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DOORMAN
 (eyeing the cake)
 Mouth-watering job alright

GERRY
 (cutting in)
 Let 'em in then.

The DOORMAN opens the door, whereupon a dozen more try to squeeze past.

DOORMAN
 Just these two - sorry loves

GERRY's face falls as he realises his error. The TWO GIRLS are swathed in blubber and suffering from advanced stages of acne. However their cake is a veritable masterpiece, iced in red flames and enscribed with the words "WELCOME FLAME!"

GERRY
 (weakly)
 Come on then, hurry up!

DOORMAN
 Take these with you.

The DOORMAN hands him five or six Kodak Instamatics, labelled with names.

GERRY walks off down the passage, followed by the TWO GIRLS with their cake.

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GERRY stops outside the Dressing Room where the more attractive GROUPIES stand in attendance.

GERRY
 (to the GIRLS)
 You wait here.

GERRY takes the cake inside, leaving the TWO GIRLS giggling nervously with their competitors.