Reindeer Monologues

Callback Sides Donner

I only wanted Rudolph to have more than I did.

Ya gotta understand:

I was a nothing, a no deer.

I was never going to pull Santa's sleigh. I have a bad back.
And I'm not a strong flyer.
And I smoke.

I was an unemployed herd deer. In fact, I'd been fired from my last job, and once word gets around that you can't handle herd work, you're through.

So when the vets came to me and told me my son was going to be born like he was, That Rudolph would probably never walk without crutches.

That he would be horribly disfigured with a face no doe would ever love. And that he would have the mind of a child all his life.

That was the end of my life.