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FIRST AND WORST

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This reporter stayed cool at school.

MY FIRST JOB was as a dancer in Phil Collins's film clip *Don't Lose My Number* (he filmed it in Sydney). It was a 10-hour shoot, including rehearsal. We danced around Phil while he sat in a chair looking at us. I got paid about \$1000, pretty good for a schoolkid. I learnt to try to stay cool while working in close proximity to a very big star. Good practice for the future.

MY WORST JOB was as a waitress at a coffee shop. I worked weekends and the pay was awful. Every time the other waitress and I went behind the counter to get something, we were manhandled by the male owners. But I learnt to stand up for myself – I quit after the second shift. I'd advise anyone considering a similar role to speak to other employees first – find out if they're happy.

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