



BROOKLYN FOR BEGINNERS

DANNY: You gotta learn to say loin in Brooklyn, New York
And loin to say lern when it's lern of pork
A thing what ya trun is a thing what ya t'rew
And a drip ain't a drop it's a joik who's a shmoooo

That's how ya talk in Brooklyn

Dese are da woids ya say:

Pork - - lern

Trun - - t'rew

Study - - loin

Drip - - shmooo

(INDICATES AUDIENCE TO JOIN)

DANNY: Pork -

AUDIENCE: Lern

DANNY: Trun -

AUDIENCE: T'rew

DANNY: Study -

AUDIENCE: Loin

DANNY: Drip -

AUDIENCE: Shmooooo!

DANNY: (INTERRUPTING) Wait a minute - hold it - shaddaaaap!
Not ?"shmoooooooo". (CUTELY) Shmewwww. Like wit'
an accent agewww. Yiz gotta make like dere's a
coicumflex over da final "ewwww". Now try it again.

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DANNY: Study -

AUDIENCE: Lojn

DANNY: Drip -

AUDIENCE: Shmewwwwww!

ALL: (SHNITZELBANK)

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DANNY: Boil don't mean steamin' or startin' to swear
 Boil is that guy on the video d'ere
 To show yez it's true and according to Herle
 Whenever yiz boil, everybody says berld!!

That's how ya talk in Brooklyn

Dese are the woids ya say:

Steamin' - - berl

Milton - - Boil

Banana - - erl

Mudder of - - Poil

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AUDIENCE: Berl

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ALL: (SHNITZELBANK)

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DANNY: A cherce little verce ain't a pome that ya hear
 A cherce little verce is a t'roat that is clear
 A tree grows in Brooklyn and that's nuttin' new
 But the t'ree that I mean comes right after two

That's how ya talk in Brooklyn

Dese are the woids ya say:

Pome - - voise

T'roat -- verce

Swear - - coise

Of - - - cerse

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AUDIENCE: Verce
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DANNY: I t'ink yiz are ready fer sentences now
 So pay close attention 'n' I'll show yiz how
 Oh, you'll be amazed when I tell you the facts
 In other words - yiz'll drop dead in yer tracks!

Now just take a sentence as simple as this
 "Weren's you employed there and slightly remiss?"
 On Avenue A to make them understand
 You'd say: "Hey, usen't you used ta woik d'ere
 before yiz wuz canned?"

That's how they talk in Brooklyn

Dese are the woids they say:

Weren't - - usen't

Aven - - - yuh

Employed - - woik

Remiss - - - huh?

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DANNY: One final t'ing and yer lesson is t'roo
 Whom yiz'll cheer and whom yiz'll boo
 Some they is heroes and some they is bums
 Here's how ya sep'rate the cream from the crumbs

Frankie - - - yagggay!

Lana - - - - ooooooooooooooh!

Dodgers - - - H'raaaaaay!

Giants - - - - Booooooooooooo!

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DANNY: Frankie -
 AUDIENCE: Yaaaaaay!
 DANNY: Lana -
 AUDIENCE: Ooooooooooh!
 DANNY: Dodgers -
 AUDIENCE: H'raaaaaay!
 DANNY: Giants -
 AUDIENCE: Boooooooooooo!
 DANNY: Weren't -
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DANNY: Hey, you, d'ere

I tell ya true, d'ere

If you're from Brooklyn

O.K.!