

A MATHEMATICAL ROMANCE

It was summer. Lee was quite handsome and had spent so much time in the sun that he had become a tangent. He had a good line with the girls and in conversation he could always make his point.

One day Lee saw acute girl standing by the base of a tree. Her name was Kay. Since the temperature was more than 90 degrees (Fahrenheit), Lee offered to take her to the Ice Cream Shoppe and buy her a cone.

It was love at first sight! Lee and Kay would converse at every opportunity. He took her to every social function. They often met at the local movie theater, which had a large neon sine. They would buy tickets and coincide. Afterward, they would go to the restaurant adjacent to the theater for a slice of pi.

When this had been going on for a long period of time, sum of their friends made the assumption that they would soon be wed. Lee proposed and it only took Kay a second to say "YES!" So they went to the Justice of the Peace, who had the power to marry them.

After the wedding, Kay said that she was inclined to forgo a honeymoon in order to find an apartment with plenty of space. Lee considered the proposition and finally agreed and so they found a property to rent.

When they moved in there was so much to do that they decided to divide the work so that each would have regular duties. But eventually their apartment looked so good that all of their friends admired the finished product. "What a difference!" exclaimed a friend who had seen the apartment previously when Kay had center to look.

And so, with the apartment in good shape, we conclude our story.

VOCABULARY (use each word only once)

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| acute | cone | function | power | shape |
| adjacent | converse | inclined | product | sine |
| assumption | degrees | line | property | space |
| base | difference | period | proposition | sum |
| center | divide | pi | regular | tangent |
| coincide | first | point | second | |