

## Transcript of Charlie Manning clip

Another story... it was a very nice young lady that...or two or three nice young ladies, but one in particular that worked in the office. And I'd asked this lady out several times and with no success and er, but Roy kept sort of telling her, oh he's got some sweets over there. And she used to come around and take sweets, but she wouldn't go out with me. But anyway, one day I'm working away there and she comes up to me and she says, where are we going to go? And I was totally bemused by this, I didn't know what she was on about, but over her shoulder I could see Roy making signs to me saying, go on, go on. And I just said, where would you like to go? And she said, well, we could go and have a coffee on a Saturday after we finish work on a Saturday morning to start with. So Roy is still making these signs, going, go on, go on. And I said, okay. And after she'd gone, Roy explained that he'd gone and bought a bar of chocolate, wrapped it up in a little note and put it saying, please, would you come out with me? I'd like to take you out. And put the chocolate and the note on the lady's desk, or the girl's desk, unbeknown to me. And of course, that's when she come and saw me. Which, actually, I'm still married to that woman now [Laughs] after...well, it must be over 60 years. So it was very kind of him but it was very, very bemusing at the time.