

**Ron**: Is human life merely like a child's play and our existence

akin to a mayfly's brief day?

*Linda*: (chuckling) Well, it certainly seems that way.

*Lis*: (half in jest) But isn't there any grand epiphany? Are our lives

merely brief buffets whose victuals are certain to swiftly decay?

*Linda*: (baffled) Are you looking to me for answers?

*Lis*: Well, I'm asking for an opinion.

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