



HEARTSTOPPER

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"Family"





With Charlie's grades slipping, his parents tighten the rules. Tao's jealous when Elle makes new friends. Nick's older brother invades his privacy.

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... Charlie Spring
... Jane Spring
... Nick Nelson
... Mr. Farouk
... Sarah Nelson
... Tao Xu
... Yan Xu
... Mr. Ajayi
... Mr. Budd
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... French Teacher
... Ben Hope
... Spanish Teacher
... David Nelson
... Nellie (Nick's Dog)
... Imogen Heaney
... Harry Greene
... Sahar Zahid
... Elle Argent
... Darcy Olsson
... Tara Jones
... Sai Verma
... Christian McBride
... Keira the Tour Guide
... Naomi Russell
... Felix Britten
... Older Student
... Coach Singh
... Mariam Argent



1

00:00:06 --> 00:00:08
[upbeat pop music plays]

2

00:00:08 --> 00:00:11
♪ You say I changed ♪

3

00:00:11 --> 00:00:14
♪ Maybe you should try it too... ♪

4

00:00:14 --> 00:00:17
Charlie's always been a high achiever,
but in the past few months,

5

00:00:17 --> 00:00:21
his grades have been slipping
across most of his subjects.

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00:00:24 --> 00:00:25
Been a bit distracted, haven't you?

7

00:00:29 --> 00:00:31
Tao, I've been getting the sense

8

00:00:31 --> 00:00:34
that you've been struggling
with your coursework.

9

00:00:34 --> 00:00:35
Struggling?

10

00:00:35 --> 00:00:36
How?

11

00:00:39 --> 00:00:40
Well...

12

00:00:41 --> 00:00:43

I haven't been Nick's teacher for long,

13

00:00:43 --> 00:00:47

but he's on track
for solid grades in his GCSEs.

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00:00:47 --> 00:00:50

As long as he keeps on
focusing on his schoolwork,

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00:00:50 --> 00:00:51

he'll be fine.

16

00:00:51 --> 00:00:53

That's good, isn't it?

17

00:00:54 --> 00:00:56

Isaac's grades are always excellent.

18

00:00:57 --> 00:01:00

But I'd like to see him participate more.

19

00:01:00 --> 00:01:02

And he's such a pleasure to have in class.

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00:01:02 --> 00:01:05

He's set for top grades in his GCSEs.

21

00:01:05 --> 00:01:07

He's failed to hand in
several homework assignments.

22

00:01:07 --> 00:01:10

[Miss Roberts speaking Spanish]

23

00:01:11 --> 00:01:12
[speaking Spanish]

24

00:01:12 --> 00:01:14
[in English] He's been late to class.

25

00:01:15 --> 00:01:18
You still haven't completed
your history coursework essay.

26

00:01:18 --> 00:01:21
If you don't finish it,
then that'll be a fail grade.

27

00:01:22 --> 00:01:25
You need to start focusing
on your schoolwork.

28

00:01:25 --> 00:01:26
♪ It's the end of an era ♪

29

00:01:26 --> 00:01:27
♪ I put my fist in the air ♪

30

00:01:28 --> 00:01:30
♪ And then I look in the camera
And tell 'em... ♪

31


00:01:30 --> 00:01:33
So, your coursework essay.

32

00:01:34 --> 00:01:38
-It's fine. I'll get it done.
-Yeah, but it's not just that, is it?

33

00:01:40 --> 00:01:45




I know getting your first boyfriend
is very exciting, but--

34

00:01:45 --> 00:01:47
-What? It's not Nick's fault.
-Charlie!

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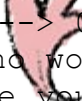


00:01:48 --> 00:01:49
You've been going
'round each other's houses

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00:01:49 --> 00:01:51
almost every day for weeks, Charlie.


37



00:01:51 --> 00:01:53
It's no wonder
you haven't done your coursework.


38

00:01:53 --> 00:01:55
I've still got a few weeks to finish it!




39

00:01:55 --> 00:01:57
Well, I think you and Nick
need to spend some time apart.



40

00:01:57 --> 00:01:58
 That's not fair!

41


00:01:58 --> 00:02:01
We are not banning you
from seeing each other completely.

42

00:02:01 --> 00:02:03
No, it needs to be a complete ban.

43

00:02:03 --> 00:02:06
Until this coursework essay is handed in,



44

00:02:06 --> 00:02:09
Nick is not allowed 'round our house,
and you are not allowed 'round his.

45

00:02:09 --> 00:02:11
♪ I'm not the same ♪

46

00:02:11 --> 00:02:14
♪ So don't expect what you're used to ♪

47

00:02:16 --> 00:02:18
♪ Let the credits roll ♪

48

00:02:23 --> 00:02:25
Hey, come here. Come here.

49

00:02:25 --> 00:02:27
Oh, hello. Good girl.

50

00:02:27 --> 00:02:30
-[man] Mum, make me one!
-[mum] Not if you ask like that, David.

51

00:02:30 --> 00:02:31
[David] Please?

52

00:02:31 --> 00:02:33
[mugs clink]

53

00:02:34 --> 00:02:35
[David] No one happy to see me?

54

00:02:35 --> 00:02:37
[sighs] Gonna stay with Dad next time, eh?

55

00:02:38 --> 00:02:40
We're all very happy
you're back from uni, darling.

56

00:02:42 --> 00:02:46
What've you been up to since Christmas?
Got a... girlfriend yet?

57

00:02:49 --> 00:02:52
-I'll take that as an obvious no.
-Stop bothering him, David.

58

00:02:52 --> 00:02:54
I borrowed your Nintendo Switch,
by the way.

59

00:02:58 --> 00:03:02
-Please don't tell him about Charlie.
-I won't, darling. Don't worry.

60

00:03:06 --> 00:03:06
[drumming]

61

00:03:21 --> 00:03:22
[sighs]

62

00:03:28 --> 00:03:29
[phone chimes]

63


00:03:35 --> 00:03:37
[apprehensive music plays]

64

00:03:59 --> 00:04:00
[Charlie chuckles softly]


65

00:04:01 --> 00:04:03



[warm music plays]

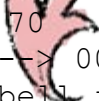
66
00:04:35 --> 00:04:36
[sighs]




67
00:04:42 --> 00:04:43
[sighs]

68
00:04:44 --> 00:04:46
[upbeat music plays]

69
00:05:01 --> 00:05:02
Hi.





70
00:05:12 --> 00:05:14
[school bell rings]



71
00:05:14 --> 00:05:15
Why do you never do your homework?


72
00:05:16 --> 00:05:17
-[pupil] I'll do it next week.
-Fine.



73
00:05:17 --> 00:05:19
-[pupil] Please help.
-I think I have the answers.

74
00:05:19 --> 00:05:22
[kids chatting]

75
00:05:22 --> 00:05:22
[Tara] Elle!



76
00:05:23 --> 00:05:26
Have you heard? Year 11 Prom is happening.

77

00:05:26 --> 00:05:28
Oh my God! Prom?

78

00:05:28 --> 00:05:30
[squeals] I'm so excited!

79

00:05:31 --> 00:05:34
You could totally wear a suit.
You'd look amazing.

80

00:05:35 --> 00:05:37
-You mean we can't be Fiona and Shrek?
-[chuckles]

81

00:05:37 --> 00:05:39
It's prom, not Halloween!

82

00:05:39 --> 00:05:41
-Hey, are you guys talking about the prom?
-[Tara] Yeah.

83

00:05:41 --> 00:05:45
[girl] Oh, so Miss Greenwood's
put me in charge of organizing it,

84

00:05:45 --> 00:05:47
and I'm kind of looking for some help.


85

00:05:47 --> 00:05:50
I'm really excited,
but I don't think I can do this alone.


86

00:05:51 --> 00:05:53
Oh my God, yes! I'm so in!

87



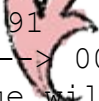

00:05:53 --> 00:05:56
Do you wanna meet with us for lunch?
We can start making a mood board?



88
00:05:56 --> 00:05:59
I mean, yeah. I've got some ideas already.
I'm thinking classic.



89
00:05:59 --> 00:06:02
-[Tara] That ties in with my dress.
-[Darcy] No, there's a great idea.

90
00:06:02 --> 00:06:03
[laughter]




91
00:06:03 --> 00:06:06
But then the blue will make, like,
everyone's outfits look, like, amazing!

92
00:06:06 --> 00:06:10
Personally, I think
that prom should be pirate themed.




93
00:06:12 --> 00:06:15
No, Sahar's already decided
that we're doing a classic prom theme.




94
00:06:15 --> 00:06:18
But if I could bring a sword to prom,
I'm totally up for it.

95
00:06:18 --> 00:06:19
No!




96
00:06:20 --> 00:06:22
Tao wants to meet up tonight.

97



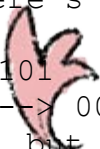

00:06:22 --> 00:06:24
-Oh my God. Say yes!
-[Tara] No!



98
00:06:24 --> 00:06:27
Elle, you need
to put some distance between you.


99
00:06:27 --> 00:06:30
You could make your move.
This is your chance!

100
00:06:30 --> 00:06:31
Wait, there's a boy?





101
00:06:31 --> 00:06:36
There is a boy, but Elle told us
she wanted to get over him.

102
00:06:37 --> 00:06:39
[Elle] He's my best friend, and...




103
00:06:40 --> 00:06:43
-Give me your phone. I'll send him a text.
-Guys! It's fine.




104
00:06:43 --> 00:06:46
I'm going to the open evening tonight
anyway, so I can't.

105
00:06:47 --> 00:06:48
Okay...



106
00:06:49 --> 00:06:50
A photo booth. Brilliant idea.

107
00:06:50 --> 00:06:52



[Sahar] Miss said
we don't have the budget.


108

00:06:52 --> 00:06:55

It doesn't have to be, like, real.
We can just get a box or something

109

00:06:56 --> 00:06:59



and, like, a stand,
and put cool things in it like the ribbon.

110

00:07:01 --> 00:07:02

[Darcy] Paint everyone.

111

00:07:02 --> 00:07:05




We could make Elle paint everyone
instead of photos, then it's free.

112

00:07:06 --> 00:07:08

[clock ticks]



113


00:07:11 --> 00:07:12

[Mr. Farouk] Nick Nelson!

114

00:07:29 --> 00:07:30

[Charlie] Hey.



115

00:07:31 --> 00:07:32


Hey.



116

00:07:33 --> 00:07:36

I told Mr. Farouk I borrowed your pen
and needed to give it back.



117

00:07:39 --> 00:07:40

[Nick] Okay.

118

00:07:43 --> 00:07:47
I just haven't seen you all day,
so I wanted to say hi.

119

00:07:50 --> 00:07:51
Hi.

120

00:07:54 --> 00:07:57
Are you okay?
With your brother and everything?

121

00:07:58 --> 00:07:59
Yeah.

122

00:07:59 --> 00:08:00
Just...

123

00:08:01 --> 00:08:03
[Mr. Farouk] This ain't social hour, boys!

124

00:08:06 --> 00:08:07
Text me later.

125

00:08:08 --> 00:08:09
Yeah.

126


00:08:21 --> 00:08:23
[Ben] I see he's still
as desperate as ever.

127


00:08:24 --> 00:08:28
-I told you not to talk about him.
-God, you hate me so much.

128

00:08:29 --> 00:08:31
It's not my fault he liked me before you.





129
00:08:33 --> 00:08:35
I hate you
because you literally assaulted him.



130
00:08:36 --> 00:08:37
[Mr. Farouk clears his throat]



131
00:08:43 --> 00:08:45
Right, I told you my rules.

132
00:08:46 --> 00:08:47
Now you're in here
till the end of the day.




133
00:08:48 --> 00:08:51
I don't particularly care
if you fail your maths GCSE on Monday,

134
00:08:51 --> 00:08:54
but I ain't gonna let you
disrupt everyone else's study time.




135
00:08:54 --> 00:08:55
Fix up, man.




136
00:08:58 --> 00:09:00
That was just a misunderstanding.

137
00:09:00 --> 00:09:01
It wasn't though.




138
00:09:02 --> 00:09:04
-I was going through some personal stuff.
-I don't care.

139



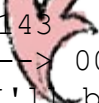

00:09:05 --> 00:09:08
You hurt him, and who knows
if you'll do the same with Imogen.

140
00:09:09 --> 00:09:10
Do you even like her?





141
00:09:10 --> 00:09:13
Sorry, am I not allowed
to like girls as well as boys?

142
00:09:18 --> 00:09:20
-Charlie know you don't wanna come out?
-I do want to come out.




143
00:09:20 --> 00:09:23
[Ben] Right. I'll believe that
when I see it.

144
00:09:24 --> 00:09:26
Charlie thinks
you're this perfect boyfriend,




145
00:09:26 --> 00:09:28
but you are just the same as me.




146
00:09:41 --> 00:09:42
[Nick] Get out.

147
00:09:43 --> 00:09:44
I'm just

148
00:09:45 --> 00:09:48
checking to see
how the GCSE revision's going.



149
00:09:51 --> 00:09:53




Can you get out? I'm trying to study.

150

00:09:53 --> 00:09:54

[phone chimes]

151



00:09:56 --> 00:09:57

-Charlie? Who's Charlie?

-Give that back!

152

00:09:58 --> 00:09:59

-Your girlfriend?

-No. Stop it.

153



00:09:59 --> 00:10:01

She's sending three love hearts.

You might be in there.

154

00:10:01 --> 00:10:03

-David!

-God.

155

00:10:03 --> 00:10:05

Fine.



156

00:10:06 --> 00:10:07

Seriously.



157

00:10:08 --> 00:10:09

So boring.

158


00:10:10 --> 00:10:13


Um... If you do have a girlfriend,
I wanna know about it.

159


00:10:13 --> 00:10:14

She needs my approval.






160
00:10:14 --> 00:10:16
[footsteps recede]



161
00:10:51 --> 00:10:52
[Nick] Charlie!

162
00:10:52 --> 00:10:54
♪ I wanna breathe your air... ♪



163
00:10:55 --> 00:10:56
[Charlie] Hi.




164
00:10:56 --> 00:10:59
♪ Press your chest against mine... ♪

165
00:11:02 --> 00:11:03
♪ I wanna disappear... ♪

166
00:11:03 --> 00:11:05
Your hands are so cold.




167
00:11:05 --> 00:11:06
I'm always cold.




168
00:11:07 --> 00:11:08
Well, in that case..

169
00:11:12 --> 00:11:13
[Charlie] Thank you.


170
00:11:13 --> 00:11:15
♪ Think I know now ♪



171
00:11:17 --> 00:11:18
♪ What life... ♪





172
00:11:18 --> 00:11:19
[Nick] There we go.



173
00:11:19 --> 00:11:21
♪ Should have been like... ♪


174
00:11:21 --> 00:11:22
[chuckles]

175
00:11:23 --> 00:11:25
-I'm stealing this, just so you know.
-Oh, I know.





176
00:11:25 --> 00:11:27
♪ We should've danced all night... ♪

177
00:11:27 --> 00:11:30
[Charlie gasps] Do you wanna go?
Do you wanna play? Come on. Come on!




178
00:11:30 --> 00:11:31
-[Nick] Go on, Nellie.
-Come on.




179
00:11:31 --> 00:11:34
-[Nellie barks]
-[Charlie] Come on! Come on. Come on.

180
00:11:35 --> 00:11:37
♪ Arms, my friend, and we'll ♪




181
00:11:37 --> 00:11:42
-[Charlie] Come on. Here!
-♪ Drink and laugh and sway again ♪

182



00:11:42 --> 00:11:45
♪ And I'll kiss you once, then I'll... ♪

183
00:11:45 --> 00:11:47
[Charlie] Come on.

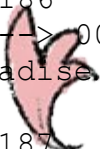


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00:11:47 --> 00:11:51
Come and sit down. Good.
Very good. Come on, sit down. Good girl.

185
00:11:53 --> 00:11:54
You okay?





186
00:11:54 --> 00:11:57
♪ Paradise... ♪




187
00:11:57 --> 00:11:58
Yeah. Uh, just, um...

188
00:11:59 --> 00:12:03
Just stressed about GCSEs.
I'm definitely gonna fail maths on Monday.




189
00:12:03 --> 00:12:06
Want me to help you revise?
We can go through your notes together.




190
00:12:15 --> 00:12:16
[chuckles]

191
00:12:16 --> 00:12:18
♪ This physical desire ♪




192
00:12:21 --> 00:12:23
♪ Think I know now ♪

193




00:12:25 --> 00:12:29
♪ What life should have been like ♪

194
00:12:31 --> 00:12:35
♪ We should've stayed
We should've danced all night ♪




195
00:12:38 --> 00:12:44
♪ But oh, just to hold you
In these arms, my friend ♪

196
00:12:44 --> 00:12:49
♪ And we'll drink and laugh
And sway again ♪




197
00:12:49 --> 00:12:55
♪ And I'll kiss you once
Then I'll kiss you twice ♪


198
00:12:56 --> 00:13:01
♪ We'll call it paradise ♪



199
00:13:02 --> 00:13:04
♪ Paradise ♪




200
00:13:07 --> 00:13:11
♪ We'll call it paradise ♪



201
00:13:11 --> 00:13:14
♪ Paradise ♪

202
00:13:15 --> 00:13:16
[girl] Guys!



203
00:13:16 --> 00:13:18
[laughter]

204

00:13:33 --> 00:13:38

[teacher] All right, guys, welcome
to the Lambert School of Art, everyone!

205

00:13:38 --> 00:13:41

Sign up here
for the sixth-form open evening,

206

00:13:41 --> 00:13:43

and then we can start the tour.

207

00:13:43 --> 00:13:44

[chatter]

208

00:13:44 --> 00:13:48

[teacher] This term, our Year 12s are
working on pieces about climate change,

209

00:13:48 --> 00:13:51

which might be a great topic
for your application pieces

210

00:13:52 --> 00:13:54

if you haven't started
working on them yet.

211

00:13:54 --> 00:13:57

So just spread 'round.
Have a look at the art.

212


00:13:58 --> 00:14:02

Not gonna lie, this is kind of making me
more nervous about my application piece.


213

00:14:02 --> 00:14:05

I haven't finished mine yet.



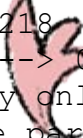

214
00:14:05 --> 00:14:07
-Oh, same.
-I haven't even started.



215
00:14:07 --> 00:14:09
Oh my God, babe, same.


216
00:14:09 --> 00:14:10
[both chuckle]

217
00:14:10 --> 00:14:14
I bet they throw really good parties here.




218
00:14:14 --> 00:14:16
Ignore Felix. They only wanna go here
for the parties.


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00:14:16 --> 00:14:19
They do throw really good parties here,
just so you know.



220
00:14:19 --> 00:14:21
See? I knew it. It's an art-school thing.




221
00:14:22 --> 00:14:24
I'm Naomi, by the way.



222
00:14:24 --> 00:14:25
I'm Elle.

223
00:14:25 --> 00:14:26
And this is Felix.



224
00:14:28 --> 00:14:29
-[Elle] Hey.
-Hey.

225

00:14:30 --> 00:14:33

♪ When I say I'm having a little trouble ♪

226

00:14:33 --> 00:14:38

♪ Caring 'bout a lot of things
Right now... ♪

227

00:14:38 --> 00:14:39

I might not make it, but hopefully...

228

00:14:39 --> 00:14:41

Yeah, honestly. Which one's yours?

229

00:14:41 --> 00:14:43

[student] I can just tell
you're gonna fit in already.

230

00:14:44 --> 00:14:45

-I'm so nervous.
-[student] Don't be.

231

00:14:45 --> 00:14:48

Three, two, one. Picasso.

232

00:14:48 --> 00:14:49

-Picasso.
-Picasso. [laughs]

233

00:14:50 --> 00:14:52

[Naomi] I really hope I get in.


234

00:14:52 --> 00:14:54

I hope we both get in.

235

00:14:54 --> 00:14:55



We will.

236

00:14:56 --> 00:14:59

-I'm speaking it into the universe.
-She's manifesting.



237

00:14:59 --> 00:15:00

[chuckles]

238

00:15:01 --> 00:15:05

I just... hate being at a regular school.

239

00:15:06 --> 00:15:08



Like, everyone knowing you
as the trans girl.



240


00:15:09 --> 00:15:11

Here, I could just


241

00:15:12 --> 00:15:13

be Naomi.




242



00:15:14 --> 00:15:15

Do you know what I mean?

243



00:15:18 --> 00:15:19

Yeah.

244


00:15:20 --> 00:15:21

I really do.

245


00:15:25 --> 00:15:29

[TV presenter] We'll still be able to take
you to the Wheel of Sadness afterwards,



246

00:15:29 --> 00:15:30



but, of course,
we don't wanna take you there.

247

00:15:30 --> 00:15:33

We wanna take you
onto the Mountain of Time.

248

00:15:33 --> 00:15:34

Are you ready? Okay.

249

00:15:34 --> 00:15:37

Will you please
show us the final question?

250

00:15:37 --> 00:15:39

[in Cantonese] Tao, why aren't you eating?

251

00:15:39 --> 00:15:41

[in English] I am eating.

252

00:15:42 --> 00:15:44

[in Cantonese]
What's so interesting on that phone?

253

00:15:44 --> 00:15:45

[in English] Nothing.

254

00:15:45 --> 00:15:47

[in English] Oh, is that Elle? [chuckles]

255

00:15:47 --> 00:15:49


Oh, she's so pretty!

256

00:15:50 --> 00:15:53

She's at this art school open day thing.

257




00:15:53 --> 00:15:55
She's applying for art college?

258

00:15:55 --> 00:15:56
Yeah. For sixth form.

259



00:15:57 --> 00:16:00
So she might be moving away?

260


00:16:01 --> 00:16:02
I don't know. Maybe.

261




00:16:03 --> 00:16:04
It's really far.

262




00:16:04 --> 00:16:09
[in Cantonese] We should invite her
for dinner sometime soon.

263




00:16:10 --> 00:16:11
[in English] Yeah.

264



00:16:11 --> 00:16:15
[TV presenter] ...correct answer.
What is the capital of Bulgaria?


265



00:16:16 --> 00:16:17
[TV contestant] Sofia.

266

00:16:17 --> 00:16:20
[TV presenter] It's Sofia!
Congratulations!



267

00:16:32 --> 00:16:35
Nicholas! How are you feeling
about maths this morning?

268

00:16:35 --> 00:16:38
I still don't get quadratic equations,
so I'm probably gonna fail.

269

00:16:38 --> 00:16:39
Imogen.

270

00:16:40 --> 00:16:42
Why are you dating Ben?

271

00:16:43 --> 00:16:44
What do you mean?

272

00:16:45 --> 00:16:48
He's a dick.
He's... He's done some really bad stuff.

273

00:16:50 --> 00:16:51
What? What did he do?

274

00:16:55 --> 00:16:56
I can't tell you.

275

00:16:59 --> 00:17:02
I've known him since primary school.
He's one of my oldest friends.

276


00:17:02 --> 00:17:03
-Yeah, but--
-You know what?

277

00:17:03 --> 00:17:05
I don't actually have that many friends.

278

00:17:06 --> 00:17:09
But Ben is one of the few people




who actually likes me.

279

00:17:09 --> 00:17:10
And he's been lovely to me,

280




00:17:10 --> 00:17:13
so whatever happened in the past,
he's nicer now.

281


00:17:13 --> 00:17:15
-And I really like him.
-Imogen--

282



00:17:15 --> 00:17:16
Good luck in the exam.

283




00:17:20 --> 00:17:23
-You all right? What's up?
-Nothing. It's fine.

284


00:17:27 --> 00:17:29
It's none of his business.

285



00:17:31 --> 00:17:32
[footsteps echo]

286



00:17:39 --> 00:17:42
And your exam starts

287


00:17:43 --> 00:17:44
now!


288

00:17:44 --> 00:17:46
[tense music plays]

289


00:18:17 --> 00:18:19






[tense music builds]

290
00:18:37 --> 00:18:38
[music fades]




291
00:18:39 --> 00:18:43
You snuck out again? You'll be
in so much trouble with your mum.


292
00:18:43 --> 00:18:45
I'm here to cheer you up
after your terrible exam.




293
00:18:50 --> 00:18:51
[Charlie groans, chuckles]




294
00:18:52 --> 00:18:54
-I think it's too short.
-Mum!



295
00:18:55 --> 00:18:56
No, it's not.




296
00:18:56 --> 00:18:59
You wanted my opinion, so there it is.




297
00:19:01 --> 00:19:03
Well, Naomi said she loves it.

298
00:19:04 --> 00:19:06
That boy of yours is here.




299
00:19:14 --> 00:19:16
[Tao] Was your maths exam okay today?

300
00:19:16 --> 00:19:21




Uh, Tao, you did not come here
just to ask me about my maths exam.

301
00:19:21 --> 00:19:22
Uh...




302
00:19:23 --> 00:19:25
No. Yeah, okay.

303
00:19:28 --> 00:19:29
I guess





304
00:19:31 --> 00:19:33
things have just been
kind of weird lately.




305
00:19:33 --> 00:19:36
I... I mean... I've been a bit weird.

306
00:19:37 --> 00:19:40
So I thought I'd come over and see
if you wanted to hang out this evening.




307
00:19:40 --> 00:19:42
But I guess you can't.




308
00:19:44 --> 00:19:46
I'm going out tonight
with Naomi and Felix.


309
00:19:47 --> 00:19:49
We're going to a club
that does under-18 nights.



310
00:19:49 --> 00:19:51
Club? Wow.



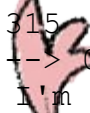
311
00:19:52 --> 00:19:53
I know.




312
00:19:55 --> 00:19:56
I might hate it.

313
00:19:59 --> 00:20:02
Maybe we could have that art day
at the weekend or something?


314
00:20:07 --> 00:20:08
I don't know. Uh...




315
00:20:09 --> 00:20:13
Tao, honestly, I'm kind of busy.




316
00:20:13 --> 00:20:14
Recently, I...



317
00:20:15 --> 00:20:19
You know, with GCSEs and finishing
my application piece for Lambert, it...




318
00:20:20 --> 00:20:20
Yeah.




319
00:20:21 --> 00:20:23
Yeah, yeah. Uh... That's fine.


320
00:20:23 --> 00:20:27
-Sorry.
-No. It's nothing to be sorry about.



321
00:20:32 --> 00:20:33
[Tao chuckles softly]



322
00:20:58 --> 00:21:00
Did I fall asleep?




323
00:21:00 --> 00:21:03
Are you tired,
or is this movie just really boring?

324
00:21:03 --> 00:21:06
I did warn you
I'm not a fan of Marvel movies.


325
00:21:07 --> 00:21:08
Okay.




326
00:21:10 --> 00:21:11
[sighs]




327
00:21:12 --> 00:21:14
Do you want something to eat?



328
00:21:14 --> 00:21:18
-I could make us some dinner.
-No. I'll have something when I get home.




329
00:21:19 --> 00:21:20
I'd love a cup of tea though.




330
00:21:20 --> 00:21:22
[both chuckle]


331
00:21:22 --> 00:21:24
[Nick] You're such an old man!



332
00:21:24 --> 00:21:25
Hey!




333
00:21:25 --> 00:21:26
[gentle music plays]



334
00:21:29 --> 00:21:31
You're so cute.


335
00:21:34 --> 00:21:36
You're so cute. [chuckles]

336
00:21:37 --> 00:21:38
Tickle, tickle, tickle, tickle.




337
00:21:51 --> 00:21:53
-Hi.
-[Nellie growls]


338
00:21:53 --> 00:21:53
Hi.



339
00:21:55 --> 00:21:57
What was your name, sorry?




340
00:21:58 --> 00:22:00
I'm Charlie, and you're...




341
00:22:00 --> 00:22:01
You're Charlie.

342
00:22:02 --> 00:22:04
Right. Um, I'm David. Sorry.



343
00:22:04 --> 00:22:06
So I'm... I'm Nick's older brother.

344
00:22:06 --> 00:22:07



Yeah.

345

00:22:08 --> 00:22:10
-[exhales] Nice to meet you.
-Nice to meet you.




346

00:22:12 --> 00:22:14
[David] And where did you two meet?

347

00:22:15 --> 00:22:17
We're in the same form at school.

348



00:22:17 --> 00:22:18
[Nick] David.




349


00:22:19 --> 00:22:21
[David] There he is. Um...

350

00:22:21 --> 00:22:25
I was just getting acquainted
with, um... with Charlie here.



351



00:22:25 --> 00:22:27
[Nick] Yeah, well, we're busy,
so you can go away now.




352

00:22:29 --> 00:22:30
Are you okay?

353

00:22:30 --> 00:22:31
Yeah.




354

00:22:32 --> 00:22:32
[David] I just...

355

00:22:33 --> 00:22:37



I just wanted to meet the guy that,
you know, turned my little brother gay.


356

00:22:41 --> 00:22:42

What?

357

00:22:43 --> 00:22:45



I mean, I should've always known
you'd turn out to be gay.

358

00:22:47 --> 00:22:50

I'm bi, actually, and so what?

359


00:22:52 --> 00:22:53




"I'm bi, actually."

360

00:22:53 --> 00:22:56



So... Look, if you're gonna be gay,
at least admit you're gay.




361

00:22:56 --> 00:22:58

[Nick] Oh...

362

00:22:58 --> 00:23:00



See, this is exactly
why I didn't wanna tell you!

363

00:23:00 --> 00:23:02



-[David] Too late now!


-[Nick] This is ridiculous.

364

00:23:02 --> 00:23:05

-[David] I'm not allowed to be skeptical?

-[Nick] No! You're not!



365

00:23:06 --> 00:23:07

-[David] Why?



-[Nick] I knew you'd be like this!

366

00:23:07 --> 00:23:09

-Like what?

-Like a homophobic prick!



367

00:23:09 --> 00:23:12

-Boys, what is going on?

-Why did you tell him about Charlie?

368

00:23:12 --> 00:23:14

-I didn't, darling.

-Mum didn't tell me.



369

00:23:14 --> 00:23:16



You left a picture of you two kissing
on your bedroom wall.

370


00:23:16 --> 00:23:18

Why do you keep going in my room?



371


00:23:18 --> 00:23:21



Come on! Mum, he's saying he's bi.
What a load of absolute bullshit.

372

00:23:21 --> 00:23:24




-David, please don't swear.

-He can't even admit he's gay.

373

00:23:24 --> 00:23:26

I mean, I bet
you haven't told Dad yet, have you?




374


00:23:26 --> 00:23:28

[scoffs] Oh my God.
Imagine what Dad's gonna say.

375



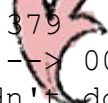

00:23:28 --> 00:23:31
-He's such... He's such a dick!
-[David] I'm just being realistic.




376
00:23:31 --> 00:23:33
Boys, that is enough.
David, in the kitchen now.

377
00:23:34 --> 00:23:35
[sighs]


378
00:23:37 --> 00:23:39
[mum] Why are you winding him up
on purpose?




379
00:23:39 --> 00:23:42
[David] I didn't do anything!
It's him getting wound up for no reason.



380
00:23:42 --> 00:23:44
[mum] What are you doing
going into his bedroom?




381
00:23:44 --> 00:23:47
[David] I went in there one time!
If he didn't want me to know...




382
00:23:47 --> 00:23:48
Should I go home?

383
00:23:48 --> 00:23:51
-[David] ...where anyone could see it.
-[mum] You've got no right to...




384
00:23:51 --> 00:23:53
[arguing continues indistinctly]

385



00:23:55 --> 00:23:56
[Nick] I'm sorry.


386
00:23:57 --> 00:23:59
I'll text you later, okay?



387
00:23:59 --> 00:24:00
Yeah.



388
00:24:01 --> 00:24:02
It's fine.

389
00:24:10 --> 00:24:11
Sorry




390
00:24:13 --> 00:24:15
[poignant music plays]

391
00:24:27 --> 00:24:29
-[cutlery clatters]
-[Charlie's mum] Charlie?




392
00:24:40 --> 00:24:41
Where have you been?



393
00:24:44 --> 00:24:45
Nick's, I assume.

394
00:24:47 --> 00:24:49
I thought we'd agreed
you're gonna spend some time apart



395
00:24:49 --> 00:24:50
until you'd finished your coursework.

396
00:24:51 --> 00:24:53

He was worried about his exams.
I just wanted--

397

00:24:53 --> 00:24:56
Yeah, I don't wanna hear it.
You're grounded for the rest of this term.

398

00:24:56 --> 00:25:00
And don't even think about sneaking out,
or you won't be going on the Paris trip.

399

00:25:08 --> 00:25:10
-[mum sighs]
-[Charlie's dad] Charlie.

400

00:25:13 --> 00:25:16
-Do you want some dinner?
-No. I ate at Nick's.

401

00:25:24 --> 00:25:27
♪ There's a war inside of me ♪

402

00:25:27 --> 00:25:32
♪ Do I cause new heartbreak
To write a new broken song? ♪

403

00:25:32 --> 00:25:39
♪ Do I push it down
Or let it run me right into the ground? ♪

404


00:25:39 --> 00:25:42
♪ I, I feel like ♪

405

00:25:42 --> 00:25:47
♪ I wouldn't like me if I met me ♪

406

00:25:47 --> 00:25:49




♪ I feel like ♪

407

00:25:49 --> 00:25:54

♪ You wouldn't like me if you met me... ♪

408



00:25:54 --> 00:25:54

[Nick sighs]

409

00:25:55 --> 00:25:56

♪ Well, I can't stop talking ♪

410

00:25:56 --> 00:26:00

♪ For fear of listening
To unwelcome sound ♪



411

00:26:02 --> 00:26:04

♪ And you haven't called me in weeks ♪

412

00:26:04 --> 00:26:07

♪ And honestly, it's bringing me down ♪



413

00:26:09 --> 00:26:11

♪ And I feel like ♪



414

00:26:11 --> 00:26:16

♪ I wouldn't like me if I met me ♪



415

00:26:17 --> 00:26:18

♪ I feel like ♪

416

00:26:18 --> 00:26:24

♪ You wouldn't like me if you met me ♪



417

00:26:24 --> 00:26:26

♪ I feel like ♪

418

00:26:26 --> 00:26:31

-♪ I wouldn't like me if I met me ♪
-♪ If I met me ♪

419

00:26:31 --> 00:26:33

♪ I feel like ♪

420

00:26:33 --> 00:26:38

-♪ You wouldn't like me if you met me ♪
-♪ If you met me ♪

421

00:26:38 --> 00:26:39

♪ Don't you... ♪

422

00:26:39 --> 00:26:42

[Nick] Charlie, this is not your fault.

423

00:26:43 --> 00:26:45

I don't care what David thinks anyway.

424

00:26:45 --> 00:26:48

I mean, it was never
gonna go perfectly with everyone.

425

00:26:49 --> 00:26:51

Coming out to my mum was amazing,

426

00:26:52 --> 00:26:56

but there are still awful people
in the world, like my brother.

427


00:26:57 --> 00:27:00

Like, you know, when you came out.


428

00:27:00 --> 00:27:01

[echoing callous laughter]



429
00:27:02 --> 00:27:03
But I can handle it.



430
00:27:04 --> 00:27:05
I promise.


431
00:27:06 --> 00:27:07
♪ Will bring you around ♪

432
00:27:08 --> 00:27:10
♪ And I feel like ♪




433
00:27:10 --> 00:27:15
-♪ I wouldn't like me if I met me ♪
-♪ If I met me ♪


434
00:27:16 --> 00:27:18
♪ I feel like ♪



435
00:27:18 --> 00:27:23
♪ You wouldn't like me if you met me ♪




436
00:27:23 --> 00:27:25
♪ Don't you worry ♪




437
00:27:25 --> 00:27:28
♪ There's still time ♪

438
00:27:29 --> 00:27:30
♪ If you met me ♪




439
00:27:30 --> 00:27:32
♪ Don't you worry ♪

440




00:27:32 --> 00:27:36
♪ There's still time ♪

441
00:27:41 --> 00:27:42
[knocks on door]




442
00:27:43 --> 00:27:46
-[Tao's mum] I brought you apple.
-Thanks.


443
00:27:53 --> 00:27:56
Are you sad about Elle?




444
00:27:59 --> 00:28:01
Yeah. Kind of.




445
00:28:05 --> 00:28:07
You remind me of me and Dad.



446
00:28:07 --> 00:28:10
-What? Mum, that's so weird.
-[chuckles]




447
00:28:11 --> 00:28:14
Well, he was the calm one,
and I was the outspoken one.




448
00:28:16 --> 00:28:18
But when we were in the same room,


449
00:28:19 --> 00:28:21
it was like perfect harmony.

450
00:28:23 --> 00:28:25
And no matter what happened,
we'd both be okay.





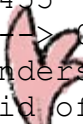

451
00:28:27 --> 00:28:28
So when we lost him,



452
00:28:30 --> 00:28:31
I felt so unbalanced.


453
00:28:32 --> 00:28:34
It was like falling off a cliff.

454
00:28:38 --> 00:28:38
[mum sighs]




455
00:28:39 --> 00:28:42
So I understand
if you're afraid of losing her.


456
00:28:42 --> 00:28:44
If she's growing up and moving on.



457
00:28:45 --> 00:28:49
While I'm stuck here. Same old Tao.




458
00:28:49 --> 00:28:52
Same old Tao isn't so bad.




459
00:28:54 --> 00:28:56
But if you're afraid of losing her,

460
00:28:57 --> 00:29:00
you have to fight to stay by her side.



461
00:29:00 --> 00:29:02
[hopeful music plays]

462
00:29:05 --> 00:29:06



Yeah.

463

00:29:08 --> 00:29:12

-Also, Elle's not dead, so there's that.
-[chuckles]



464

00:29:13 --> 00:29:14

Oh well...

465

00:29:15 --> 00:29:18

[in Cantonese] Don't stay up late.
Sleep is important.


466



00:29:47 --> 00:29:48

[bell rings]

467




00:29:49 --> 00:29:51

I like Elle. Okay?


468

00:29:52 --> 00:29:54

[exhales] I said it.



469



00:29:54 --> 00:29:56

And don't laugh!
I bet you've all been laughing



470

00:29:56 --> 00:29:58

behind my back
because I've been so oblivious.

471


00:29:59 --> 00:30:01

Honestly, Elle can do better,

472

00:30:01 --> 00:30:04

and she probably
doesn't even like me back,



473

00:30:04 --> 00:30:06
and this is probably
going to destroy our friendship,

474

00:30:07 --> 00:30:09
it's going to destroy
our friendship group,

475

00:30:09 --> 00:30:12
and it's going to leave me
devastated for years to come.

476

00:30:12 --> 00:30:15
So this is a really selfish
and stupid thing to do,

477

00:30:16 --> 00:30:17
but I'm going to tell her.

478

00:30:20 --> 00:30:21
Help me.

479

00:30:23 --> 00:30:25
[playful music plays]

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