

REMY MEETS LYNN MARIE

Lynn Marie Wyble was undoubtedly the prettiest young woman in South Louisiana and also more than a handful for the boys who had tried to tame her.

She is 8 years younger than Remy and at the time could out-drink, out-cuss and out-fight most young men in Southwest Louisiana. You see, she was a lot like her ole' man in his younger days and also a lot like my favorite cousin. Lynn Marie without a doubt was a real pisser, back then.

As a child, Lynn Marie was pretty enough to be Little Queen Marigold of the children's Yambilee. In high school and in college she was homecoming queen and also queen of the Yambilee in her senior year of high school. To be Queen of the Yambilee she beat out 40 other high school beauties from St. Landry Parish. And St. Landry Parish has some real good lookin' girls. The problem with them is they never put-out for the local boys. It was always the college guys from Baton Rouge or Lafayette who were lucky. I guess that is why most of Remy and my friends have wives from outside of the parish.

This Cajun beauty is just about five inches taller than Remy's, not skinny and frail, but solid. "Built like a brick shithouse," is how Remy described her to me over the phone soon after he met Lynn Marie. She has the prettiest jet-black hair and the biggest brown eyes of any woman I have ever met, except my wife of course. Just by smiling and rolling those eyes at most men she could get whatever she wanted from them, including my favorite cousin.

Remy thought of Lynn Marie as his own Amazon beauty. it all goes back to an old Abbot and Costello movie he saw as a kid, "The 30-Foot-Tall Bride of Candy Rock." It's a comedy about a goofy inventor who fell in love with a beautiful girl and anyway she drank something he made in his lab by accident and grew to 30 feet tall. That was it for Remy. From that day on he was smitten by tall women. Oh yeah, as you know of course the movie had a happy ending. The goofy guy gets the girl and she returns to her normal height.

Remy thought about the proposal from Aldouse and reluctantly came a calling on Lynn Marie. He figured Lynn Marie would laugh at him, and he would be dismissed. Then he could get back to farming.

Well, Remy was wrong.

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The most pivotal event in Remy's life. This wild young Cajun beauty was more than a handful. Undoubtedly Lynn Marie was the most beautiful woman in South Louisiana. Remy could not understand what she saw in him. Things get serious real fast and Remy reaches out to Gary for advice.