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We are gathered here today to remember Femininity. She was beautiful inside, sad to say she had no dignity. Femininity died today, but she will not be missed. No, I’m not a feminist, just a woman who’s quite pissed! I didn’t know Femininity that well, but since I hold the mic, I should tell you this lady believed that women were wrong and men were right.

Femininity was a stereotype of the past. Thank God Almighty, she’s dead at last. Now, my daughter can live in a world of equality and success; And not be told by society that she ought to wear a dress. Femininity may have been a role model back then; But I am the author of my life, I hold the pen. "Women are to be seen and not heard."
In my honest opinion that’s quite absurd. This is not a wedding. But I’d like to make a toast: To Femininity! Long live your wretched ghost!