



Smokey Bear, Cheech n Chong

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Cheech: Hey, man, you seen that bear go by here?

Chong: A bear?

Cheech: Yeah, man. He had on a ranger's hat.

Chong: A bear with a ranger's hat? Aw, come on, man.

Cheech: Yeah. Yeah. Man, he had a shovel in his hand, too.

Chong: Oh, did he have a picnic basket, too?

Cheech: No, man, not that bear. You know, like, the bear that checks out the forest, man.

Chong: Well, what's he checkin' out, man?

Cheech: Well, like, he's checkin' out for careless people, man, who start fires in the forest.

Chong: Oh, that sounds real heavy, man.

Cheech: Hey, well, it is. You know, like, every year some dude forgets to put out his campfire and a match or a cigarette, or somethin' else, you know. And like, thousands of acres go up in smoke.

Chong: Up in smoke, man?

Cheech: That's right. Yeah. Smoke. Like, in fire that could burn up this place.

Chong: Yeah?

Cheech: Yeah. And that's why the bear, he says, "Only you can prevent forest fires."

Chong: Hey, I know that bear, man. What's his name again?

Cheech: Smokey Bear.

Chong: Well, why do you need him for, man?

Cheech: Because I need a ride back to the city.

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