

Wrong
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David: "But you got **wrong.**" He said anger was an about
speaking up for your own rights. You can't speak up
if your right to be silent. That's letting the bad guys win. If
the bad guys did that, women wouldn't be able to speak up.

David: "Don't get me wrong. I don't think what you did was
kind of cool and getting stuck in MISS wasn't fair. But
I don't expect you to be a difference-maker. You speak up
for yourself."

"Do you lecture all your friends like this?"

"Only the ones I like."

We both chew on this for a minute. **The bell rings.**
I'm looking at my locker for a book that I already
know isn't there. David checks his watch a hundred
times. We hear Principal. Principal bellows, "Let's move
people!"

David: "Maybe I'll call you."

David: "I won't answer." Chew, chew, blow out
bubble gum.

Is he calling me out? I don't think so. But he kind of is. I guess
I'll answer if he calls. But if he touches me I'll explode, so
he's out of the question. No touching.