



This is the script for the **Waiting for a Friend Recording**. The crucial interactions take place at a time code that is easy to remember. The most important responses from The Stranger have been indicated below by displaying the time code in bold. In these cases, you want to be sure to finish what you are saying before The Stranger responds so the conversation makes logical sense. When the time code is not bold, it's okay for The Stranger to cut you off and for you both to talk over each other when interacting with the recording (this is the way conversations happen in real life).

Pro-Tip: Use the timer on the phone calling screen to help you know where you are in the script.

Please visit www.thestrangerapp.com for links to video performances.

0:00 **Stranger:** *Hello. I'll be right down.*

Magician: *Hi, hello. Who's this?*

:05 **Stranger:** *This is Chris. Who is this, please?*

Magician: *Hi. My name is Jonathan. I'm a magician. This is not a prank call. Do you have just a second to help with something?*

:15 **Stranger:** *Uh...I'm waiting for a friend? I thought they were here. I'm sorry, I haven't really got time for this?*

Magician: *My name is Jonathan Levit. I'm a magician and I'm doing a magic show right now, with an audience, and I'm hoping that you can help me with a magic trick.*

:30 **Stranger:** *Really? It sounds like a joke to me, mate.*

Magician: *Yes! You are on stage right now. Say hello everyone! (audience will yell "hello!"). Do you mind helping me with a magic trick?*

:40: **Stranger:** *Yeah. Okay..*

Magician: *Awesome! So, someone here thought of a card. I want to see if a total stranger, that's you, can name the card they are thinking of. So, can you please think of any card in a deck of playing cards and name it.*

:55 **Stranger:** *Name a card that they're thinking of? Any card?*

Magician: *Yes. Just think of any card in a deck of playing cards...Do you have one?*

1:05 **Stranger:** *Okay. Got it. This is so strange.*



1:15 Stranger: Uhhh...Jack of Spades

Magician: *Wow! That's it. You totally nailed it. (Audience cheering)
That's amazing!*

1:20 **Stranger:** *Really? That's it?*

Magician: *Someone here named a card and then you named the same card!
That's incredible! Thank you!*

1:30 **Stranger:** *Wow. I think uh...well, very weird. I'm glad it worked out. Thank you.*

Magician: *Thanks so much! Bye.*

1:38 **Stranger:** *Bye!*

Magician: *Disconnect the call.*