# Notes: Undertakers – Episode 2 – The Old Switcheroo

## Story Arcs

- Billy
  - o Wake & tilted coffin of Mrs Crenshaw. Need to remove window to get out
  - o Irate Ian Crenshaw threatens to sue Bashams
  - o Further aggravated by feud with florists > rude flowers sent
- Mike
  - Wake & tilted coffin
  - Mrs Hunt flirting
  - o Into older women currently
  - o Meet Granpa Bobby (dirty old man)
- Mrs Basham
  - o Sales man tries to sell her crap > urn bags/boxes etc. Thrown out
  - o Fight with florist. Begins feud
  - o Gags with Tiger (if required)
- Winnie
  - o Steals Billy's phone. Selling stolen goods on eBay
  - o Sets up Ian Crenshaw as fall guy by using his driving license. Police arrest
- Ricky
  - o Tiger (dog) and half-eaten corpse
  - o Home life Chris and Claire fighting
  - o Coffin mix-up x3
- Jimmy
  - o Brings Tiger to work
  - o Teaches Tiger to fetch > leads to mix-up of coffin plates & tramp/hand

### **Pre-Title**

- Mansion of Mr Hunt. Ricky and Jimmy collect body
- Met by Const. Drake and Woods. Mrs Hunt on holiday
- Tiger the dog greets them. Jimmy likes him. Tiger licks their faces
- Hunt's half-eaten corpse in bedroom. Tiger ate him
- Jimmy wants to keep Tiger

#### Act 1

- Crenshaws'
  - o Billy and Mike bring Molly Crenshaw's coffin into her home for the Wake
  - Have to tilt coffin into study
  - o Husband Ian Crenshaw catches them > coffin falls, walls scrapes, carpet ridge
- Bashams'
  - o A travelling salesman tries to sell crap to Mrs Basham > gets chucked out
  - o Phone call to florists. Argument
  - Rear Jimmy playing fetch with Tiger near bins. Tramp throws ball. Tiger returns with human hand. Tramp legs it (fake hand)
- Crenshaws<sup>3</sup>
  - o Billy, Mike and Ricky arrive after the Wake to remove the coffin
  - o Crenshaw wants it out another way
  - o They remove window. Coffin slides out to pin Mike down in back garden

#### Act 2

- Nelsons'
  - o Ricky & Chris and Claire fight over Claire's tablet
  - Chris wants a smartphone
- Lavertys'
  - o Mike and Grandpa Bobby discuss mature women over fish and chips
  - o Bobby leaves with Page 3 cut out from chip wrapper
- Nelsons'
  - o Chris sneaks into Claire's room and hacks into tablet. Uses eBay
- Bashams'
  - Winnie and Billy in office (morning of funerals). Billy receives call from Crenshaw > will sue
  - o Billy goes to find Jimmy re. nameplates
  - o Winnie steals phone and puts it eBay as part of her stolen goods page
- Body Prep Room
  - o Jimmy throwing ball for Tiger
  - o Billy wants nameplates attached to coffins John Hunt & Molly Crenshaw
- Florists
  - o Mrs Basham goes to collect flowers. Another row
- Bashams'
  - o Jimmy messes up coffin nameplates (Tiger barks to confirm)
  - o Crenshaw visits office. Only Winnie there
  - o Threatens to sue. Winnie takes his ID and calms him
  - o Updates her eBay profile with Crenshaw's details

### Act 3/End Gag

- St Mary's Church
  - Ricky and Jimmy arrive. Fr. Lowry says x3 funerals today coffins in side porch
  - Fr Lowry wearing wrong clothes. Jimmy brings out wrong coffin
- Limo
  - o Mike picks up Mrs Hunt (60s) and friend for funeral. Fancies her
  - o Inappropriate flirting. Almost ploughs into bus
- St Mary's Church
  - End of service. Fr. Lowry sprinkles holy water over coffin. Notices wrong coffin. Tells Ricky secretly
  - Fr. Lowry asks congregation to leave first as sign of respect. Mrs Hunt hurls herself on coffin trying to open it. Mike sweeps her up and kisses her. She swoons at his kiss
  - o Ricky switches coffins when mourners gone. Dark in side porch
  - Outside Fr. Lowry furious > wrong coffin again
- Hearse
  - o Jimmy phones office. Winnie answers. Says Billy not there
  - o Ricky leaves message for Billy to pick up other coffin and bring to cemetery
- Bashams'
  - Winnie relays message to Billy who leaves
  - Winnie checks her eBay listings
- Limo
  - o Ricky takes mourners on a long trip to buy time for Billy
- St Mary's Church
  - o Billy picks up coffin. Not sure which one. Eenie, meanie, mynie, mo.
- Cemetery
  - Switch hearses before mourners arrive

- o Jimmy puts flowers on coffin. Florist has sabotaged name from Hunt to C\*nt
- Graveside
  - o Mrs Hunt wants coffin opened. Wrong person Molly Crenshaw

## **Finale**

- Chris opens parcel from eBay seller Its-A-Steal. Billy's smartphone. Ricky enters and takes it off him
- Two detectives visit Ian Crenshaw to question him about selling stolen goods on eBay. The study window falls to smash in the back garden with the thud of the door

## **Post Credits**

• Mike brings Tiger back to Mrs Hunt. Tiger licks Mike's face.