



"I'VE GOT SO MANY UGLY BLOKES I'VE GONE OUT WITH. I LOVE 'EM"

**Do you call the paper and say, "Look, guys..."**  
Oh, they just laugh at me. They say, "Yeah, whatever."

**What's the American press like?**

Fantastic. They're just truthful. I don't mind if somebody says, "Caprice is a wanker, she's a bitch." It's their opinion – that's fine!

**"Caprice is a wanker"?**

Yeah – it's OK, I've been called worse. But when they start making up really mean, horrible stories, then I get a bit upset.

**Do you get weird fan mail?**

I get the nicest letters. Whenever I feel like I'm total chopped liver, I just read my fan mail. I've had a few weirdos – I had a stalker, [and] I had one woman [who] knew I was going to do a PA [public appearance] – she said she was going to throw gasoline on me and light me on fire.

**Nice. What country's got the weirdest fans?**

The Germans are a bit strange. I have more girl fans in Germany than guy fans.

**Have you got a strong lesbian following?**

Yeah. They're great – they stay loyal forever.

**Would you rather kiss an ugly bloke or a good-looking woman?**

An ugly bloke. Are you kidding me? I've got so many ugly blokes I've gone out with. I love 'em.

**Really?**

As long as they can make me laugh, they're in.

**Do you know how many women I've laughed into bed? None.**

[Laughs]

**There must be something else to it.**

I don't know. Maybe tell them you have nine inches. No – I'm just joking!

**So if a bloke came up and said, "Look, I've got nine inches and I'm fairly funny," you'd be happy with that?**

Ten inches, maybe.

**God.**

OK, that's scary. I'd run a mile.

**What sort of guys do you really go for?**

There's no type. It's just a connection. They tend to be quite clever and funny. And confident.

**They'd have to be, I think.**

I can be a handful sometimes, yeah.

**Do you find that you're single more than you should be, because of who you are?**

Definitely.

**You can't really join a dating agency, can you?**

[Laughs] I've thought about it.

**Imagine getting matched up with Caprice...**

I do find myself single quite a lot. But I have so many great guy friends...

**You're not suspicious they just want to sleep with you?**

Well, I make it quite clear in the beginning.

**Right. "No sex unless you've got nine inches."**

[Laughs] And if they've got 10 I run a mile.

**What's the difference between going out with someone famous and someone who's not?**

I prefer people who are not famous – they don't get so caught up. I try so hard to keep my private life private. If you make it public it really puts a strain on the relationship.

**Why do people kiss and tell?**

They want publicity. Period. That's obviously the only way they can do it. If I do a job like *Rent*, of course I'm going to do publicity for it. But I am not going to sell stories on people I've dated. No way. It's got to the point that even if I am dating someone, I'll deny it.

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