

SCENE 1

EXT. HEATHER'S HOUSE - NIGHT

A large steel and glass building that overlooks half of Nederland.

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In the great room, Heather welcomes Jack and Brianna with Tanner at her side. Tristan sits in the overstuffed chair.

Heather sets out a big tray of veggies, chips and dip on the kitchen table. The crowd gathers around.

Jack drips dip down his chin to his shirt. He wipes at it with his hand.

HEATHER

Use a napkin, what did you say your name was again?

JACK

Jack.

HEATHER

Right. You stay in the kitchen if you're going to be munching.

Tanner loads up his mouth, walks over to the couch with the rest of the group.

Heather follows him, he slides his hand down her hip, she smiles at him.

HEATHER

(to Tanner)

So Ashley said she wasn't going go out with Christian any more, but she's said that so many times . . .

TANNER

Heather, I have no idea who you're talking about.

HEATHER

Ashley. She's a good friend of mine . . .

TRISTAN

She sits behind you in math, Dude.

TANNER

Oh, the freaky girl with the pink hair?

HEATHER

Just a forelock, not the whole head. She's cute.

Jack is reaches for chips, spills them on the carpet. Heather gives him a dirty look.

JACK

What's a forelock?

TANNER

Isn't that on a horse?

HEATHER

You guys are idiots.

Heather walks over to Brianna, who is standing by the food table. Tanner and Tristan start throwing peanuts into each other's mouths.

HEATHER

I'm sorry, what's your name again?

BRIANNA

Brianna. Friend of Jack's, remember? We have history together.

HEATHER

Ewww.

BRIANNA

No, I mean we've known each other since we were kids.

HEATHER

Good to know. But do you know Ashley and Christian?

BRIANNA

I'm not in the same classes as Tanner . .
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JACK

Yeah, she's in the AP classes. Like AP
math, who would do that to themselves?

BRIANNA

Intro to Calc, yeah, but I think I've met
Christian. Isn't he that actor kid?

HEATHER

Exactly. He was Zupo in that production of
. . .

TANNER

Who the Hell cares?

HEATHER

Brianna and I care. Ashley and Christian
are a cute couple.

BRIANNA

I don't really care.

Brianna realizes she's offended Heather.

BRIANNA

Well, you know, I don't know them very
well. But Christian seemed like a nice guy
. . . But, hey, I really like your boots.
The cuff is really cute.

HEATHER

Really? My parent's bought them in London
for me. The heel's a little high, but . .
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Scene 2

All kids tumble out of the Tuff Shed. Brianna carefully closes the door.

As soon as door is closed, Tristan and Brianna and Jack sprint away from the door.

Tanner saunters toward them, swaggering.

TANNER

What the Hell, you guys?

HEATHER

I know, I got pushed . . .

TRISTAN

There was more . . .

JACK

I thought I saw . . .

TANNER

Yeah, factory workers. Who would have guessed? What do you suppose they are making in there?

TRISTAN

It's nothing good.

TANNER

Trist, aren't you being a little over dramatic?

BRIANNA

You didn't see . . .

TANNER

You didn't either. What's wrong with you guys? It's probably a drug operation. I say they should cut us in for our silence. I'm gonna go back and ask . . .

He turns around pretending he is going back. Jack and Heather both grab him by the arms.

HEATHER

Are you crazy?

JACK

Brianna, what did you see?

BRIANNA

I'm not sure. I don't want to think about it.

JACK

I thought I might have seen . . .

BRIANNA

Don't say it . . .

TANNER

Don't say what? What a bunch of scared losers.

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SCENE 3

Tanner and Heather watch the video

HEATHER

(shrill voice) Who's that?

TANNER

Shhhhh!

On the screen, an image is flashing. Finally we clearly see a body part on a table, then a casket opening.

HEATHER

Turn it off!

Heather grabs the remote from Tanner and turns off the video. She's clearly upset.

BRIANNA

Can we frame by frame it?

Tanner grabs the remote and begins backing up the video and freezing on one of the faces.

Heather grasps Tanner's hand.

HEATHER

Tanner, that's not funny.

TANNER

You think I did this?

HEATHER

Well, didn't you? This is just your sense of humor.

TANNER

You know, on another day I might think this was funny.

HEATHER

So you, uh, recorded over another video.

TANNER

No. It was a new memory card.

HEATHER

Maybe it had something on it. It wasn't a new memory card.

BRIANNA

Wait. What are we seeing?

HEATHER

Are you blind now? It's a face. A dead face or zombie or something.

BRIANNA

It could be just a . . .

HEATHER

I can't stand this.

BRIANNA

I think we need to talk about what happened. Jack, what happened to you over the weekend?

JACK

I went with my dad to get supplies.

BRIANNA

And nothing weird happened?

JACK

It's stupid. It's just me being mental.

BRIANNA

What?

JACK

I thought I saw Grandpa. He spoke to me.

TANNER

Ha! What, did he speak to you in a dream?

JACK

No. On the street. He was a cop.

TANNER

A cop! (*laughing*)

JACK

And I saw faces. I saw that one!

He points to the screen.

BRIANNA

Okay, now let's reverse the video to . .
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HEATHER

No. No more images. Jack's an idiot. And we're all just creeped out and making things up in our minds.

BRIANNA

What about you, Tanner? Anything weird happen? Anything at all?

TANNER

Yeah, some toys jumped into my lap at the dentist's. It wasn't that weird.

BRIANNA

Okay, does anyone have a phone that works?

They all check their phones, nothing.

JACK

Maybe they did something to our phones, when we were in the building.

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