Simon: Hello! What do you think of song 'Come Together' by the Beatles?

Simon: It's a cool sounding tune...

Simon: Agreed. When I hear it, I think of cool dudes wearing sunglasses and

smoking.

Simon: Yeah, but I think it would be far cooler if it wasn't about themselves...

Simon: Is it?

Simon: That's what I read, yeah.

Simon: It's not about other people who are cool?

Simon: Nope.

Simon: :S

Simon: If what I read was true, (let's be real, lyrics are often very vague, so sorry Beatles) it's not a million miles away from writing a love song about yourself. For example, Ed Sheeran song 'Perfect' goes 'I found a love for me'. However the Beatles version would just be like 'I found a love for me. It IS me'.

Simon: A bit self-absorbed.

Simon: I'm not perfect though...

Simon: Whaaat?

Simon: It's true. :)

Simon: Why not??

Simon: A few days ago, I rushed writing my latest short story and it didn't make

sense.

Simon: Why not?

Simon: There were some inconsistencies with the magic bed...

Simon: What's that mean?

Simon: You know what? It's hard to explain in just a few sentences especially if you've not read my short stories, so I think I'll leave it. Just take my word for it.

Simon: Ok...

Simon: Not to worry, with expert efficiency, one sentence was all I needed and everything was fine again.

Simon: Well done.

Simon: It was cool wasn't it?

Simon: I guess...

Simon: Maybe I should write a song about it.

Simon: Can I have some lyrics?

Simon: I'm really cool, I'm really cool, I'm really cool...

Simon: I think they're self-absorbed, too.

Simon: Really? Thank you for bringing me back down to Earth.

Simon: No problem.

Simon: I have another correction to make. You know when I said the elderly cast of Last of the Summer Wine spend a lot of their time sitting by trees, and I said it wouldn't be a huge step if they climbed one?

Simon: Yes?

Simon: I saw an old dude on the program climb a tree.

Simon: Why?

Simon: I don't know, I missed a lot of the program. Maybe he was just a nature lover.

Simon: I like trees, too.

Simon: Exactly. Completely changing the subject, there's something I'd like to talk about that shouldn't be changed and should definitely get the go ahead.

Simon: Go on...

Simon: Many people are against the idea of Fawlty Towers 3, but I'm really looking forward to it. People are saying it could ruin the memory of the first two series, but as far as I'm concerned, the only way the new version of the program can do that is if it's absolutely demented which I can't see happening.

Simon: Can you give me an example?

Simon: Sure. Basil Fawlty running people over and laughing, and stuff like that.

Simon: Why would he do such a thing?

Simon: Exactly my point. He wouldn't, would he?

Simon: He does have a bad temper, though...

Simon: He's not evil though, is he?

Simon: Fair enough.

Simon: Speaking of successes, I had to renew my car tax online even though I didn't have pay a penny. The site was SO easy to use, it was all done in a couple of minutes. I was asked how to improve the site, and as I was so impressed, I said 'You know what? I don't think you can.'

Simon: Day made for the runners of the site, I'm sure.

Simon: Yes. I wonder what would happen if I didn't pay the fee of zero pennies. Would I get into trouble? Would I really be screwing over the government that much? Surely not...

Simon: Better to be safe...

Simon: Of course. Which is why I paid 0p ASAP.

Simon: Good man.

Simon: It's not all is good in the world of online sites, though. Doesn't the new Twitter logo look a bit sinister to you? It's a just a black cross. I'm wondering why it was used as the colour AND shape means 'no', doesn't it? Is the whole site unacceptable? Is that what Twitter are saying?

Simon: I've never heard of a site telling its users not to use it...

Simon: I know! What's going on in Elon's mind??

Simon: Maybe the bird logo is gone because they're annoying. I often think they should shut up, let's be real.

Simon: I do think the X is strangely pleasing to look at though. Maybe that's why it was used...

Simon: It sounds more logical at least.

Simon: Either that or Mr. Musk is getting sick of all the attention... Anyway, it's time for a new dictionary. The one in use is getting old.

Simon: You have ideas for new words?

Simon: Yes, 'un-Sonic-like'. it means 'not like Sonic'. Sounds ridiculous and random, actually I've heard someone use it!

Simon: Why??

Simon: It was heard in a video about games...

Simon: Oh. It does deserve to be in a dictionary, then...

Simon: A specialist dictionary. In one of his standup routines, George Carlin said he made up the word 'kwondo', but it's actually Xhosa for 'therefore' I used online translator.

Simon: What's Xhosa?

Simon: No idea. A language?

Simon: Ah.

Simon: He also claims to have invented the word 'Nick' which is clearly wrong. 'Fluuurrn' seems to be new, though.

Simon: And has anything been troubling you?

Simon: I got an email explaining I was subscribed to a company called 'Fanatical' which worried me. Turns out it was a games company I forgot about years ago! Phew!

Simon: You were worried you had subscribed to some kind of terrorist group?

Simon: Yep.

Simon: Wow. Would you like to lighten the mood?

Simon: I have a new palindrome: This is it, it is this. Means the same both ways, doesn't it?

Simon: Super cool. Shame it's only three words long, though.

Simon: Either that or six, I'm not sure either.

Simon: And would you like to finish this interview with some first rate irony?

Simon: Yes. Ironically, band The Smiths wrote a song called 'The Queen is Dead' when she wasn't dead, and group Spiritual Front wrote 'The Queen is not Dead' when she was.

Simon: THAT'S irony.

Simon: Yes, bye!