolly** Listen Sid, that's our plane. Where's desk 13?
- Sid** How do I know? It must be next to desk 12!
- Dolly** Excuse me, can you tell me where desk 13 is?
- Captain** Yes madam, it's over there, next to desk 12.
- Sid** I told you so.
- Stewardess** This plane will leave at ten o'clock.....
- Dolly** Come on Sid, over here.
- Stewardess** Or maybe eleven o'clock.....
- Sid** I'm coming, I'm coming.
- Stewardess** ...or, if we get a good wind, even nine o'clock.
- Dolly** Hello, is this desk 13?
- Stewardess** Yes, madam.

Dolly We've got seats booked on the plane for Costa Lotta.

Stewardess Yes madam, they're over there.

Dolly What do you mean?

Stewardess If you've booked a seat, get one from that pile over there.

Dolly You mean from that pile of deckchairs?

Stewardess Yes madam. Get your chair and take it out to the plane with you.

Dolly Do you mean that this plane has got no seats?

Stewardess How silly madam. Yes, of course the plane has got seats. It's just that they're in a big pile over there.

Sid That's not much good, all the way to Costa Lotta in a plane with deck chairs.

Stewardess Well, what do you expect for £45?

Captain Now then, now then, what's all the fuss about?

Stewardess It's ok sir, I'm just telling them about the seats.

Captain Ah yes, I think you'll find that the seats with blue and green spots are the best.

Sid And who are you?

Captain I'm the captain. I'm flying you to Costa Lotta. Well, I must go and check the plane. Goodbye.

Sid He said he's the captain. Is that right?

Stewardess Yes sir, Captain Trash.

Dolly He looks a bit funny. There's something about him that's not quite right.

Sid Yes, I think it's the big boots, the sheepskin coat and the goggles.