

INFLUENCE PEDDLING

“You see the health advantages in eating the veggie plate.”
 “I want to the chicken.”
 You pick at the chicken with your fingers.
 “How do the laws work?”
 “What are you talking about?”
 “I was living in my car.”
 “Are you afraid of being deported?”
 “What does that mean?”
 “Take no prisoner.”
 “That was the only thing that mattered in his life.”
 “You are told that these are the advantages.”
 “I think that chicken is the advantage.”
 “You better consider other options.”
 “I do not want to think about food.”
 “We seldom think about food.”
 “There are a lot of great places to eat.”
 “You can raise your own cows.”
 “What is this about?”
 “How do they graze?”
 “This is going to get very interesting.”
 “You take advantage of what you have.”
 “The best left.”
 “There is this place where they decide who they are.”
 “I am thinking about leaving Atlanta.”
 “Where are you going?”
 “I am going West.”
 “She knows too.”
 “Why don’t you stay?”
 “This is beyond me.”
 “Soon, there will be no alternative.”
 “Do not leave the house.”
 “Who is guarding the place?”
 “Halima was going to come on by.”
 “I took a plane.”
 “Do not revive!”
 “Do not eat in public!”
 “Every day is a new beginning.”
 “Nothing is going to change with this guy.”
 “He was planning to hire me for his company.”
 “What would you do?”
 “All this company shit.”

“This is going to get good.”
 “Fill in all the blanks.”
 “Take your cut.”
 “You need to get in on the act.”
 “There is only one way to make this happen.”
 “It will cost a little more, but it will be worth it.”
 “Are you going to write a whole book on eating?”
 “I am exploring the roots of human choices.”
 “Adam’s rib.”
 “I will take one.”
 “Take two.”
 “One from each side.”
 “This is good.”
 “How do you like your ribs.”
 “Very spicy!”
 “This gets interesting.”
 “Drink a great deal of water.”
 “We are in the middle of a drought.”
 “You grew up in the desert.”
 “It was another desert.”
 “You were thrown out of the garden.”
 “What did you get as a payment?”
 “Olive branches.”
 “What is the political payment?”
 “I could cross the border without interference.”
 “Everything has a price.”
 “The price equaliazation will come.”
 “I was waiting for you to save me.”
 “I gave you what you needed.”
 “Milk and honey.”
 “There are healing properties.”
 “You realize the healing properties of the darkness, and you want to keep it going late
 into the night.”
 “Who are you working with?”
 “I cannot believe how this works.”
 “These foods have healing properties?”
 “What are you about?”
 “You make a choice based on your needs.”
 “I feel fortified after a great meal.”
 “Go ahead!”
 “This is already beyond me. You have a history. And it keep repeating over and over
 again.”
 “I am responding to an invitation.”

“You are too late.”
“I am doing the most important thing available to me.”
“You need to show more of yourself.”
“I prefer to hide.”
“Where are you headed?”
“I can give you time.”
“We all need to get out of here.”
“You just want to forget about work.”
“How long will this job continue for?”
“Who else is helping?”
“After a while, there will be different participants.”
“What are you selling?”
“We could be selling grain. But we end up selling selling.”
“How can you develop better methods of selling?”
“Better methods of harvesting.”
“This is not random.”
“I am in the business of selling.”
“I am selling myself to the highest bidder.”
“I need to push that button.”
“They are all escaping at once.”
“This is more than a little brilliant.”
“Do you understand what is necessary?”
“One day, i fill up the car, amd I leave.”
“You are very cautious.”
“We cannot wait any longer to get going.”
“Set up this shot.”
“Smile.”
“I know wha you want.”
“I am so over this.”
“We only need a few characters.”
“What do they do?”
“What kind of life do you have?”
“I guess that I am on my own.”
“How does that work?”
“What are you going to eat?”
“Something grilled.”
“Grilled squash.”
“Here, is where it gets good.”
“Lies abound.”
“This is good for you.”
“I don’t call this dinner.”
“This all heals.”
“It heals from the inside.”

“You have to know why.”
“Or you don’t.”
“I assumed that you understood something important.”
“Order the meal, and get out of here.”
“Where are you headed?”
“I need the key.”
“You know where to leave me.”
“Let me join you.”
“Where is this going?”
“This is a better way to live.”
“What is need?”
“The sauce.”
“When were you last doing this?”
“Who is the friend?”
“Are we ever going to get out of here?”
“I am only one state away.”
“The raw state of madness.”
“This is rare.”
“I need a visitor.”
“There is no one available.”
“This is your moment.”
“You are trying to get out of here.”
“He is going to take everything that I own.”
“You got caught with your pants down.”
“I am trying to stay on the road.”
“Fill it up.”
“Where am I supposed to with this?”
“This is all that is here.”
“What kind of performance is that?”
“I am conscious.”
“I am so fucked.”
“This gets really twisted.”
“How is that?”
“He is the boss.”
“I am my own boss.”
“I could use some help.”
“That looks so terrible.”
“Do not look.”
“This is going to be funny.”
“You have to eat the chicken if you want to get out of here.”
“Is that some kind of ritual?”
“It does seem to be going that way?”
“What do the two of you do?”

“There is going to be a performance.”
 “This is going to be a strange sacrificing ritual.”
 “You want one other thing.”
 “There is a place where this will work out.”
 “We need to get you a plane ticket.”
 “They are all filling in answers.”
 “He is too good at getting what he wants. He will never leave here.”
 “Halima, what can you offer.”
 “This wonderful cake.”
 “The land of milk and honey.”
 “You are sweet.”
 “You are easily served.”
 “I already know what this is about.”
 “I have been filled up.”
 “This is fantastic.”
 “I do not care.”
 “I am still in another place beyond belief.”
 “What goes on there?”
 “I want to tell you what I thought.”
 “I left the airport.”
 “You got everything that you wanted.”
 “A lifetime of lives have already cleared out.”
 “Is that all that you were after?”
 “I can keep up.”
 “It has been a long day.”
 “There are more variations.”
 “Where are you coming from?”
 “None of you are from the earth.”
 “This is not a story that originates in the earth.”
 “There is a machine that makes all this work.”
 “Who is helping?”
 “The cook.”
 “How does that work?”
 “This is not about eating.”
 “It is about growing.”
 “There are people who figure out these things. How can you increase loads?”
 “You need to rebuild the mineral content. This is not all about marketing. You can make short term profits by increasing yields. But it is going to exhaust the land.”
 “That is awful.”
 “I need a better look.”
 “There are only so many variations.”
 “Say yes.”
 “Where will that take you?”

“I am almost there.”
“Just take it.”
“I gave it away.”
“Why do you think that you can get it back?”
“I did some crazy things to get to this point.”
“I see what you are offering. What are you hiding.”
“The miracle crop.”
“The land is rich.”
“This will only last for a while.”
“You have been influenced.”
“You will not find independence.”
“How will that change things?”
“Suffering.”
“The end of hunger.”
“That will not serve some political interests.”
“Explain that for me.”
“There is a need for some kinds of miracles.”
“And you are back where you have been.”
“You will not go any further than that.”
“You have a marketing plan for a product that sells itself.”
“You cannot sell starvation.”
“But they have.”
“You believe in the impossible.”
“This is not about you.”
“This does not interest me.”
“A lot of people like this.”
“Turn this off.”
“I am trying to listen to the broadcast.”
“I see a field full of grain.”
“What kind of grain is this?”
“This is a miracle grain.”
“How does that work?”
“This is how you feed a continent.”
“These are people, who benefit through the misery of others.”
“How does that work?”
“I do not want to hear about your personal reports.”
“This is going to get weird.”
“I do not even know what I am looking at.”
“Amber fields of grain.”
“They are not here. This is the liberation of a whole continent.”
“Where do you stand?”
“I am making it happen.”
“What do you know?”

“I am an agronomist.”
“This is a serious problem.”
“You are going to work on it.”
“I work on the effects.”
“This makes me very tired.”
“Where are you going?”
“I am going to bake.”
“This is one way of seeing this.”
“Where does this end?”
“What do yo know?”
“There are two approaches.”
“Neither seems to work.”
“I need an adviser.”
“We head to endgame.”
“Revise.”
“What did you find out there?”
“This is more than I can deal with.”
“Tell me about it.”
“You have no idea what is going on in the world.”
“It is not simply about what you can deal.”
“Do I have to watch this?”
“This is what I have always wanted.”
“I work on this all the time.”
“You divide the field into different purposes.”
“What is this about?”
“This is about independence.”
“I am glad that you have an opinion.”
“I want to talk about natural methods of architecture.”
“They are way ahead.”
“Follow through.”
“Do you have the attention span.”
“There is a great deal of stuff coming from that kind of experimentation.”
“Do you need a nap?”
“I need a dirt nap.”
“The dirt is excellent for planting.”
“This is a real concern.”
“Do not go backwards, and you will succeed. You will not get fucked up.”
“That is all that I want.”
“The goddess of the harvest.”
“How does that work?”
“There are other planting rituals.”
“I can keep this going forever.”
“Why are you all the way over here?”

“Join in!”
“Keep talking.”
“What are they after?”
“Better farming habits.”
“I have not been thinking about it like that.”
“I get pushed along by the wind.”
“I need you to bring someone else in here.”
“Keep smiling.”
“This is going to be funny.”
“You are going to have to market this.”
“I want some lamb.”
“There is another way to view this.”
“There is only one thing that I understand.”
“Bad taste.”
“I could be meaner.”
“That is one of the stupidest things tht I ever heard.”
“You need to protect these fields.”
“Here, it comes.”
“You like this.”
“I found what I was looking for.”
“There is a contrast.”
“It is the dye.”
“That is a different way of seeing commerce.”
“Go for it.”
“That is the only thing that seems to matter.”
“How did you get could at this?”
“Listen to my voice.”
“What is this about?”
“You will never understand this.”
“What do you see on the outside?”
“I found what I want. I need to leave.”
“Do you have enough gas in the tank.”
“I wish that there was another way to move.”
“You could find people to help.”
“Does he have what he needs?”
“I have been living through you.”
“My friends are wonderful at this.”
“They are my friends.”
“They have the seeds.”
“How do you market the seeds?”
“They market themselves.”
“This is a race to the bottom.”
“But you have a strong foundation.”

“How long have you been working on this?”
“And I show up.”
“This is my weekend.”
“I do not even care about this anymore.”
“That is a real freak show.”
“How much do I have in the tank?”
“You are the tank?”
“Halima, how far will this take me?”
“You need to ask.”
“This could be my guess.”
“What happens there?”
“This is pure.”
“There are other thing going on.”
“The sauce.”
“You need vegetables.”
“How long can you remain in the game?”
“I need to understand some other factors.”
“I am an expert.”
“Are you prepared ror what comes next?”
“There are only so many variations.”
“He gets it.”
“This is all about agriculture.”
“I am following.”
“You need to make sure that you do not exhaust the fields.”
“This can really turn out terribly.”
“I cannot worry about this?”
“Do you have a full tank?”
“They take more energy to produce this fuel than it produces.”
“It all sounds nice.”
“These are miracles.”
“I need some miracles.”
“It is the miracle crop.”
“How does that work??”
“Look at the yields. Do you knwo what they need to do to get that kined of return.”
“Kill a goat.”
“That does not work.”
“I have heard that before.”
“Everyone disappeared.”
“There is not productivity.”
“I am gambling.”
“How does that go?”
“I keep one step ahead of the rest of the world.”
“That step is out of here.”

“Will that end soon?”
 “You decide to leave.”
 “What does it mean to practice this kind of crop rotation?”
 “I am doing to marketing.”
 “What did that do to the presentation?”
 “You do not realize how miracles are important for human development.”
 “Are you even watching?”
 “What did I do wrong?”
 “You figure out an answer.”
 “I am too late to figure that out.”
 “There is no answer here.”
 “What are you carrying around?”
 “The world is buying fresh water.”
 “You need to irrigate these fields.”
 “There is another way.”
 “I need to drive out of here.”
 “I get in an argument in a parking lot,”
 “I only need to quiet down.”
 “This is a balance of social forces.”
 “I did too.”
 “The field is muddy.”
 “That is good.”
 “Do you want me to tell you what is necessary?”
 “I was not waving at you.”
 “I am going to drive out of here.”
 “It is a straight shot.”
 “You have not figure out how to convince some one person.”
 “Tell Hamila.”
 “I only need one.”
 “Everyone goes back to what she needs.”
 “And the field gets flooded.”
 “This is going to work out well. There will be all this rich soil. We get the planting done, and there are these amazing yields.”
 “I am not following anyone back to the farm.”
 “Is this speculative?”
 “This is not about ideas. This is not about here.”
 “I know about these ideas.”
 “Halima, you have already been through these stages.”
 “Do not take my picture.”
 “You have no idea what this is about.”
 “Just send me some money.”
 “We just need some seed.”
 “I am going to seed.”

“What about the birds?”
“I read what you wrote.”
“The paper on agronomy.”
“Someone is waiting for me.”
“These things are all temporary. There is only one map.”
“Why would bother?”
“That is awful.”
“I am glad that you are so egalitarian.”
“This will be amazing.”
“There are various forms of fucking up.”
“We need to get the cash.”
“Shut the fuck up.”
“That is all that you need.”
“That is why this has been a succession of bull shit.”
“I would never get caught dead looking like that.”
“I wish that smile implied a better version of the world.”
“I only need one explanation.”
“I am getting out of here.”
“This is the miracle food.”
“When do you even think about this.”
“How can it work in negative ways?”
“When did you forget yourself?”
“This is an interesting connection.”
“There is a lot of internal pressure.”
“It is important to undersand how to safeguard this.
“What does he do?”
“You do not understand what is happening?”
“I will take whatever is available.”
“Do not believe that you are part of any of this.”
“I might consider the alternatives.”
“I know how to laugh at myself.”
“When did you arrive?”
“You can only pass so much bull shit around.”
“I feel pain.”
“I am pain.”
“We do not feel. We make sure that the harvest is sold.”
“This stuff sells itself.”
“Some people do not realize when to give up.”
“Halima needs to help.”
“You fill the trucks with this stuff.”
“You make flour.”
“The miracle crop.”
“There is an obstacle to further economic development.”

“Someone requires some PR to complete her life.”
 “There are companies that turned out terribly.”
 “There are tow possible solution.”
 “There are more alternatives.”
 “You are so lost in your bullshit.”
 “I do not want to hear the echo.”
 “I already told someone that he was way off course.”
 “You put all of your money on something silly.”
 “I am going with the miracle crop.”
 “Why is that not going to work here?”
 “What does work here?”
 “You are so good with the costume?”
 “There is only one way to see this.”
 “Bang it out.”
 “Halima, I need you to show up.”
 “You are not going to be able to use your likeness.”
 “We are only dealing with one kind of development. If you cannot feed the world, you are trying to turn them into bargaining chips.”
 “I can buy this out.”
 “This will never look pretty.”
 “All of this is out of order.”
 “Were you even listening?”
 “The world is a sports match.”
 “We are linking up with something greater.”
 “Halima, you need to explain that to me.”
 “I am doing my best.”
 “I need a fresh face.”
 “I need a fresh field.”
 “There is on possible explanation.”
 “Everyone has arrived before me.”
 “I am glad that I am not hearing all of this.”
 “How did you end up doing this?”
 “I was runnig for my life.”
 “Take the first step.”
 “You looked.”
 “This is all that I wanted to see.”
 “Take to the road. I will give you an itininary.”
 “Where is this headed?”
 “Time to resurrect.”
 “Who will want to know?”
 “People, who are totatly comfortable.”
 “They will ignore what is really going on in the world.”
 “What would mother say?”

“She would find pefection.”
“That is not possible.”
“None of this happens as it should.”
“We are going to find a winner.”
“I will give you money.”
“I will end here.”
“My car is loaded.”