

Scene: 6

INT. CAR IN THE PARKING LOT OF A STORE - 2018

Ethan is in the car with his then girlfriend, Bianca.

ETHAN
You want to open packs with me?
Last one.

BIANCA
Yeah!...

She takes the pack

BIANCA (CONT'D)
What do I do?

ETHAN
Just open the pack gently
(beat)
Wait, bless the pack.

BIANCA
What?

ETHAN
Give it a rub and speak to it.
(beat)
Tell it you want an Ohtani.

BIANCA
I want an Ohtani?

ETHAN
Say it like you want it to happen.

BIANCA
Ok... I want an Ohtani!

Rihanna opens the pack of cards and goes through the cards one by one saying the names of each player, some names pronounced wrong.

BIANCA (CONT'D)
Madison Bumgarner...

ETHAN

MadBum! The most clutch postseason pitcher of the last decade.

BIANCA

(Continues)

Michael Brantley, Jiman Choi, Jeff Mathis...

ETHAN

Oh, Jeff Mathis is cool. Crazy because he's a terrible hitter but he knows how to frame up pitches to fool the umpires into thinking balls are strikes. This valued him so much that teams didn't care if he couldn't hit.

BIANCA

Interesting, seems like a good player. Must be valuable?

ETHAN

No, but he's just a unique baseball player.

BIANCA

Oh,
(continues)
Mookie Betts, Jarrod Salta..lamacchia,

until the middle of the pack. It's an Ohtani Rookie Black numbered rookie.

ETHAN

No way!

Girlfriend Smiles.

BIANCA

I got him! Is this a good one?

ETHAN

Hell yeah!

Ethan gets the card and puts it in a penny sleeve and top loader. He's looking at the card.

ETHAN (CONT'D)

No way..... It's numbered. I can't believe we just pulled this.

(beat)

Looks gradable

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