

# Oh My Gourd, Dad!

Silver Dollar City 2022 – Pumpkin Dad and Daughter Script  
(Script Shortened for Sample)



**OBJECTIVE:** To write a script of dad jokes between a DAD PUMPKIN and his TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN for guests to enjoy as they enter Silver Dollar City's 2022 Harvest Festival.

*(DAD PUMPKIN and TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN sit together, watching guests enter. Every so often, DAD PUMPKIN starts up a series of dad jokes that TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN is less than thrilled about.)*

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Knock, knock.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Who's there?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Orange.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Orange who?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Orange you glad to see me?!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Oh my gourd, dad. I told you! I hate knock-knock jokes.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Come on. I used to hate leaves, but then they grew on me! Ay-o!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Don't start with the dad jokes, dad.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Hmmm... When does a joke become a dad joke?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

I don't know.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

When it becomes apparent! HAH.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Cut it out!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Cut it out? Ow! Do you know how to fix a pumpkin with a cut?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

No, I don't.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Use a pumpkin patch! HAH! Call me a joke-o-lantern, why don't cha!?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Do you always joke like this?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Yeah... good thymes.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Please stop. I'm begging.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Hi there, begging. I'm dad.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Stop embarrassing me!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

I'll stop. I'll stop. Sorry!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

It's okay. Thank you.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

I'm just pumped to hang with you is all. You know how much you mean to me.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Aw, you're getting all mushy, dad!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

I AM?! Help! Call a doctor!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

No! Not mushy like that! You were being sweet.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

You know, a lot of people say I'd be sweet as pie.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Ugh. Let's stop talking and quietly enjoy the vibes.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Vibes? More like VINES. Speaking of, got any music on vine-yl?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

*(Sigh)* What music are you in the mood for?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Anything but Smashing Pumpkins! HAHAAAAHA!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

There are people around!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Well, let's give 'em pumpkin to talk about!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

If you keep up with these jokes, the people will leave.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Well, to them I say, good-pie!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

How do you keep coming up with these?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

This pumpkin is on a roll! I might as well be tumbling down a hill.

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Oh my gourd, dad!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Alright. Alright. How about we squash this beef between us, sweetie?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

Don't "sweetie" me!

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Would you prefer I call you seedy?

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

How about you leaf me alone?

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

*(Gasp)* Oh, come on now, don't be rotten, darling!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

You're right. I've been harsh, and I'm sorry. I love you, dad.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

I love you too, honey!

**TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN:**

... And your jokes aren't that bad. They're actually pretty... gourd, dad.

**DAD PUMPKIN:**

Oh my!

*(DAD PUMPKIN and TEENAGE DAUGHTER PUMPKIN laugh together. After the hearty chuckle, they return to silently enjoying each other's company.)*