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What is Up Daddy Gang It is your founding father Alex Cooper with Kim Peters Welcome to call her Daddy Ya Hi Thanks for having me I am so happy you came in your sparkle clogs Hell yeah you showed them out How did you pick your outfit today Um Just kind of I went off the clogs They really dictated everything else I don't know just kind of felt like witchy I've been in my witchy vibe You need to confirm for everyone though Are they comfortable Um Yeah they're comfortable Like I would say like poolside vibes pools it's a little heavier but you're not going to run in those No even though I probably could and should I just have to say I'm so happy for you You are everywhere right now In the best way your music your personality like everything you're doing is just fucking incredible Thank you so much You won a Grammy high Like no big fucking deal How did it feel to win a Grammy And how did you celebrate Um It felt insane It felt like something that just shouldn't happen to me honestly Uh You know I I'm such a like you know I've just been performing in gay clubs for so long and been like in that scene and like Sam really changed my life with that song and um I mean I went to Diplo party after so that was really really fun Diplo is fun I'm a big fan Um And yeah I just saw my friends and we were all just in disbelief just like oh my God this really just happened and I'm so grateful I got to shout out Sophie on stage and that I remembered that too Um because I could have just blacked out and I thank my mom and so it was just like such a big moment that I didn't think would happen ever since then It's just been like a lot less sleep Like it's definitely like post grammy It just kept going and kept getting more and more But I like it So it's cool You die so crazy to think about going on stage and accepting a Grammy and just being like I hope I can get my words out Like I hope I say one thing that like did you have a full speech planned or No I did but I like five minutes before our category was on I just like put it away and I was like just speak from this moment and from your heart And uh yeah because Sam really put me in spots Sam was like I'm going to have you accept the Grammy if we win it Uh just because I've done it and like blah blah blah I'm like please No don't do that to me I was like please But I'm so grateful now that I did it And like I'm such a shy and nervous person person in my life which you wouldn't think for my music because my music is kind of where I live out by craziest ideas and fantasies But I'm a pretty shy person And um so yeah that was wild And I remember like looking at J Lo's face and like Jay Z sitting there and

just being like I can't believe this That's so interesting I feel like now having sat down with people in the music industry like we were talking about Anita Anita is the best Shout out We love you an out But Anita also kind of talked to me about that of like she's actually really shy and then like she has this alter ego that she infuses into her music and it's just the way that she's able to like put her I guess side like personality that she wants to be into Anita the character which is kind of cool Do you feel like that's similar with you 1 million% I feel like that's always just been like my saving grace in life from my shyness It's just when I'm on stage it's like something clicks and I'm a completely different person And I just feel in line with everything I don't overthink myself I feel like confident because the one thing that I know how to do is perform and write songs like that's always been like everything else I'm horrible at and just like can't like I can't even cook like I can't do shit you know I can cook but I just want a fucking grammy bitch like it's ok it's ok I'll take that over being able to cook You also were recently on the cover of Sports Illustrated swimsuit growing up Did you ever picture yourself being on the cover of a magazine Um No I was in my school I remember being like such a freak to everyone because since I was a kid it was very public that I was trans and I was very open about it And so I was just kind of this like nerdy weird kid and no one thought I was like or sexy or anything like that And so um I I doubted being able to do that stuff and especially being in a swimsuit was like I I definitely had like a breakdown like the day before I'm like can I pose in a swimsuit and be that Because I just yeah I didn't think I could but then there's like amazing people and photographers and like the whole Sports Illustrated team who just like hip me up and we're just like you know making me feel so good about myself that it all just happened Like they really make me feel like I belong on the cover and it makes me want to cry because like I I'm such a person who just doesn't think of themselves as like you know all that When you say that when you were younger that you were like people never saw me as like sexy and cute When do you think you started to actually for yourself Did you always feel sexy and cute You were like fuck you guys like I'm sexy and cute or did it come at a certain point Um I mean it's still waiting No I mean I um honestly I think what gave me a lot of a lot of confidence and what built my confidence was becoming an artist and becoming a writer and going on stages and stuff like that And once I kind of found my like friends and gay people in general who celebrated me for who I am and that whole you know I think once I started going to gay clubs I was like I song here and I get the music I get the people I get what it's

all about So I think that's when I started to like myself and all of that But I think in general like it's never like my goal to be sexy or to be hot It's always like I want to bring a little bit of a weirdness to things because I've always felt like I was kind of just like on the outside of things and I find I I don't know I find more happiness and looking a little off and a little weirder than just looking hot I totally get what you're saying Sometimes I actually think it's way better to feel like you're a little outside because then you're also just going based off of your own parameters of like half the time We're just trying to be like other people That's so fucking boring Like I don't want to be like anyone else But I also think I appreciate you saying like I'm still working on it No one even you can look at him online like she's got it all together She's winning Grammys She's hanging out with celebrities It's like but we're all still working on ourselves in some capacity till the day it's over So it's like you have to you have to wait and you're from Germany right I'm from Germany Yeah Can you tell me in German how to say welcome to call her daddy Uh to uh oh German is the unsexy language of all time I feel like that's why I also like I've just always been like a little more uh the weird German immigrant you know in America because it's just not a sexy language I have a song on my Spooky Halloween album where I sing German and it comes in handy when you want to sound scary Most people are really scared Like when I yell at you in German you're scared Can you yell at me in German Like fuck off get your shit together Ask me better questions Yeah Alex This give my best little oh my God Alex give me best of right It's scary That is scary But Kim I do kind of feel like you made it kind of sexy Like I think you'd have a little you got you got something I want to learn how to say all that by the end of this OK So you talk about how you started your career in gay clubs all around the country Clearly that was such a huge part of your coming up and in this industry how did people in the clubs initially treat you And like how did they like you and your personality and your vibe and your music I think um they just really immediately kind of got it I mean I remember like my first few years like going back and forth from New York and just kind of being a club kid and having my first few songs out and just like performing on a bar stool or like a table you know and people were just like I get this and I understand this and just like since I'm a part of the community it's like it makes sense But they were the first like all the little Bushwick kids were the first ones to play my music and I'll never forget that because it was with a lot of like going into labels and stuff like that It was a lot of um we don't know what your demographic would be

and like is it you know you make gay club music and it was kind of in a bad way and not in a good way like to them because that wasn't going to make as much money Um And that's always really confusing to me because to me that's like the coolest thing when people play you in gay clubs that's literally all you could ask for like you want you want all the gays being like fuck Yes this is the oh wow Did that ever kind of affect you in your musical decisions Like did you ever find yourself being like should I go a little a bit more one way I think if anything it made me double down on it like it just like whenever someone says that something is like something that I'm passionate about and something that I love I go harder in that it is not it I go harder in that direction And I feel like that honestly gave me so much like will to prove that there's people who will come to my shows and uh that I can have a big song and all of all of that stuff Yeah and we can sell bitch we won a Grammy Totally We want a Grammy number one when you're saying you're in these clubs Do you remember any like early fun stories for us of like memories from performing in these clubs that have stuck with you of like just iconic moments for yourself and your career signing Dick Um It's one of them Yeah that's pretty out there That's totally like doing my fans poppers on stage hitting wheat pans from signing wheat pans Yeah I signed all kinds of body parts I hung out with the hottest porn stars Um Yeah like it was it was it's wild and I love it And I still like every now and then I just need it I just need to go to you know like a warehouse rave and go crazy and I do all that But but yeah those were like iconic moments I think also Manda Lepore being at my first gig Manda Lepore is this New York icon Um And yeah just so many iconic people that I've met through clubs that is so fucking cool to just be like that's also how your career started of like basically you're just having fun partying and you're singing and everyone loves your music and you're just like thriving But I wonder do you ever Yeah I was going to say do you miss that Because then you're like standing on stage and it's a little bit more formal There's some more choreographs I don't I do miss it a little bit I I miss mostly going to uh to clubs undetected I can go to straight clubs now undetected but I can't go to gay clubs anymore without taking a million photos And I I party you know I I feel like I really love to you know just party and not think about how I look and you know that that might be not you know I'm like sweaty and red and all the pictures and uh so so that's put a little bit of pressure on it Um But like I feel like I've figured out my disguises and stuff like that and yeah honestly like I need like a fake beard and like like short haircut crew neck maybe like red or maybe that's too

much attention maybe a black Sula huge mustache a de transition moment Just like I don't like this I am actually interested too growing up in Germany Like what is the difference between nightclubs in Germany versus nightclubs in America Oh I think it goes way later in Germany I think people are down to be there until the morning Uh which is fun especially if you like think about Berlin and like Bergheim and all of that stuff It's definitely and there's more techno there's weirder music in general It's just like a lot of electro music I would say house music is huge Do you prefer American clubs or German clubs They both have their you know pros and cons I think in general like now like American clubs because I need to actually be up the next day and do stuff Right I always when I was younger was like I was liking going out late but now as I get older I'm like why can't we start at five o'clock Start raging and go to bed by midnight and I can do the same shit We can drink the same Like we can do all the same shit I endorse the I endorse this idea like I love like starting early now and just like waking up the next day not completely fucked completely because in your next 48 hours you're just not a human being functioning in the world and I can't afford to do that with this career Totally You can't and me neither Like we have to do shit now Exactly Yeah So American clubs just because it's a little bit more responsible in terms of our timing If we're trying to have a good time let's go to Germany Definitely I think people in general just like go a little more crazy there Got it What is your favorite song of yours to hear Played in a club or my favorite song of mine to play in a club Uh Treat me like a slut Yeah I have this record called Slap Pop which is all just like my sluttiest self and just only saying the most ridiculous sex shit there is which was so freeing and fun to make And um honestly I feel like all my coolest fans like that's their favorite Um So yeah treat me like a slot I I love that answer so much And we're going to talk about slap pop in a little It's truly iconic and it's call her daddy Something very cool about your career is the fact that you are self made You have been doing this since you were super young You were teaching yourself how to write and how to produce in your bedroom Where do you think that drive came from honestly from being excluded from social life And I feel like no one really got me you know in my small town in Germany because I'm not I'm not technically from cologne even which is already kind of a small city I was like two hours outside like countryside cows grass Um And I just um I loved music That was kind of the one thing that I would always do like always listen to music on repeat and pop music in particular And I would just harmonize and make my own little concepts and things like that So I

think it's just something that comes natural to me Um But then I would just like sit down in my room and just really every single day because I didn't like school I wasn't very good in school I wasn't horrible in school But I was like ok in school and I was just like I'm going to be the next biggest hit songwriter and that's a skill I can work on every single day And uh yeah and then I got into writing jingles for like commercials and trying to write for other artists pitching songs And yeah I really felt like feel like that is just like my my savior is that I'm able to write music It's so inspiring to hear you talk obviously about like there's a lot of people that can probably relate to you of like being really isolated when you're younger not feeling like you're fitting in and just like trying to find an escape which you clearly found the best escape for yourself And it worked out what would you say to your younger self that like Kim sitting in her room alone just being like kind of isolated and getting picked on live a little I I would say that I was like really like a maniac just like only working And I feel like my whole teen years like I didn't go to like parties I was like just like just fully focused And so I would tell myself to live a little and that things are going to happen when they're supposed to happen And uh that that that it's all going to you know work out and that it's ok to go out with your friends and it's ok to try and have a social life because the answer isn't always just like well they all hate me So I just got to be by myself and be this like like studio goblin You know I can actually also just yeah but also it was a little bit of a different time I mean that was like so long ago now I legitimately didn't know anyone else trans and you know so I was an internet kid I would just find people online who I could talk to and things like that That's why like the internet is I hate it and love it because you're so like I remember when I was younger like youtube I would find like anything that you were going through If you were alone you could find someone somewhere on the internet on the same shit And so there's like a saving grace obviously of you saying like I didn't know anyone trans I was by myself going through it and I know you've been open like your family was very supportive of you But still even when like your parents are like we got you It's like ok mom and dad like love you but I need people my own fucking age to relate to and to connect to So I appreciate you sharing that I know you've also been really open in your gender journey from a very young age that like you said at one point you felt very boxed in and labeled and that everything became about being trans and you just wanted to be seen as a person Yeah Which I can imagine it's like in every single interview you're like I'm an artist But so many people want to also talk to

you about being trans Where are you now in your career and your journey of having your own identity and accepting yourself But also like putting boundaries of like we don't need to talk about every fucking thing every single time Yeah Um I feel like it's a unique situation So I like to talk about it now because I feel like it's something where um yeah it's just like a unique point of view and I think it comes in as my strength sometimes that I get to write from that perspective because like um that's always just going to be a big part of me that I am trans and I think that gives me in songwriting like such an interesting angle And I think what's so special about music is that that is like when I came to America and started going to studios it really didn't matter Um who I was it just mattered Like am I good Is my songwriting good Can I sing You know and I feel like the more art that I get to put out the more music I get to make the more I become an artist rather than you know all the labels that people put on me and it's not just a trans thing I mean it's like if you're a woman and you make music people just talk about you being a woman in music or you being a gay man in music or all of that stuff you know we all just get boxed into this label that defines us and I think trans people in general are a good reminder that gender and all of that stuff is just a label and it really is all about who you are you know inside and not about all the stuff you know just because you're this doesn't mean you have to like this or do this And gender is a much is a thing that matters a lot less I think and says a lot less about people than we think And yeah you are whatever whatever you want to be and whatever is in your mind and yeah No I love it It's so true because it's like when you break it down it's like just let everyone do whatever the fuck they want to do And it's stop trying to just talk about people in one specific way No one would be happy if the roles were reversed And you're just saying one thing about someone we're all very multifaceted totally and every person has their own thing you know completely And I feel like just just more than ever I'm just trying to you know show people what what's in my mind what you know what my music is about what I stand for rather than you know all the just talking about being trans all the time Completely Totally I think your accomplishments I mean we could go through them all but they speak for themselves Like you you've really popped off in an unbelievable way You've had such an incredible career already What a full circle moment that one of your biggest idols Madonna introduced your performance at the Grammys What is it about Madonna that inspires you Well I think Madonna is someone who who broke a lot of these like gender stereotypes and who can be very you know

masculine in some of her music and talk about sex very freely and in a very different uh way and just was so ahead of her time in liberating people from feeling this shame about their sexuality and especially gay people I mean she did that shit in the nineties when it was really really rough for gay people and I will forever just like feel inspired and liberated by her taking the hit for so many people because she really you know was called like a witch and all this crazy stuff for just talking about her sexuality and just being so all out there and I respect that in someone they can be so if they can let that bounce off of them and like well I am still going to talk about whatever I want to talk about I'll never forget like right before the performance right before because it was a little break because it cuts to me She had like a little whip and she was like like mouth to me like go get a bitch and like whipped her little whip And I was like I was like literally just and I was tied up in this cage so I couldn't say anything back I was like arms up like because you were trying to like give her the nod and you're like oh I wish I could know what do I do to like do a kick Like like the whole case falls over and you're like not picturing you like fully tied up just being like like do I wink I know No I so agree with everything you're saying about Madonna It it's so crazy to look back at certain eras where we were so young and watching like every generation has it where there's certain people that just become essentially the people that are breaking down barriers in and in that generation I know so many people were like Madonna is crazy Like she should be taken off air like she shouldn't be able to do this And yet what people didn't understand is she was having such a needed conversation and allowed the next generation of performers to lean even further into it because she did what she did And it's so cool that you now can be on fucking stage trying to give her a not only it's so freaking cool And what she said too because I think she was saying that she was supposed to do like the record of the year or something like that And she said she wanted to introduce the first trans performer at the Grammys And I was like you really are the coolest I ever exist You know didn't you meet her for the first time Drunk at an SNL after party Yes She came to the SNL after party How drunk were you I was so obliterated I just kept talking to her like you about confessions on the dance floor And I was like that's one of the best ever It's a timeless classic and people don't really appreciate it up And like and when he did this on Ray of Light and it was like the most changed my life I was listening to it I felt like so much less alone and I was just talking to her up She was like and then she was like we should take a picture and I was like thank you so much for saying that

because I would have just talked her fucking ears off for hours And she's like sweetie let's just pose so you can catch your breath I know I know she must think I'm insane No no I bet she gets that all the time And also it's just it's so genuine That's also just so iconic though for you to be hammered at a party being like Madonna I love you We love you Madonna I love you so much Ok Kim we're going to play a game let's play this game we're going to play Would you rather some of these are really fucking random So don't judge Ok I love it Ok Would you rather accidentally post a nude on your Instagram or butt dial your parents during sex Posting it on my Instagram I feel like I have no decency left anyway It's like you can find nudes of me anywhere So I was going to say yeah I've had my tits out at every shoot It's like yeah at this point I'd rather do a nude because like I feel like calling my parents during sex would be disturbing for them and for you after you definitely because also how bad to find out that you butt out them But you figure out after you replaying like what was I saying during sex Like how nasty was that sex Like what was I doing Like where the noise is Like just my dad couldn't see the same my mom can see Yeah the whole thing Um OK great So rather post a love that I agree Would you rather go a month without sex or a month without music A month without sex I'm definitely there Yeah I'm so single and like honestly like I've just been so busy Like there's no hope right now but it's like ok like I'm very happy The thing is like the music almost acts like a as that excitement and like that crush that I'm obsessed with because I can just listen to it again and again and again and like get really obsessed and like change little details about it and like all the little crushes I have on the side always end up in the music So I I make it and then listen to them and think of them and how they're not with me That's really great You can't have them right And you can like listens to your music all the time in like a not stalker way that you're like not over texting the person You're just your music I'm not like rewatching their stories I just listened to the song I wrote about them a million times He has a great great answer Um I know you love horror movies and I know you love Halloween So would you rather never be able to watch a scary movie again or never be able to dress up for Halloween Oh I mean I mean Halloween is gay Christmas You know it's like it's so so in me um I think but never watch a horror movie again That would be ok Halloween is just once a year I would like you know just like shut my doors Be a total witch in the hills like see no one and pretend like Halloween doesn't exist and watch horror movies So I would pick that and then you can just go dress up another time of the year Yes Ok That's fair I like that Would

you rather fuck someone who is absolutely silent or someone who screams the whole time Someone who screams the whole time At least I know that they're into it you know but silence would just throw me off like at least you there Yeah totally It would just make me feel like they don't want this to happen And that would be that would really be I've had some where the guy is so quiet and I'm like I just need like a couple grunts like I know me too Like fuck like oh fuck I hate that I hate that Like a lot of guys are like two in the like I'm not going to make any noises man Like right Come on just do it Just let it go Totally Let it go It's like honestly hot I agree Yes Would you rather never give head again or never receive head again Never receive head again Giving head is like the funnest thing of my life honestly like it's so fun We're going to get into the throat Go Yes Yes Don't worry we're getting there But would you rather accidentally bite someone's dick giving a blow job or throw up on it Oh It's such a rough one I feel like accidentally bite I mean it's not defined how hard it has to be You know maybe it can just be a little tooth Right Like a little a little snaggle too Yeah Like just a tiny bit tooth is better than throwing up because I don't think I could work that out on therapy Right It would have to be the kind of throw up where because I've had that before where you basically do throw up But in that case extra loop and oh my God I want a chunky loop t-shirt junkie loop t-shirt They're like what does that mean on the back Throw up That's my brand I'm going to make so good So good Would you rather have drunk sex or high sex high sex Me too So much better So good Would you rather be in the mile high club or fuck in someone's car Someone's car Yeah I feel like planes are like plain bathrooms are just gross disgusting I totally but I respect it I have some friends and like especially my gay friends that I travel with They're like yeah I sat next to the hot guy and then we fucked and I'm just like in my pot with my eye mask on and you know it is not And like I think maybe the alert could be like oh you have to be quiet and hide it I don't really want to have to do that I'd rather be in the car just like using the seat belt like choke me out Let's go Have a good time Let's go Weird I feel like cars are just in general like such a good spot like being in a car with a boy and and they can move to what's happening It gives a little like yeah it gets a little foggy There's a lot of good Titanic Exactly Both of us for it Let's talk about your dating life You said you know you're in a in a little dry spell and we love that So you're not dating anyone No I'm not dating anyone Are you interested in dating at all Yeah I mean I'm interested in it but honestly I feel like it's been something that's just like I'm good without too and I feel like I've always been a relationship girl Like I

love a relationship I'm not like a quick hook up girl even though sometimes you know I don't have a choice Like sometimes I have boys in different cities that I can just call up in every city That's a fun thing to be on because I know you got your beef I know my beef Yeah No that's good But just right now I just feel like I don't know who would fit into my crazy life right now because I'm just always doing shit and always traveling and I'm never in the same space for long enough To even like really you know do something meaningful I was going to say yeah What is dating life like now as a pop star compared to like maybe a couple of years ago where you still had like a little amid Yeah it's really changed and I feel like people are just in general like a little scared of me now which is kind of good you know it just like weeds them out Like you have to just say that you want me now right Or I don't have time for you You know my clock just slipped the whole log It felt like it was £500 We just hit the floor You're like I don't have time for you Boom Oh That's interesting So like does that make you sad a little bit that you think like do you have do you think people are seeing a persona of yours and then you have to deconstruct it and be like I'm not really always like that I think in general like slap pop really changed how guys see me because I feel like a lot of the guys that I'm dating have heard slap po and like know that and they're like you know and it's like yeah I'm the girl who sings throat goat you know and and they just feel like they have to live up to this crazy expectation and that's not you know it's like such a persona for that record That It's like that's not me You know I'm also someone who just wants to watch horror movies with you and like cuddle and be cute Totally all of that And like the last thing I want is for you to be scared of me So if you're scared of me I'm immediately cutting you off because that makes me feel horrible about myself You know I get that I'm just like a genuine person and I really feel like I'm but I have crushes on the wrong guys like all the time Really Do you have a type I I don't really I feel like every single guy is very different and I think the type that I have is just like the energy being good and dumb being funny being honest being like loyal Um I think that's like the big ones for me and just like I like sweet guys like when you're sweet but you just said you're picking some of the wrong guys So what's going on are not sweet guys Yeah I don't know just guys who like keep me like dangling or I think they have to constantly like do stuff to you know keep me obsessed with them Then I'm on the road and then you don't talk to me and then I'm back It's just like yeah it's exhausting It's exhausting But let your friends set you up with people or no I do Yeah I went on a date with a guy who my friend set me up with

recently didn't really go anywhere But it was it was fun because like sharing similar friends you can at least talk about the friends you know you can just like talk about So that's the best Like you have a commonality to talk about So you're not like how's your dream You can be like Rebecca is a bitch right Totally Totally Um yeah I I let my friends set me up for sure When was your last relationship My last relationship was like 1.5 years ago and that was like a five year relationship So like a long one So I feel like I'm still like anyway at the part where like I need to be myself get over that relationship and all the stuff that dad did to me because it wasn't like a very nice relationship and made me feel awful about myself for a few years and that's the worst I should have like cut it off when I felt it Um But yeah you know it was the first time I broke up with someone and thank you Thank you And the first time that I just really feel like I did the right thing and listened to my intuition and got out of it And I know a lot of people who don't get out of relationships that don't fulfill them and they're almost like a new person when they get out of it Like it's like oh my God you're back and you know like you're like yourself again and you're happy again And so that's my main thing I never want to you know I mean no one wants to but I really don't want to be in any relationship that doesn't make me feel good and feel great You know because I'm such a pleasing person and like I feel like I always used to just like I just want you to be happy and I don't care if I'm happy and that that's a bad thing And I think that goes back to me as a as a kid as a teen Like I just hope one day a guy can see me as a girl or show me any attention you know and see me as a normal person not as a freak You know I think it goes back to that me just wanting to you know well he likes me So I'm going to do anything for him and like completely forget that I have value as a person I think that's so related Kim And like I also love how you were like oh my God I should have gotten out earlier but I'm so happy I did get out I think so many times we're so hard on ourselves because when you're so deep in something it's really hard to actually make the jump to envision life even if it's toxic without that person because you've been living in it for so long you have your routines that still is the person that you're with all the time And like you you just become so attached to something that you almost forget what life was like before them And a lot of times it was so much better It's hard but it's hard to it's really hard but it's like you're going to live and it's going to be ok and you're going to figure it out again and you're going to get back into it And honestly life on your own sometimes can be so much more purposeful and uh fulfilling I feel like really I personally like thrive when I

have like time by myself where I just literally do whatever It's like recharging and I think in general like I wish I would have done that in my relationship more Um And yeah I mean um I feel like relationships are the hardest thing to figure out They really are so hard They're really really hard really hard But right now I'm having fun and that's awesome And I feel like I'm just like finally like back at the place where I love being alone and spending time by myself and where I just shut my door and just do whatever Amazing What is your perfect ideal First date I don't think there is one I really think that uh first dates are always going to be a little awkward and like I just like you know I feel like my first thing I do is probably try to drink because I'm so nervous I get really really nervous and it's such an awkward thing when you know that you like technically are attracted to each other But like you have to like figure it out a little dance But I feel like in general just doing something like active like going to like an arcade or going the fun stuff doing something So you're not just sitting across the table being like hello how are you doing where you can actually do something But I also like I like when you show me one of your favorite places that you actually like actually love going instead of like I want to try out this new place like just show me like where do you actually go Are we what are we doing Kim Are we fucking on the first date Are we waiting Like do you have any rules in your head or do you just do whatever the fuck comes to you I live in the moment I've definitely done the first date you know fuck But I think it's um usually when I do that like I'm not interested anymore it's like yeah I feel like it's just like I need to give it time and I need to be like obsessed with you and like I need to let it simmer for a bit more I realize now because once I broke up I would just go home with like every single one of them every time and it was really really fun I had a great time you know Um But I feel like when you really give it time it just makes it more special and cooler I love I love Kim's out here breaking everyone's heart like gives them the after day one and then you literally just ghosting everyone like no you're like I was happy That was great but I'm over it on to the next Well I'm just like in the next city you're gone Oh my God That's actually that's I've never heard someone say that you get you're over it once you have sex the first time and you're just like oh that's boring Ok I mean I mean maybe it was just the guys maybe it was just a situation I don't like to make a rule in general but I think just like the guys like I went home with I was just like I just needed like rebound attention And so I just like and then I was like so I get it growing up Who was your celebrity crush Um Lego and Lord of the Rings like Kim that wig No Kim

Let me tell you something 33 of the people that I like I'm like what's wrong with me Number one Johnny Depp specifically as Captain Jack Sparrow Ok Number two Legis Orlando Bloom Specifically as the Elf in Lord of the Rings Hot the hair and the ears and then Edward Cullen as vampire But I'm like wait what are we like weirdos that were like specifically as an Elf Yeah No specifically as an Elf Yeah In the wig as that character was so hot I know it was so hot because I totally yeah I don't know That was just like I remember like having a poster of him and just being so obsessed with him and I I'll forever be obsessed with him too But you must think just Leg leg name is Orlando Bloom And I bet Orlando Bloom never thought of all the roles that I've ever played Everyone in the world is like the hottest version of you the hot Elf baby hot Elf I'm not kidding If you guys have actually I feel like if you don't have the context like if you just Google him you may all be like you guys are freaks watch the movie because the context is important He's just so like I don't even remember He's just great His vibe is great His vibe is hot He looks amazing and he looks amazing stunning I I have to be honest I really never thought that I would sit across from someone in my entire career and have someone say the same thing that I think of legless Elf Orlando Bloom I'm like what the fuck And that's why we're on hinge There we go That's why we're here and that's why we're here Let's go to slap pop OK You've been mentioning it but now we got to talk about it You coined the term slut pop to describe your music Can you define slop pop for those who may becoming fans today Yes Um Pop is this really Euro house dance nineties inspired Uh EP and me and my friends would always make pop songs that were slightly slutty and say oh slap pop And so I just decided to go with it and make an EP and just be the most slutty version of myself that I wish I could be in life you know but I feel like I'm too shy to be that all the time Um So yeah I just kind of let it all out on that one and um a lot of people were really had interesting reactions to it and I think it's the funniest thing in the world to scream out the most obscene shit and just be like I'm a fucking slut fuck me You know it's just it's so freeing every time I do it it's addicting and and yeah I recommend to check it out It's just what are some of your craziest lines that if people haven't heard it it's like give them a little sound ok Um These bitches can't suck like me walk in on the sucking clean look around all eyes on me Jack it off on a sucking clean Uh I'm the what's my name What's my name I'm the throat goat Yeah Yeah It is it is poetic It's beautiful It's touching to me it's pure beauty You know if if if you you know you might not get it you might get it But if you get it you really get it You're

like a slut little dirty bitch I love to fuck It's so it's so good Kim Other than your own catalog what's a song or an artist that you would also classify as like slut pop Oh Britney Spears's blackout era that it's just the best So like dirty and that was definitely a huge inspiration for that I also think that Kylie Minogue has a has a bunch of songs that I would I would put on slap pop dude I'm thinking about how you kind of said like people after slap pop like people were kind of intimidated by you because it's like you're coming in here being like I am the throat goat like I like and all this shit When did you actually start to just become really confident about talking about sex Um I think in general when I made that I think I was just like in a phase of my life where I felt like I was like a little um you know just not talking about that part of my life And I have so many friends and especially as a trans girl it's like that are sex workers You know porn is great Sex work is work And it was a moment where only fans was going to ban sex workers from its platform which would have taken away the livelihood of a lot of my friends And so I was like I don't think that there's anything wrong with that And I think that but like everybody needs to stop villainizing sex workers because there's a huge demand for it We need it and there's nothing to be ashamed of And I also always think you know if my life hadn't gone the way it did and I hadn't been able to transition really early and stuff like that I would have probably you know done that to be able able to transition and to be able to be myself So I wanted to take the shame out of it for my friends for myself And I think just in general people need to be less afraid of it And I think especially women and girls uh there's so much power in like loving sex and like you should love it You should figure out what how you know what you like about it and not be you know please men Like that's not the goal like in sex it's like you having a good time And so I'm just a huge supporter of that and that's been something that's been hard for me to figure out you know because I have always just been like crazy for guys and like how can I please him in any way And once I kind of broke out of that I was like it's about me too And yeah so I love also that I had actually someone recently asked me this reporter was like I back in the day of call her daddy came up with this thing called the Gluck Luck 9000 And it was just like you know my go to blowjob move And I remember this reporter being like you know so good It's so good It's so good And I remember the reporter being like you know if you're a feminist like then like are you ashamed that you coined that term and that you were teaching young girls how to give blowjobs And I was like absolutely not because of course there are certain things in the past that I was

like probably way too appeasing of a man But specifically with that it's like I just go to say like I love pleasing my partner Like that doesn't mean you can't be a feminist if you're like I also love giving my fiance head and like making him feel good that's part of sex And that gets me off by also making sure my partner is going to be a good fucking time So it's like we need to talk about the throat goat because as much as we're like girls enjoy sex It's also like you can also be down and pleasing Your partner is also a part of enjoying sex It's not just a one off situation where you're just like by yourself Well you can do it by yourself But when you're with a partner can you talk about the throat goat Can you talk about Give us some tips give us a couple little Kim Just give us like one little thing Maybe like a little like what do we do I pull out the bottle and like you know that was iconic What did she do She went she was like you do this and then she said we are the Invisalign and yes we're Invisalign I want to try that Now I'm like calling my dentist and I see the bottom Invisalign They're like bitch your teeth are fine I'm like no just the bottom It's the funniest thing Like I love giving blow jobs It's my favorite thing in the world I I pride myself in it and I think that's awesome It's all on you Like your center stage it's your time to shine It's literally your time to shine and like it's like watch me go eye contact Like that's a very important one And I don't know it's just like a little sloppy I love when boys really like that you know and really yeah it's like I have to go with you No I love it and I think it's again I just like that we're talking about it because it doesn't there's nothing wrong with enjoying and pleasing your partner And I think sometimes to all you know the people out there it's like if you are intimidated by it you have to just reframe the way that you're thinking about it It's supposed to be fun You're supposed to it's playful it's enjoyable And if you if you don't enjoy it that's fine too You know find the things that you really love me I love giving giving head you know and I call myself the throat and have been called that 00 and that wasn't coin just by myself Thank you Goodbye Would you say you're more dominant or submissive in the bedroom Um I I'm pretty Suby Yeah I'm pretty stubby but like I got to really trust someone and like if you really like me to do I will do it Um and uh I like when someone can give me a really specific like this is what I like do this Like I love that and maybe that's why I'm Suby because I just like I like in those situations to be told what to do and just to like do that Um But yeah but also I can be done I feel like I swing both ways love it love it when you say treat me like a slut What do you actually want your partner to do Kim Um me Um I don't know bend me over I'm not opposed to a little choking all that good stuff Just just

put me into position and go I love how you just push your glasses So I you're like goodbye I'm I'm not making eye contact with you right now Be the over puppy musician Let's go That's good Ok Good OK Good Yeah But I think in general just like make me feel like you really want me bad and need me you know like that's the hottest thing you can do Ok Just quickly on a little bit more serious note Um are you like oh girl don't go out of nowhere just out of nowhere in a car It's awesome But maybe I should have like this is like a little too aggressive of a transition I just realized But no I love it Ok obviously everything that's going on with trans rights right now in America I just felt like it wouldn't be right if I didn't ask you Obviously it's disgusting what's happening and we're clearly regressing How are you handling the hateful backlash for you know with the trans community Well I feel like I need to hold it up for all the all the young kids that are trans and getting uh you know their rights taken away and all of that stuff that you know I I try to find the best causes to help I try to stay in touch with all my trans friends and all of that But just in general I think it's brutal how people treat trans people It's just like everybody deserves to live their lives how they can you know and the way that they know how to get through life and I feel like the judgment around it is still so intense and scary And um there's so much like actual like murder and things like that in the trans community that are really really terrifying and it's such a beautiful beautiful community And that's the one thing that I just want people to know like the dolls have each other's backs like we love each other And I feel like there's so many friends of mine that I couldn't live life without and that are such beautiful lights and um just remember that and find the people who get you and who support you and focus on that because I still get called a man every single day you know like and that's ok It's funny to me at this point I'm like I'm around you know because I yeah because I feel like I've been called like that since I was 12 and all of that So to me it's like brush it off at this point But I know how horrible that that situation can be And there's just a very public like hate campaign on trans people right now That's disappointing and sad But there's also a lot of people who really care and who really are pushing and just know that like it's an up and down swing with trans rights Like it has been with gay rights like it has been with anyone who's different than the norm and uh it's it's going to probably get better and swing back around at least that's what I hope But in general I know that like there's amazing people out there who have all got your back and who think you're really beautiful and you deserve everything you deserve love you deserve to be seen to who you really truly are and don't settle for anything less I've done it and it sucks and uh yeah I love y'all Oh my God Amen Amen Amen Let everyone live however they want to fucking You know it's so annoying It's just so crazy like the progress we've made in some areas that we're still having these conversations and it's so infuriating to look and especially in America it goes with like uh you know birth control and things like that It's the same exact kind of thing where there's just people trying to tell people what they can and can't do with their bodies and that's wrong and no one ever should And it really like like makes it so much harder for people to just like live their lives and make their own decisions and it's just so annoying that our bodies are still being policed by people and it's it's truly insane But I do think it's we are so fortunate that we can sit here and you can use your music and I can use this show as a platform to just like keep talking about it I hope it anyone that it makes uncomfortable look inward as to why and like start doing work And I think everyone that is supporting like keep supporting and be vocal and post on social media and because I think it's so important that we just keep showing we aren't going anywhere and and everyone should just be able to do whatever the fuck they want and we need to get on board with that I know it's really not that hard It really only is hard to people who need to control other people in life to get to be comfortable in life Like you need to be able to control your woman to live with your ego and shit So you know because you're too scared she's going to go in you know it's all to maintain their power and it's like have your power over there let us have our power over here Fuck off totally But like I mean we could sit here for fucking hours and tell them that they can't bust anymore We're slipping you all ok We're like oh no no you can do whatever you want do whatever you want you take away They're not they're like oh no yeah literally do do whatever you want Um OK you have a new album coming out and I'm so excited for you The album is called Feed The Beast Yes How did you come up with that For me it was it started with kind of Feed the beat because I feel like I constantly need to listen to music and just do my thing over beats And then it turned into Feed The Beast because I had an album leak and my label told me you got to get back in the studio make new songs and go feed the Beast And uh that was literally like OK let me think about this And then I kind of thought about myself and my personal ambitions and I've always wanted to really play the pop game I've always wanted to make big pop songs and big melodies and be like a real player in the music industry and you know do big shows and all of that And I was like there was a part of me that was a little ashamed of that for a while And I was like but I'm like a gay club darling and maybe that's just all I want and all I want to be And I was like no my passion is to go for it So go feed the beast go feed that what I feel like almost ashamed of to want go want that and own it and don't be afraid of it And you know so I feel like for me the album is a reminder hopefully to my fans to really find what it is that you can't live without and go all out on it and don't be afraid to take up space and don't be you know scared to make it as as massive as you want to make it and as ridiculous as you want to make it And um yeah go feed that Kim How is the album different than past work that you've done Um I think I just I think I just had like a shift creatively where I just kind of was a bitch to my co writes and took more control and was like I just really came in with like full songs flashed out again kind of like I did in the very beginning before people wanted to work with me I just came in with fully fleshed concepts and then just was like we're writing this and I feel like I really took control I worked with some people I've never worked with before Um I I did a bunch in Sweden I did a bunch in London So it really feels like that major label really executed on the best level of my abilities And and I'm really grateful to my label for allowing me to do that and for allowing me to take the time to really make something that feels whole and complete and that feels this exciting because I think you're going to freak when you hear it I am so excited Where is the perfect place to listen to this album Like are we doing it at the club Are we working out Are we having sex Are we on the beach Like what's the vibe in a car getting fuck literally Um Yeah all of those places I think that's the funniest thing about this I think it has a lot of a lot of club moments but it also it does have a ballad um which is like kind of an unconventional ballad which I'm excited for people to hear it Never really do that Like I'm very against ballads usually Like I love like Celine Dion but I didn't think I could do that stuff right here She comes here I come Uh but yeah I think you can really I think you can listen to it from front to back by yourself getting ready in the bathroom you can listen to it in the in the club you can all of that stuff So I think it's an overall overall listening thing Yeah I'm so excited for you and for thank you this summer Are you going on tour What Not later this year Like a little after summer and now it's gonna be up But yeah I'm going on tour Um and I'm so so excited to go on tour because it's been a freaking while and it's my favorite thing in the world and like I missed it like nothing else in the world And so I'll just be traveling I'm doing a bunch of really cool festivals like all over the world and uh putting this tour together I'm in rehearsals a lot which is like my happy place I love being

with my dancers and just figuring out the show and the lighting and every detail lots of outfit changes It's going to be good Yeah Yeah Yeah I want to see the outfits I am so happy I got to sit down with you today I have been wanting to do this for so long and you are like I listen to you all the time So it's been an honor to be here You know like you truly have such an energy about you that you're so calm and a vibe and like you're like everything It's just so fun to be able to like sit with you and actually get to know your personality because you are so so sweet and funny and amazing and I just I can't wait to see what you do with your career This is amazing Thank you so much You the best Thank you Daddy