# Not Quite Miraculous

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Lucius stood up as soon as the fireplace flickered to life.

"Ah, Molly, I see you're back. Well, Arthur, it was quite... educational... but I suspect Narcissa is looking for me." So saying, Lucius swirled his cape around his shoulders and entered the fireplace as quickly as Molly left it.

Molly tilted her head and walked around her immaculate kitchen, only taking her eyes from her husband's face to glance at the sink and quickly back to him. Arthur sat at the table and sipped from a mug. He seemed perfectly calm, but he also seemed to be concentrating on something.

"Cup of tea?" he asked, getting up and moving toward the stove a little too quickly.

Molly straightened her spine. "I can get it myself."

She picked up the kettle. Arthur stood right behind her and pointed his wand at the kettle.*"Aguamenti!"*

*"Finite Incantatem!* Arthur, this isn't a situation where we need magical water."

Molly stepped to the sink and placed the kettle under the faucet. She turned the tap. Nothing happened. Setting the kettle in the sink, she leaned down and opened the cupboard door. A gush of water flooded over her ankles, carrying a wad of Spellotape with it. When she leaned a little further, she could see the sticky residue on the two ends of pipe that should be together but were currently swaying from the water rushing through.

Molly walked over to Arthur and put her arms around him. "I'm sure you and your friend had a lot of fun this afternoon. Now, would.you.please.call.a.plumber?"

*A/N: This was written at the request of Lady Dragonsinger, who also beta-read.*