



RIVERDALE

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"Chapter Forty-Six: The Red Dahlia"

As Betty investigates a string of suicides, Jughead comes face-to-face with one of Hiram's mysterious allies. Meanwhile, Archie spirals out of control.

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EPISODE CAST

K.J. Apa	...	Archie Andrews
Lili Reinhart	...	Betty Cooper
Camila Mendes	...	Veronica Lodge
Cole Sprouse	...	Jughead Jones
Marisol Nichols	...	Hermione Lodge
Madelaine Petsch	...	Cheryl Blossom
Ashleigh Murray	...	Josie McCoy
Mark Consuelos	...	Hiram Lodge
Charles Melton	...	Reggie Mantle
Vanessa Morgan	...	Toni Topaz
Skeet Ulrich	...	FP Jones
Mädchen Amick	...	Alice Cooper
Luke Perry	...	Fred Andrews
Nathalie Boltt	...	Penelope Blossom
Lochlyn Munro	...	Hal Cooper
Kelly Ripa	...	Mrs. Mulwray
Henderson Wade	...	Sheriff Michael Minetta
Jordan Connor	...	Sweet Pea
Drew Ray Tanner	...	Fangs Fogarty
Barbara Wallace	...	Rose Blossom
Bruce Blain	...	Vic
Julian Haig	...	Elio
Brad Mann	...	Leo
Todd Mann	...	Nico
Tom McBeath	...	Smithers
Scott McNeil	...	Tall Boy
Scott Pocha	...	Toby
Sal Sortino	...	Foreman
Brittany Willacy	...	Laura
Nikolai Witschl	...	Dr. Curdle Jr.

1

00:00:08,258 --> 00:00:09,718
[narrator] Previously on Riverdale:

2

00:00:09,801 --> 00:00:11,594
Tall Boy? We know
you're working for Hiram.

3

00:00:11,678 --> 00:00:13,805
Why would he want the town quarantined?

4

00:00:13,888 --> 00:00:17,225
-Apparently there was a mass seizure.
-[Betty] Seizures aren't contagious.

5

00:00:17,308 --> 00:00:18,351
So, what?

6

00:00:18,435 --> 00:00:20,645
There's nowhere he won't follow me.
It's over?

7

00:00:20,729 --> 00:00:25,025
You will stoop to any level
to get me back in your clutches.

8

00:00:25,108 --> 00:00:27,235
I just wanted some father-daughter time.

9

00:00:27,318 --> 00:00:28,361
[Jughead] Claudius Blossom.

10

00:00:28,445 --> 00:00:30,989
[FP] You may not be the Man in Black,
but his stink is on you.

11

00:00:31,072 --> 00:00:33,700
Sheriff Minetta's body was found
in the marsh last night.

12

00:00:33,783 --> 00:00:34,993
It was decapitated.

13

00:00:35,076 --> 00:00:38,163
No, Tall Boy was just trying to escape.
It was an accident.

14

00:00:38,246 --> 00:00:40,623
As far as anyone knows,
Tall Boy's been exiled.

15

00:00:40,707 --> 00:00:41,958
-[gunshot]
-[gasps]

16

00:00:46,838 --> 00:00:50,216
[Jughead] Riverdale,
once a safe, decent, innocent place,

17

00:00:50,717 --> 00:00:52,010
had become Noir Town,

18

00:00:52,093 --> 00:00:54,304
like the setting
of a Raymond Chandler story,

19

00:00:54,387 --> 00:00:58,433
filled with dames to kill for,
postmen who like to ring twice,

20

00:00:58,600 --> 00:00:59,559
and more mobsters

21

00:00:59,642 --> 00:01:01,770
than a Scorsese retrospective
at the Bijou.

22

00:01:02,771 --> 00:01:05,899
We were a town of lost souls.
Each of us wrestling with demons.

23

00:01:06,357 --> 00:01:08,818
Each of us with secrets
we were trying to keep.

24

00:01:09,069 --> 00:01:11,362
Mine was on the large side.

25
00:01:12,030 --> 00:01:13,364
Six-foot-five to be exact.

26
00:01:13,448 --> 00:01:14,824
Explain it to me once more.

27
00:01:14,908 --> 00:01:17,077
We drove him to the bus station
at gunpoint,

28
00:01:17,160 --> 00:01:19,788
-got him on a bus out of town.
-He murdered Joaquin.

29
00:01:19,871 --> 00:01:22,165
You thought putting him on a bus
was enough punishment?

30
00:01:22,248 --> 00:01:24,042
-I don't buy it.
-I made a decision.

31
00:01:24,125 --> 00:01:26,336
I'm sorry you don't agree, but he's gone.

32
00:01:28,338 --> 00:01:30,673
I'll pretend
like I believe you idiots for now.

33
00:01:31,591 --> 00:01:34,469
I got my hands full
finding Hiram's would-be assassin.

34
00:01:35,804 --> 00:01:38,348
Next time you see me, have a better story.

35
00:01:40,391 --> 00:01:42,936
[Jughead] I was covering up the death
of a wicked man.

36

00:01:43,019 --> 00:01:46,356
But Tall Boy Petite wasn't
the only fresh corpse in Noir Town.

37

00:01:46,773 --> 00:01:49,025
Claudius Blossom had taken the big sleep,

38

00:01:49,109 --> 00:01:51,986
and my girlfriend, Betty Cooper,
had murder on the brain.

39

00:01:52,070 --> 00:01:55,573
And murderers, in Betty's world,
needed to be brought to justice.

40

00:01:55,657 --> 00:01:57,283
It's infuriating, Dad.

41

00:01:57,367 --> 00:02:01,079
The Lodge Ledger is calling
Claudius Blossom's death a suicide,

42

00:02:01,162 --> 00:02:04,582
-but I think he was murdered.
-But if he ingested cyanide--

43

00:02:04,666 --> 00:02:06,584
But how did it get in his prison cell?

44

00:02:07,001 --> 00:02:10,213
A gift from his former partner-in-crime
Penelope, I'm guessing?

45

00:02:10,296 --> 00:02:11,631
Poison does suit her.

46

00:02:12,507 --> 00:02:14,008
Subtle, elegant.

47

00:02:14,467 --> 00:02:17,804
But if nobody else is asking questions
about Claudius' death,

48

00:02:18,138 --> 00:02:19,139
why are you?

49

00:02:19,222 --> 00:02:23,268
Because it's black and white,
and wrong, Dad.

50

00:02:23,351 --> 00:02:25,603
Penelope's been killing people for years.

51

00:02:25,687 --> 00:02:28,273
She's literally getting away with murder.

52

00:02:28,356 --> 00:02:32,485
Daryl Doiley was poisoned with oleander,
which is something only the Blossoms grow.

53

00:02:32,777 --> 00:02:34,195
Featherhead, poisoned.

54

00:02:34,279 --> 00:02:35,822
The nuns, poisoned.

55

00:02:36,239 --> 00:02:37,282
And now Claudius.

56

00:02:37,365 --> 00:02:39,117
I just can't prove any of it.

57

00:02:39,200 --> 00:02:42,162
It's like she's committed
the perfect murders.

58

00:02:42,245 --> 00:02:46,207
You've already found the pattern,
murders disguised as suicides.

59

00:02:47,125 --> 00:02:49,586
Who else has died by suicide
near Penelope?

60
00:02:49,669 --> 00:02:50,670
Think now.

61
00:02:51,254 --> 00:02:52,088
Clifford.

62
00:02:52,839 --> 00:02:54,090
But he hung himself.

63
00:02:54,257 --> 00:02:55,091
Perhaps.

64
00:02:55,175 --> 00:02:57,760
I wonder, though,
if that's the whole story.

65
00:02:59,137 --> 00:03:00,430
Who was there that night?

66
00:03:02,182 --> 00:03:03,016
Penelope.

67
00:03:05,602 --> 00:03:06,603
And Cheryl.

68
00:03:07,020 --> 00:03:08,396
If there's a witness,

69
00:03:09,230 --> 00:03:10,565
it's not a perfect murder.

70
00:03:12,817 --> 00:03:17,322
[Jughead] Meanwhile, Archie Andrews
no longer felt hunted by Hiram Lodge,

71
00:03:17,697 --> 00:03:18,948
but he was still haunted.

72
00:03:19,032 --> 00:03:21,576
Trapped in that in-between place,

73

00:03:21,659 --> 00:03:24,495
avoiding his destined face-to-face
with the Man in Black,

74

00:03:24,579 --> 00:03:27,165
Archie struggled,
searching for a sense of purpose.

75

00:03:27,665 --> 00:03:28,833
What's going on, son?

76

00:03:29,042 --> 00:03:31,961
-Is it your breakup with Veronica?
-No, Dad, it's not...

77

00:03:35,215 --> 00:03:36,174
I've been thinking.

78

00:03:37,800 --> 00:03:39,469
Maybe college isn't for me.

79

00:03:40,678 --> 00:03:43,640
Maybe I can work with you
in the construction company again.

80

00:03:44,140 --> 00:03:48,228
Well, there's no shame in hard work,
son, but where's this coming from?

81

00:03:48,603 --> 00:03:50,980
After the crap I've seen
these last few months,

82

00:03:51,064 --> 00:03:54,025
I just wanna get out of my head,
work with my hands,

83

00:03:54,734 --> 00:03:56,319
try and make peace with things.

84

00:03:56,819 --> 00:03:59,906
If you're serious about it,

you better get your butt in gear.

85

00:03:59,989 --> 00:04:01,908
Shift starts in about an hour.

86

00:04:02,909 --> 00:04:05,870
[Jughead] The only thing
Archie knew for sure: he was angry.

87

00:04:06,621 --> 00:04:08,331
And hitting things made it better.

88

00:04:11,125 --> 00:04:12,293
[blowing whistle]

89

00:04:13,169 --> 00:04:14,170
Meal break, boys.

90

00:04:17,131 --> 00:04:17,966
Andrews.

91

00:04:18,508 --> 00:04:20,260
This is a union crew.

92

00:04:20,718 --> 00:04:22,637
You need to take your mandatory break.

93

00:04:23,012 --> 00:04:24,013
Stop working.

94

00:04:29,352 --> 00:04:31,145
When I say stop, you stop.

95

00:04:31,729 --> 00:04:33,690
Back off. I don't need a break.

96

00:04:33,815 --> 00:04:35,400
You don't want to do this, kid.

97

00:04:35,483 --> 00:04:37,068
I got you by about 100 pounds.

98

00:04:43,449 --> 00:04:45,785
That's it.
I don't care if you are Fred's kid.

99

00:04:45,868 --> 00:04:47,829
-You're off my crew!
-The hell I am!

100

00:04:48,413 --> 00:04:50,832
[Jughead] With Hiram laid up
in the hospital clinging to life,

101

00:04:50,915 --> 00:04:53,876
there was blood in the water,
and sharks were closing in

102

00:04:53,960 --> 00:04:56,087
on the mobster's daughter, Veronica Lodge.

103

00:04:56,713 --> 00:04:57,922
From my family to yours.

104

00:04:59,299 --> 00:05:01,426
While I love a grand gesture, Elio,

105

00:05:02,385 --> 00:05:05,513
-diamonds are a girl's best friend.
-These are for your father.

106

00:05:05,596 --> 00:05:08,975
I heard he's still in the hospital,
and I wanted to come here personally

107

00:05:09,058 --> 00:05:13,187
-to tell you I'm praying he pulls through.
-Well, to paraphrase Samuel Clemens,

108

00:05:13,771 --> 00:05:16,524
reports of his death
have been greatly exaggerated.

109

00:05:16,733 --> 00:05:18,860
The vultures are circling, Veronica.

110
00:05:19,193 --> 00:05:21,070
They're eager to swoop in
on his territory.

111
00:05:21,154 --> 00:05:22,488
Talking about yourself?

112
00:05:22,572 --> 00:05:24,657
I'm offering some friendly advice.

113
00:05:24,741 --> 00:05:28,453
Jobs like the hit on your father,
it's very rare they go unfinished.

114
00:05:29,746 --> 00:05:31,914
[Jughead] Yes, we all had our problems.

115
00:05:32,081 --> 00:05:33,583
The town was drowning in them.

116
00:05:33,666 --> 00:05:36,294
A good-looking one was about
to walk through my door.

117
00:05:40,673 --> 00:05:42,383
Nice hat, Bacall.

118
00:05:45,470 --> 00:05:47,013
I've got a job for you, Jones.

119
00:05:48,056 --> 00:05:49,390
I want you...

120
00:05:50,475 --> 00:05:52,268
to find out who shot my father.

121
00:05:54,937 --> 00:05:57,148
You'll get the other half
when you give me their name.

122
00:05:57,231 --> 00:05:58,107
[whistles]

123
00:05:58,691 --> 00:05:59,692
That is a big job.

124
00:06:02,111 --> 00:06:05,782
Half the people in this town wanna
see your old man kick the maple barrel.

125
00:06:05,990 --> 00:06:07,200
-No offense.
-None taken.

126
00:06:07,492 --> 00:06:09,077
I'll give you your first suspect.

127
00:06:12,288 --> 00:06:15,875
My mother. A few weeks ago,
I overheard my parents arguing.

128
00:06:15,958 --> 00:06:18,920
It was right before the quarantine,
after I had my seizure.

129
00:06:19,170 --> 00:06:20,797
[Hermione] No. I supported you.

130
00:06:20,880 --> 00:06:23,716
-You swore that this wouldn't happen.
-What is going on?

131
00:06:23,800 --> 00:06:25,885
My mother was berating my father.

132
00:06:26,052 --> 00:06:27,804
Something about breaking a promise.

133
00:06:30,973 --> 00:06:33,601
-What if you don't like what I find?
-I'm a big girl.

134
00:06:33,810 --> 00:06:34,811
I can take it.

135
00:06:35,686 --> 00:06:36,646
Well, then...

136
00:06:37,855 --> 00:06:40,108
Consider me your Philip Marlowe.

137
00:06:40,691 --> 00:06:43,694
I didn't mind playing detective,
especially for this price.

138
00:06:43,778 --> 00:06:47,281
But if I'd known then and there
where this investigation would lead me,

139
00:06:48,199 --> 00:06:49,867
I never would've taken the money.

140
00:06:56,624 --> 00:07:00,211
-[Hermione] To what do I owe the pleasure?
-I'll just get right to it, Madam Mayor.

141
00:07:01,295 --> 00:07:03,047
-You shoot your husband?
-Excuse me?

142
00:07:03,965 --> 00:07:06,384
-I love my husband.
-Uh-huh. But did you shoot him?

143
00:07:06,926 --> 00:07:08,928
I hear not all is well at The Pembroke.

144
00:07:09,011 --> 00:07:10,721
Records and witnesses will attest,

145
00:07:10,805 --> 00:07:13,141
I was on the phone with Hiram
when he was shot,

146
00:07:13,641 --> 00:07:15,518
picking up lunch at Pop's.

147
00:07:15,726 --> 00:07:18,479
What were you and Hiram arguing about
when Veronica had a seizure?

148
00:07:18,563 --> 00:07:20,481
Well, Mr. Jones, if you must know...

149
00:07:21,441 --> 00:07:23,860
we fought
because I caught Hiram having an affair.

150
00:07:24,485 --> 00:07:28,364
I had been suspicious for a while,
so, I had Sheriff Minetta follow him.

151
00:07:29,157 --> 00:07:31,451
This was before he was butchered,
of course.

152
00:07:32,869 --> 00:07:33,703
And he...

153
00:07:35,455 --> 00:07:36,456
gave me these.

154
00:07:40,835 --> 00:07:42,295
Now, I don't know who she is,

155
00:07:43,004 --> 00:07:45,173
but they met regularly
at the Five Seasons.

156
00:07:45,256 --> 00:07:47,633
But Hiram having another woman
is good motive to shoot him.

157
00:07:47,717 --> 00:07:48,926
No, it isn't.

158
00:07:49,635 --> 00:07:51,721
I simply asked him to end it, and he did.

159
00:07:51,804 --> 00:07:54,599
I'm telling you this
because I have nothing to hide.

160
00:07:56,100 --> 00:07:58,311
Keep those. I mean, who knows?

161
00:07:58,394 --> 00:08:01,272
Maybe Hiram's mistress was angry
when he called it quits.

162
00:08:01,355 --> 00:08:03,357
You do know how volatile blonds can be.

163
00:08:03,441 --> 00:08:04,275
[scoffs]

164
00:08:07,403 --> 00:08:11,532
No. You're not going to the job site today
after you picked a fight yesterday.

165
00:08:12,408 --> 00:08:15,203
I was trying to do my job.
It wasn't my fault. And then Vic--

166
00:08:15,286 --> 00:08:18,539
Vic? Vic who has worked for me
for a very a long time?

167
00:08:18,956 --> 00:08:21,167
-Who knows what he is doing?
-Fine. Whatever.

168
00:08:21,584 --> 00:08:23,461
No. We're not done here, young man.

169
00:08:23,544 --> 00:08:26,923
You wanna explain to me

how I found this in your bedroom?

170

00:08:27,006 --> 00:08:30,384
You think you're the first kid
to take a drink in high school? No.

171

00:08:30,635 --> 00:08:33,429
-This does not solve your problems.
-I'm out of here.

172

00:08:33,513 --> 00:08:35,389
Fine. Take a walk. Clear your head.

173

00:08:35,473 --> 00:08:38,559
While you're out there,
think about how you need to shape up!

174

00:08:41,604 --> 00:08:46,275
[Penelope] We are gathered today
to mourn the passing of one of our own.

175

00:08:48,903 --> 00:08:49,946
Betty.

176

00:08:50,530 --> 00:08:53,241
Sweet, darling Betty.
You've come to pay your respects.

177

00:08:53,991 --> 00:08:57,537
Well, Uncle Claudius was family, so...

178

00:08:57,620 --> 00:08:58,704
Mourn with us, cousin.

179

00:09:03,376 --> 00:09:09,006
Tragically, this ungrateful town never
welcomed Claudius to its bosom.

180

00:09:09,090 --> 00:09:13,094
And I believe that is why
he committed the most cardinal of sins...

181

00:09:14,554 --> 00:09:15,638
taking his own life.

182
00:09:17,807 --> 00:09:19,684
Crocodile tears.

183
00:09:25,815 --> 00:09:27,483
While I appreciate the company,

184
00:09:28,276 --> 00:09:30,611
tell me,
what are you really doing here, Betty,

185
00:09:30,987 --> 00:09:32,154
at our uncle's funeral?

186
00:09:32,238 --> 00:09:33,364
I came to talk to you.

187
00:09:34,323 --> 00:09:39,245
Cheryl, people connected to your mother
keep dying by poisoning,

188
00:09:39,579 --> 00:09:41,664
or by strange suicides,

189
00:09:41,747 --> 00:09:43,207
including your father.

190
00:09:44,417 --> 00:09:45,501
My father...

191
00:09:46,711 --> 00:09:49,380
hung himself in a barn, Betty.

192
00:09:49,839 --> 00:09:51,924
He slipped a rope around his neck

193
00:09:52,008 --> 00:09:54,427
and kicked a maple barrel out
from under him.

194
00:09:55,469 --> 00:09:56,470
End of story.

195
00:09:57,221 --> 00:09:58,306
Is everything okay?

196
00:09:58,889 --> 00:10:01,183
[Cheryl] Betty was being a gnat,
as usual, Tee-Tee.

197
00:10:01,517 --> 00:10:04,270
-And I don't have any patience for it.
-Back off, Betty.

198
00:10:05,187 --> 00:10:06,314
It's been a rough day.

199
00:10:09,317 --> 00:10:11,819
Sweet Pea, Fangs.
Why bring me here? I'm on a case.

200
00:10:11,902 --> 00:10:15,448
I heard the Gargoyle Gang is riled up.
They're looking for Tall Boy.

201
00:10:15,531 --> 00:10:19,118
And as long as his body's down here,
it's a ticking time bomb.

202
00:10:19,201 --> 00:10:21,704
Yeah, well,
it's too hot to move him right now.

203
00:10:21,787 --> 00:10:22,663
Hey.

204
00:10:24,165 --> 00:10:25,583
Let's not lose our heads.

205
00:10:25,666 --> 00:10:28,377
Okay? Fangs,
I need you to stay here with Tall Boy.

206
00:10:28,461 --> 00:10:31,047
And I need you to lock this place up.
I'm serious.

207
00:10:31,422 --> 00:10:33,549
Sweet Pea,
you need to tail someone for me.

208
00:10:35,760 --> 00:10:36,761
[EKG beeping]

209
00:10:38,888 --> 00:10:40,181
[Veronica] Nico, Leo.

210
00:10:40,765 --> 00:10:41,807
We're in a crisis.

211
00:10:41,891 --> 00:10:45,394
The mob underworld smells blood,
and we need to change the narrative.

212
00:10:45,895 --> 00:10:48,522
Obscure the fact
that my father's down for the count,

213
00:10:48,606 --> 00:10:50,691
and present a strong front.

214
00:10:50,775 --> 00:10:52,401
-Too late.
-People are talking.

215
00:10:52,985 --> 00:10:55,780
No one's seen the Man in Black.
No one's collecting the vig.

216
00:10:55,863 --> 00:10:57,740
What? Why the hell not?

217
00:10:57,823 --> 00:11:00,159
We should get out there

and start collecting, immediately.

218

00:11:00,242 --> 00:11:02,286

Nico and I have been discussing options.

219

00:11:02,620 --> 00:11:06,040

It might be in your family's best interest
to align with the Grandes.

220

00:11:06,123 --> 00:11:07,792

You mean Elio's family?

221

00:11:08,084 --> 00:11:10,795

-[chuckles] Not gonna happen.

-Your father took a bullet

222

00:11:10,878 --> 00:11:11,879

two inches from his heart.

223

00:11:11,962 --> 00:11:14,423

If we're not careful,
our next play could be our last.

224

00:11:14,507 --> 00:11:18,302

I don't need you to mob-splain
what's best for my family.

225

00:11:18,386 --> 00:11:21,055

Due respect, you're not being realistic.

226

00:11:21,806 --> 00:11:24,183

Due respect, you're fired.

227

00:11:25,101 --> 00:11:26,644

-Both of you.

-Seriously?

228

00:11:27,103 --> 00:11:29,438

You're getting rid
of the only capos you have left?

229

00:11:29,522 --> 00:11:32,692

The same two clowns who didn't
protect my dad from getting shot?

230

00:11:32,983 --> 00:11:34,151
Yeah, no, we're good.

231

00:11:40,074 --> 00:11:41,784
I consider you both inner circle.

232

00:11:42,118 --> 00:11:43,953
Smithers, as my former doorman,

233

00:11:44,662 --> 00:11:47,873
and Reggie,
as my jacked jack of all trades,

234

00:11:48,374 --> 00:11:50,918
I asked you here
because I need people I can trust.

235

00:11:51,460 --> 00:11:55,214
Our enemies are sensing weakness,
and we need to show strength.

236

00:11:55,297 --> 00:11:56,590
Veronica, if I may...

237

00:11:56,882 --> 00:12:01,053
There was a moment, back in the trenches,
when our numbers were greatly diminished.

238

00:12:01,804 --> 00:12:05,558
We knew the enemy would storm
the barricade at any moment.

239

00:12:05,641 --> 00:12:09,311
I collected the helmets from our dead,
and propped them atop our bayonets.

240

00:12:09,395 --> 00:12:13,107
High enough so that they'd be visible
to our enemies and give them pause.

241
00:12:14,024 --> 00:12:15,025
See, sometimes,

242
00:12:15,609 --> 00:12:17,194
it's not what things are,

243
00:12:17,695 --> 00:12:19,280
it's what they appear to be.

244
00:12:21,824 --> 00:12:23,784
You've just given me an idea, Smithers.

245
00:12:24,243 --> 00:12:26,287
But we're gonna need
your bus driver's cap.

246
00:12:31,208 --> 00:12:33,836
So, who's this blond bombshell
that you're tracking?

247
00:12:34,211 --> 00:12:35,296
Hiram's mistress.

248
00:12:35,671 --> 00:12:38,174
He broke things off with her.
She may want revenge.

249
00:12:38,507 --> 00:12:42,595
Concierge tipped me off about the floor,
but I wish they'd given me a room number.

250
00:12:43,012 --> 00:12:45,264
Well, maybe there was no room number
to give.

251
00:12:46,515 --> 00:12:47,349
[Jughead scoffs]

252
00:12:49,351 --> 00:12:51,979
-Thanks for coming with me, by the way.
-My pleasure.

253
00:12:52,271 --> 00:12:55,733
My investigation is on hold
until I hear back from Dr. Curdle Junior.

254
00:12:56,192 --> 00:12:59,195
Turns out,
there was no autopsy on Claudius.

255
00:12:59,570 --> 00:13:02,406
Penelope had him cremated
before he could perform one.

256
00:13:02,948 --> 00:13:06,243
I'm hoping there's something
in Clifford Blossom's autopsy report.

257
00:13:07,453 --> 00:13:08,913
No one's home. Let's move on.

258
00:13:09,789 --> 00:13:11,290
Would Bogart move on?

259
00:13:11,582 --> 00:13:12,958
Let's just give it a try.

260
00:13:14,794 --> 00:13:16,629
What kind of hotel room is unlocked?

261
00:13:16,712 --> 00:13:18,339
[French music playing on speakers]

262
00:13:27,389 --> 00:13:32,353
And now apparently there's
a not-so-secret sex club in Riverdale.

263
00:13:32,561 --> 00:13:33,771
[whip cracking]

264
00:13:41,904 --> 00:13:42,947
Excuse me.

265

00:13:47,201 --> 00:13:48,244
What is this place?

266
00:13:49,662 --> 00:13:50,663
The Maple Club.

267
00:13:51,580 --> 00:13:54,667
A safe place,
as long as you know the safe word.

268
00:13:57,086 --> 00:13:58,921
You seen this woman? She come here?

269
00:14:00,089 --> 00:14:01,674
You just scared off my client.

270
00:14:13,310 --> 00:14:15,479
She doesn't work here,
but I see her around.

271
00:14:17,189 --> 00:14:18,023
Try Room 311.

272
00:14:19,149 --> 00:14:21,777
Laura, why did Mr. Arklight leave
in such a rush?

273
00:14:23,988 --> 00:14:25,072
Why are you two here?

274
00:14:25,656 --> 00:14:27,950
You know this is a private club. Get out.

275
00:14:28,033 --> 00:14:29,034
You mean a brothel?

276
00:14:30,160 --> 00:14:34,206
By the way, does the new sheriff know
there's a red light district in Riverdale?

277
00:14:36,750 --> 00:14:40,087
My time is costly, children,

so, what do you want?

278

00:14:40,713 --> 00:14:45,259
I knew you were an escort, Auntie,
but now you're exploiting other women?

279

00:14:45,342 --> 00:14:46,218
[chuckles]

280

00:14:46,969 --> 00:14:49,471
These women aren't victims, Betty.

281

00:14:50,389 --> 00:14:53,475
At The Maple Club,
it is the men who suffer.

282

00:14:54,351 --> 00:14:56,020
We specialize in domination.

283

00:14:56,395 --> 00:14:58,731
These ladies make enough
to start new lives.

284

00:14:58,814 --> 00:15:01,567
Oh, please. You are only helping yourself.

285

00:15:01,650 --> 00:15:02,818
And why shouldn't I?

286

00:15:03,903 --> 00:15:05,279
No one else ever has.

287

00:15:05,362 --> 00:15:06,780
When I was eight years old,

288

00:15:06,864 --> 00:15:08,866
I was plucked
from the Sisters of Quiet Mercy

289

00:15:08,949 --> 00:15:10,075
by the Blossom family.

290
00:15:10,159 --> 00:15:13,162
You poisoned the Sisters
because they sold you to the Blossoms?

291
00:15:13,245 --> 00:15:15,289
I didn't kill those nuns. And, anyway...

292
00:15:16,290 --> 00:15:18,751
it was the so-called monsignor
who sold me,

293
00:15:18,834 --> 00:15:20,294
-not the Sisters.
-[Betty] Fine.

294
00:15:20,377 --> 00:15:22,421
You didn't kill the fake nuns.

295
00:15:22,504 --> 00:15:23,631
Did you kill Claudius?

296
00:15:23,714 --> 00:15:27,885
-He committed suicide, so I was told.
-It's pretty convenient, don't you think?

297
00:15:27,968 --> 00:15:31,639
Either way, I was right here
when the poor man died.

298
00:15:32,514 --> 00:15:33,682
Ask any of my girls.

299
00:15:34,683 --> 00:15:38,145
[Jughead] Fun fact of the day:
Penelope is the madam of a kink club.

300
00:15:38,228 --> 00:15:40,356
Okay, her sob story
doesn't change the fact

301
00:15:40,439 --> 00:15:42,149
that she's a stone-cold murderer.

302
00:15:42,650 --> 00:15:45,778
Wanna check out Room 311?
I could use one of your bobby pins.

303
00:15:45,861 --> 00:15:46,779
[cell phone beeps]

304
00:15:47,655 --> 00:15:51,742
It's Curdle. Maybe he tracked down
Clifford's autopsy report.

305
00:15:51,825 --> 00:15:54,203
And just like that,
you are back on the case.

306
00:15:54,912 --> 00:15:57,373
-No rest for the wicked.
-Not in a wicked town.

307
00:15:59,458 --> 00:16:00,459
See you later.

308
00:16:10,636 --> 00:16:16,183
♪ Sooner or later
You're gonna be mine ♪

309
00:16:17,393 --> 00:16:23,732
♪ Sooner or later you're gonna be fine ♪

310
00:16:24,149 --> 00:16:25,192
♪ Baby, it's time... ♪

311
00:16:25,776 --> 00:16:26,610
Reggie.

312
00:16:26,694 --> 00:16:31,281
♪ I always get my man ♪

313
00:16:31,365 --> 00:16:34,576
I think you've had enough, bud.
Let me get you a cab.

314
00:16:35,327 --> 00:16:36,870
I'm a paying customer, Reggie.

315
00:16:37,496 --> 00:16:41,166
-I'll leave when I'm ready to leave.
-Veronica's dealing with enough crap.

316
00:16:41,625 --> 00:16:43,669
She doesn't need you making a scene.

317
00:16:44,378 --> 00:16:46,588
Can I get another bartender
in here, please?

318
00:16:46,672 --> 00:16:48,924
-Another bartender? Don't touch me.
-Let's go.

319
00:16:50,175 --> 00:16:51,677
-[grunts]
-Hey, Toby. Toby.

320
00:16:52,094 --> 00:16:53,637
It's okay. I know him.

321
00:16:54,763 --> 00:16:55,597
He's our friend.

322
00:16:55,973 --> 00:16:57,933
[Archie] It's okay. I'll go. [groans]

323
00:16:59,435 --> 00:17:00,853
-I'll go.
-[Josie] I got him.

324
00:17:00,936 --> 00:17:02,229
I got him. It's fine.

325
00:17:02,688 --> 00:17:03,647
[Josie sighs]

326
00:17:04,314 --> 00:17:05,691
[grunts] God.

327
00:17:07,651 --> 00:17:08,652
Josie.

328
00:17:09,236 --> 00:17:11,572
You can't tell Veronica about this.

329
00:17:13,365 --> 00:17:14,867
Listen up, Andrews.

330
00:17:15,909 --> 00:17:18,120
You are in free fall,
and I am not having it.

331
00:17:18,996 --> 00:17:21,331
It's time for a literal, and metaphoric,

332
00:17:21,415 --> 00:17:22,416
cold shower.

333
00:17:23,042 --> 00:17:24,752
Wait. Wait, Josie, don't--

334
00:17:29,298 --> 00:17:31,133
[Jughead] At the docks,
it was a classic con:

335
00:17:31,550 --> 00:17:34,803
-Smoke and mirrors with a pretty girl.
-Collecting for Lodge.

336
00:17:36,847 --> 00:17:39,308
-Where are Nico and Leo?
-No longer in our employ.

337
00:17:39,767 --> 00:17:40,768
I'm Veronica.

338
00:17:41,643 --> 00:17:44,063

I'm sure you know my father, Hiram Lodge.

339

00:17:47,900 --> 00:17:50,986
He doesn't like to be kept waiting,
and neither do I.

340

00:17:56,200 --> 00:17:57,242
See you next week.

341

00:18:02,664 --> 00:18:03,999
Well played, Ms. Veronica.

342

00:18:04,833 --> 00:18:05,834
Thank you, Smithers.

343

00:18:06,752 --> 00:18:08,128
And you, too, Man in Black.

344

00:18:09,755 --> 00:18:14,343
Apologies for the delay, Ms. Cooper,
but this one took some digging.

345

00:18:14,718 --> 00:18:17,638
Clifford Blossom's wife requested
that there be no autopsy.

346

00:18:18,055 --> 00:18:20,724
But my father was nothing
if not a curious man.

347

00:18:21,058 --> 00:18:23,936
So, let me guess.
He performed one anyways?

348

00:18:24,770 --> 00:18:27,981
What does it say?
That he died of asphyxiation by hanging?

349

00:18:28,190 --> 00:18:30,442
There was bruising around the esophagus,

350

00:18:30,943 --> 00:18:32,277

consistent with a hanging.

351

00:18:32,820 --> 00:18:34,196

-Hmm.

-However...

352

00:18:35,030 --> 00:18:38,033

there was also tetrodotoxin
in his bloodstream.

353

00:18:38,117 --> 00:18:39,159

Puffer fish venom.

354

00:18:39,660 --> 00:18:42,996

In Clifford's case,
the dose was almost certainly fatal.

355

00:18:43,080 --> 00:18:46,291

So, you're saying Clifford
may not have died from hanging,

356

00:18:47,376 --> 00:18:50,003

-but from being poisoned.

-I'm saying that

357

00:18:50,420 --> 00:18:53,423

Clifford Blossom was already dead
when he hung himself.

358

00:18:54,508 --> 00:18:56,760

[Jughead]

And Betty Cooper thought, "Gotcha."

359

00:19:01,974 --> 00:19:03,016

What's this?

360

00:19:03,100 --> 00:19:05,227

Um, lemon, ginger, and cayenne.

361

00:19:11,108 --> 00:19:12,234

Where is your dad?

362

00:19:12,526 --> 00:19:13,569
He's at work.

363
00:19:14,444 --> 00:19:17,948
I got canned on my first day,
so, I went to drown my sorrows.

364
00:19:19,533 --> 00:19:20,659
Look, Archie.

365
00:19:21,743 --> 00:19:24,121
I know we didn't talk much last year,

366
00:19:24,204 --> 00:19:28,333
and I can't even attempt to guess
at the hell that you've been through.

367
00:19:28,417 --> 00:19:31,795
And maybe all you can do now
is wallow in booze,

368
00:19:31,879 --> 00:19:32,921
and pick fights.

369
00:19:33,463 --> 00:19:36,967
But personally, I think you need
to channel your anger

370
00:19:37,050 --> 00:19:38,760
into something constructive,

371
00:19:38,844 --> 00:19:41,430
like music, maybe.

372
00:19:41,513 --> 00:19:42,347
[chuckles]

373
00:19:42,639 --> 00:19:43,807
-Josie--
-Or...

374
00:19:44,725 --> 00:19:46,935

if you're in the mood to hit things...

375

00:19:48,312 --> 00:19:49,813
Kevin's dad boxes at the gym.

376

00:19:50,981 --> 00:19:54,151
Either way, you've gotta deal
with your demons head-on.

377

00:19:56,737 --> 00:19:57,738
I thought I did.

378

00:19:58,572 --> 00:20:00,699
In the cabin, I thought I faced my demons.

379

00:20:01,617 --> 00:20:02,868
And killed them.

380

00:20:07,122 --> 00:20:07,956
And myself.

381

00:20:09,249 --> 00:20:10,250
You're losing me.

382

00:20:10,334 --> 00:20:11,543
You're right, Josie.

383

00:20:12,377 --> 00:20:14,087
I gotta face this head-on.

384

00:20:15,589 --> 00:20:17,716
And there's one person
I still haven't seen

385

00:20:17,799 --> 00:20:19,259
since I've been back in Riverdale.

386

00:20:19,676 --> 00:20:21,094
Archie, where are you going?

387

00:20:21,803 --> 00:20:25,307

I'm going to face,
and kill, one last demon.

388
00:20:27,643 --> 00:20:30,103
[Jughead] That's one thing
about being a crime boss:

389
00:20:30,479 --> 00:20:32,439
You learn to never leave a paper trail.

390
00:20:33,232 --> 00:20:36,985
But Hermione Lodge,
it seems, was out of practice.

391
00:20:38,195 --> 00:20:39,571
What the hell is this, Mom?

392
00:20:39,905 --> 00:20:42,241
I was entering today's take
into Daddy's ledger

393
00:20:42,324 --> 00:20:45,535
when I noticed a shady collection
of invoices and receipts.

394
00:20:45,619 --> 00:20:47,579
So, I dug a little deeper.

395
00:20:49,581 --> 00:20:51,333
And Daddy's Fizzle Rocks empire?

396
00:20:52,918 --> 00:20:54,253
You're a part of it, Mom.

397
00:20:55,045 --> 00:20:56,088
No.

398
00:20:56,838 --> 00:20:59,591
You ordered the quarantine.
You paid these invoices.

399
00:20:59,967 --> 00:21:02,803

-It's your name in blood-red ink.
-No, Veronica.

400
00:21:03,762 --> 00:21:07,724
I found out that your father
and Claudius were making drugs

401
00:21:07,808 --> 00:21:10,978
in the new prison,
and at the Blossom Maple Factory,

402
00:21:11,061 --> 00:21:13,397
so, I told him to shut it down.

403
00:21:13,814 --> 00:21:16,024
I even helped him create a distraction,

404
00:21:16,483 --> 00:21:18,485
so he could do it quickly and cleanly.

405
00:21:18,568 --> 00:21:19,695
The quarantine.

406
00:21:19,778 --> 00:21:20,988
It was a smoke screen.

407
00:21:21,989 --> 00:21:24,449
But then, typical of your father,
he lied to me.

408
00:21:24,533 --> 00:21:26,201
Instead of shutting it down,

409
00:21:26,285 --> 00:21:29,329
he consolidated everything
into the prison. Believe me.

410
00:21:29,663 --> 00:21:31,623
Veronica, I want no part of this.

411
00:21:33,667 --> 00:21:34,668
We agree, then.

412
00:21:35,544 --> 00:21:37,379
Let's end this nightmare.

413
00:21:37,546 --> 00:21:39,881
Destroy the drugs,
and the means of production.

414
00:21:39,965 --> 00:21:41,133
Burn it to the ground.

415
00:21:41,216 --> 00:21:42,843
While Daddy can't lift a finger
to stop us.

416
00:21:42,926 --> 00:21:45,554
Now, that is one option, yes.

417
00:21:46,096 --> 00:21:48,140
Or we could sell it.

418
00:21:49,016 --> 00:21:50,851
I already have a buyer lined up.

419
00:21:50,976 --> 00:21:51,977
All-cash offer.

420
00:21:52,060 --> 00:21:55,188
He's willing to take the drugs,
the lab, everything.

421
00:21:57,232 --> 00:22:00,736
Shouldn't we get something in return
for all the pain he has caused us?

422
00:22:02,863 --> 00:22:05,365
It's over, Auntie Blossom.

423
00:22:05,907 --> 00:22:06,950
I know what you did.

424

00:22:07,034 --> 00:22:08,827
I know what happened in the barn.

425
00:22:09,119 --> 00:22:11,955
How you faked Clifford's hanging
and lied to the police.

426
00:22:12,331 --> 00:22:15,334
And who is your witness? Cheryl?

427
00:22:16,793 --> 00:22:20,255
Proof that you poisoned Clifford
with puffer fish venom.

428
00:22:20,339 --> 00:22:21,465
You'll go to jail for this.

429
00:22:21,548 --> 00:22:24,801
Won't be justice for everyone you killed,
but it's a good start.

430
00:22:27,637 --> 00:22:29,639
You think you know what I've done,

431
00:22:30,140 --> 00:22:32,684
but have you paused to consider why?

432
00:22:34,394 --> 00:22:37,606
Because you're a serial killer,
a black widow.

433
00:22:37,689 --> 00:22:40,067
The Red Dahlia, let's call you.

434
00:22:40,400 --> 00:22:41,985
You poison people.

435
00:22:42,986 --> 00:22:44,196
Not people, Betty.

436
00:22:45,989 --> 00:22:46,823
Men.

437
00:22:47,783 --> 00:22:51,370
I'm not admitting anything,
but they are the true poison.

438
00:22:51,745 --> 00:22:53,246
Clifford killed my son.

439
00:22:53,330 --> 00:22:55,082
Daryl was a Judas.

440
00:22:55,165 --> 00:22:56,416
And Claudius...

441
00:22:56,958 --> 00:22:59,211
I'm surprised
you're not thanking me for that.

442
00:22:59,294 --> 00:23:00,837
Why would I thank you?

443
00:23:00,921 --> 00:23:02,631
Because he caused your seizure.

444
00:23:03,090 --> 00:23:05,008
He caused everyone's seizures.

445
00:23:05,467 --> 00:23:08,553
Claudius was running
a Fizzle Rocks operation

446
00:23:08,637 --> 00:23:11,014
from our once-distinguished maple factory,

447
00:23:11,098 --> 00:23:14,267
and dumping the runoff
into Sweetwater River.

448
00:23:14,351 --> 00:23:17,854
-Fizzle Rocks caused the seizures?
-No, Betty.

449
00:23:17,938 --> 00:23:20,565
The runoff from the manufacturing
of the drug.

450
00:23:20,649 --> 00:23:21,650
Not the drug itself.

451
00:23:21,733 --> 00:23:23,819
But why did it only affect girls?

452
00:23:23,902 --> 00:23:24,903
[chuckles]

453
00:23:25,362 --> 00:23:29,157
I am an herbalist, Betty,
not a medical doctor.

454
00:23:29,241 --> 00:23:33,203
Tests on Sweetwater Reservoir
were ordered and faked.

455
00:23:34,121 --> 00:23:36,581
But Claudius had every intention

456
00:23:36,665 --> 00:23:39,709
of continuing
to poison the town with drugs,

457
00:23:40,252 --> 00:23:43,463
so, it was fitting that poison be his end.

458
00:23:43,547 --> 00:23:48,593
Just because someone is a horrible person
doesn't give you the right to kill them.

459
00:23:48,677 --> 00:23:49,845
Doesn't it?

460
00:23:50,095 --> 00:23:53,306
Isn't that what you did
with the poison that infected your home?

461
00:23:53,390 --> 00:23:54,641
The imposter Chic?

462
00:23:56,351 --> 00:23:57,686
Hal tells me things, too.

463
00:23:58,061 --> 00:24:00,605
When you delivered Chic to the Black Hood,

464
00:24:00,689 --> 00:24:02,232
you sent him to his death.

465
00:24:02,941 --> 00:24:04,443
You're not so innocent, Betty.

466
00:24:04,985 --> 00:24:07,320
And if you insist on turning me in,

467
00:24:08,572 --> 00:24:10,699
I will gladly do the same to you.

468
00:24:12,159 --> 00:24:14,327
[Jughead] And that is when Betty realized:

469
00:24:14,953 --> 00:24:17,164
No one's innocent in Crime Town.

470
00:24:18,290 --> 00:24:21,209
Certainly not
Hiram Lodge's mystery mistress.

471
00:24:33,305 --> 00:24:35,098
What are you doing in my room?

472
00:24:36,933 --> 00:24:38,101
That's a good question.

473
00:24:39,352 --> 00:24:40,353
Here's another one.

474

00:24:41,438 --> 00:24:43,190
Why's a water inspector got a gun?

475
00:24:43,273 --> 00:24:44,566
[gun cocks]

476
00:24:44,649 --> 00:24:46,151
I only wanna talk, Ms. Mulwray.

477
00:24:46,234 --> 00:24:48,487
Who the hell are you?
How do you know my name?

478
00:24:48,570 --> 00:24:50,447
It's the Glamourge Egg, right?

479
00:24:51,281 --> 00:24:53,074
You shoot me, I'll drop it.

480
00:24:54,701 --> 00:24:55,744
[sighs]

481
00:24:56,745 --> 00:24:58,246
I've seen one of these before.

482
00:24:58,914 --> 00:25:01,666
Hiram gives them as gifts.
Maybe in your case, payment.

483
00:25:01,750 --> 00:25:04,294
And it costs more
than you'll make in a lifetime.

484
00:25:04,503 --> 00:25:07,214
So, put it down before you break it.

485
00:25:08,131 --> 00:25:11,635
Based on the things I found in your room,
here's what I know about you.

486
00:25:12,010 --> 00:25:14,095
You're a health and sanitation inspector.

487
00:25:14,429 --> 00:25:17,265
Must pay quite a bit
if you can afford the Five Seasons.

488
00:25:18,308 --> 00:25:20,727
-Unless Hiram put you up.
-But I'm no kept woman.

489
00:25:21,686 --> 00:25:23,730
I do a job, I get paid for it.

490
00:25:24,272 --> 00:25:27,526
Report says you were sent
to investigate Riverdale's water supply.

491
00:25:27,609 --> 00:25:30,529
Specifically,
Sweetwater River and Reservoir. Why?

492
00:25:31,363 --> 00:25:34,199
Young women in town were having seizures.

493
00:25:34,282 --> 00:25:35,534
I was sent in to help.

494
00:25:35,617 --> 00:25:37,077
Brought in by Hiram Lodge.

495
00:25:37,536 --> 00:25:39,663
He also make you write to Governor Dooley,

496
00:25:40,121 --> 00:25:42,457
advising him
to support a town-wide quarantine?

497
00:25:42,999 --> 00:25:44,125
You see, I'm confused,

498
00:25:44,209 --> 00:25:47,921
because the letter says the water's dirty,
but the report says it's clean,

499
00:25:48,004 --> 00:25:50,590
you either lied to the governor
or faked that report.

500
00:25:52,259 --> 00:25:53,927
-Or both.
-You know what?

501
00:25:55,345 --> 00:25:58,390
Break the egg if you want. I don't care.

502
00:25:58,848 --> 00:26:01,810
Just get out of my room
before I call hotel security.

503
00:26:04,646 --> 00:26:05,647
[gasps]

504
00:26:07,566 --> 00:26:11,236
[Jughead] Why was Hiram faking
water test reports? What was he hiding?

505
00:26:11,319 --> 00:26:13,530
What did any of this have to do
with who shot him?

506
00:26:13,613 --> 00:26:14,739
[phone rings]

507
00:26:15,615 --> 00:26:16,449
Yeah.

508
00:26:16,533 --> 00:26:20,287
[Sweet Pea] I followed Hermione Lodge
like you asked. You better get out here.

509
00:26:21,830 --> 00:26:23,498
Stay down, and keep quiet.

510
00:26:30,213 --> 00:26:31,214
Is that...?

511
00:26:32,257 --> 00:26:33,258
It can't be.

512
00:26:35,510 --> 00:26:36,720
Sheriff Minetta's alive?

513
00:26:37,554 --> 00:26:40,432
-Thought he was decapitated.
-Nope. From the sounds of it,

514
00:26:40,515 --> 00:26:42,976
he and Hermione
have been having an affair for months.

515
00:26:43,059 --> 00:26:45,979
-Wait, listen.
-There's too many people asking questions.

516
00:26:46,896 --> 00:26:49,149
Which means,
our little outstanding problem,

517
00:26:49,983 --> 00:26:52,277
you need to take care of tonight.

518
00:26:52,777 --> 00:26:54,112
Now clear the decks.

519
00:26:55,780 --> 00:26:57,282
Use your old sheriff's gun.

520
00:26:58,366 --> 00:27:00,493
Then all signs will point to FP.

521
00:27:00,577 --> 00:27:02,871
-They're talking about framing my dad.
-For what?

522
00:27:03,830 --> 00:27:05,707
I have to figure it out and warn him.

523

00:27:28,146 --> 00:27:30,899
[Jughead] Back in an eerily deserted
Riverdale General,

524

00:27:30,982 --> 00:27:33,151
Archie Andrews was a man on a mission.

525

00:27:33,610 --> 00:27:35,945
On a collision course
with his dark destiny.

526

00:27:40,367 --> 00:27:43,286
After months of torment
at the hands of the Man in Black...

527

00:27:46,456 --> 00:27:49,626
he was trying to bring a sorry chapter
in his life to a close...

528

00:27:50,627 --> 00:27:52,170
the only way he knew how.

529

00:28:01,846 --> 00:28:04,766
-I need to talk to you.
-There's something at the hospital.

530

00:28:04,849 --> 00:28:06,935
No. You can't go there. It's a setup.

531

00:28:08,269 --> 00:28:10,480
Hermione and Minetta-- He's alive.

532

00:28:10,980 --> 00:28:13,108
They plotted together to kill Hiram Lodge.

533

00:28:13,191 --> 00:28:14,192
-What?
-Yes.

534

00:28:14,567 --> 00:28:16,986
They're going to finish the job tonight
and pin it on you.

535
00:28:17,070 --> 00:28:19,197
-Minetta's alive?
-Dad, there is a lot you need to know.

536
00:28:19,280 --> 00:28:20,949
I just got back from the coroner's office.

537
00:28:22,325 --> 00:28:24,911
A week ago, the torso
of a Michael Minetta was found

538
00:28:24,994 --> 00:28:26,287
without its head and hands.

539
00:28:26,996 --> 00:28:29,666
But it wasn't Sheriff Minetta,
because I just saw him.

540
00:28:30,166 --> 00:28:32,168
-He's very much alive.
-Oh, my.

541
00:28:32,252 --> 00:28:35,088
-Someone must've made a grave mistake--
-Save it, Junior.

542
00:28:35,171 --> 00:28:37,006
Who asked you to fake Minetta's death?

543
00:28:39,843 --> 00:28:41,052
Hermione Lodge.

544
00:28:41,302 --> 00:28:45,098
I saw Minetta and Hermione,
up at some secret love shack up north.

545
00:28:45,640 --> 00:28:48,309
I heard them talking about setting you up.

546
00:28:48,393 --> 00:28:52,230
She'll try to put Hiram's shooting on you.

You need to arrest them.

547

00:28:52,313 --> 00:28:53,314
I can't do that.

548

00:28:54,524 --> 00:28:56,526
Yeah, you can. You're the sheriff.

549

00:28:57,235 --> 00:28:59,404
They've been trying to murder Hiram Lodge.

550

00:28:59,487 --> 00:29:00,321
No.

551

00:29:01,990 --> 00:29:03,032
No, they didn't.

552

00:29:03,700 --> 00:29:04,743
[chuckles]

553

00:29:05,285 --> 00:29:06,619
I shot Hiram.

554

00:29:07,203 --> 00:29:08,913
-What?
-Hermione came to me.

555

00:29:08,997 --> 00:29:10,749
She wanted it done. And I...

556

00:29:12,250 --> 00:29:13,293
I wanted revenge.

557

00:29:13,918 --> 00:29:15,754
You think I forgot about Riot Night?

558

00:29:16,755 --> 00:29:19,466
That son of a bitch came close
to getting you killed.

559

00:29:19,549 --> 00:29:23,636

I've been bidding my time,
waiting for the perfect opportunity.

560

00:29:24,387 --> 00:29:27,891
If you and Hermione tried to kill Hiram,
why'd she appoint you sheriff?

561

00:29:28,892 --> 00:29:30,268
Payment. It was my payment.

562

00:29:30,935 --> 00:29:34,355
I was naive enough to think
the office of the sheriff would protect me

563

00:29:34,439 --> 00:29:36,149
if Hermione got an itch
to double-cross me.

564

00:29:36,524 --> 00:29:37,650
Guess I was wrong.

565

00:29:39,778 --> 00:29:42,197
Guess it's lucky
that you have me in your corner.

566

00:29:44,282 --> 00:29:45,700
I have a confession to make.

567

00:29:46,951 --> 00:29:47,911
About Tall Boy.

568

00:29:49,370 --> 00:29:51,956
There's a way
that I can solve both of our problems.

569

00:29:52,499 --> 00:29:54,167
But we'll need Ms. Cooper's help.

570

00:29:56,252 --> 00:29:58,213
[Archie] I came here to end our story.

571

00:29:58,755 --> 00:30:00,965

When we first met, I was a scared kid,

572

00:30:01,341 --> 00:30:03,927
afraid that I could lose everything.

573

00:30:04,677 --> 00:30:08,223
You took me under your wing,
taught me to use fear as a weapon.

574

00:30:09,057 --> 00:30:10,433
And for a while, it worked.

575

00:30:11,226 --> 00:30:12,560
But it also hurt people.

576

00:30:12,977 --> 00:30:17,106
Of all the horrible things you've done,
you know what enrages me the most?

577

00:30:17,524 --> 00:30:19,984
That after my father was shot
by the Black Hood,

578

00:30:20,527 --> 00:30:22,403
and almost died in my arms,

579

00:30:22,987 --> 00:30:24,656
you hired some stooge...

580

00:30:25,532 --> 00:30:27,742
to take another shot at him, in our house.

581

00:30:32,330 --> 00:30:34,666
Maybe it's time I balance the scales.

582

00:30:43,466 --> 00:30:44,676
A shot for a shot.

583

00:31:10,743 --> 00:31:11,828
[grunts]

584

00:31:13,580 --> 00:31:14,747
[panting]

585
00:31:25,425 --> 00:31:27,552
FP. Alice.

586
00:31:27,635 --> 00:31:29,304
-Hermione.
-What's going on here?

587
00:31:29,387 --> 00:31:31,514
Perfect timing. We'll start the interview.

588
00:31:31,973 --> 00:31:33,892
All right, FP, let's check the levels.

589
00:31:34,392 --> 00:31:36,144
-What, I just start talking?
-Yeah.

590
00:31:36,561 --> 00:31:39,147
Well, Madam Mayor,
I am pleased to announce

591
00:31:39,230 --> 00:31:41,566
that we caught the man
who shot your husband.

592
00:31:44,527 --> 00:31:46,321
-You did?
-Mm-hm.

593
00:31:47,155 --> 00:31:48,990
-Who was it?
-Gerald Petite.

594
00:31:49,449 --> 00:31:51,743
But you might know him as Tall Boy.

595
00:31:51,993 --> 00:31:55,330
It seems that Hiram kept him alive
in a secret cabin in the north,

596
00:31:55,413 --> 00:31:56,414
to carry out...

597
00:31:56,998 --> 00:31:58,333
odd jobs for him.

598
00:32:01,210 --> 00:32:02,337
Can you imagine that?

599
00:32:03,546 --> 00:32:05,757
Tall Boy resisted arrest, got violent,

600
00:32:05,840 --> 00:32:09,052
and unfortunately,
I was forced to discharge my sidearm.

601
00:32:10,011 --> 00:32:12,597
He died on the way to the hospital.

602
00:32:14,474 --> 00:32:17,310
-Well, thank goodness it's over.
-[chuckles]

603
00:32:18,019 --> 00:32:19,145
And so neatly, too.

604
00:32:20,647 --> 00:32:23,066
You know,
I would love to interview you next.

605
00:32:23,149 --> 00:32:27,320
Get your perspective as mayor,
and wife of the victim, of course.

606
00:32:27,987 --> 00:32:29,489
That's a great idea, Alice.

607
00:32:29,822 --> 00:32:33,242
It's important that the mayor and I both
go on the record about what happened.

608

00:32:33,326 --> 00:32:34,786
Present a united front.

609
00:32:35,578 --> 00:32:38,873
Don't you agree, Madam Mayor?
That we should be on the same page?

610
00:32:39,624 --> 00:32:40,458
Yes.

611
00:32:42,168 --> 00:32:43,169
I think we are.

612
00:32:44,212 --> 00:32:47,215
I think my mom may have hired someone
to shoot my father,

613
00:32:47,298 --> 00:32:50,677
so that she could make a profit
from the sale of his drug operation.

614
00:32:51,135 --> 00:32:52,345
-Damn.
-I know.

615
00:32:52,428 --> 00:32:53,972
So, we need to act fast.

616
00:32:54,055 --> 00:32:56,349
Tonight we're gonna break into the prison,

617
00:32:56,432 --> 00:32:57,392
find the drugs,

618
00:32:57,475 --> 00:33:01,270
and destroy them, and the equipment,
before my mom sells everything.

619
00:33:01,646 --> 00:33:03,773
Sounds a lot like the plot of Bad Boys II.

620
00:33:05,149 --> 00:33:06,234

I'm in, Ronnie.

621

00:33:06,859 --> 00:33:08,861
But why? If she's selling it--

622

00:33:08,945 --> 00:33:11,698
I'll be damned
if my mom gets a payout for her crimes.

623

00:33:11,781 --> 00:33:13,032
[cell phone ringing]

624

00:33:17,328 --> 00:33:19,288
Archie? What happened?

625

00:33:24,210 --> 00:33:26,212
-I gotta go.
-To meet Archie?

626

00:33:26,295 --> 00:33:27,505
It's not what you think.

627

00:33:28,256 --> 00:33:30,800
But can you handle our heist
on your own, Bad Boy?

628

00:33:31,342 --> 00:33:32,176
Yeah.

629

00:33:50,028 --> 00:33:52,196
-How is he?
-Alive, thanks to you.

630

00:33:53,114 --> 00:33:55,033
But, Archie, what were you doing here?

631

00:33:56,617 --> 00:33:57,660
I...

632

00:33:58,953 --> 00:34:00,038
came looking for you.

633
00:34:02,749 --> 00:34:05,376
Reggie may have told you
what happened at the speakeasy,

634
00:34:05,460 --> 00:34:06,961
how I was acting like an ass.

635
00:34:07,587 --> 00:34:09,964
I wanted to apologize. I wasn't myself.

636
00:34:11,466 --> 00:34:14,010
-I haven't been for a while.
-I'm sorry, too.

637
00:34:15,511 --> 00:34:18,264
That I ever thought for a second
that you shot him.

638
00:34:19,557 --> 00:34:21,350
At some point, maybe I could have.

639
00:34:22,602 --> 00:34:24,562
But I don't hate him anymore, Veronica.

640
00:34:29,108 --> 00:34:30,109
He's awake.

641
00:34:31,235 --> 00:34:32,320
And he wants see you.

642
00:34:36,741 --> 00:34:38,117
And, Archie...

643
00:34:39,619 --> 00:34:41,579
If you ever need a friend to talk to...

644
00:34:55,426 --> 00:34:56,385
Archie Andrews.

645
00:34:59,347 --> 00:35:00,932
Veronica told me what happened.

646
00:35:02,183 --> 00:35:04,602
How I have you to thank for being alive.

647
00:35:13,486 --> 00:35:15,613
We've been locked in battle for some time.

648
00:35:16,531 --> 00:35:19,117
I never set out to be your enemy,
Mr. Lodge.

649
00:35:20,409 --> 00:35:22,870
All I want is
to live in Riverdale in peace.

650
00:35:24,622 --> 00:35:25,665
Well...

651
00:35:26,249 --> 00:35:28,292
I see no reason for us to keep fighting.

652
00:35:29,585 --> 00:35:30,419
So,

653
00:35:30,503 --> 00:35:31,838
starting tonight...

654
00:35:33,172 --> 00:35:34,423
I propose a truce.

655
00:35:35,133 --> 00:35:38,594
You don't make a move against me,
and I won't make a move against you.

656
00:35:39,220 --> 00:35:40,847
A life for a life.

657
00:35:55,820 --> 00:35:58,656
-What are you gonna tell your mom and dad?
-I don't know.

658

00:35:59,699 --> 00:36:00,700
Maybe the truth.

659
00:36:02,910 --> 00:36:03,995
But probably not.

660
00:36:14,297 --> 00:36:16,465
[Jughead] Meanwhile,
in case you'd forgotten,

661
00:36:16,549 --> 00:36:19,010
Betty's encounter with Penelope
had shaken her worldview.

662
00:36:19,093 --> 00:36:21,637
There was only one person
she could talk to about it.

663
00:36:21,721 --> 00:36:25,099
Penelope's guilty.
I found proof that she poisoned Clifford.

664
00:36:25,183 --> 00:36:26,601
My clever daughter.

665
00:36:27,476 --> 00:36:28,978
What do you plan to do next?

666
00:36:29,061 --> 00:36:30,188
I'm not sure.

667
00:36:32,315 --> 00:36:34,442
I thought if I caught her,
I'd turn her in.

668
00:36:34,525 --> 00:36:36,152
But hearing her talk,

669
00:36:36,235 --> 00:36:38,905
seeing how she's living her life,

670
00:36:38,988 --> 00:36:40,698

how she's been twisted...

671

00:36:40,781 --> 00:36:42,950
I don't know, I feel almost feel...

672

00:36:43,034 --> 00:36:44,327
Pity for her?

673

00:36:44,785 --> 00:36:45,870
Penelope and I,

674

00:36:45,953 --> 00:36:48,456
we're products of our environment,
raised by those

675

00:36:48,539 --> 00:36:51,500
who taught us a twisted sense
of right from wrong.

676

00:36:51,584 --> 00:36:55,421
Do you still believe that she's a monster
who deserves to be in here?

677

00:36:55,504 --> 00:36:58,049
Maybe not every murderer is guilty.

678

00:36:59,467 --> 00:37:01,886
And maybe not every victim is innocent.

679

00:37:01,969 --> 00:37:03,846
Maybe it's not all black and white.

680

00:37:04,222 --> 00:37:08,809
I wonder, Betty, if one day,
you'll ever be able to see me

681

00:37:09,268 --> 00:37:11,812
in that same compassionate light.

682

00:37:13,981 --> 00:37:15,316
[Archie clears throat]

683
00:37:16,567 --> 00:37:17,485
[Josie] Oh.

684
00:37:18,778 --> 00:37:20,988
Well, how you feeling, Red?

685
00:37:21,072 --> 00:37:23,074
-[chuckles] Better.
-Good.

686
00:37:23,574 --> 00:37:25,993
Thank you for taking care of me.

687
00:37:26,494 --> 00:37:27,495
Setting me straight.

688
00:37:28,287 --> 00:37:30,539
Sometimes we all need a little tough love.

689
00:37:32,291 --> 00:37:34,335
I was thinking about your advice, too.

690
00:37:34,585 --> 00:37:36,254
Doing something constructive.

691
00:37:36,337 --> 00:37:39,382
-Would Mr. Keller talk to me about boxing?
-For sure he will.

692
00:37:40,633 --> 00:37:41,968
And, uh, I was thinking,

693
00:37:42,051 --> 00:37:43,427
maybe we could...

694
00:37:43,761 --> 00:37:46,264
I don't know,
if you wanted to jam sometime, or...?

695
00:37:47,390 --> 00:37:49,934
-Like the old days? [laughs]

-Yeah.

696

00:37:52,478 --> 00:37:53,479
Yeah, sure.

697

00:37:54,105 --> 00:37:54,939
Let's do it.

698

00:37:55,273 --> 00:37:57,024
But you're singing backup.

699

00:37:58,109 --> 00:37:59,360
-Okay.
-Okay.

700

00:38:00,778 --> 00:38:02,571
[speaks in Spanish]

701

00:38:03,281 --> 00:38:04,782
What the hell did you do?

702

00:38:04,865 --> 00:38:07,076
I assume you're talking about the drugs.

703

00:38:07,868 --> 00:38:10,621
Reggie and I burned them last night,
with the equipment.

704

00:38:10,705 --> 00:38:14,083
But I told you I had a buyer lined up.
They paid in advance.

705

00:38:14,166 --> 00:38:16,585
So, I saved you
from being a drug dealer, Mom.

706

00:38:17,336 --> 00:38:20,339
-Might I suggest you offer them a refund?
-I can't, Veronica.

707

00:38:21,048 --> 00:38:23,259
I used the cash

to pay off Governor Dooley.

708

00:38:23,801 --> 00:38:25,011
To keep our names clean.

709

00:38:25,094 --> 00:38:28,222
And now my buyer is coming,
and they are gonna want blood.

710

00:38:29,348 --> 00:38:32,727
-You have no idea what you've just done.
-I know exactly what I did.

711

00:38:33,519 --> 00:38:35,438
And I know what you did, Mom.

712

00:38:36,063 --> 00:38:37,982
And I'm not the only one on your case.

713

00:38:42,361 --> 00:38:44,739
You think you're really smart, don't you?

714

00:38:45,740 --> 00:38:46,991
You have all the answers.

715

00:38:47,074 --> 00:38:49,785
I know Hiram's mistress works
for the Sanitation Department

716

00:38:49,869 --> 00:38:52,621
and doctored false water reports
for your husband.

717

00:38:52,705 --> 00:38:53,873
I see.

718

00:38:54,874 --> 00:38:56,125
Is that all?

719

00:38:56,208 --> 00:38:57,084
No.

720
00:38:58,544 --> 00:38:59,837
Not in the slightest.

721
00:39:00,588 --> 00:39:02,089
Betty told me about the runoff

722
00:39:02,173 --> 00:39:04,633
from the Fizzle Rocks manufactured
at the factory.

723
00:39:05,134 --> 00:39:08,471
How it poisoned Sweetwater River,
gave everyone seizures.

724
00:39:09,013 --> 00:39:11,223
That's why Hiram had
to doctor those reports.

725
00:39:11,307 --> 00:39:12,308
To cover his ass.

726
00:39:12,433 --> 00:39:14,894
It's also why he moved his drug lab
to the prison.

727
00:39:15,811 --> 00:39:17,188
Away from the water supply.

728
00:39:17,271 --> 00:39:21,275
Now, my guess is
that you were pissed about his drug lab

729
00:39:21,567 --> 00:39:24,070
and what it was doing
to all the girls in the town.

730
00:39:24,612 --> 00:39:28,699
Soon after, you hired my father
to shoot Hiram Lodge.

731
00:39:29,200 --> 00:39:30,326
When that didn't work,

732

00:39:30,409 --> 00:39:32,578
you tried to finish the job
in the hospital with Minetta

733

00:39:32,661 --> 00:39:37,166
and a sheriff-issued pistol
so that you could pin it all on my dad.

734

00:39:37,249 --> 00:39:39,710
Oh, and I also know why you did it.

735

00:39:40,336 --> 00:39:41,295
Veronica.

736

00:39:41,837 --> 00:39:44,423
You knew Hiram was responsible
for her seizure.

737

00:39:44,507 --> 00:39:46,133
Very good, Mr. Jones.

738

00:39:47,051 --> 00:39:48,386
But you forgot one thing.

739

00:39:50,388 --> 00:39:52,765
Last year, Hiram hired Tall Boy

740

00:39:52,848 --> 00:39:55,226
to take shots at me
during the mayoral debate,

741

00:39:55,726 --> 00:39:56,936
nearly killing me.

742

00:39:57,019 --> 00:39:59,563
So, that's what this was about? Revenge?

743

00:40:00,356 --> 00:40:04,151
So that you could run off with Minetta?
Live a happy little life together?

744
00:40:05,027 --> 00:40:07,405
You can't tell anyone about this.

745
00:40:07,863 --> 00:40:09,615
Not Veronica, no one.

746
00:40:09,698 --> 00:40:10,950
Because if I go down...

747
00:40:12,368 --> 00:40:13,494
your father goes down.

748
00:40:14,078 --> 00:40:15,162
And that's a promise.

749
00:40:15,788 --> 00:40:16,997
So, I think...

750
00:40:18,624 --> 00:40:19,667
we should agree...

751
00:40:21,168 --> 00:40:22,628
to keep each other's secrets.

752
00:40:24,004 --> 00:40:25,047
Don't you think?

753
00:40:30,177 --> 00:40:32,388
[Jughead] So,
Hermione and I were deadlocked.

754
00:40:32,847 --> 00:40:33,681
In a stalemate.

755
00:40:34,223 --> 00:40:35,599
Much like Hiram and Archie.

756
00:40:36,350 --> 00:40:37,685
And Betty and Penelope.

757

00:40:38,894 --> 00:40:39,895
As for Minetta?

758
00:40:40,855 --> 00:40:43,274
I didn't imagine there was much
to worry about.

759
00:40:43,357 --> 00:40:44,942
Grab me a cigarette, will you?

760
00:40:45,943 --> 00:40:47,027
Of course, Michael.

761
00:40:49,488 --> 00:40:51,991
We gotta talk about what to do
with FP and his kid.

762
00:40:52,908 --> 00:40:55,870
Your husband always had a simple way
of tying up loose ends.

763
00:40:58,247 --> 00:40:59,331
He did, didn't he?

764
00:41:06,547 --> 00:41:09,425
[Jughead] Perhaps, in Riverdale,
the best you could hope for wasn't to win,

765
00:41:09,508 --> 00:41:12,178
but to draw, and pray not to lose.

766
00:41:13,304 --> 00:41:14,763
Working late, I see.

767
00:41:17,725 --> 00:41:19,935
I assume you're here to find out whodunit.

768
00:41:20,019 --> 00:41:23,272
After my father woke up,
it was the first thing he asked me.

769
00:41:24,356 --> 00:41:26,817

-I told him it was Tall Boy.
-Did he believe you?

770

00:41:26,901 --> 00:41:27,735
I think so.

771

00:41:29,528 --> 00:41:32,448
If it's good enough for my father,
it's good enough for me.

772

00:41:35,409 --> 00:41:36,869
Second half of your payment.

773

00:41:43,626 --> 00:41:45,461
You don't wanna know who really did it?

774

00:41:50,508 --> 00:41:51,759
Forget it, Jughead.

775

00:41:54,220 --> 00:41:55,054
It's Riverdale.