

Frisko Eddie's Revenge: The Return

A series by Balboa Ron Schweikert

(In the last episode, Shelli convinced Eddie to stop at the Blue Moon on the way home from the airport instead of going directly to the apartment. Eddie discovered that while he had been on the road, Shelli had become a sharp-shooter on the boards. Only then did they go home for a passionate reunion.)

After their avid lovemaking, Eddie and Shelli lay exhausted. Then Eddie gently whispered into Shelli's ear: "Darling, I think we both know now that our love will last for always, so I want to ask this question." (Shelli's heart started to pound! Her excitement level was peeking in anticipation of what she had been waiting for so long -- that Eddie would finally "pop the question"!) Eddie continued: "I know I'm ready -- so would you be willing to be....begin another round of lovemaking, sweet thing?"

She was instantly taken back by what she heard! But after she looked him deeply in the eyes, and further sized things up, she realized that he meant to say that. She grabbed a pillow then and started hitting him with it. She hollered out: "That's NOT what I thought you were going to say, you bum!" (The pillow hitting was starting to get humorous now.) Shelli went on: "What the hell are you on, anyway -- that new Viagra staff?" She was laughing and still hitting now as she said: "My aunt told me that Uncle Dick tried it and he wouldn't let her alone for four or five hours!"

Eddie was laughing and trying to cover his head from the pillow. He shouted out: "Hold it, Honey! You know I don't need any junk like that. Your beautiful body is all I need, Baby! Now, quit the pillow attack, or I might get distracted from our main business here!"

Upon hearing that, Shelli (rather quickly) put the pillow back behind her head. They looked deeply into each other's eyes and in only a moment or two, they were back in each other's arms. As if it were not possible, their passion rose to even greater heights when they made love for the second time, and then...again. After a few words of whispered love, their total exhaustion took them into a deep and dreamy, long sleep.

The following morning, Eddie arranged for a couple of days off for them. They spent their time leisurely, in the local area. The first day, they drove up to a place they both loved to go -- Napa Valley and the Wine Country. After all the free samples of wine from the many wineries, Eddie (who had to try them all) had a little buzz-on, so Shelli took over the driving.

The scenery was beautiful on the drive back to the city. The greenery and trees along the road were mixed with miles and miles of golden wheat, which they call the "Golden Wave." The wind ripples through it, and (especially from the air) it looks like giant

waves are moving along the ground. They also passed a few dairies and watched the back and white Guernsey cows as they made their way back to the barns. All in all, it was a beautiful, romantic, and relaxing day.

In a week or so, Eddie started to get back into a regular routine. All was moving along very smoothly at the Blue Moon and with Shelli and everything actually. Then one afternoon, Shelli came up to him with that "watch out" little grin on her face. He said: "What's up, Honey Love?" and waited for something unexpected from her. She was concealing something behind her back.

Her smile broadened as she revealed a copy of the Board Sqwalk magazine. She went on to explain: "Honey, I just happened to notice in here that there's a couple of tournaments that are real close to here coming up real soon. I want us to go, Baby. I'm ready to take on just about anybody!"

Eddie looked very hard into her eyes then as he gave his reply: "I've been waiting for you to come up with something like this for a while now. Now, you watch my lips very carefully, because I'm only going to say this once. The answer is definitely....."

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What will Eddie's answer be? And how will it impact their relationship? Don't miss the next episode!

Balboa Ron, who hails from Las Vegas, Nevada, reports that his state is forming a Shuffleboard Hall of Fame and that the California Committee has donated some "seed" money to get them going. What a great gesture of support!

Michigan "Champ" Passes

Bill Kuebler, lovingly known as the "Cookie Man," passed away on June 16.

In last Thanksgiving weekend Michigan State Championships, Bill, at the age of 72, took the Div. II singles crown. He and his wife, Betty, placed fourth in the mixed doubles, and he and his partner, Frank Parrish, finished fourth in the open doubles. In the 1997 Skip's/Board Talk Fall Bash, Bill drew Oklahoma pro Glen Davidson to take first in a field of 24 teams.

If you would like to send a note of sympathy to the family, the address is:

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