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"The Assassination of Payton Hobart"

As Payton confronts hard truths about his ambition following an election day bombshell, he reconnects with a former ally -- and becomes a target.

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1

00:00:09,884 --> 00:00:11,845
-[students chattering below]
-[Payton exhales]

2

00:00:14,514 --> 00:00:17,225
[clears throat] Lastly, to everyone
who cast a vote for my opponent,

3

00:00:17,308 --> 00:00:19,728
we may have our differences,
but from day one,

4

00:00:19,811 --> 00:00:21,938
I pledge to be president
of every student at this school

5

00:00:22,022 --> 00:00:24,024
and I will make sure
that your voices are heard too.

6

00:00:24,107 --> 00:00:26,276
Certainly doesn't sound like
a concession speech.

7

00:00:28,028 --> 00:00:28,862
It isn't.

8

00:00:29,112 --> 00:00:32,449
Uh, and I...
I didn't bother preparing one.

9

00:00:32,532 --> 00:00:33,908
You see, our internal polls

10

00:00:33,992 --> 00:00:35,994
showed a higher-than-expected rate
of voter turnout.

11

00:00:36,077 --> 00:00:38,580
We needed like 55 percent,
it's hovering around 57.

12

00:00:38,663 --> 00:00:41,416
So, that shortens the tails on our model,
which as of ten minutes ago,

13

00:00:41,499 --> 00:00:44,919
had us at a 71 percent chance of victory.

14

00:00:46,546 --> 00:00:48,298
Listen, the vote is gonna close
in an hour,

15

00:00:48,381 --> 00:00:51,176
and I know that this campaign
has been hard on you, okay?

16

00:00:51,259 --> 00:00:53,219
You've been through a lot
with the whole River thing,

17

00:00:53,303 --> 00:00:54,512
-and-- Sorry.
-[notification chimes]

18

00:00:54,596 --> 00:00:55,764
-Wow.
-[chimes continue]

19

00:00:55,847 --> 00:00:58,141
Seems like the congratulations
are already pouring in.

20

00:00:58,224 --> 00:00:59,309
-I just--
-[phone vibrating]

21

00:00:59,392 --> 00:01:02,020
I wanted to say for the record
I am sorry that this race...

22

00:01:02,562 --> 00:01:03,563
got so nasty.

23

00:01:03,938 --> 00:01:06,733

-Thanks, Payton. Really appreciate it.
-[phone continues vibrating]

24

00:01:07,525 --> 00:01:09,903
But those texts you're getting
aren't congratulations.

25

00:01:09,986 --> 00:01:12,530
I imagine they're from your team
who are probably freaking out.

26

00:01:12,614 --> 00:01:14,032
You're president, Payton.

27

00:01:14,115 --> 00:01:16,326
[chuckles] Well, not yet.

28

00:01:16,409 --> 00:01:19,120
The polls don't close for an hour.
And the votes haven't been counted.

29

00:01:19,204 --> 00:01:20,413
And they're not gonna be.

30

00:01:20,663 --> 00:01:22,373
They're being dumped outside as we speak.

31

00:01:22,874 --> 00:01:25,168
See, a few minutes ago,
I sent around a school-wide email

32

00:01:25,251 --> 00:01:27,504
announcing my withdrawal from the race.

33

00:01:27,587 --> 00:01:30,840
So, Principal Vaughn agreed that
counting the votes would be pointless.

34

00:01:31,132 --> 00:01:33,301
Why-- [clears throat]
Why would you do that?

35

00:01:33,551 --> 00:01:36,054
Because your model was right.
Ours said the same.

36

00:01:36,137 --> 00:01:39,390
Voter turnout was up.
Late deciders were breaking for you,

37

00:01:39,474 --> 00:01:40,642
so instead of just lose,

38

00:01:40,725 --> 00:01:44,104
I thought I would drag you down with me
and make sure you couldn't win.

39

00:01:44,187 --> 00:01:46,815
I mean, you're president,
so you have won something.

40

00:01:47,273 --> 00:01:51,486
An office with no meaning,
which no one can respect.

41

00:01:51,569 --> 00:01:53,696
-[phone vibrating]
-[shaky exhale]

42

00:01:53,780 --> 00:01:55,573
Screw you very much, Payton.

43

00:01:57,033 --> 00:01:58,159
Hell of a campaign.

44

00:02:03,456 --> 00:02:04,499
[door slams shut]

45

00:02:11,589 --> 00:02:12,423
[whispers] What?

46

00:02:17,554 --> 00:02:19,806
-Why don't you answer your phone?
-[Payton] What can we do?

47

00:02:19,889 --> 00:02:21,599
Nothing. They've closed polls
and thrown out ballots.

48

00:02:21,683 --> 00:02:23,309
We can kiss any mandate goodbye.

49

00:02:23,393 --> 00:02:25,436
Well, we can-- Um, we can file an appeal.

50

00:02:25,520 --> 00:02:27,105
Appeal what? Your victory?

51

00:02:27,188 --> 00:02:28,356
Pyrrhic victory is the term,

52

00:02:28,439 --> 00:02:31,901
one that is tantamount to defeat because
it is devoid of any value or meaning.

53

00:02:33,570 --> 00:02:35,280
Shit! [panting]

54

00:02:36,364 --> 00:02:38,241
[Sufjan Stevens' "Chicago" playing]

55

00:02:52,755 --> 00:02:55,466
♪ I fell in love again ♪

56

00:02:56,593 --> 00:03:00,013
♪ All things go, all things go ♪

57

00:03:00,430 --> 00:03:03,224
♪ Drove to Chicago ♪

58

00:03:04,184 --> 00:03:08,021
♪ All things know, all things know ♪

59

00:03:08,104 --> 00:03:11,232
♪ You came to take us ♪

60

00:03:11,941 --> 00:03:15,445
♪ All things go, all things go ♪

61

00:03:15,737 --> 00:03:18,698
♪ To recreate us ♪

62

00:03:19,574 --> 00:03:23,161
♪ All things grow, all things grow ♪

63

00:03:23,703 --> 00:03:26,289
♪ We had our mindset ♪

64

00:03:27,332 --> 00:03:28,791
♪ All things know ♪

65

00:03:29,250 --> 00:03:31,085
♪ All things know ♪

66

00:03:31,169 --> 00:03:34,047
♪ You had to find it ♪

67

00:03:35,006 --> 00:03:38,801
♪ All things go, all things go ♪

68

00:04:08,122 --> 00:04:09,165
You're pathetic.

69

00:04:09,457 --> 00:04:11,542
Infinity. What are you doing here?

70

00:04:11,960 --> 00:04:13,294
I'm on to you, creep.

71

00:04:13,378 --> 00:04:15,463
I'm not a professional clown,
I just like helping kids.

72

00:04:15,546 --> 00:04:16,422
Shut up, Ray!

73

00:04:17,715 --> 00:04:19,926
[whispers] I know... everything.

74

00:04:20,802 --> 00:04:22,762
And I have enough evidence
to put you away forever.

75

00:04:22,845 --> 00:04:26,140
So unless you want to spend
the rest of your life in prison,

76

00:04:26,224 --> 00:04:27,767
you're gonna have to do what I want.

77

00:04:28,142 --> 00:04:29,811
And I have two demands.

78

00:04:31,020 --> 00:04:32,230
All those in favor?

79

00:04:34,023 --> 00:04:35,566
-The motion passes.
-[gavel strike]

80

00:04:35,650 --> 00:04:37,610
Next item I would like to introduce,

81

00:04:37,694 --> 00:04:40,113
St. Sebastian's new student body president

82

00:04:40,196 --> 00:04:43,574
and vice president,
Payton Hobart and Skye Leighton.

83

00:04:43,658 --> 00:04:45,243
Congratulations on your victory.

84

00:04:49,080 --> 00:04:50,707
Oh, thank you, Principal Vaughn.

85

00:04:51,332 --> 00:04:52,834
Members of the board, I am...

86

00:04:54,043 --> 00:04:55,962
I'm humbled to stand before you today.

87

00:04:56,921 --> 00:04:57,880
[clears throat]

88

00:04:58,089 --> 00:05:01,759
Drinking straws have been around
since the third millennium BCE,

89

00:05:01,843 --> 00:05:04,304
since the ancient Sumerians
used straws made of gold.

90

00:05:04,387 --> 00:05:06,723
Ryegrass eventually became used
and then paper.

91

00:05:06,806 --> 00:05:10,977
And in 1955, single-use straws
made of plastic became the norm.

92

00:05:11,227 --> 00:05:15,565
Now over 500 million straws are used
and thrown away each and every day.

93

00:05:15,648 --> 00:05:18,693
That's enough straws to wrap around
our Earth two and a half times.

94

00:05:18,776 --> 00:05:20,361
It's an ecological disaster

95

00:05:21,112 --> 00:05:22,363
and a moral catastrophe.

96

00:05:22,655 --> 00:05:25,950
Board members, I come before you here
to propose that St. Sebastian ban the use

97

00:05:26,034 --> 00:05:27,660

of all single-use plastic straws.

98

00:05:27,744 --> 00:05:30,330
For the cost of just one penny per straw,

99

00:05:30,747 --> 00:05:32,248
we can join the city of Malibu

100

00:05:32,582 --> 00:05:34,250
and McDonald's UK,

101

00:05:35,209 --> 00:05:40,173
and become part of the solution
to this looming environmental catastrophe.

102

00:05:40,256 --> 00:05:41,382
[man] A penny per straw.

103

00:05:41,591 --> 00:05:44,093
The school goes through thousands
of straws every day.

104

00:05:44,177 --> 00:05:45,053
That's a lot of money.

105

00:05:45,136 --> 00:05:47,138
Where do you propose the money comes from?

106

00:05:47,722 --> 00:05:50,058
-Well--
-Mr. Hobart, you should know that straws

107

00:05:50,141 --> 00:05:52,560
are part of an omnibus
cafeteria supplies contract

108

00:05:52,643 --> 00:05:54,062
we have with Cali Food Service,

109

00:05:54,145 --> 00:05:58,316
so we'll be getting plastic straws
through the year 2025 anyway.

110

00:05:58,399 --> 00:06:00,360
That's tens of thousands of straws.

111

00:06:00,902 --> 00:06:02,695
What do we do with them? Throw them away?

112

00:06:03,780 --> 00:06:06,324
Also, this just came to my mind,

113

00:06:06,407 --> 00:06:08,785
a lot of kids like chewing
on plastic straws.

114

00:06:09,118 --> 00:06:10,119
I sometimes do.

115

00:06:10,620 --> 00:06:11,954
Sort of an oral fixation thing.

116

00:06:12,205 --> 00:06:14,248
And I wonder,
if we get rid of those straws,

117

00:06:14,332 --> 00:06:16,626
are these kids gonna be
more likely to, say,

118

00:06:16,709 --> 00:06:19,253
smoke cigarettes or vape?
Do you have any data on that?

119

00:06:20,129 --> 00:06:23,549
[stammers] Smoke, um, that's definitely
something we can look into.

120

00:06:23,633 --> 00:06:25,593
Before the board take the vote on this--

121

00:06:25,676 --> 00:06:27,387
So, we're taking a straw poll?

122
00:06:27,470 --> 00:06:29,472
[all chuckling]

123
00:06:29,555 --> 00:06:30,640
All those in favor?

124
00:06:32,058 --> 00:06:33,226
Motion is denied.

125
00:06:33,309 --> 00:06:35,061
-[gavel strikes]
-Thank you, Payton.

126
00:06:35,144 --> 00:06:36,521
And congratulations again.

127
00:06:38,523 --> 00:06:39,607
[stammers]

128
00:06:39,732 --> 00:06:40,691
Thank you.

129
00:06:45,363 --> 00:06:49,200
The next item is the motion to change
compact fluorescent light bulbs

130
00:06:49,283 --> 00:06:51,911
in common areas from soft white
to cool white.

131
00:06:58,835 --> 00:06:59,961
Infinity?

132
00:07:03,756 --> 00:07:06,175
Answer me! I know you're in there!

133
00:07:07,051 --> 00:07:08,010
How'd you find me here?

134
00:07:08,261 --> 00:07:10,054
Ray, he told me.

135

00:07:10,138 --> 00:07:11,097
Come on. Let me come in.

136

00:07:11,180 --> 00:07:13,349
I can't talk to you
through a crack in the door.

137

00:07:13,433 --> 00:07:15,226
Tough titties, Nana.

138

00:07:16,018 --> 00:07:17,228
Infinity!

139

00:07:18,688 --> 00:07:21,691
Oh, please, honey! Please!

140

00:07:22,608 --> 00:07:24,902
It'll just take a minute, I promise,
then I'll leave.

141

00:07:24,986 --> 00:07:26,571
[groans]

142

00:07:32,034 --> 00:07:32,869
Wow.

143

00:07:33,661 --> 00:07:36,664
-Well, how are you affording this?
-You should ask Ray that.

144

00:07:36,747 --> 00:07:38,124
He's the one paying for it.

145

00:07:38,708 --> 00:07:40,710
It's a place of my own until I graduate.

146

00:07:40,793 --> 00:07:45,339
And all the pistachio
and framboise macarons that I want.

147

00:07:45,423 --> 00:07:48,301
That's my price
for not sending him to prison.

148
00:07:48,593 --> 00:07:49,844
Stupid idiot.

149
00:07:49,927 --> 00:07:53,306
Oh, honey, you can't just eat macarons.

150
00:07:53,389 --> 00:07:55,308
You're gonna end up with diabetes.

151
00:07:55,391 --> 00:07:57,477
But that's-- Nana, that's on you.

152
00:07:57,560 --> 00:07:59,270
I'd never even tried a macaron

153
00:07:59,353 --> 00:08:02,523
until you got us into Club 33
at Disneyland.

154
00:08:02,773 --> 00:08:06,652
Guess what? From now on,
I only want fancy things in my life.

155
00:08:06,736 --> 00:08:08,654
I just can't believe what I'm hearing.

156
00:08:08,738 --> 00:08:12,241
-No?
-I mean, I don't even recognize you.

157
00:08:12,325 --> 00:08:13,367
Good!

158
00:08:13,910 --> 00:08:16,871
-You can't smoke in here.
-Oh, of course I can smoke in here.

159
00:08:16,954 --> 00:08:18,831

You can't smoke in here.

160

00:08:28,758 --> 00:08:29,592
Nana?

161

00:08:30,927 --> 00:08:32,261
How did my mom die?

162

00:08:34,514 --> 00:08:35,723
Well, now, why...

163

00:08:36,390 --> 00:08:39,685
why would you ask me something
that you already know?

164

00:08:39,936 --> 00:08:42,021
She died of kidney failure.

165

00:08:42,522 --> 00:08:43,356
Yeah.

166

00:08:44,565 --> 00:08:46,317
But what caused the kidney failure?

167

00:08:46,901 --> 00:08:48,903
I mean, if we had known that, maybe,

168

00:08:48,986 --> 00:08:51,781
you know, maybe...
we could've helped her.

169

00:08:51,864 --> 00:08:54,075
So, look, all her blood tests

170

00:08:54,158 --> 00:08:56,577
say that she had lead poisoning,

171

00:08:56,661 --> 00:08:58,162
but was never treated for it.

172

00:08:58,246 --> 00:08:59,956

Maybe that's because Ray...

173

00:09:01,290 --> 00:09:04,252
was the technician
who never told the doctors.

174

00:09:04,335 --> 00:09:05,878
Is that how you and Ray met?

175

00:09:05,962 --> 00:09:08,381
-Now you just hold on--
-There's lead paint in our basement.

176

00:09:08,714 --> 00:09:09,840
I know that.

177

00:09:09,924 --> 00:09:11,676
That's why I never,

178

00:09:12,260 --> 00:09:14,845
never, never, never

179

00:09:15,263 --> 00:09:18,224
let you or your mother go down there.

180

00:09:18,307 --> 00:09:19,850
Because it wasn't safe.

181

00:09:19,934 --> 00:09:20,893
But you did.

182

00:09:23,980 --> 00:09:27,066
You went down into the basement
all the time.

183

00:09:27,149 --> 00:09:30,027
What are you saying? That--
That I went down into the basement

184

00:09:30,111 --> 00:09:32,905
and peeled paint chips off the wall
and fed them to your mother?

185

00:09:32,989 --> 00:09:35,658
Yeah. That's exactly what I think.

186

00:09:35,950 --> 00:09:37,493
That is insane.

187

00:09:37,577 --> 00:09:39,996
You've been poisoning me! That's insane!

188

00:09:41,622 --> 00:09:42,707
Nana, it makes sense!

189

00:09:42,790 --> 00:09:44,667
I mean, you learned
how to do it on her, right?

190

00:09:44,750 --> 00:09:45,835
That kept her around?

191

00:09:45,918 --> 00:09:48,629
-No, don't drink so much juice--
-You're not the boss of me!

192

00:09:49,297 --> 00:09:51,924
And you realized
all the attention you were getting, right?

193

00:09:52,008 --> 00:09:55,094
This is an outrageous and evil lie.

194

00:09:55,177 --> 00:09:58,389
I have made copies, Nana,
of all of these papers!

195

00:09:59,932 --> 00:10:01,684
And they are sitting in a post office box

196

00:10:01,767 --> 00:10:04,604
that I told Ricardo to open
if anything happens to me.

197

00:10:05,938 --> 00:10:07,148
So you know what I want?

198

00:10:07,398 --> 00:10:12,069
I want an all-expenses paid
senior trip to Paris, Nana.

199

00:10:13,154 --> 00:10:14,947
Unlimited funds.

200

00:10:15,323 --> 00:10:16,782
I wanna do Paris right.

201

00:10:17,450 --> 00:10:19,702
Freedom is what I need right now.

202

00:10:19,785 --> 00:10:22,580
I wanna go to the restaurant in
Ratatouille, the one where the rat cooks.

203

00:10:22,663 --> 00:10:25,625
That's an animated film, Infinity.

204

00:10:26,042 --> 00:10:28,586
[stammers] Rats don't actually work there.

205

00:10:29,086 --> 00:10:30,463
If you can pull that off,

206

00:10:31,464 --> 00:10:32,465
I might...

207

00:10:34,050 --> 00:10:36,427
might consider coming to your funeral.

208

00:10:39,305 --> 00:10:40,473
Now get the hell

209

00:10:40,931 --> 00:10:42,183
out of my apartment

210
00:10:42,683 --> 00:10:44,060
before I call the cops.

211
00:10:54,612 --> 00:10:57,239
[Shirley Bassey's
"With These Hands" playing]

212
00:10:57,740 --> 00:10:59,408
I'm not sure I should drink that.

213
00:10:59,700 --> 00:11:00,576
I'm only 18.

214
00:11:00,660 --> 00:11:01,744
Oh, come on.

215
00:11:02,161 --> 00:11:05,956
I am sure that you have done
more illegal things

216
00:11:06,040 --> 00:11:08,334
than take a few sips of red wine.

217
00:11:08,417 --> 00:11:13,339
Okay, look, the things that Infinity and I
maybe have done,

218
00:11:14,256 --> 00:11:15,633
those are consensual.

219
00:11:15,716 --> 00:11:20,179
Well, I think you are a great influence
on Infinity.

220
00:11:20,930 --> 00:11:23,641
I hope you two get married

221
00:11:24,141 --> 00:11:26,560
and have babies. [laughs]

222
00:11:26,769 --> 00:11:30,439

I think it would be so wonderful
to have you as part of our family.

223

00:11:30,898 --> 00:11:31,774

Wow!

224

00:11:32,566 --> 00:11:34,402

That-- That's great!

225

00:11:34,485 --> 00:11:36,779

I didn't know that. I mean, me too!

226

00:11:36,862 --> 00:11:41,534

I just wish Infinity felt that way,
'cause she stopped speaking to me.

227

00:11:41,742 --> 00:11:45,871

Oh, well, now, Infinity is going through
some growing pains

228

00:11:45,955 --> 00:11:47,540

and I understand that.

229

00:11:47,790 --> 00:11:48,624

But...

230

00:11:49,166 --> 00:11:50,000

wow.

231

00:11:50,543 --> 00:11:52,628

She has some ideas in her head.

232

00:11:53,796 --> 00:11:55,506

[exhales] They're crazy.

233

00:11:55,589 --> 00:11:59,093

And I have to think,
where would she be getting these ideas?

234

00:11:59,844 --> 00:12:03,889

Who would be poisoning that little girl

235
00:12:04,473 --> 00:12:05,474
against me?

236
00:12:06,350 --> 00:12:07,685
Against the both of us?

237
00:12:08,185 --> 00:12:09,145
Payton.

238
00:12:10,146 --> 00:12:12,440
That's right. Payton.

239
00:12:12,690 --> 00:12:14,233
If it weren't for him,

240
00:12:15,401 --> 00:12:20,656
she'd be sittin' here right now
at this table with us, her family,

241
00:12:21,115 --> 00:12:24,952
listenin' to Shirley Bassey
and watchin' me drink.

242
00:12:25,453 --> 00:12:30,207
♪ And I'll never... ♪

243
00:12:30,374 --> 00:12:31,333
So what?

244
00:12:32,543 --> 00:12:33,627
You think I should kill him?

245
00:12:35,296 --> 00:12:36,130
What?

246
00:12:39,759 --> 00:12:41,177
Yes. Yes, I do.

247
00:12:41,719 --> 00:12:43,220
I'm gonna have to think about that.

248

00:12:43,304 --> 00:12:44,722
Oh, and well you should.

249

00:12:45,514 --> 00:12:48,726
You should think about that long and hard.

250

00:12:49,101 --> 00:12:50,770
He took her away from us,

251

00:12:50,853 --> 00:12:52,146
and she will come back...

252

00:12:52,646 --> 00:12:55,065
if he is out of the picture.

253

00:12:55,608 --> 00:12:56,609
I don't like him.

254

00:12:56,692 --> 00:12:57,651
[inhales deeply]

255

00:12:57,735 --> 00:13:00,279
Now, I think the key here is...

256

00:13:00,946 --> 00:13:02,656
to find a way to do it

257

00:13:03,073 --> 00:13:07,036
so that the suspicion doesn't
swing back on us.

258

00:13:08,829 --> 00:13:09,663
What?

259

00:13:09,747 --> 00:13:13,083
I just don't understand
why you would do all that stuff to her.

260

00:13:16,462 --> 00:13:18,714
What stuff? Hmm?

261

00:13:19,882 --> 00:13:21,842
Makin' her sick? You see?

262

00:13:21,926 --> 00:13:25,971
That is why that Payton is so insidious.

263

00:13:26,347 --> 00:13:28,891
Because he makes some outlandish claim

264

00:13:28,974 --> 00:13:31,560
that is based on no facts,

265

00:13:31,894 --> 00:13:35,356
and simply because it is so outrageous,

266

00:13:35,439 --> 00:13:37,441
it sticks in your mind and you think,

267

00:13:38,192 --> 00:13:40,236
"Could that be true?"

268

00:13:41,362 --> 00:13:42,279
[Dusty scoffs]

269

00:13:43,864 --> 00:13:45,032
[sighs]

270

00:13:50,120 --> 00:13:51,205
Let's say...

271

00:13:52,748 --> 00:13:53,791
I did do it.

272

00:13:54,208 --> 00:13:55,668
What if I made her sick?

273

00:13:55,751 --> 00:13:58,003
I mean, I'm not saying I did, but what if?

274

00:14:00,840 --> 00:14:02,341

Wasn't she happier?

275

00:14:03,342 --> 00:14:08,514
She's all alone,
livin' in a motel for God's sake.

276

00:14:08,806 --> 00:14:13,936
You know, people say to me,
"Dusty, you are a saint."

277

00:14:14,270 --> 00:14:15,187
But...

278

00:14:16,230 --> 00:14:18,065
I'm no saint. [chuckles]

279

00:14:19,149 --> 00:14:22,862
I'm just a little old country girl.

280

00:14:28,826 --> 00:14:33,998
Hey, do you know what my first job was
when I came out here to California?

281

00:14:35,124 --> 00:14:36,166
I was modeling...

282

00:14:37,001 --> 00:14:40,045
for those, uh, Santa Barbara car shows.

283

00:14:40,129 --> 00:14:43,799
[chuckles] Well, I had no trouble
attracting the attention of men.

284

00:14:44,091 --> 00:14:44,967
In fact, I...

285

00:14:46,260 --> 00:14:48,220
I attracted a little too much attention.

286

00:14:48,304 --> 00:14:50,764
And then Richard gets me pregnant,

287

00:14:50,848 --> 00:14:53,726
and the day I tell him
is the last day

288

00:14:55,019 --> 00:14:56,312
I ever see him.

289

00:14:56,687 --> 00:14:59,023
And then suddenly, there I am all alone

290

00:14:59,106 --> 00:15:02,484
with this beautiful little baby
in my arms.

291

00:15:02,568 --> 00:15:04,612
Oh, my God. [chuckles]

292

00:15:04,695 --> 00:15:06,280
I wish you could've seen her.

293

00:15:06,697 --> 00:15:09,783
Infinity's mama was... Oh!

294

00:15:10,868 --> 00:15:12,620
She was so beautiful!

295

00:15:13,871 --> 00:15:17,291
She was just... like a little doll baby.

296

00:15:17,416 --> 00:15:18,834
And I thought, "Well,

297

00:15:19,251 --> 00:15:22,421
at least at least she'll never leave me."

298

00:15:23,297 --> 00:15:26,133
And then, lo and behold, she turns 17,

299

00:15:26,884 --> 00:15:28,761
and I can't do anything right.

300

00:15:29,845 --> 00:15:33,015
But then, she gets knocked up.

301

00:15:33,098 --> 00:15:37,269
She doesn't want to be under this roof,
but she's got nowhere to go.

302

00:15:37,353 --> 00:15:39,563
She can't raise that baby on her own.

303

00:15:45,152 --> 00:15:46,445
And that's when...

304

00:15:47,863 --> 00:15:49,448
I made some mistakes.

305

00:15:52,159 --> 00:15:57,915
I just couldn't let her ruin her life
and Infinity's by leaving.

306

00:15:58,374 --> 00:15:59,333
[baby cooing]

307

00:16:00,000 --> 00:16:02,378
She needed a reason to stay.

308

00:16:04,964 --> 00:16:06,215
And I gave it to her.

309

00:16:12,513 --> 00:16:14,932
And after she got sick,

310

00:16:15,099 --> 00:16:17,518
we were so close again.

311

00:16:19,103 --> 00:16:22,648
All the yellin' and fightin',
that was over.

312

00:16:23,565 --> 00:16:25,609
We were a family again.

313

00:16:27,611 --> 00:16:28,779
And her death...

314

00:16:30,072 --> 00:16:31,532
her death was tragic.

315

00:16:32,658 --> 00:16:35,661
There's no way around that.
I mean, I was devastated.

316

00:16:36,328 --> 00:16:39,623
But then, I had this little girl again.

317

00:16:39,957 --> 00:16:43,127
It was like I'd stepped
through some kind of time warp.

318

00:16:43,210 --> 00:16:47,006
Only this time,
I could change the ending of that story.

319

00:16:47,089 --> 00:16:51,218
I didn't have to watch someone I love
walk out the door.

320

00:16:51,301 --> 00:16:52,344
[hums softly]

321

00:16:53,012 --> 00:16:53,971
If...

322

00:16:55,097 --> 00:16:57,016
I'm saying if I'd done that.

323

00:17:01,687 --> 00:17:05,524
Besides, we just got so much free stuff.

324

00:17:09,486 --> 00:17:10,362
[gasps]

325

00:17:14,366 --> 00:17:15,325
So...

326
00:17:17,786 --> 00:17:20,998
I guess we know what needs to happen here,
don't we, Ricardo?

327
00:17:21,749 --> 00:17:22,791
Mm-hmm?

328
00:17:29,673 --> 00:17:31,842
[seagulls crying]

329
00:17:33,093 --> 00:17:35,471
[woman 1 on video]
But it's not coming out that well.

330
00:17:38,557 --> 00:17:41,185
We used to do like a X,
like a crosshatch

331
00:17:41,268 --> 00:17:42,770
-so that it will...
-[woman 2] Mm-hmm.

332
00:17:43,353 --> 00:17:45,064
[woman 1] ...expose it. You okay?

333
00:17:46,315 --> 00:17:47,399
So good.

334
00:17:47,483 --> 00:17:48,609
[woman 2 chuckles]

335
00:17:48,942 --> 00:17:50,778
Oh, my God. What is that?

336
00:17:51,487 --> 00:17:53,155
[Payton] It's Dr. Pimple Popper.

337
00:17:53,739 --> 00:17:56,909
You mean, there's a TV show

about a lady who just pops pimples?

338

00:17:56,992 --> 00:17:57,993

Mm-hmm.

339

00:17:58,410 --> 00:18:00,037

How did I miss this?

340

00:18:00,120 --> 00:18:01,413

This is brilliant.

341

00:18:01,872 --> 00:18:04,291

I just like that it has
a really clear narrative.

342

00:18:04,500 --> 00:18:06,543

You know, bad things are excised.

343

00:18:07,294 --> 00:18:08,962

Happy ending every time.

344

00:18:12,007 --> 00:18:13,008

[Payton sighs]

345

00:18:13,092 --> 00:18:15,094

I think I'm falling
into a clinical depression.

346

00:18:15,177 --> 00:18:16,512

I know, sweetheart.

347

00:18:17,721 --> 00:18:20,682

It's because you don't take any time
to enjoy yourself.

348

00:18:20,933 --> 00:18:22,559

-That's not who I am.

-[closes laptop]

349

00:18:22,726 --> 00:18:23,936

I'm not about enjoyment.

350

00:18:25,354 --> 00:18:26,980
I'm about winning. [sighs]

351

00:18:27,064 --> 00:18:30,317
I'm about making the world a better place,
and Astrid just took that from me.

352

00:18:30,734 --> 00:18:32,945
I have no mandate, so I have no life.

353

00:18:33,028 --> 00:18:34,113
I have no...

354

00:18:34,863 --> 00:18:36,240
ground to launch from.

355

00:18:36,907 --> 00:18:39,076
Those can't be the only things you enjoy.

356

00:18:39,368 --> 00:18:43,705
You know, I do remember feeling something
when I sang for River at his memorial.

357

00:18:45,707 --> 00:18:47,960
Not happiness per se, but...

358

00:18:49,419 --> 00:18:53,215
just a connection to something
outside the blur of my own ambition and...

359

00:18:54,007 --> 00:18:55,342
thwarted dreams.

360

00:18:55,467 --> 00:18:56,468
Darling,

361

00:18:56,760 --> 00:18:58,720
-you won the election.
-Mmm.

362

00:18:59,012 --> 00:19:00,013

You did it.

363

00:19:00,556 --> 00:19:03,642
Who cares if you can't get healthy snacks
into the cafeteria

364

00:19:03,725 --> 00:19:06,061
or an emotional support pig
in the classroom?

365

00:19:06,520 --> 00:19:08,188
This is your senior year.

366

00:19:08,272 --> 00:19:10,399
You should be enjoying yourself.

367

00:19:10,774 --> 00:19:12,192
Eat some pizza.

368

00:19:12,276 --> 00:19:14,486
Hang out with friends. Experiment.

369

00:19:15,028 --> 00:19:17,781
-I don't know how to do that.
-Would you like some advice?

370

00:19:19,700 --> 00:19:21,994
Find some way
to bring music into your life.

371

00:19:24,663 --> 00:19:26,999
[opens laptop, taps keyboard]

372

00:19:27,958 --> 00:19:29,585
[chatter resumes on video]

373

00:19:29,668 --> 00:19:30,961
-[woman 1] You okay?
-[man] Yeah.

374

00:19:31,044 --> 00:19:32,045
-Oh, my.

-[woman 1] Really?

375

00:19:32,129 --> 00:19:33,797

-That's big.

-I'm not hurting you?

376

00:19:34,673 --> 00:19:36,008

[Georgina whimpers]

377

00:19:36,341 --> 00:19:37,467

Hello again, everyone.

378

00:19:38,302 --> 00:19:40,721

St. Sebastian is home
to 57 drinking fountains.

379

00:19:41,305 --> 00:19:44,474

Now almost two dozen are rarely used,
and nine,

380

00:19:44,892 --> 00:19:46,226

this may come as a shock to you,

381

00:19:46,310 --> 00:19:48,604

in a week of monitoring,
were not used at all.

382

00:19:48,937 --> 00:19:50,314

This is a waste of energy,

383

00:19:50,397 --> 00:19:54,151

and it is taxpayer dollars
literally going down the drain.

384

00:19:57,321 --> 00:19:58,238

'Cause...

385

00:19:59,656 --> 00:20:01,742

[sighs] Um, so I'm here to propose a plan

386

00:20:01,825 --> 00:20:05,037

that would remove 15 of the

lowest-performing drinking fountains,

387

00:20:05,454 --> 00:20:08,332
and use the revenue saved
to replace the remainder

388

00:20:08,415 --> 00:20:11,335
with state-of-the-art
eco-conscious fountains.

389

00:20:12,044 --> 00:20:14,296
-Motion denied. Thank you, Payton.
-[gavel strikes]

390

00:20:14,379 --> 00:20:17,633
We're gonna take a short recess
and reconvene in five minutes.

391

00:20:24,598 --> 00:20:26,934
This is a disaster.

392

00:20:27,017 --> 00:20:29,561
Yeah. They don't seem at all interested
in water-use policy.

393

00:20:29,645 --> 00:20:31,230
No, I mean Payton.

394

00:20:31,688 --> 00:20:33,649
He's the disaster. He has no agenda.

395

00:20:34,942 --> 00:20:36,944
We need him out of the way
so we can do something.

396

00:20:37,027 --> 00:20:38,737
-What do you mean?
-Why are we talking straws

397

00:20:38,820 --> 00:20:39,863
and water fountains?

398

00:20:40,072 --> 00:20:42,491
We should be up there asking
why girls' participation in sports

399

00:20:42,574 --> 00:20:43,951
is half of what it is among boys.

400

00:20:44,618 --> 00:20:46,328
It's like a Title IX issue right there.

401

00:20:49,289 --> 00:20:51,500
"You should be president."
That's what you're thinking.

402

00:20:51,583 --> 00:20:53,669
-I didn't say that.
-You didn't have to.

403

00:20:55,212 --> 00:20:57,881
We need to get rid of him, McAfee.

404

00:21:04,388 --> 00:21:05,305
Why are you doing this?

405

00:21:05,389 --> 00:21:07,724
I'm giving you sensible,
common sense proposals.

406

00:21:07,975 --> 00:21:10,185
You're giving me useless,
expensive proposals

407

00:21:10,269 --> 00:21:11,645
that will cost me my job.

408

00:21:11,728 --> 00:21:14,731
If you're not willing to take risks,
maybe you don't deserve your job.

409

00:21:15,357 --> 00:21:16,942
You didn't win the election, Payton.

410

00:21:17,025 --> 00:21:18,902
Yeah, I know.
Astrid dropped out before I could.

411
00:21:18,986 --> 00:21:22,239
We counted the ballots,
and Astrid won the election by two votes.

412
00:21:23,115 --> 00:21:23,949
What?

413
00:21:24,032 --> 00:21:26,118
You don't speak for the students
at St. Sebastian.

414
00:21:26,201 --> 00:21:28,620
They heard your message,
but they picked somebody else.

415
00:21:28,704 --> 00:21:29,955
You don't have a mandate.

416
00:21:30,289 --> 00:21:31,623
You're not Barack Obama.

417
00:21:31,707 --> 00:21:32,833
You're Gerald Ford.

418
00:21:34,042 --> 00:21:35,294
Enjoy your senior year.

419
00:21:44,219 --> 00:21:45,304
Hi, it's Payton.

420
00:21:52,686 --> 00:21:53,687
What do you want?

421
00:21:55,314 --> 00:21:56,857
I was wondering, um...

422
00:21:58,692 --> 00:21:59,776
Can I buy you dinner?

423

00:21:59,860 --> 00:22:01,611
-[crickets chirping]
-[Infinity] Mmm!

424

00:22:01,695 --> 00:22:03,488
[muffled] Mmm. That was good.

425

00:22:04,197 --> 00:22:05,157
You look great.

426

00:22:05,949 --> 00:22:06,867
You...

427

00:22:07,159 --> 00:22:09,911
-definitely got your appetite back.
-[both chuckle]

428

00:22:11,163 --> 00:22:12,122
Well, food...

429

00:22:13,665 --> 00:22:15,625
Food finally tastes normal again.

430

00:22:15,709 --> 00:22:19,463
Chemo made everything taste spicy.
Like, if there was one speck of pepper...

431

00:22:20,630 --> 00:22:23,133
my whole mouth would burn
like it was on fire. [chuckles]

432

00:22:25,302 --> 00:22:26,636
Infinity, um...

433

00:22:28,972 --> 00:22:30,766
So, I think I owe you an enormous apology.

434

00:22:31,224 --> 00:22:34,186
Why? I mean,
you said it yourself, you s--

435

00:22:37,022 --> 00:22:38,065
you saved my life.

436

00:22:38,315 --> 00:22:40,567
Yeah, but I went about it all wrong.

437

00:22:41,151 --> 00:22:42,944
I was a politician...

438

00:22:44,613 --> 00:22:45,947
and not a human being.

439

00:22:47,157 --> 00:22:48,492
What happened to you is terrible.

440

00:22:48,742 --> 00:22:50,660
And I just got caught up in it

441

00:22:51,119 --> 00:22:52,079
because of my...

442

00:22:52,621 --> 00:22:54,247
my ambition, you know?

443

00:22:54,331 --> 00:22:56,166
But I have an idea that I think...

444

00:22:56,792 --> 00:22:58,794
I think could be really great for you.

445

00:22:58,877 --> 00:23:01,129
It's something that I'm gonna do to try...

446

00:23:01,922 --> 00:23:03,799
and enjoy my last few months here.

447

00:23:05,967 --> 00:23:06,802
Try at least.

448

00:23:06,885 --> 00:23:09,179

And I really think that it might

449

00:23:10,055 --> 00:23:12,307
actually be fun if we did it together.

450

00:23:15,227 --> 00:23:16,186
What is it?

451

00:23:20,774 --> 00:23:21,900
[Payton clears throat]

452

00:23:23,485 --> 00:23:25,445
Hello. I'm Payton Hobart.

453

00:23:25,529 --> 00:23:28,907
I will be auditioning for...
any of the male leads.

454

00:23:28,990 --> 00:23:33,578
Payton, can I just say
I was at the assembly for River

455

00:23:33,662 --> 00:23:35,914
when you sang that amazing song to him.

456

00:23:35,997 --> 00:23:37,916
You, sir, don't have to audition.

457

00:23:38,750 --> 00:23:41,378
Would you consider playing the part
of John Hinckley?

458

00:23:41,461 --> 00:23:44,381
Trust me, it's the role.
You'll be fantastic.

459

00:23:44,464 --> 00:23:45,590
[stammers] Yeah, sure.

460

00:23:45,674 --> 00:23:46,633
Oh, great.

461

00:23:46,716 --> 00:23:48,176
Thank you, Payton.

462

00:23:48,260 --> 00:23:49,511
Rehearsals start Monday.

463

00:23:49,594 --> 00:23:52,222
Um, I do actually have one condition,
though. Um...

464

00:23:53,140 --> 00:23:53,974
[whispers] Come on.

465

00:23:54,057 --> 00:23:58,687
I will only do the show if you can
cast my friend Infinity as well.

466

00:24:01,815 --> 00:24:04,359
Oh! [giggling]

467

00:24:04,443 --> 00:24:05,485
It's so bright.

468

00:24:06,486 --> 00:24:08,280
My name is Infinity Jackson,

469

00:24:08,363 --> 00:24:12,659
and I'm specifically trying out
for the role of Squeaky Fromme.

470

00:24:12,742 --> 00:24:13,577
Ah.

471

00:24:15,245 --> 00:24:17,664
What's the next one?
Red leather, yellow leather.

472

00:24:17,747 --> 00:24:20,709
-Red leather, ye-- llow leather.
-[knocking at door]

473

00:24:25,464 --> 00:24:26,298
[whispers] Hey.

474
00:24:27,883 --> 00:24:30,177
Infinity! Can I please talk to you?

475
00:24:31,761 --> 00:24:33,054
I'm dying every day.

476
00:24:33,430 --> 00:24:34,973
Who told you that I was here?

477
00:24:35,056 --> 00:24:38,018
Your nana. She wants us to be together.
She told me so.

478
00:24:40,020 --> 00:24:42,189
Ricardo, finding out that I wasn't dying

479
00:24:42,272 --> 00:24:44,608
was the best thing
that's ever happened to me.

480
00:24:44,691 --> 00:24:48,361
It opened my eyes, and now I can see
all the things that my life can be.

481
00:24:48,445 --> 00:24:50,822
I can have my own place.
I can eat macarons.

482
00:24:50,906 --> 00:24:53,867
I can go to Paris.
I can play the lead in a musical.

483
00:24:53,950 --> 00:24:54,951
-What?
-Yeah, that's right.

484
00:24:55,035 --> 00:24:57,954
They're doing Assassins at school
and I got the part of Squeaky Fromme.

485

00:24:58,038 --> 00:24:59,080

It is, uh...

486

00:25:01,082 --> 00:25:03,126

It's the best part in the show. [chuckles]

487

00:25:03,668 --> 00:25:04,753

No.

488

00:25:04,836 --> 00:25:05,921

Yeah.

489

00:25:06,004 --> 00:25:08,590

-Best part of the show is John Hinckley.

-Goodbye.

490

00:25:09,257 --> 00:25:10,759

Forever, Ricardo.

491

00:25:12,761 --> 00:25:13,845

Infinity!

492

00:25:14,804 --> 00:25:16,264

You're not gonna get a second chance.

493

00:25:17,057 --> 00:25:19,476

I'm warning you!

Something really bad is gonna happen.

494

00:25:19,726 --> 00:25:21,436

I don't care!

495

00:25:25,148 --> 00:25:28,360

[director] I don't think you can be
in the show if you don't go here.

496

00:25:28,985 --> 00:25:30,362

Well, I used to go here.

497

00:25:31,196 --> 00:25:32,948

But I dropped out a couple years ago.

498

00:25:33,031 --> 00:25:34,658
And I talked to the career counselor

499

00:25:34,741 --> 00:25:37,911
about enrolling in some night classes
to get my GED, so...

500

00:25:38,912 --> 00:25:40,580
technically I will be going here.

501

00:25:40,664 --> 00:25:43,083
Look, I know you need guys.

502

00:25:43,166 --> 00:25:44,918
And I really wanna be a part of this show.

503

00:25:45,001 --> 00:25:49,381
Oh, okay, well, you do have to audition.
Is there a song you'd like to sing?

504

00:25:49,464 --> 00:25:50,298
Yeah.

505

00:25:50,840 --> 00:25:53,885
I'm gonna sing "Beneath a Moonless Sky"

506

00:25:54,344 --> 00:25:56,763
from Andrew Lloyd Webber's
Love Never Dies.

507

00:25:56,846 --> 00:25:58,473
It's the sequel to Phantom of the Opera.

508

00:25:59,975 --> 00:26:01,434
Hit it, Ms. Piano DJ.

509

00:26:03,353 --> 00:26:07,524
Congratulations,
cast of Stephen Sondheim's Assassins.

510

00:26:08,066 --> 00:26:09,859
Okay, so, uh...

511
00:26:09,943 --> 00:26:14,197
I think you all know one another,
but I'd like to introduce Ricardo.

512
00:26:14,281 --> 00:26:16,908
He is a continuing education student here,

513
00:26:16,992 --> 00:26:20,620
and he is our John Wilkes Booth.

514
00:26:22,289 --> 00:26:24,291
[whispers]
I will never forgive you for this.

515
00:26:24,374 --> 00:26:29,879
Now, before we dive in with some
"getting to know you" exercises,

516
00:26:29,963 --> 00:26:34,175
Daria is going to be giving each of you
a dramaturgical packet

517
00:26:34,259 --> 00:26:37,762
of all the characters
portrayed in this play.

518
00:26:38,513 --> 00:26:42,434
Because I really want us to go deep here.

519
00:26:42,517 --> 00:26:45,061
I want each and every one of you

520
00:26:45,145 --> 00:26:47,522
to become these characters.

521
00:26:47,606 --> 00:26:49,858
Because we have to remember,

522
00:26:49,941 --> 00:26:52,402

a villain never thinks he's a villain.

523

00:26:52,485 --> 00:26:55,488
He is the hero of his own story.

524

00:26:55,572 --> 00:26:58,074
[upbeat melody]

525

00:27:00,785 --> 00:27:03,955
Don't be afraid about looking stupid.

526

00:27:04,039 --> 00:27:07,709
Just move your bodies to the music.

527

00:27:08,043 --> 00:27:09,836
Don't think about it.

528

00:27:09,919 --> 00:27:11,755
Oh, yes, Ricardo.

529

00:27:11,838 --> 00:27:12,881
Great!

530

00:27:13,715 --> 00:27:15,216
[whispers] I don't want to do this.

531

00:27:15,759 --> 00:27:19,346
That's the point, Infinity.
It's a trust exercise.

532

00:27:19,596 --> 00:27:22,599
And one, two, three.

533

00:27:24,059 --> 00:27:26,311
[gasps, giggling]

534

00:27:26,394 --> 00:27:28,521
-I finally did it, didn't I?
-You did great.

535

00:27:28,605 --> 00:27:29,689

[laughing]

536

00:27:30,148 --> 00:27:30,982
Get off!

537

00:27:31,274 --> 00:27:33,568
[speaking lyric]
♪ A thing distinctly hard to say ♪

538

00:27:33,652 --> 00:27:35,278
♪ Yet harder still to do ♪

539

00:27:35,737 --> 00:27:38,114
[all] ♪ A thing distinctly hard to say ♪

540

00:27:38,198 --> 00:27:40,116
♪ Yet harder still to do ♪

541

00:27:43,953 --> 00:27:45,789
[upbeat piano melody ends]

542

00:27:55,507 --> 00:27:56,591
[sighs]

543

00:28:08,061 --> 00:28:09,521
[reporter] Mr. President!

544

00:28:10,480 --> 00:28:12,982
President Reagan! President Reagan!

545

00:28:13,191 --> 00:28:15,360
[gunshots]

546

00:28:15,443 --> 00:28:17,028
-[woman 1] God!
-[woman 2] Oh, God!

547

00:28:17,112 --> 00:28:18,405
[woman 1 shrieks]

548

00:28:18,822 --> 00:28:20,323

-[taps key]
-[reporter] Mr. President!

549
00:28:21,199 --> 00:28:23,702
President Reagan! President Reagan!

550
00:28:23,910 --> 00:28:26,162
[gunshots]

551
00:28:26,246 --> 00:28:27,622
-[woman 1] God!
-[woman 2] Oh, God!

552
00:28:27,706 --> 00:28:28,832
[woman 1 shrieks]

553
00:28:30,542 --> 00:28:31,751
[reporter] Mr. President!

554
00:28:32,627 --> 00:28:35,171
President Reagan! President Reagan!

555
00:28:35,255 --> 00:28:37,507
[gunshots]

556
00:28:37,590 --> 00:28:39,008
-[woman 1] God!
-[woman 2] Oh, God!

557
00:28:39,092 --> 00:28:40,093
[woman 1 shrieks]

558
00:28:41,261 --> 00:28:43,513
-[taps key]
-[gunshots]

559
00:28:43,847 --> 00:28:46,433
-[James] I don't believe it.
-Two votes? How did she even know that?

560
00:28:46,516 --> 00:28:47,559
She counted them.

561

00:28:47,642 --> 00:28:49,060
[James] No. No, this is bullshit.

562

00:28:49,144 --> 00:28:51,187
She's lying. The model said we had
an 80% chance of winning.

563

00:28:51,271 --> 00:28:52,397
[McAfee] The model isn't the problem.

564

00:28:52,480 --> 00:28:54,733
The problem is you assuming high turnout
early in the day

565

00:28:54,816 --> 00:28:57,527
would continue later in the day,
which is A, stupid and--

566

00:28:57,610 --> 00:28:58,695
Both of you shut up!

567

00:28:58,778 --> 00:29:00,238
The fact is that we lost, okay?

568

00:29:00,321 --> 00:29:01,656
Can go back and forth about fault,

569

00:29:01,740 --> 00:29:04,868
but we will still face the fact
that the voters rejected our message,

570

00:29:05,285 --> 00:29:07,120
and that we don't have
their confidence, okay?

571

00:29:07,203 --> 00:29:09,622
Our real problem is
that we now have two big secrets, okay?

572

00:29:09,706 --> 00:29:12,167
Astrid won, and we knew Infinity

did not have cancer.

573

00:29:12,250 --> 00:29:14,878
If either of those facts ever get out,
our careers are over.

574

00:29:14,961 --> 00:29:16,588
You're exhausted. We need to calm down.

575

00:29:16,671 --> 00:29:18,256
Do not interrupt me, James!

576

00:29:22,260 --> 00:29:24,679
This is what happens, guys, okay?
We have two little secrets.

577

00:29:24,763 --> 00:29:25,889
Hey, we didn't actually win.

578

00:29:25,972 --> 00:29:27,640
And hey, you remember
that girl with cancer?

579

00:29:27,891 --> 00:29:30,643
We knew that she did not have cancer,
and we opted not to tell her.

580

00:29:30,727 --> 00:29:32,812
Okay? Next campaign,
maybe there'll be, I don't know,

581

00:29:32,896 --> 00:29:35,815
two more and then 15 years from now,
I'm running for Senate

582

00:29:35,899 --> 00:29:38,067
and we have 40 skeletons in our closet.

583

00:29:38,151 --> 00:29:40,153
Payton, how can we help?

584

00:29:40,612 --> 00:29:41,738

Give me your loyalty.

585

00:29:41,821 --> 00:29:43,072
You have our loyalty.

586

00:29:43,156 --> 00:29:44,199
Then put it in writing.

587

00:29:49,204 --> 00:29:50,955
Sign a non-disclosure agreement.

588

00:29:51,039 --> 00:29:51,956
[McAfee scoffs]

589

00:29:52,832 --> 00:29:53,792
You've gotta be kidding.

590

00:29:53,875 --> 00:29:55,335
No one is kidding anyone, James.

591

00:30:00,840 --> 00:30:03,343
"During the term of your service
and at all times hereafter,

592

00:30:03,426 --> 00:30:05,637
you hereby agree not to disclose,
disseminate, or publish

593

00:30:05,720 --> 00:30:08,723
any confidential information
in any way detrimental to Mr. Hobart--"

594

00:30:08,807 --> 00:30:11,017
This is all very standard stuff.
It's boilerplate, McAfee.

595

00:30:11,100 --> 00:30:13,603
"Breach of said agreement
will be entitled to all remedies,

596

00:30:13,686 --> 00:30:17,148
including, but not limited to

monetary damages of five million dollars"?

597

00:30:17,232 --> 00:30:18,316
I don't believe this.

598

00:30:18,399 --> 00:30:20,819
We've been friends since we were eight,
you can trust us.

599

00:30:20,902 --> 00:30:22,529
Okay, good. Then none of this is an issue,

600

00:30:22,612 --> 00:30:24,739
and you should have no problem
putting it in writing.

601

00:30:26,157 --> 00:30:28,618
Look, right now,
we're all great friends, right?

602

00:30:28,701 --> 00:30:31,120
Right? We're all in this together. But...

603

00:30:31,788 --> 00:30:33,581
when the stakes get higher,
friendships fail.

604

00:30:34,040 --> 00:30:36,668
So, sign the NDAs, and we can ensure that
that never happens.

605

00:30:38,837 --> 00:30:40,463
I signed mine ten minutes ago.

606

00:30:43,800 --> 00:30:46,010
Just think five million is
a little over the top.

607

00:30:46,427 --> 00:30:48,888
For the record, this is insane.

608

00:30:59,148 --> 00:31:00,066

Thank you.

609

00:31:21,087 --> 00:31:21,963
[McAfee] Payton.

610

00:31:23,381 --> 00:31:24,924
You seem really stressed.

611

00:31:25,008 --> 00:31:28,261
I mean, I know you're stressed
and worn out and pissed off,

612

00:31:28,344 --> 00:31:30,096
so I thought this might cheer you up.

613

00:31:33,099 --> 00:31:35,143
It's red velvet.
Skye and I made a whole batch.

614

00:31:35,226 --> 00:31:36,185
I hope it tastes okay.

615

00:31:38,396 --> 00:31:39,522
Hey...

616

00:31:40,440 --> 00:31:41,399
I got your back.

617

00:31:45,778 --> 00:31:47,989
-You want a bite?
-I'm reducing for prom.

618

00:31:52,410 --> 00:31:54,954
[Payton retching, coughing]

619

00:31:55,246 --> 00:31:56,706
[man] How long has he been like this?

620

00:31:56,789 --> 00:31:57,832
Over an hour.

621

00:31:57,916 --> 00:32:00,168
I did the juneberry and cactus poultice.

622
00:32:00,668 --> 00:32:02,211
I put the crystal by his head.

623
00:32:02,295 --> 00:32:03,630
Did you place some in his armpits?

624
00:32:03,713 --> 00:32:06,382
Yes. I did everything you told me to do.

625
00:32:06,466 --> 00:32:08,092
Nothing's working. I'm scared.

626
00:32:08,176 --> 00:32:10,094
[Payton exhales]
It's probably just a bug, Mom.

627
00:32:10,470 --> 00:32:11,346
[retching]

628
00:32:12,430 --> 00:32:13,681
[Payton gasping]

629
00:32:15,141 --> 00:32:17,560
[man chanting softly]

630
00:32:18,061 --> 00:32:19,103
[device beeps]

631
00:32:20,688 --> 00:32:22,398
103.5!

632
00:32:23,441 --> 00:32:25,276
We need to get him to a hospital.

633
00:32:25,360 --> 00:32:27,362
[retches]

634
00:32:31,366 --> 00:32:33,117

-How are you? You OK?
-Is it something you ate?

635
00:32:33,201 --> 00:32:34,494
I'm okay now, but...

636
00:32:35,620 --> 00:32:37,330
this is bad, you guys. I'm...

637
00:32:38,539 --> 00:32:39,582
I'm genuinely scared, OK?

638
00:32:39,666 --> 00:32:41,209
First we find out
I'm not a legitimate president,

639
00:32:41,292 --> 00:32:42,752
then someone tries to assassinate me.

640
00:32:42,835 --> 00:32:46,005
Wait, hold on. Are you sure you didn't
just, like, have a bad oyster?

641
00:32:46,089 --> 00:32:48,132
Someone tried to kill me, James.

642
00:32:48,466 --> 00:32:50,635
Okay, I don't think
we need to jump to conclusions.

643
00:32:50,718 --> 00:32:52,595
-Yeah, why would someone do that?
-Ronald Reagan.

644
00:32:54,055 --> 00:32:56,975
At the nadir of his popularity,
he's leaving the Washington Hilton...

645
00:32:57,058 --> 00:32:58,935
-[gunshots]
-...and John Hinckley opens fire.

646

00:32:59,018 --> 00:33:02,689
Reagan is hit and his agent Brady gets
shot in the head and paralyzed for life.

647
00:33:02,981 --> 00:33:04,774
Payton, everyone agrees
that was a tragedy.

648
00:33:04,857 --> 00:33:06,484
Abe Lincoln, James!

649
00:33:06,567 --> 00:33:08,569
[actors performing indistinctly]

650
00:33:09,904 --> 00:33:12,240
-[gunshot]
-[audience screaming]

651
00:33:12,323 --> 00:33:14,492
When you become president,
people come after you, James.

652
00:33:14,575 --> 00:33:16,202
People who want to stop what you're doing,

653
00:33:16,285 --> 00:33:18,538
people who want someone else in office
doing something different,

654
00:33:18,621 --> 00:33:19,789
and people that are just nuts.

655
00:33:21,249 --> 00:33:23,626
I barfed my guts out, James. Okay?

656
00:33:23,710 --> 00:33:25,670
It's not like I just ate a bad oyster.

657
00:33:25,837 --> 00:33:26,879
I was puking blood.

658
00:33:26,963 --> 00:33:28,047

I was poisoned.

659

00:33:29,924 --> 00:33:31,134
McAfee tried to kill me.

660

00:33:31,217 --> 00:33:32,760
Wait. McAfee?

661

00:33:33,011 --> 00:33:33,970
Yeah, ask her.

662

00:33:38,099 --> 00:33:41,060
McAfee, did you poison Payton? [sighs]

663

00:33:42,437 --> 00:33:43,479
Yeah, I think I did.

664

00:33:43,813 --> 00:33:46,274
-[James] Wait, what?
-[stammers] I didn't mean to.

665

00:33:46,733 --> 00:33:48,401
Skye and I made those cupcakes.

666

00:33:48,484 --> 00:33:50,278
I made the cake part,
but Skye made the icing.

667

00:33:50,361 --> 00:33:51,654
Then we had them, they were fine.

668

00:33:52,321 --> 00:33:54,198
But Skye wanted to make
a special cake for Payton

669

00:33:54,282 --> 00:33:55,658
with icing I didn't see her make.

670

00:33:57,785 --> 00:33:59,704
I didn't think anything of it,
who poisons someone?

671

00:33:59,787 --> 00:34:01,039
But now I think she had to have.

672

00:34:01,122 --> 00:34:03,207
She'd been talking about
getting rid of you,

673

00:34:03,291 --> 00:34:05,251
-I thought it was just talk.
-Are you kidding me?

674

00:34:05,334 --> 00:34:07,045
-Get out.
-When were you gonna mention this?

675

00:34:07,128 --> 00:34:09,297
-I didn't think she'd actually kill him!
-Get out!

676

00:34:10,214 --> 00:34:12,425
-I don't ever want to see you again.
-Payton, please.

677

00:34:12,508 --> 00:34:13,968
McAfee, it's over. Leave.

678

00:34:25,146 --> 00:34:27,148
[Skye] Are you saying
what I think you're saying?

679

00:34:27,356 --> 00:34:29,275
Why did you put special icing
on Payton's cupcake?

680

00:34:29,358 --> 00:34:31,861
Because I wanted to write a message
on it to be nice, McAfee.

681

00:34:31,944 --> 00:34:33,071
What was in the icing, Skye?

682

00:34:33,154 --> 00:34:34,405

Sugar and butter, bitch!

683

00:34:37,033 --> 00:34:41,370
I will not sit here and be accused
of trying to murder someone...

684

00:34:42,580 --> 00:34:44,082
when making the cupcakes was your idea.

685

00:34:44,165 --> 00:34:45,958
Three days earlier,
giving you plenty of time--

686

00:34:46,042 --> 00:34:49,045
And I went along with it,
which now I realize I shouldn't have.

687

00:34:49,670 --> 00:34:53,549
Because I wanted to do something nice for
someone who I actually think is an idiot,

688

00:34:53,633 --> 00:34:54,509
and who I can't stand.

689

00:34:54,926 --> 00:34:57,345
So if you want to believe
I tried to murder Payton

690

00:34:57,428 --> 00:35:00,181
so I could be student body president,
I have two things to say to you.

691

00:35:00,264 --> 00:35:02,809
-I'm just trying to understand--
-Number one, screw you.

692

00:35:04,310 --> 00:35:06,145
Number two, I'm dumping your ass.

693

00:35:06,854 --> 00:35:09,524
And I'm probably doing you a favor
because I don't think you're gay,

694

00:35:09,607 --> 00:35:11,526
you tight-ass, stuck-up tourist.

695

00:35:11,609 --> 00:35:14,612
If you were, you'd know your way
around a woman's body,

696

00:35:14,695 --> 00:35:16,239
which, just so you know,

697

00:35:16,823 --> 00:35:17,824
you don't.

698

00:35:29,210 --> 00:35:30,086
Mom?

699

00:35:45,643 --> 00:35:46,686
[sighs]

700

00:35:48,646 --> 00:35:50,064
[doorbell rings]

701

00:35:51,691 --> 00:35:53,943
[gasps] What are you doing here?

702

00:35:54,026 --> 00:35:55,153
I need to talk to you.

703

00:35:55,236 --> 00:35:56,195
Not here.

704

00:35:56,654 --> 00:35:58,030
God, my husband is upstairs.

705

00:35:58,114 --> 00:36:01,951
He's finishing a giant jigsaw puzzle
of Peggy Guggenheim's Venetian Palazzo.

706

00:36:03,828 --> 00:36:05,121
Stables, 15 minutes.

707

00:36:05,204 --> 00:36:06,914

-Okay.

-No sex.

708

00:36:06,998 --> 00:36:08,040

[scoffs]

709

00:36:12,670 --> 00:36:15,381

[horses whinnying, nickering]

710

00:36:30,021 --> 00:36:32,607

I thought you went to work
on a dude ranch in Wyoming.

711

00:36:32,857 --> 00:36:34,483

Montana. It's beautiful.

712

00:36:34,567 --> 00:36:36,402

I saw a man get murdered by a bear.

713

00:36:36,485 --> 00:36:38,446

I don't think a bear can murder a man.

714

00:36:39,238 --> 00:36:42,909

He can kill him, but murdering
sounds like there's malicious intent.

715

00:36:42,992 --> 00:36:45,536

My point is it's all so real there.

716

00:36:46,120 --> 00:36:47,330

You could use some real.

717

00:36:48,206 --> 00:36:50,082

I made a commitment to my son.

718

00:36:51,250 --> 00:36:52,835

If I leave, he'll lose everything.

719

00:36:53,169 --> 00:36:54,754

He will lose you if you stay.

720

00:36:55,046 --> 00:36:56,172
You will start resenting him.

721

00:36:56,255 --> 00:36:57,548
Maybe not today,

722

00:36:57,632 --> 00:36:59,091
but someday soon.

723

00:36:59,342 --> 00:37:01,302
I'm flying back tomorrow. Come with me.

724

00:37:08,726 --> 00:37:09,894
Tomorrow.

725

00:37:15,608 --> 00:37:16,984
[Payton] "My dearest Jodie,

726

00:37:17,068 --> 00:37:19,445
I'm humiliated by my weakness
and my impotence,

727

00:37:20,696 --> 00:37:21,989
but I can change.

728

00:37:22,406 --> 00:37:26,619
Jodie, I'll prove to you that I can change
with one brave historic act.

729

00:37:26,911 --> 00:37:29,914
I'll win your love now
and for all eternity.

730

00:37:33,542 --> 00:37:34,502
Love, John."

731

00:37:37,171 --> 00:37:39,173
[soft guitar melody]

732

00:37:53,646 --> 00:37:54,647

♪ I am ♪

733

00:37:55,606 --> 00:37:56,482

♪ Nothing ♪

734

00:37:57,817 --> 00:38:02,738

♪ You are wind and water and sky ♪

735

00:38:04,031 --> 00:38:05,074

♪ Jodie ♪

736

00:38:06,158 --> 00:38:12,290

♪ Tell me, Jodie

How I can earn your love? ♪

737

00:38:12,665 --> 00:38:16,460

♪ I would swim oceans

I would move mountains ♪

738

00:38:16,544 --> 00:38:20,673

♪ I would do anything for you ♪

739

00:38:21,674 --> 00:38:25,511

♪ What do you want me to do? ♪

740

00:38:26,387 --> 00:38:30,850

♪ I am unworthy of your love ♪

741

00:38:31,309 --> 00:38:33,185

♪ Jodie, Jodie ♪

742

00:38:33,936 --> 00:38:40,234

♪ Let me prove worthy of your love ♪

743

00:38:41,652 --> 00:38:45,531

♪ Tell me how I can earn your love ♪

744

00:38:45,614 --> 00:38:48,492

♪ Set me free ♪

745

00:38:49,285 --> 00:38:52,997

♪ How can I turn your love to me? ♪

746

00:38:56,208 --> 00:38:57,168

♪ I am ♪

747

00:38:58,044 --> 00:38:59,211

♪ Nothing ♪

748

00:38:59,962 --> 00:39:04,383

♪ You are wind and devil and god ♪

749

00:39:05,468 --> 00:39:08,471

♪ Charlie, take my blood ♪

750

00:39:08,554 --> 00:39:13,476

♪ And my body for your love ♪

751

00:39:13,559 --> 00:39:17,480

♪ Let me feel fire, let me drink poison ♪

752

00:39:17,563 --> 00:39:21,901

♪ Tell me to tear my heart in two ♪

753

00:39:21,984 --> 00:39:25,488

♪ If that's what you want me to do ♪

754

00:39:26,572 --> 00:39:31,118

♪ I am unworthy of your love ♪

755

00:39:31,202 --> 00:39:33,454

♪ Charlie, darlin' ♪

756

00:39:33,829 --> 00:39:40,294

♪ I have done nothing for your love ♪

757

00:39:41,003 --> 00:39:44,840

♪ Let me be worthy of your love ♪

758

00:39:44,924 --> 00:39:47,593

♪ Set you free ♪

759

00:39:48,344 --> 00:39:51,597

♪ I would come take you from your life ♪

760

00:39:51,680 --> 00:39:54,725

♪ I would come take you from your cell ♪

761

00:39:55,059 --> 00:39:58,062

♪ You would be queen to me, not wife ♪

762

00:39:58,437 --> 00:40:01,774

♪ I would crawl belly-deep through hell ♪

763

00:40:01,857 --> 00:40:04,985

-♪ Baby, I'd die for you ♪

-♪ Baby, I'd die for you ♪

764

00:40:05,069 --> 00:40:11,867

-♪ Even though I will always know ♪

-♪ Even though I will always know ♪

765

00:40:12,243 --> 00:40:16,247

[harmonizing]

♪ I am unworthy of your love ♪

766

00:40:16,330 --> 00:40:18,749

-♪ Jodie, darling ♪

-♪ Charlie, darling ♪

767

00:40:18,833 --> 00:40:25,297

♪ Let me prove worthy of your love ♪

768

00:40:25,840 --> 00:40:29,510

♪ I'll find a way to earn your love ♪

769

00:40:29,593 --> 00:40:32,304

♪ Wait and see ♪

770

00:40:32,930 --> 00:40:39,895

♪ Then you will turn your love to me ♪

771

00:40:42,273 --> 00:40:48,946

♪ Your love ♪

772

00:40:49,989 --> 00:40:54,952

♪ To me ♪

773

00:40:59,415 --> 00:41:01,959

[director clapping] Great! Great! So good!

774

00:41:02,042 --> 00:41:03,794

-Such a great song!

-[whispers] That was awesome.

775

00:41:03,878 --> 00:41:06,130

-That was really good.

-We'll take a two-minute potty break

776

00:41:06,213 --> 00:41:07,339

and we'll move on.

777

00:41:07,882 --> 00:41:09,592

-We're gonna move--

-[clapping]

778

00:41:11,927 --> 00:41:13,387

I'll catch up with you. I'll be back.

779

00:41:13,471 --> 00:41:16,307

Okay. Do you want me to come with--

with-- No? Okay.

780

00:41:16,390 --> 00:41:17,516

I'm gonna get a snack.

781

00:41:20,811 --> 00:41:22,688

That was great.

Show's gonna be really good.

782

00:41:22,938 --> 00:41:23,772

Thanks.

783

00:41:24,315 --> 00:41:27,193

Listen, I'm really glad that you're here.

I actually did want to apologize.

784

00:41:27,276 --> 00:41:28,277

I was, um,

785

00:41:29,236 --> 00:41:31,864

quite exhausted and dehydrated, and I...

786

00:41:32,865 --> 00:41:34,658

well, I jumped to sort of
an insane conclusion.

787

00:41:34,742 --> 00:41:35,701

I don't think you did.

788

00:41:36,827 --> 00:41:38,704

Skye swears up and down
that she didn't do it,

789

00:41:38,787 --> 00:41:39,830

and maybe we'll never know.

790

00:41:39,914 --> 00:41:42,082

But there's a possibility
that she did poison you.

791

00:41:42,500 --> 00:41:44,126

And that's on me for not seeing it sooner.

792

00:41:45,336 --> 00:41:46,378

The fact is...

793

00:41:48,672 --> 00:41:50,966

[sighs] This is hard to talk about
and I should've earlier,

794

00:41:51,050 --> 00:41:53,302

and I can't believe I didn't
and I don't know why I didn't.

795

00:41:53,385 --> 00:41:54,720

-Didn't what?

-Tell you.

796

00:41:55,095 --> 00:41:56,680
Skye and I have been having a love affair

797

00:41:56,764 --> 00:41:59,016
since a few weeks
before she joined the ticket.

798

00:42:01,560 --> 00:42:04,146
Oh my-- You've gotta--
You've gotta be kidding me.

799

00:42:04,230 --> 00:42:06,607
Complete honesty. Right?
Isn't that what we agreed on?

800

00:42:06,690 --> 00:42:08,859
-Total transparency, right?
-I know, Payton. It was bad.

801

00:42:08,943 --> 00:42:12,571
But I had to have something for myself.
You're not in charge of my personal life.

802

00:42:12,655 --> 00:42:14,740
Anyway, it's over. I'm sorry. I'm--

803

00:42:14,823 --> 00:42:17,159
-What else do you want me to say?
-Nothing.

804

00:42:17,243 --> 00:42:18,911
-Think you and I should part ways.
-Payton!

805

00:42:18,994 --> 00:42:22,081
You know what?
I wish you well, McAfee, but we're done.

806

00:42:24,583 --> 00:42:26,418
And we're back.

807
00:42:29,922 --> 00:42:33,926
Okay, Ricardo, I want to sing through
"The Ballad of..."

808
00:42:34,218 --> 00:42:35,344
Where's Ricardo?

809
00:42:35,427 --> 00:42:37,054
-You want one?
-I'm okay.

810
00:42:37,721 --> 00:42:40,266
[director] Oh, hi! Uh...

811
00:42:40,474 --> 00:42:42,518
We don't need the gun right now.

812
00:42:42,601 --> 00:42:43,602
BB gun.

813
00:42:44,311 --> 00:42:45,396
I want to hold it.

814
00:42:45,771 --> 00:42:47,147
It's important for the character.

815
00:42:48,482 --> 00:42:50,943
[piano playing softly]

816
00:42:55,614 --> 00:42:58,867
♪ Damn my soul if you must ♪

817
00:42:58,951 --> 00:43:02,079
♪ Let my body turn to dust ♪

818
00:43:02,454 --> 00:43:07,835
[off-key] ♪ Let it mingle
With the ashes of the country ♪

819
00:43:09,920 --> 00:43:13,007
♪ Let them curse me to hell ♪

820

00:43:13,090 --> 00:43:16,135
♪ Leave it to history to tell ♪

821

00:43:16,427 --> 00:43:17,761
♪ What I did ♪

822

00:43:18,304 --> 00:43:19,763
♪ I did well ♪

823

00:43:19,847 --> 00:43:23,392
♪ And I did it for my country ♪

824

00:43:23,684 --> 00:43:27,646
♪ Let them cry, "Dirty traitor" ♪

825

00:43:27,730 --> 00:43:32,067
♪ They will understand it later ♪

826

00:43:34,653 --> 00:43:35,821
♪ The country ♪

827

00:43:37,823 --> 00:43:42,202
♪ Is not what it was ♪

828

00:43:42,578 --> 00:43:43,537
[cocks rifle]

829

00:43:44,538 --> 00:43:45,497
Bang!

830

00:43:48,834 --> 00:43:49,877
[director] Wow.

831

00:43:50,252 --> 00:43:51,837
Just wow.

832

00:43:52,338 --> 00:43:54,340
[girl murmurs indistinctly]

833

00:43:54,798 --> 00:43:55,633
[Ricardo] Nope.

834
00:43:55,966 --> 00:43:57,676
My character would never wear that.

835
00:43:58,010 --> 00:44:00,929
Hey. Uh, Ricardo? Can I talk to you
in private for a quick second?

836
00:44:01,347 --> 00:44:02,264
Sorry.

837
00:44:03,641 --> 00:44:05,392
First of all, great job out there, man.

838
00:44:05,476 --> 00:44:08,228
I really think that once you
sort of modulate that performance,

839
00:44:08,312 --> 00:44:10,773
then it's gonna be really effective.

840
00:44:10,856 --> 00:44:12,107
You know what they say, man.

841
00:44:12,483 --> 00:44:13,984
Less is more. So...

842
00:44:14,693 --> 00:44:17,112
[clears throat]
I wanted to talk to you about this gun.

843
00:44:17,613 --> 00:44:19,948
It's just a BB gun. And I need it.

844
00:44:20,032 --> 00:44:22,576
Okay, but, uh, John Wilkes Booth
didn't actually use a rifle,

845
00:44:22,660 --> 00:44:23,619
he used a handgun.

846

00:44:23,702 --> 00:44:24,870
I want to use a rifle.

847

00:44:24,953 --> 00:44:27,790
Okay. Well, um, as you know,
I'm student body president,

848

00:44:27,873 --> 00:44:30,167
and a significant part of my platform
was about gun reform,

849

00:44:30,250 --> 00:44:33,003
so I can't really be part of a show
where an actor's holding a gun

850

00:44:33,087 --> 00:44:34,171
when he doesn't need to.

851

00:44:34,421 --> 00:44:36,215
It's not a gun.

852

00:44:36,298 --> 00:44:37,549
Okay, well, it looks like a gun,

853

00:44:37,633 --> 00:44:39,885
so either figure out a way
to butcher that song without it,

854

00:44:39,968 --> 00:44:43,180
or I take this up with the school board.
Either way, I'm winning this fight.

855

00:44:48,310 --> 00:44:51,063
Maybe... it is a gun.

856

00:44:51,980 --> 00:44:52,981
Whoa, whoa, whoa, whoa.

857

00:44:53,315 --> 00:44:54,316
-Bang!
-[shrieks]

858
00:44:54,400 --> 00:44:55,651
[laughs]

859
00:44:58,779 --> 00:44:59,780
Just kidding.

860
00:45:03,992 --> 00:45:06,203
-[clicks]
-Ow! Ow!

861
00:45:06,912 --> 00:45:08,539
Ow! Oh, my God!

862
00:45:09,456 --> 00:45:10,457
Ow!

863
00:45:10,541 --> 00:45:11,458
See?

864
00:45:12,668 --> 00:45:13,669
BB gun.

865
00:45:16,130 --> 00:45:17,131
What the hell?

866
00:45:25,931 --> 00:45:28,058
[Shirley Bassey's
"Where Do I Begin" plays]

867
00:45:41,155 --> 00:45:43,490
♪ Where do I begin? ♪

868
00:45:44,199 --> 00:45:45,701
-♪ To tell the story ♪
-[humming]

869
00:45:45,784 --> 00:45:48,662
-♪ Of how great love can be ♪
-[sighs]

870

00:45:49,121 --> 00:45:53,500
♪ The sweet love story
That is older than the sea ♪

871
00:45:54,293 --> 00:45:58,255
♪ The simple truth
About the love he brings to me ♪

872
00:45:59,381 --> 00:46:05,053
♪ Where do I start? ♪

873
00:46:05,304 --> 00:46:06,472
-Hey!
-Hi.

874
00:46:06,555 --> 00:46:08,974
♪ Like a summer rain... ♪

875
00:46:09,558 --> 00:46:11,393
So, did you do it? It's done?

876
00:46:11,477 --> 00:46:12,978
-Yeah.
-Oh! [laughs]

877
00:46:13,896 --> 00:46:15,022
I might just order a drink.

878
00:46:15,272 --> 00:46:16,815
What are you talking about? You're 18.

879
00:46:16,899 --> 00:46:18,817
So? I thought you didn't mind
if I drink around you.

880
00:46:18,901 --> 00:46:19,860
Just listen.

881
00:46:20,861 --> 00:46:24,531
I want you to tell me what happened,

882
00:46:24,782 --> 00:46:26,742

and then you and I are gonna go
our separate ways

883

00:46:26,825 --> 00:46:29,119
and we are never
gonna speak about this again, okay?

884

00:46:30,954 --> 00:46:32,790
-You shot him, yes?
-Yeah!

885

00:46:32,873 --> 00:46:33,916
[laughs]

886

00:46:34,500 --> 00:46:35,542
Right in the ass.

887

00:46:36,043 --> 00:46:37,544
He screamed like a bitch.

888

00:46:37,628 --> 00:46:40,088
And I was like, "Whoops! I'm so sorry.

889

00:46:40,172 --> 00:46:41,632
-I didn't mean to do that."
-No, no.

890

00:46:41,715 --> 00:46:43,217
-Wait--
-He ran off screaming and drove home--

891

00:46:43,300 --> 00:46:44,218
Wait a minute!

892

00:46:45,052 --> 00:46:47,304
You shot him in the ass?

893

00:46:47,387 --> 00:46:51,683
I wanted the BB to get lodged in his ass
so it'd be hard to pull out.

894

00:46:51,975 --> 00:46:52,810

A BB?

895

00:46:54,102 --> 00:46:56,188
[scoffs, moans]

896

00:46:57,022 --> 00:47:01,610
The plan wasn't to shoot him
with a BB gun!

897

00:47:01,693 --> 00:47:04,780
I've been doin' all this research
for this role I've been playin', right?

898

00:47:04,863 --> 00:47:07,366
I've been learnin' about
all these famous assassinations.

899

00:47:07,449 --> 00:47:09,785
Have you ever heard of Philoctetes?

900

00:47:09,868 --> 00:47:11,078
[groans]

901

00:47:11,161 --> 00:47:13,330
Yeah? Well, you should check him out

902

00:47:13,413 --> 00:47:16,250
because he was this famous Greek warrior

903

00:47:16,333 --> 00:47:18,377
who wanted to bone down
with Helen of Troy,

904

00:47:18,460 --> 00:47:20,045
and he got shot with an arrow

905

00:47:20,128 --> 00:47:23,090
that was dipped
in the gallbladder of the Hydra.

906

00:47:23,924 --> 00:47:26,176
Which I get is, like,

a mythological creature,

907

00:47:26,260 --> 00:47:28,679
but still, I was like, "That's it."

908

00:47:29,555 --> 00:47:33,225
And there's this possum that somebody
ran over right by my uncle's house,

909

00:47:33,809 --> 00:47:35,727
and it got ran over, like a while ago.

910

00:47:36,311 --> 00:47:38,522
And I didn't know which part
was his gallbladder,

911

00:47:38,605 --> 00:47:41,567
so I pulled out all of its guts
and I mashed 'em up

912

00:47:41,650 --> 00:47:44,152
and I got these hollow-pointed
air gun pellets,

913

00:47:44,236 --> 00:47:45,988
and I soaked 'em in it overnight.

914

00:47:49,199 --> 00:47:50,909
I buried the pellet at least

915

00:47:51,535 --> 00:47:52,953
two inches...

916

00:47:53,579 --> 00:47:54,663
deep into the muscle,

917

00:47:54,746 --> 00:47:58,584
putting all that dead possum guts bacteria
straight into his bloodstream.

918

00:47:58,667 --> 00:47:59,543

Ow!

919
00:47:59,793 --> 00:48:01,420
It's called sepsis.

920
00:48:02,045 --> 00:48:03,171
And you die of it.

921
00:48:04,131 --> 00:48:05,799
Your organs shut down or something.

922
00:48:05,883 --> 00:48:07,509
Jesus Christ!

923
00:48:07,593 --> 00:48:10,095
You didn't do what I asked!

924
00:48:11,555 --> 00:48:12,639
Dimwit.

925
00:48:13,265 --> 00:48:16,935
I am trying to get my granddaughter back,
you twat!

926
00:48:17,144 --> 00:48:18,687
-Calm down--
-No!

927
00:48:18,770 --> 00:48:22,107
Don't tell me to calm down!

928
00:48:22,482 --> 00:48:24,109
Shut up and sit down!

929
00:48:28,947 --> 00:48:30,032
[chuckles] Sorry.

930
00:48:31,992 --> 00:48:33,327
Family stuff.

931
00:48:38,290 --> 00:48:39,833
He'll be dead by morning.

932
00:48:39,917 --> 00:48:42,544
And I can say it was an accident,

933
00:48:43,128 --> 00:48:46,048
and you weren't connected
in any way at all.

934
00:48:47,007 --> 00:48:47,883
Okay?

935
00:48:51,678 --> 00:48:54,723
[in higher voice] Thank you, Ricardo!
For doing exactly...

936
00:48:55,682 --> 00:48:56,975
what I asked you to do.

937
00:49:01,271 --> 00:49:02,272
[grunts]

938
00:49:07,402 --> 00:49:09,071
Whatever that is, that's gross.

939
00:49:15,744 --> 00:49:16,703
[sighs]

940
00:49:16,954 --> 00:49:17,996
101.

941
00:49:19,373 --> 00:49:20,540
Another fever.

942
00:49:21,792 --> 00:49:24,336
-I think I'm just run down this time.
-[sighing]

943
00:49:26,797 --> 00:49:27,756
You're so sad.

944
00:49:27,839 --> 00:49:29,466

[Georgina] I love you so much.

945

00:49:29,758 --> 00:49:31,176
And that makes you sad?

946

00:49:31,635 --> 00:49:32,678
[sniffles]

947

00:49:35,222 --> 00:49:36,181
[sighs]

948

00:49:37,683 --> 00:49:39,893
My mother was very cold. [sniffles]

949

00:49:40,894 --> 00:49:42,729
At least that's what
my babysitter told me.

950

00:49:42,813 --> 00:49:46,650
She wasn't really around enough
for me to get a sense of her.

951

00:49:47,567 --> 00:49:48,986
So I had no model

952

00:49:49,778 --> 00:49:52,364
for what a mother was.

953

00:49:53,740 --> 00:49:56,827
No model to reject or to embrace.

954

00:49:58,620 --> 00:50:00,914
I had very little natural instinct for it.

955

00:50:00,998 --> 00:50:03,375
Which is why your brothers
turned out so poorly.

956

00:50:05,252 --> 00:50:06,628
And when we adopted you,

957

00:50:07,546 --> 00:50:12,009
I sat down and I made a list
of how a perfect mother would be.

958
00:50:12,634 --> 00:50:14,845
Gentle, endlessly loving,

959
00:50:15,262 --> 00:50:17,305
patient, trusting,

960
00:50:18,181 --> 00:50:19,224
and selfless.

961
00:50:19,558 --> 00:50:21,560
That's exactly how I would describe you.

962
00:50:22,060 --> 00:50:24,604
I don't know
if I can be those things anymore.

963
00:50:25,022 --> 00:50:27,691
A person can't be truly selfless
and survive.

964
00:50:28,608 --> 00:50:31,486
I was no one until you came into my life.

965
00:50:32,237 --> 00:50:36,575
I was a corked bottle floating in the sea,
the tide pushing me wherever it wanted to.

966
00:50:37,284 --> 00:50:38,994
The note inside me was blank.

967
00:50:41,121 --> 00:50:42,622
I'm only who I want to be

968
00:50:43,373 --> 00:50:44,833
when I'm in relation to you.

969
00:50:45,500 --> 00:50:47,419
That's too much pressure to put on me.

970

00:50:49,963 --> 00:50:52,174
In a year I'll be out of the house,

971

00:50:53,175 --> 00:50:55,010
-thousands of miles away.
-[sniffles]

972

00:50:56,470 --> 00:50:58,221
Were you planning on moving to Cambridge?

973

00:50:59,097 --> 00:51:01,058
-Maybe not full-time.
-[both chuckle]

974

00:51:02,476 --> 00:51:03,602
[Georgina sniffles]

975

00:51:04,269 --> 00:51:05,687
Mom, I don't need the money.

976

00:51:06,396 --> 00:51:08,356
I don't. I'm not like Martin,

977

00:51:09,524 --> 00:51:11,943
or Luther, or even Dad.

978

00:51:13,945 --> 00:51:15,614
I'll find my way no matter what.

979

00:51:17,866 --> 00:51:20,577
I'm in love with someone
for the first time in my life.

980

00:51:21,119 --> 00:51:23,830
It might be real,
it might be just an escape hatch,

981

00:51:23,914 --> 00:51:25,373
but I feel like... [sniffles]

982

00:51:26,833 --> 00:51:28,502
...if I don't give it a try,

983

00:51:29,961 --> 00:51:31,713
I will die here.

984

00:51:39,554 --> 00:51:41,473
-Then go.
-[Georgina sighs]

985

00:51:42,933 --> 00:51:46,561
You don't need my permission,
but I give it to you.

986

00:51:49,356 --> 00:51:51,525
You will always be the love of my life.

987

00:51:54,694 --> 00:51:55,654
Oh, my God.

988

00:51:56,571 --> 00:51:58,365
Oh, honey, you're soaking wet.

989

00:51:59,074 --> 00:52:01,660
I want you to take a cold shower.
I'm gonna call the doctor.

990

00:52:01,743 --> 00:52:02,661
Okay.

991

00:52:04,704 --> 00:52:05,747
[Georgina sighs]

992

00:52:08,208 --> 00:52:10,210
[line ringing]

993

00:52:12,712 --> 00:52:14,840
-[stammers] Mom. Mom?
-Yes, my love.

994

00:52:17,050 --> 00:52:17,926
I love you.

995
00:52:18,343 --> 00:52:19,302
[Georgina cries out]

996
00:52:20,595 --> 00:52:22,013
Oh, my-- Help!

997
00:52:22,097 --> 00:52:24,057
Somebody come and help me, please!

998
00:52:24,641 --> 00:52:26,393
Payton! [gasping]

999
00:52:26,476 --> 00:52:29,020
[Shirley Bassey's "If You Go Away" plays]

1000
00:52:31,439 --> 00:52:33,900
♪ If you go away ♪

1001
00:52:34,734 --> 00:52:37,571
♪ On this summer day ♪

1002
00:52:38,280 --> 00:52:41,116
♪ Then you might as well
Take the sun away ♪

1003
00:52:41,199 --> 00:52:42,534
Payton, wake up!

1004
00:52:42,951 --> 00:52:45,620
-Payton! Help!
-♪ All the birds that flew ♪

1005
00:52:46,580 --> 00:52:48,582
♪ In the summer sky ♪

1006
00:52:49,332 --> 00:52:51,501
♪ When our love was new ♪

1007
00:52:51,918 --> 00:52:54,045
♪ And our hearts were high ♪

1008

00:52:55,088 --> 00:52:57,215

♪ When the day was young ♪

1009

00:52:57,507 --> 00:52:59,593

♪ And the night was long ♪

1010

00:53:00,135 --> 00:53:02,470

♪ And the moon stood still ♪

1011

00:53:03,388 --> 00:53:06,057

♪ For the night birds' song ♪

1012

00:53:06,474 --> 00:53:08,476

♪ If you go away ♪

1013

00:53:09,102 --> 00:53:11,688

♪ If you go away... ♪

1014

00:53:11,813 --> 00:53:12,856

This is Georgina Hobart.

1015

00:53:12,939 --> 00:53:15,859

I need an ambulance immediately.
My son is very ill.

1016

00:53:18,153 --> 00:53:20,488

♪ But if you stay ♪

1017

00:53:20,572 --> 00:53:22,782

♪ I'll make you a day ♪

1018

00:53:22,866 --> 00:53:24,743

♪ Like no day has been ♪

1019

00:53:25,035 --> 00:53:27,579

♪ Or will be again ♪

1020

00:53:27,996 --> 00:53:29,998

♪ We'll sail the sun ♪

1021
00:53:30,081 --> 00:53:32,083
♪ We'll ride on the rain ♪

1022
00:53:32,167 --> 00:53:34,544
♪ We'll talk to the trees ♪

1023
00:53:34,628 --> 00:53:36,880
♪ And worship the wind ♪

1024
00:53:37,255 --> 00:53:42,093
♪ Then if you go, I'll understand ♪

1025
00:53:42,177 --> 00:53:44,804
♪ Leave me just enough love ♪

1026
00:53:46,223 --> 00:53:48,433
♪ To hold in my hand ♪

1027
00:53:49,267 --> 00:53:51,311
♪ If you go away ♪

1028
00:53:52,145 --> 00:53:54,022
♪ If you go away ♪

1029
00:53:55,523 --> 00:53:57,692
♪ If you go ♪

1030
00:53:58,902 --> 00:54:04,741
♪ Away ♪

1031
00:54:06,201 --> 00:54:08,203
[theme music plays]



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