



Character Description

Name: Melvin Puddy

Age: 45-65

Build: Medium to Heavy

Height: Medium to Tall

Recurring Character

Description:

Melvin Puddy is a backwoods hunter and fisherman that makes his living taking "City Folks" on hunting and fishing excursions. He knows all the best spots to do either. He's also a racist who doesn't know he's racist. He and his family live outside of town in the middle of the woods. He has an 19 year old daughter, Lyla. He's got an 12 year old son named Melvin jr. and his wife's name is Noreen. The whole family has racist tendencies, even though they don't see it.

Sides:

INT. BAITSHOP - DAY

BUBBA is behind the counter and ringing up MELVIN PUDY, a man of about 50. SHERICE is also behind the counter stocking product.

BUBBA
Okay, Mr. Pudy, that'll be \$3.75.

Melvin pulls up his wallet that is connected to a chain.

MELVIN
You know, boy, I've been meaning to ask you about something. How long you owned this place.

Letting the insult slide past, Bubba smiles.

BUBBA
I've owned this place going on fifteen years.

MELVIN
How'd you afford a place like this? Was it government affirmative action? Did you have to pay something to get something?

BUBBA
No more than your mother.

MELVIN
Yeah, mamma's in her seventies now and needs all she can get.

BUBBA
That's what I've heard.

MELVIN
That reminds me, her government check comes today. I got to run to the post office.
(pause, then serious)
You're a credit to your race boy, always respectful.

BUBBA
And you, Mr. Pudy, have shown that the patriarch of crimson nape interbred family hierarchy can repel the forces of racial progress.

MELVIN
Thank you, son. That means a lot to me.

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