GOING VIRAL

Karen
Chad

Setting: A suburban living room. Chad and Karen are watching TV. POTUS comes on and they pause their DVR.

KAREN: What is it now?
CHAD: More about the Corona Virus. He's appointed Pence to be in charge of our response.
KAREN: Wow. They really are trying to kill us.
CHAD: Seems that way.
KAREN: Should we worry?
CHAD: No… the flu is actually far more lethal. A lot of this is circumstance. A lot more is hype.
KAREN: And close quarters in China… still I worry. I mean, my hands are getting dry and scaly from washing them so frequently.
CHAD: I know. I know.
KAREN: And even the expensive hand lotion doesn't help.
CHAD: Maybe try moisturizing wipes.
KAREN: Wipes? Like Baby wipes?
CHAD: No, like handy wipes. Like that show from years back… Priest or Nun or whatever.
KAREN: Monk.
CHAD: Right, Monk.
(Karen picks up her phone and works with it for a while. Chad changes the channel to a generic action film.)

KAREN: I don't believe it.
KAREN: No! All the handy wipes and wet ones and Clorox wipes are out of stock on Amazon.
CHAD: Try Lysol.
KAREN: I did. Out of stock.

(Chad gives her a look.)

KAREN: Even the hand sanitizer is out of stock.
CHAD: My god, you're right…. They really are trying to kill us all. ' 
KAREN: (smug) Told you so.

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