

WHY ARE THERE NO GREAT WOMEN ARTISTS

*SIGRID and CHARLOTTE are sitting in the kitchen talking
about a book*

SIGRID

Seriously though the book IS SO GOOD, I was feeling really sad yesterday so I just flipped through the pages, you know when you cant really concentrate so you just flip to random pages

CHARLOTTE

yes

SIGRID

But what I read was so relevant. It was talking about typically in the past, and I guess still now, women aren't expected to be as hard working as men in their art, and how they are expected to have a family etc, and look after the home. And how women who are super focused and dedicated to their work and don't have time for family or relationships, where as men are 'designed' by society to be the greater artists because they shouldn't have any distractions. And women who choose to be successful are still not taken seriously at all

CHARLOTTE

Yeah I totally get that

SIGRID

And I can see it when we talk to our male friends about work and the "REAL artist,"

CHARLOTTE

Seriously I HATE this "REAL ARTIST" bullshit

SIGRID

We should make a dress that says "NO MORE REAL ARTISTS"

CHARLOTTE

Hahaha perfect

SIGRID

Its just crazy how women are expected to be all these things

CHARLOTTE

And its taked about if they don't have a family. Do you remember when we saw Joan Jonas's show in London and the tour guide kept explaining her 'decision to not have children, and then in...who was it again

SIGRID

Picasso

CHARLOTTE

That's it...she didn't even mention why he had kids or that he had children or anything

SIGRID

I mean seriously look at the women we look up to!
Its either gay, alone, or suicide!

CHARLOTTE

Virginia Wolfe

SIGRID

Louise Bourgeois

CHARLOTTE

Umm...

SIGRID

Sara Ahmed

CHARLOTTE

yep

SIGRID

Frida Kahlo

CHARLOTTE

Didn't she marry?

SIGRID

yes but then he slept with her sister and she was like k
bye

CHARLOTTE

Oh god. Tracy Emim

SIGRID

Silvia Plath

CHARLOTTE

Yep. Maria Lassnig

SIGRID

Rihanna

CHARLOTTE

No, she has a boyfriend now

SIGRID

Really!

CHARLOTTE

Billie Holiday

SIGRID

yep

CHARLOTTE

Jane Austen

SIGRID

liza Minnelli

CHARLOTTE

Sarah Lucas

SIGRID

Cleopatra

CHARLOTTE

Boudicca

SIGRID

Audre Lorde

CHARLOTTE

Goodness me the list goes on

SIGRID

Yeah I'm hungry shall we get a sausage?

They both leave and get a sausage