

make this a text msg convo

> Happy Birthday Stu! The big 4-5!! How are you feeling?  
> Not so good. My marriage is falling apart, my little Janie just left for college, and I'm out of a job.  
> oof. Sorry to hear that buddy. Well, you take care of yourself, OK? Let's talk soon.  
\*click\*

\*you see an ad in the local paper for a battle of the bands at the rec center\*

\*aha bubble appears\*

This is it. [BAND NAME] always had potential. It's a shame you guys broke up. But the universe has granted you a second chance. Time to call up the boys.

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Carl

we can't live without your guitar solos carl

carl is a successful businessman living in london. it's a long trip to get back to jersey, and he's got meetings all week.

give an impassioned speech about how he'll never need to work again if they win this contest

tell him you have a special gift for him

and

Jimmy

need those dreamy beats baby

jimmy is struggling. he can't afford the flight from florida. last minute prices are surging.

offer to pay

give an impassioned speech. "you're gonna need to get used to long drives for when we go on tour. just make the drive."

and

Rob V

we're gonna need those creamy vocals

rob v is now a surf instructor in hawaii. he's very content, and doesn't want to shake things up.

threaten rob with bad yelp reviews on his surf school

remind him of all the good times.

they made it to town. it's sunday, and tomorrow's the big day.

practice room  
or  
man cave

grab some brews and watch the big game. we don't need practice! it's like riding a bike!

great time boys. the chemistry is back, and best of all, we won. see u tomorrow.

we better pepare boys, we can record the game and watch it tomorrow.

you're being a little overbearing. you just want all the glory. i'm done.

You all made it to the big day! You've got one song to show em what you've got. What'll it be?

Don't Stop Believin' by Journey

The Sound of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

The Boys are Back in Town by - Bon Jovi

Play your high school hit "Strut your stuff"

wow! a song about perseverance. how fitting! your wife is in the audience, with a look of love in her eyes you haven't seen in years. You hit the final note and toss your bass into the audience. your wife runs on stage and u kiss...

oof. dark.

real original, guys

It just doesnt have the same spark anymore.

scroll text like the credits after a "based on a true story".  
"stu and his wife ..."

