

UNEXPECTED LOVE

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INT. THE BAR - MODERN TIME - NIGHT

Country music plays in the background. REBECCA, mid 20's female, slim built with a cocky attitude but is very sweet, sits at the bar staring down into her glass. JONAS, mid 20's male, somewhat feminine and outgoing, works as a bar tender. Jonas walks by Rebecca.

JONAS

Come on Becca, you can't live in here. Besides, you're too pretty to be crying over a guy like Jacob.

Rebecca softly smiles.

REBECCA

It's just hard.

JONAS

I know, but I promise it'll get better. And when it does, he'll be sorry.

LANE, late 20's male, looks tough yet laid back and slightly muscular, walks in. Jonas notices him walking towards the serving bar.

JONAS (CONT'D)

(whispering)

Don't be a buzz kill.

REBECCA

What?

Lane sits down two chairs away from Rebecca.

LANE

Can I get a few shots of whiskey?

JONAS

Yeah, sure thing.

Jonas sets down three shot glasses in front of Lane and fills them up with WHISKEY. Lane takes a shot as Rebecca is looking at him with lust. Lane notices Rebecca as she hurries and looks away.

JONAS (CONT'D)

(leaning in to Lane)

That seat isn't taken.

Jonas cocks his head toward Rebecca and winks at Lane as he wipes down the bar.

Lane looks at Rebecca then looks back at Jonas as Jonas slides the shots of whiskey towards her. Rebecca looks at the glasses as Lane sits next to her.

LANE
Is this seat taken?

REBECCA
It is now.

LANE
Feisty are we?

Rebecca shrugs her shoulders.

REBECCA
Just being honest.
(pause)
Are you gonna drink that?

Rebecca points to a shot of whiskey. Lane gestures her to take it as Rebecca takes a shot and puts the glass down, getting a chill. Jonas smirks as he wipes down shot glasses.

LANE
What's a pretty girl like you doing at a bar anyways?

REBECCA
I could ask you the same thing.

LANE
Broken heart.

REBECCA
Same here.

Rebecca takes another shot as Lane raises his eyebrow and smirks.

LANE
Why would someone want to break your heart?

REBECCA
Again, I could ask you the same thing.

Lane smiles.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
I walked in on my now ex fiancé having sex with my best friend.

LANE

Ouch. I'm sorry.

REBECCA

It's fine. What about you?

LANE

My now ex fiancé has been sleeping with my brother for the last year and a half and the baby that I thought was mine, is actually his.

Rebecca's jaw drops. Jonas pours WHISKEY into shot glasses for Lane and Rebecca.

REBECCA

Yeah you definitely got me beat by a long shot. I'm really sorry.

LANE

It's alright. It isn't your fault.

REBECCA

No, but you still didn't deserve that.

Lane sadly smiles, keeping his eye on the shot of whiskey in front of him.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

My name's Rebecca by the way. But just Becca is fine.

Lane looks at Rebecca and smiles.

LANE

Lane.

REBECCA

A cute name to match a cute face.

Rebecca looks at Lane, smiling as Lane smiles back. JACOB, mid 20's male, looks popular and flirty, walks in with MACY, mid 20's female, outgoing personality, hair and make up very well done. Jonas gives Jacob and Macy a hatred look as Rebecca notices Jonas and follows his gaze, noticing Jacob.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

(looking at Jacob)

I have to go.

Lane has a look of confusion as Rebecca quickly gets up and leaves.

LANE
What happened?

JONAS
See that guy over there that just
walked in with that girl?

Jonas points to Jacob and Macy as Lane looks at them.

JONAS (CONT'D)
That's the ex, and the ex best
friend.

LANE
So they're openly a thing now?

JONAS
Apparently so.
(beat)
You look like the type of guy that
likes to fight.

LANE
(shrugging)
A little.

JONAS
Trust me, he's not worth your time
or your energy.

Jonas walks away to serve other people as Lane watches Jacob
and Macy with anger.

CUT TO:

INT. GROCERY STORE - A FEW DAYS LATER

Rebecca is looking at meat in the meat department as Lane
walks up, noticing Rebecca.

LANE
Becca?

Rebecca looks over at Lane and smiles.

REBECCA
Lane, hi!

LANE
I wasn't expecting to see you here.

REBECCA
I don't really feel like eating
sandwiches or noodles anymore so
here I am.

Lane laughs.

LANE
So you're a cook too?

REBECCA
(shrugs)
Here and there.

LANE
Me too. Maybe you can come over for
dinner sometime.

Rebecca smiles.

REBECCA
Yeah, sure.

LANE
How about tonight?

REBECCA
Yeah, tonight sounds good.

Lane smiles a smile of relief.

LANE
Okay, great. Here take my number.

Rebecca grabs her phone out of her pocket and unlocks it, handing it to Lane. Jacob walks by and notices them and stays where he's unseen, continuing to watch them. A look of jealousy crosses his face as Lane hands Rebecca her phone back.

REBECCA
And what time will dinner be ready?

LANE
Is six o'clock okay?

REBECCA
Perfect.

Lane smiles.

LANE
Don't hesitate to come early if
you're up for it.

REBECCA
I may take you up on that offer.

Lane smiles warmly at Rebecca.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
See you later.

LANE
Okay.

Rebecca walks away followed by Jacob.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S KITCHEN - LATER

Lane is putting two plates of food on the table as someone knocks on the door. Lane smiles as he walks away.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Lane opens the door to see Rebecca standing in the doorway. Lane smiles and gestures Rebecca to go inside as Rebecca walks in and Lane closes the door.

REBECCA
(looking around)
Wow it's really nice in here.

LANE
(smiling)
Thank you, the kitchen is this way.

Lane walks away and Rebecca follows.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S KITCHEN - CONTINUOUS

Rebecca admires the kitchen décor.

REBECCA
How long have you lived here?

LANE
I just recently moved in when me
and Alexis split up.

REBECCA

So you didn't live here with her?

LANE

Nope. This is my parent's old house but they moved out of state.

Rebecca tries to hide her smile as Lane pulls out a chair for her to sit in. Rebecca sits down as Lane sits in the chair across from her.

REBECCA

What's for dinner?

LANE

Chicken and dumplings. The bartender mentioned it was your favorite.

REBECCA

Aww, that's sweet.

LANE

It's okay if you don't finish it all. I just didn't want you to have to fix your own.

Rebecca giggles.

REBECCA

I'm sure I'll be able to, it looks amazing.

LANE

Looks can be deceiving.

REBECCA

I guess I'll just have to judge it for myself then.

Rebecca takes a bite of food, her eyes widen.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

This is amazing!

Lane smiles with a look of relief.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

Where did you learn how to cook this?

LANE

My mom taught me, but I just recently perfected it.

Rebecca smirks.

REBECCA

I might have to get your secret recipe one day.

LANE

Whoa, I can't just give my recipe to anyone. It's gonna take a pretty special girl to inherit a gem like this.

Rebecca laughs as Lane smiles warmly at her.

LANE (CONT'D)

So the bartender, you know him?

REBECCA

Jonas? Yeah, he's my best friend.

LANE

That explains how he knows a lot.

Rebecca chuckles.

REBECCA

You guys talked about me?

LANE

A little.

REBECCA

Good things I hope.

LANE

Of course.

Rebecca takes a drink.

LANE (CONT'D)

He isn't going to make a move on me will he?

Rebecca slightly chokes.

REBECCA

I doubt it, you aren't his type.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

LANE

Gay people have a type?

REBECCA
Do you have a type?

LANE
Kind of.

Rebecca smirks.

REBECCA
Yes gay people have a type.

LANE
Good to know.

Rebecca smiles.

LANE (CONT'D)
(beat)
Do you have any plans when you
leave here?

REBECCA
Not that I know of.

LANE
Wanna watch a movie or something?

REBECCA
Yeah, sure.

Lane smiles.

CUT TO:

LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

Lane and Rebecca are sitting comfortably on the couch as the
movie ends.

LANE
If you wanna sleep here you can. I
can sleep on the couch and you can
have my bed. I know it's late and
you're probably tired.

REBECCA
That's okay. I'm not gonna take
your bed from you. Besides, I need
to shower anyways.

LANE
Are you sure? I really don't mind.

REBECCA
I'm sure, thanks for the offer
though.

Rebecca gets up and walks towards the door followed by Lane.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
Thank you for dinner, it was really
good.

Lane smiles, opening the door for Rebecca as she walks out
and turns around to face him.

LANE
(leaning against the door)
No problem, text me when you get
home.

REBECCA
I will.

They linger close together, hesitant to kiss. A few moments
later Rebecca pulls away.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
See you later.

LANE
Okay.

Rebecca starts to walk backwards as they smile at each other
before she turns around and walks away.

CUT TO:

INT. THE BAR - THE NEXT DAY

Jonas is wiping down glasses talking to Rebecca.

JONAS
So how'd your dinner date with Lane
go?

REBECCA
Amazing. And he can cook too.

JONAS
Looks like you've hit the jackpot.

REBECCA
He's so sweet. I can honestly see
myself with him.

Jonas smiles lovingly.

JONAS

Just don't rush Becca, Jacob was nice at first too.

REBECCA

Yeah I know, but there's something about Lane that just feels right.

JONAS

Time will tell. I'm glad you're not wasting tears on Jacob anymore, that guy isn't worth you're time.

Rebecca smiles as Jacob walks in. Jonas notices him.

JONAS (CONT'D)

Speaking of the devil.

Rebecca looks over and notices Jacob.

REBECCA

I wonder where his new toy is?

JONAS

She probably has no idea where he is. You know now Macy is and you know damn well she wouldn't let him come here without her.

Rebecca chuckles as Jacob starts to get flirty with a random girl.

REBECCA

I hope she doesn't expect me to tell her when he does wrong.

JONAS

She would be stupid to even assume you would.

Jacob notices Rebecca and Jonas. He whispers something to the girl and walks towards the serving bar.

JACOB

Becca, Jonas.

Rebecca raises her eyebrow.

JACOB (CONT'D)

Y'all aren't going to tell Macy about this right?

REBECCA

What you do is not our problem.
You're a grown man, you can do
whatever the hell you want because
you do it anyways regardless of
your relationship status.

Jacob gives Rebecca a hurt look.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

Besides, after what Macy did to me
I don't give a damn what you do
behind her back.

JACOB

You don't mean that.

REBECCA

But I do.

Jacob looks at Jonas.

JONAS

You're whoring around isn't my
concern. My mouth is shut.

JACOB

Thanks.

Jacob walks away.

JONAS

I can't stand him.

REBECCA

And I loved him so much.

Jonas and Rebecca watch Jacob.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT - A FEW WEEKS LATER

Lane and Rebecca are laying comfortably on the couch watching
tv. The only light in the room is from the tv screen. Lane
looks at Rebecca with admiration and a look of love as
Rebecca looks at him and smiles.

REBECCA

What?

LANE

Nothing.

Rebecca raises an eyebrow.

REBECCA
Why are you looking at me like that?

LANE
Like what?

REBECCA
Like you love me.

LANE
Maybe I do.

Rebecca raises her eyebrows.

REBECCA
Lane you hardly know me.

LANE
And I would spend the rest of my life trying to figure you out.

Rebecca smiles, looking at Lane with love.

LANE (CONT'D)
From the moment I saw you I forgot all about Alexis.

REBECCA
Really?

LANE
Yes. I mean yeah I loved her, but something tells me that I'll love you even more.

Rebecca smiles and slowly leans in closer to Lane, looking between his eyes and lips.

REBECCA
So I'm not crazy for feeling the same way about you?

LANE
Not at all.

Lane looks down at Rebecca's lips as they slowly lean in to each other. Lane slowly but deeply kisses Rebecca as Rebecca gives into his kiss, deeply kissing him back.

FADE TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S BEDROOM - THE NEXT MORNING

Clothes trail along the floor up to the bed. Lane and Rebecca lay in bed covered up sleeping. Rebecca's head is on Lane's chest and Lane has his arm around her. There are CONSTANT KNOCKS on the front door. Lane wakes up followed by Rebecca as he rubs his eyes, getting out of bed. He puts PAJAMA PANTS on and walks out of the room as Rebecca gets up, putting her T SHIRT and SHORTS on.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Lane opens the door to see ALEXIS, late 20's female, looks outgoing and preppy, standing in the doorway.

LANE
(annoyed)
What?

ALEXIS
Can we talk?

LANE
No.

Alexis looks into the house and sees Rebecca walking out of Lane's room.

ALEXIS
(aggravated)
Wow, that was fast.

LANE
What's your point?

ALEXIS
I wanted to come and make amends,
and possibly move forward with you.

Lane laughs.

LANE
And why would I want to move
forward with you?

ALEXIS
Because your son needs you.

LANE
He's not my son and you know that.

Alexis stays silent for a moment as Rebecca watches Lane.

ALEXIS

We'll talk later, she doesn't need to know our business.

LANE

She already knows everything. And no we won't talk later because me and Becca have plans.

ALEXIS

Lane...

LANE

Do yourself a favor and go shack up with my brother. You two deserve each other anyways.

Alexis looks at Lane with guilt.

LANE (CONT'D)

(soft voiced)

At least you'll still be a Turner.

Lane gives Alexis a smirk and slams the door shut, locking it. Rebecca looks at Lane with hurt in her eyes.

REBECCA

I'm sorry.

LANE

Don't be.

Lane walks over to Rebecca and hugs her. A few moments later, he slightly pulls back to look her in the eyes.

LANE (CONT'D)

I told you I don't want anything to do with her and I really meant it.

Rebecca smiles as Lane gives her a loving kiss on the lips.

LANE (CONT'D)

Coffee?

REBECCA

Yeah.

Lane smiles and walks to the kitchen as Rebecca follows.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S KITCHEN - CONTINUOUS

Lane fixes coffee as Rebecca sits on the counter next to him.

REBECCA

Before we go any further, I just want you to know that I'm not easy. You're the first person I've ever slept with so quickly and I had no intentions in doing that either.

LANE

I didn't either.

Rebecca sweetly smiles.

REBECCA

Thank you.

LANE

For what?

REBECCA

Not thinking I'm a whore.

Lane laughs.

LANE

You're far from a whore Becca.

Lane turns the coffee pot on then gets in between Rebecca's legs.

REBECCA

How do you know that?

LANE

Because you just told me.

REBECCA

And you believe me just like that?

LANE

Yep.

Rebecca smirks and leans in so her lips almost touch Lane's.

REBECCA

Well then you should know I'm also a serial killer. I sleep with my victims right before I slit their throat.

LANE

Me too.

Lane grabs a knife and twirls it once, bringing it to Rebecca's throat. Rebecca smiles, slowly taking the knife from Lane.

REBECCA

We'll make a good team then.

Lane smirks as he kisses Rebecca sweetly. Rebecca cups the sides of his face with her hands as she kisses him back. They slightly pull away, resting their foreheads on each other and smile.

CUT TO:

INT. THE BAR - LATER

Lane and Rebecca walk into the bar as Jonas is fixing drinks behind the bar. Lane and Rebecca sit down at the serving bar by Jonas.

JONAS

You two look happy compared to the first time y'all met.

REBECCA

Much happier.

Jonas looks at Lane.

JONAS

Jonas. Not sure if Becca here has had the time to tell you.

LANE

She did.

REBECCA

Come on Jonas, I'm not that bad.

Jonas huffs.

JONAS

Don't get me started.

REBECCA

Since me and Lane are a thing now thanks to your doing, promise you wont go hitting on him.

JONAS
(chuckles)
Hey you're hot, but definitely not
my type.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

LANE
I guess Becca wasn't shitting with
me then.

JONAS
About what?

REBECCA
He didn't know gay people had a
type.

Jonas laughs.

JONAS
You're safe. Lane right?

LANE
Yeah.

JONAS
I'm into the guys with the big
butts. And also, dark hair isn't my
thing. I like the blonds with the
teddy bear brown eyes.

Rebecca looks at Lane, smirking.

REBECCA
Far from your looks. I told you he
wouldn't go after you.

JONAS
Not a chance. Besides, even if I
did like you like that, you two
were meant for each other. But you
both have to promise me something.

LANE
What's that?

JONAS
I have to be the one to set up for
y'all's wedding.

Rebecca gives Jonas a flat look.

LANE

Deal.

Jonas smirks at Rebecca.

JONAS

Don't worry Becca, I don't want your money. I'll decorate for free.

REBECCA

Whatever you say. Can I get a margarita though? I'm a little thirsty.

JONAS

Of course. You want something Lane?

LANE

A beer I guess.

Jonas walks away.

REBECCA

Our wedding huh? When's the big day?

LANE

Whenever you want it to be.

REBECCA

So charming. Do you even know my last name?

Jonas walks back up, handing Lane a beer then starts to fix a margarita.

LANE

Hey Jonas what's Becca's last name?

JONAS

Henry.

Lane looks at Rebecca.

LANE

Henry.

REBECCA

Cheap shot.

LANE

Okay I admit that was a little low, but you don't know mine either.

Lane takes a drink of his beer.

REBECCA
I do actually.

LANE
Oh yeah?

REBECCA
Yep, it's Turner.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

LANE
Stalking me?

REBECCA
I don't need to stalk, I heard you say it when Alexis showed up this morning.

LANE
I almost forgot.

JONAS
Rebecca Turner. That sounds good!

Jonas hands Rebecca her margarita.

LANE
Yeah it does.

Rebecca smiles, taking a drink of her margarita.

JONAS
Did you guys have sex yet?

Rebecca chokes.

REBECCA
Jonas!

JONAS
What?

LANE
Yeah we did.

JONAS
I knew it! Becca hasn't glown like that since high school.

Lane smirks. Jacob walks in and notices Rebecca with Lane, looking at them with jealousy.

LANE

Your boyfriend just walked in.

Rebecca turns around, noticing Jacob as he looks at Rebecca and smiles with sorrow. Rebecca turns around.

REBECCA

He's not my boyfriend.

JONAS

He looks a little upset.

REBECCA

Good.

LANE

And he's coming over here.

Lane takes a drink of his beer as Jacob approaches Rebecca.

JACOB

Hey Beck, can I talk to you?

REBECCA

What do you want?

Jacob quickly glances at Jonas.

JACOB

Alone?

REBECCA

Whatever you wanna say, you can say it right here.

JACOB

Come on Becca it'll only take a few minutes.

Rebecca rolls her eyes and gets up. She follows Jacob outside as Lane's gaze worriedly follows them.

JONAS

Don't worry, she's just gonna turn him down and come right back in her spot next to you.

Lane stays quiet and takes a big drink of his beer. Jonas gives Lane a look as Lane keeps watching the door.

JONAS (CONT'D)

(beat)

You love her don't you.

Lane darts his eyes to Jonas.

LANE
Is it that obvious?

JONAS
(chuckles)
It was obvious the first day you
sat a few chairs away from her.
From the moment you looked at her I
could tell.

Lane slightly smiles.

LANE
But does she love me, or am I just
the one temporarily healing her
broken heart?

JONAS
If I know Becca, I know she feels
the same way about you as you do
her. If you would have seen the way
she was looking at you before you
noticed her, you would know exactly
how she feels.

Lane smiles as Rebecca walks in alone and sits down next to
him. Jonas starts to wipe down shot glasses.

JONAS (CONT'D)
So how'd it go?

REBECCA
He apologized and said that he
stopped talking to Macy because he
realized how much he wants to be
with me.

Rebecca takes a drink and Lane stays quiet. Rebecca notices
Lane's tension.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
Don't worry, I don't want him back.

JONAS
Told you.

Rebecca raises her eyebrow.

REBECCA
Worried are we?

LANE

A little.

JONAS

I'm not sure if you guys were going to thank me anytime soon, but now would be a good time to do so.

Rebecca cocks her eyebrow, giving Jonas a confused look.

REBECCA

A thank you for what exactly?

JONAS

For bringing you two together.

Rebecca gives Jonas a flat look as Lane chuckles.

LANE

He did get us talking.

REBECCA

That doesn't count, we didn't talk for long that day.

JONAS

But did you not secretly hope to run into him again after that?

REBECCA

Well yeah but..

Jonas cuts Rebecca off.

JONAS

But nothing. If it wasn't for me y'all wouldn't have met and both of you would still be lingering around, heart broken.

Rebecca rolls her eyes.

LANE

Thank you Jonas, you're the best.

JONAS

I'm glad someone recognizes my kind acts. You're welcome Lane.

Lane smirks as he takes another drink of his beer.

REBECCA

I can already tell you guys are gonna be ganging up on me in the near future.

LANE

What kind of ganging up are we talking about here?

Rebecca gives Lane a flat look.

REBECCA

Definitely not that kind.

Lane and Jonas laugh.

JONAS

Things are gonna be fun with you around.

LANE

Jacob wasn't fun?

Jonas huffs.

JONAS

Not even a little. He was an extreme buzzkill.

REBECCA

Big time.

LANE

I'll do my best to not be a buzzkill.

JONAS

I don't think you'll be trying very hard.

A slow song comes on in the background and Lane gives Rebecca an alluring look.

LANE

Dance with me?

REBECCA

Of course.

Rebecca takes Lane's hand and they walk to the dance floor. Jacob walks in and notices them dancing as he walks to the serving bar and sits down.

JONAS

Oh don't tell me someone broke your heart.

JACOB

Becca's really into him isn't she?

JONAS

Yeah, she is.

Jacob stays quiet as he watches them.

JACOB

Give me a beer and a few shots of whiskey.

JONAS

Drowning yourself in alcohol won't change what you messed up.

JACOB

No but it'll numb the pain.

Jonas half rolls his eyes and fixes two shots of whiskey and slides a beer over to Jacob. Jacob takes both shots then hesitantly keeps an eye on Rebecca.

JACOB (CONT'D)

Thanks, see ya.

Jacob leaves and the song comes to an end as Lane and Rebecca return to their spot at the serving bar. Jonas approaches them.

JONAS

Seriously, you guys are so cute. I can't wait for the wedding.

REBECCA

You may be waiting for a while.

JONAS

I don't think so.

Rebecca raises an eyebrow.

LANE

She didn't deny that there's going to be a wedding.

JONAS

You're right, she didn't.

Rebecca rolls her eyes.

REBECCA
See, already ganging up on me.

Lane and Jonas laugh.

FADE TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - A FEW WEEKS LATER

Lane and Rebecca are lounging on the couch watching tv.

LANE
I've been thinking about something.

REBECCA
Yeah?

LANE
My parents are coming down for a week to spend some time with me and my brother and the kid so I was thinking you could stick around and meet them.

REBECCA
Parents huh? Do I have to worry about the brother hitting on me too?

Lane chuckles.

LANE
I don't think you'll ever have to worry about that.

REBECCA
And neither do you. Besides, if I'm gonna have a Turner baby, it's going to be yours, no doubt.

Lane smirks and raises an eyebrow.

LANE
A Turner baby?

REBECCA
For the right Turner, I promise.

Lane sweetly smiles.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
Do they know about me?

LANE
Not from my understanding, unless
my brother told them.

REBECCA
Do they know about the disaster
between you two and Alexis?

LANE
I'm not sure. They haven't
mentioned it if they do know.

Rebecca hesitates.

REBECCA
Should we invite the brother too?

LANE
It's gonna get ugly if they don't
know and find out about Alexis and
the baby.

REBECCA
And say they do know?

Lane thinks for a moment.

LANE
I doubt it, I'm almost positive
they would have called or shown up
by now.

REBECCA
Don't they know you two split up
since you moved in here?

LANE
Yes but they don't know that my kid
is actually my nephew.

Rebecca leans into Lane and hugs him.

REBECCA
I promise I won't say anything
about the situation.

LANE
Thank you.

Rebecca smiles and sweetly kisses Lane.

REBECCA
Hopefully your parents agree with
you on that.

LANE
I know they will.

Rebecca looks at Lane and smiles warmly.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT - TWO WEEKS LATER

Lane and Rebecca are lounging on the couch watching tv and eating ice cream.

LANE
What's up with Jonas?

REBECCA
What do you mean?

LANE
He hasn't been around much lately.
And don't give me the "personal
space" excuse because with Jonas
there is no such thing as personal
space.

Rebecca laughs.

REBECCA
Now that you say that, he really
has been MIA.

LANE
Should we be concerned?

Rebecca shrugs.

REBECCA
Maybe he found himself a boyfriend
and doesn't wanna bring him around
yet.

Rebecca takes a bite as Lane blankly looks at her.

LANE
I don't like the sound of that.

REBECCA
He'll be fine.

There's a knock at the door. Lane and Rebecca exchange a look as Lane gets up to open the door. RICHARD, mid 50's male, looks laid back yet stern and STACY, mid 50's female, looks very sweet and outgoing, stand in the doorway.

STACY

Hi baby!

Stacy gives Lane a big hug.

LANE

Mom, I thought you weren't coming until next week?

STACY

We wanted to surprise y'all.

Richard and Stacy walk in with their bags. Lane gives Rebecca an uneasy look as he walks over to her. Rebecca stands up.

LANE

Mom, dad this is Rebecca.

Stacy gasps with excitement.

STACY

She's beautiful! And she looks like she's better than that other bitch.

Stacy hugs Rebecca.

STACY (CONT'D)

It's so nice to meet you sweetie. This is my husband Richard and I'm Stacy.

REBECCA

(nervously)

Hi.

LANE

Come on mom don't smother her, you just got here.

RICHARD

Please excuse my wife, she doesn't know how to control herself.

Rebecca giggles.

STACY

What are you kids up to?

LANE
Just watching a movie.

RICHARD
The house still looks nice, I'm proud of you son for keeping it up.

STACY
Richard it hasn't been that long. Where do we stay? You don't have the baby tonight?

Lane hesitates.

LANE
Cody's room is fine, and no.

STACY
Richard will you take our stuff to the room so we can get settled in?

Richard grabs the bags and walks away as Lane and Rebecca exchange a look.

STACY (CONT'D)
You're a shy one. You don't have to be shy around me baby I don't judge.

Stacy begins to tidy up around the living room.

LANE
Don't judge? You just called Alexis a bitch.

STACY
Well she is. What's for supper?

LANE
We already ate.

STACY
Me and your father will pick something up. Invite your brother for dinner tomorrow and get my grandbaby here, I miss him.

Lane glances at Rebecca.

LANE
Okay.

STACY

Well Rebecca it was very nice to meet you. I'll let you two continue you're night.

Stacy walks away.

LANE

Sorry for the unexpected upcoming. They can be a handful sometimes, especially my mother.

REBECCA

It's okay, I didn't have time to get nervous.

LANE

Good point of view.

Rebecca sits on the couch followed by Lane. Rebecca rests her head on his shoulder in a half cuddle.

REBECCA

(whispering)

What are you gonna do about the kid?

LANE

(softly speaking)

I'm gonna have to tell them the truth. Cody will have to be the one to bring him.

REBECCA

(whispering)

What's your plan?

Lane hesitantly pauses.

LANE

(whispering)

I don't have one.

Rebecca looks at Lane.

REBECCA

(whispering)

I think it's time to call the brother.

LANE

I guess so.

Stacy and Richard walk to the door.

STACY

We're going eat out, don't wait up
for us.

Richard and Stacy leave as Lane takes his phone out and dials
a number then puts it on speaker.

CODY

(over phone)
Hello?

LANE

(into phone)
Mom and dad are here. Mom told me
to invite you for dinner tomorrow
night and she wants Cade here too.

CODY

(over phone)
A week early?

LANE

(into phone)
Yeah. And while your at it, I'd
start thinking of a way to tell
them he's yours.

CODY

(over phone)
Yeah, sure. Got it.

Lane hangs up the phone.

LANE

Now there's no telling how tomorrow
will go. I doubt my parents know
that Cody and Alexis are together
and they obviously don't know that
the kid isn't mine. And with the
temper my dad has, no telling how
he'll react. Just don't let his
actions cloud your judgement of
him, he's a really good guy.

REBECCA

Noted. So should I expect your moms
famous chicken and dumplings?

Lane chuckles.

LANE

I couldn't tell you. Maybe so.

REBECCA

I bet she'll give me her secret recipe.

LANE

If she does it means she really likes you.

REBECCA

I mean look at me. Who wouldn't?

Lane laughs.

LANE

Touché.

Lane and Rebecca smile lovingly at each other.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S KITCHEN - THE NEXT NIGHT

Stacy, Richard, Lane, Rebecca, CODY, early 30's male, looks popular and laid back, and CADE, 1 year old boy, very sweet and happy, sit at the table. Cade sits in a HIGH CHAIR.

STACY

I really enjoyed dinner with all of you. It was nice being together again.

Stacy gets up and starts picking up the plates as Richard gets up and starts helping.

STACY (CONT'D)

It was sweet of you to pick Cade up on your way here Cody.

Cody looks nervously at Richard, then Lane.

STACY (CONT'D)

So how have things been down here since we've been gone?

CODY

Pretty good.

Cody gets up and walks to the counter as he nervously leans back.

RICHARD

We haven't been gone that long.

STACY

Long enough. It's hard not seeing
this sweet face all the time.
Rebecca have you met Cody yet?

Cody looks at Lane then looks down with guilt.

REBECCA

No I haven't.

CODY

(nervous)

There's something you two need to
know.

STACY

What is it sweetie? Are you okay?

CODY

You might wanna sit down mom.

Stacy looks at Cody with worry as Richard keeps his eye on
him. The room falls silent as Stacy sits down at the table.

CODY (CONT'D)

(hesitant)

Cade isn't Lane's son, he's mine.

Stacy eyes get wide as Richard looks at Lane then looks at
Cody with anger. He takes a deep breath then punches Cody in
the mouth as Cody falls to the ground.

STACY

(yelling)

Richard!

Cade starts to cry as Stacy gets up and grabs him, bringing
him into another room. Cody sits up against the counter and
rests his head on his knees with his face hidden.

RICHARD

(hollering)

How can you do that to your
brother?! That's your flesh and
blood son! I didn't raise you that
way and neither did your mother!
After everything your brother has
done for you and that's how you
repay him?!

Cody stays quiet.

RICHARD (CONT'D)
(hollering)
You gonna talk or you just gonna
sit there?! Your brother didn't
deserve that shit!

CODY
I know.

RICHARD
(hollering)
So why'd you do it?!

Cody picks his head up, his lip busted and bleeding. Lane hangs his head down.

CODY
I didn't mean for it to happen, she
came onto me and I just got caught
in the moment. Then after the first
time she would always say that her
and Lane got in an argument and
that she was done with him so I
would end up sleeping with her
again.

RICHARD
(hollering)
Just because they split up doesn't
mean it's okay! She was with your
brother! You knew he loved her,
fucking her should have been the
last thing on your mind whether she
threw herself at you or not!

CODY
(raised voice)
I know and I'm sorry!

RICHARD
(hollering)
I'm not the one you need to
apologize too.

Richard kneels down and gets in Cody's face.

RICHARD (CONT'D)
(calmly speaking)
I suggest you get your shit
together.

Richard stares at Cody for a moment then gets up and walks away as Cody looks at Lane with sorrow. Rebecca looks at Lane and half smiles then gets up and walks away.

CODY

I'm sorry Lane, I really am. I never wanted this to happen.

LANE

It's okay.

CODY

No it's not. I don't love her, I don't even want her I'm just there for the kid. I just didn't know how to tell you about it.

Lane gets up and sits on the floor next to Cody.

LANE

(beat)

If it wasn't for Rebecca I would still be mad at you. Honestly I would probably even hate you, but in the end you showed me who Alexis really is and if I wouldn't have left her, I wouldn't have found Becca. She completely changed my life and hopefully one day you can find someone who does the same for you.

Cody half smiles.

LANE (CONT'D)

And a word of advice?

Cody looks at Lane.

LANE (CONT'D)

Leave.

Cody looks at Lane with confusion.

LANE (CONT'D)

Leave her now before Cade is old enough to remember you two being together. He deserves a happy life, and a happy life starts with a happy dad.

Lane lovingly slaps Cody on the back then gets up and walks away. Cody thinks for a moment then half smiles, wipes his lip, and looks at the blood on his hand.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S BEDROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

Lane and Rebecca are laying in bed.

LANE
Sorry about all the drama.

REBECCA
Don't apologize, it needed to happen. It could have been worse.

LANE
You think so?

REBECCA
He could have brought Alexis with him.

Lane pauses for a moment.

LANE
Yeah I guess you're right.

REBECCA
So do you think your mom likes me?

LANE
Definitely.

Rebecca smiles.

REBECCA
I think you should meet my sister.

LANE
Sister? Shouldn't it be the parents first?

REBECCA
They won't be here for a few more months and my sister is just a few towns away.

LANE
Okay deal.

Rebecca smiles.

REBECCA
We can go eat somewhere or she might even want us to go over there.

LANE
Whatever y'all want is fine with
me.

REBECCA
You're the best.

Rebecca gives him a loving kiss as she gets out of bed and
walks away. Lane watches her with love.

CUT TO:

INT. RACHEL'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

Lane Rebecca and RACHEL, late 20's female, looks easy going
and sweet, are sitting on the couch.

RACHEL
So Lane have you met mom and dad
yet?

LANE
Not yet.

RACHEL
Get ready.

Rebecca smirks.

REBECCA
Don't try and scare him off.

LANE
They can't be that bad, look how
good you two came out.

RACHEL
They aren't bad. My moms just very
nosey, and needy, and very clingy.

Lane smiles.

LANE
I can handle that, my mom's an
asshole.

Rebecca laughs.

REBECCA
I wouldn't go that far.

LANE
Seriously Becca?

Rebecca thinks for a moment.

RACHECCA
Okay maybe a little bit.

Rachel laughs.

RACHEL
My mom always tries to win the
boyfriends over. She's never had a
son so she tries to make up for it
through the boyfriends.

RACHECCA
Yeah, sometimes she'll smother you
without even realizing it.

LANE
I'll be okay. Maybe I can be her
favorite.

Rachel chuckles.

RACHEL
That's a good chance because you're
the only one.

RACHECCA
Yeah, she's gonna be onto you big
time.

LANE
Did Jacob have it bad?

Rebecca giggles.

RACHECCA
She actually didn't care for Jacob.
She tolerated him because he was
with me but she rarely associated
with him if she didn't have to.

LANE
So how do you know she'll like me?

RACHECCA
Because you aren't Jacob.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

RACHEL

You're a lot different than Jacob.
I don't even know you and I can
already tell how good of a person
you are, so trust me my parents
will love you.

Lane smiles.

LANE

When are they coming?

REBECCA

In a few weeks. It's Rachel's
birthday next month and they never
miss our birthdays.

RACHEL

Sounds like I'm gonna have an
eventful birthday this year.

REBECCA

Maybe you'll find a man before then
and we can have double the fun.

Rachel laughs.

RACHEL

Maybe so.
(beat)
So Lane what's your family like?

LANE

I don't really know how to answer
that honestly.

RACHEL

Siblings?

LANE

An older brother.

Rachel smirks.

REBECCA

He's kinda taken though. Not on
very good circumstances either.

RACHEL

What do you mean?

Lane and Rebecca exchange a look.

LANE
He's dating my ex fiancé.

REBECCA
Not willingly though.

Rachel looks at them with confusion.

RACHEL
Okay please explain.

LANE
They were hooking up for a few months when we got engaged, and she ended up getting pregnant for him. She made me believe it was my baby for over a year until she finally came out and told me it was Cody's.

Rachel looks at Lane with shock.

RACHEL
I'm so sorry you had to go through that.

LANE
It's fine. I'm over it and me and Cody are on good terms again.

Rebecca smiles.

LANE (CONT'D)
He actually told me he doesn't want her. He's only staying with her because of the kid.

REBECCA
Really?

LANE
Yeah.

REBECCA
Let's hook him up with Rachel!

RACHEL
Becca!

REBECCA
What? How cool would that be! Sisters dating brothers, it's the perfect match.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

LANE
It could work.

RACHEL
No way. Not happening.

Rebecca rolls her eyes.

REBECCA
Suit yourself.

Lane and Rachel exchange a look as Lane smirks.

FADE TO:

INT. RACHEL'S HOUSE - KITCHEN - A FEW WEEKS LATER

Rachel, MIKE, early 50's male, looks stern yet sweet and laid back, and MELISSA, early 50's, looks outgoing and loving, are sitting at the table. Rachel and Melissa are drinking wine and Mike is drinking beer.

MIKE
So your sister has a new boyfriend?

RACHEL
Yep.

MELISSA
What's he like?

RACHEL
I really like him. He's a lot different than Becca's usual go to.

MIKE
Yeah?

MELISSA
Is he cute?

Rachel shrugs.

RACHEL
Cuter than Jacob.

MELISSA
Baby anyone is cuter than Jacob.

Rachel laughs as the sound of a door closing fills the room. Lane and Rebecca walk in.

MIKE

Hi sweetie.

REBECCA

Hey. Mom, dad, this is Lane. Lane these are my parents, Mike and Melissa.

MELISSA

It's nice to meet you Lane.

MIKE

Rachel's already buttered Melissa up about you.

Lane chuckles.

LANE

In a good way I hope.

MELISSA

Very good.

Lane and Rebecca sit down.

MIKE

So how long have you two been together?

REBECCA

A few months.

Mike and Melissa look at Rebecca with confusion.

MELISSA

And we're just now finding out about him?

REBECCA

I wanted to make sure things were as good as I thought they were before I brought you guys into it.

Melissa smiles.

MIKE

It's understandable.

(beat)

Lane are you from around here?

LANE

We moved here not long after high school but we only lived a few towns over.

MIKE

I see.

Melissa takes a drink of wine.

MELISSA

Becca how's Jonas?

REBECCA

He's good, I think he got himself a boyfriend too.

MELISSA

Oh?

MIKE

Rachel do you have a secret boyfriend that we don't know about?

RACHEL

If I told you then it wouldn't be a secret now would it?

Rachel takes a drink as Mike darts his eyes to Rebecca.

MIKE

Spill.

REBECCA

I don't know if she does.

Mike gives Rebecca a unbelieving look.

REBECCA (CONT'D)

I swear.

MELISSA

Oh don't worry about it Michael. Even if she does, she'll tell us when she's ready just like Becca did.

Mike gives Rachel a look and Rachel sticks her tongue at him. Mike smiles.

FADE TO:

INT. THE BAR - A FEW DAYS LATER

Jonas is wiping down the bar talking to Rebecca.

REBECCA

So we've officially met parents.

JONAS
He even met yours?

REBECCA
Yeah a few nights ago.

Jonas stares at Rebecca.

JONAS
Well don't keep me waiting! How'd
it go?

REBECCA
Pretty good. My dad seems to really
like him.

JONAS
Seriously?

REBECCA
Yepp.

JONAS
Are your parents still here?

Rebecca nods.

REBECCA
Yeah they're staying down for the
week.

JONAS
Where's Lane?

REBECCA
At work.

Jonas starts wiping down the counter.

JONAS
How are things between y'all?

REBECCA
Amazing.

Jonas smiles lovingly as Rebecca keeps her eyes on him.

JONAS
What?

REBECCA
What's going on with you?

JONAS
What do you mean?

REBECCA
You haven't been around much.

Jonas hesitates then smiles.

JONAS
I've been seeing someone.

REBECCA
Yeah?

JONAS
He's amazing. I just wanted to make sure he was good enough to meet you before I brought him around.

REBECCA
And is he?

Jonas smiles big.

JONAS
Yeah. We've been talking about a double date, he's just super busy with work so it's hard to plan right now.

REBECCA
It's okay, we'll wait until y'all are ready.

JONAS
Thank you, I love you.

REBECCA
I love you too.

Rebecca smiles and taps the counter as she gets up and leaves.

FADE TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - A FEW MONTHS LATER

Lane is laying on the couch watching tv. There's a knock at the door.

LANE
(hollering)
Come in!

The door opens and Alexis walks in and starts walking towards Lane as Lane stands up to make her leave.

LANE (CONT'D)

Get out.

ALEXIS

No, we need to talk.

LANE

No we don't and we won't. I've got a good thing going for me and you're not about to ruin it.

ALEXIS

She's not better than me.

Lane chuckles.

LANE

I'm not doing this.

ALEXIS

So you admit it?

LANE

Admit what?

ALEXIS

That you still want me and I'm better.

Lane rolls his eyes, aggravated.

LANE

She's by far a hell of a lot better than you Alexis. It's been almost a year since we split up, don't you have something better to do other than stalk me?

ALEXIS

(looking around)

This was supposed to be our house.

LANE

And that was supposed to be my baby. Now get out.

There's a sound of someone opening the door. Alexis hurriedly takes her shirt off and throws herself into Lane's arms as Rebecca walks through the door.

ALEXIS

I knew you still wanted me. Just
get rid of her so we can be
together again.

Rebecca freezes and stares at Lane. Lane pushes Alexis off as
Rebecca walks out of the door. Lane follows Rebecca and
Alexis smirks, putting her shirt back on.

CUT TO:

EXT. OUTSIDE OF LANE'S HOUSE - CONTINUOUS

Lane runs after Rebecca.

LANE

Becca wait!

Rebecca ignores him and keeps walking, tears streaming down
her face.

LANE (CONT'D)

Becca!

Rebecca turns around for a second as she keeps walking
backwards.

REBECCA

(hollering)

Don't!

Lane stops in his tracks as he watches her with hurt. Rebecca
turns around and gets into her car.

LANE

(hollering)

Becca it's not like that!

Rebecca starts her car and drives away. Anger washes over
Lane as he goes back inside, punching the wall on his way in.

ALEXIS

(smirking)

Looks like you're single again.

LANE

(hollering)

Get the fuck out! Even if I was
single you're the last person I
would be with!

ALEXIS

You don't mean that...

Lane gives Alexis a hatred look as he grabs her by the arm and makes her go outside.

ALEXIS (CONT'D)
(raised voice)
Cody is always so distant from me,
he never wants anything to do with
me and I can't take it anymore. I
wanna feel loved not hated...

LANE
(hollering)
That's because he doesn't wanna be
with you! Grow the fuck up and get
your shit straight!

Alexis stares at Lane, speechless.

LANE (CONT'D)
If you ever step foot in my yard
again I promise you'll regret it.

Alexis looks at Lane, hurt.

ALEXIS
I really do love you Lane.

LANE
And I hate you.

Alexis' eyes fill with tears as Lane slams the door in her face. He grabs his phone and tries calling Rebecca.

LANE (CONT'D)
Come on Becca, please pick up.

CUT TO:

I/E. REBECCA'S CAR - CONTINUOUS

Rebecca's phone rings. She looks down and ignores the call, letting the phone ring as tears stream down her face.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Lane gets Rebecca's voicemail.

LANE

FUCK!

CUT TO:

INT. RACHEL'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Rachel is sitting on the couch watching tv. Rebecca quickly walks in, teary eyed and upset.

RACHEL

Becca, what's wrong? What are you doing here why didn't you call?

REBECCA

I went home and Alexis was there. When I walked in she was in Lane's arms saying that she knew he wanted her back and to get rid of me so they could be together again. Not to mention they were both shirtless.

Rachel looks at Rebecca with confusion.

RACHEL

Becca come on now, do you really believe he told her that?

REBECCA

I don't know. It's hard to believe anything because part of me thinks it's not true but if it's not then why was she there and why the hell was her shirt off and she was in his arms? It doesn't make sense to me.

Rachel takes a deep breath.

RACHEL

(beat)

Listen, I wasn't there. I didn't see what you saw and I didn't hear what you heard but I do know that Lane really loves you, and I also know that Alexis is a stuck up bitch that will do anything to try and get her way.

(MORE)

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Honestly, it wouldn't surprise me if she was stalking y'all's house and seen your car wasn't there so she stopped by, knowing it would look bad if you got home and she was there.

Rebecca looks down for a minute.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

You may be questioning Lane's love for you, and honestly I can't blame you but I can tell just from seeing him look at you that you're everything to him.

Rebecca stays quiet as her phone starts ringing and Lane's name pops up on the screen.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Did you at least give him a chance to explain?

REBECCA

No.

RACHEL

Becca...

REBECCA

I'm pregnant.

Rachel's eyes get wide as she hugs Rebecca with excitement.

RACHEL

My baby sister is having a baby!

Rebecca smiles.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Does he know?

REBECCA

No. I was going to tell him as soon as I got back but it didn't work out the way I planned.

Rachel stays quiet for a moment.

RACHEL

The least you can do is let him explain. But honestly? I believe he's innocent.

Rebecca's phone rings again as Rebecca and Rachel look at the screen.

RACHEL (CONT'D)
Answer him.

Rebecca answers the phone, putting Lane on speaker.

REBECCA
What?

LANE (O.S.)
(in a shaky worried voice)
Becca please let me explain...

REBECCA
I'm at my sister's house. You know
where to find me.

Rebecca hangs up the phone. Rachel gives Rebecca a sad smile and hugs her as she rests her head on Rachel's shoulder.

RACHEL
I promise it'll be okay.

FADE TO:

INT. RACHEL'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - LATER

Rachel and Rebecca are lounging on the couch watching tv. There's a knock at the door and Rachel gets up to open it as Lane stands in the doorway.

RACHEL
(smiling)
Come in.

Lane half smiles, walking in. Rachel points to Rebecca as Rebecca sees him and stands up.

REBECCA
Come on.

Rebecca walks to the back door followed by Lane and they both go outside.

CUT TO:

EXT. RACHEL'S BACK YARD - CONTINUOUS

Lane wraps Rebecca into a tight hug. She freezes for a moment before hugging Lane back. A few moments later, Lane pulls away.

REBECCA

(beat)

Talk.

Lane gives her a hurt look as Rebecca turns around to sit down on the swing followed by Lane.

LANE

I know it looked bad when you walked in but I promise it wasn't anything like that Becca.

Rebecca stays silent.

LANE (CONT'D)

I was watching tv and she knocked on the door. She's the last person I was expecting to see so I yelled come in and when I saw her I told her to get out and she said she wanted to talk. I told her no and she started saying that she knew I missed her and that she was better than you. I told her she couldn't even compare to you and she was getting mad because I didn't want shit to do with her. I guess she heard you opening the door because she all of a sudden took her shirt off and threw herself into me and said that shit loud to make sure you heard her.

Rebecca pauses.

REBECCA

(hesitant)

Lane I'm pregnant.

Lane pauses, looking at Rebecca.

LANE

(beat)

Are you serious?

REBECCA

Yeah.

Lane hesitantly smiles.

LANE

Well it's a good thing I bought
this then.

Lane reaches into his pocket and pulls out a small black box,
opening it to reveal a DIAMOND RING. Rebecca looks at Lane
with shock.

REBECCA

Lane...

LANE

Marry me.

Rebecca gives Lane a long tight hug, smiling as she gives him
a kiss.

LANE (CONT'D)

So does that mean you'll marry me?

REBECCA

Yes I'll marry you.

Lane smiles and kisses Rebecca lovingly then pulls away,
putting the ring on her finger. Rachel opens the door.

RACHEL

Not to intrude on y'all's
conversation, but I'm getting
Chinese takeout for dinner. Are you
two staying?

Lane and Rebecca look at each other.

REBECCA

Yeah sure we'll stay.

RACHEL

Okay cool.

Rachel closes the door then opens it again, staring at
Rebecca's hand with shock.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Is that a ring?

REBECCA

Yes.

RACHEL

Oh my God! No way!

Rachel runs to Rebecca and hugs her tight.

RACHEL (CONT'D)
My baby sister is getting married!

Lane and Rebecca smile as Rachel hugs Lane.

RACHEL (CONT'D)
I'm so happy for you guys!

REBECCA
Thank you.

RACHEL
I wanna help plan!

REBECCA
You'll have to talk to Jonas about that.

Lane chuckles.

LANE
Yeah, he called dibbs when we first got together.

RACHEL
He better let me help.

REBECCA
You know he will.

Rachel smiles.

RACHEL
Not to change the subject but I'm starving.

LANE
Me too.

REBECCA
Me three.

Rachel gets up and starts walking to the door.

RACHEL
Y'all are welcome to sleep here if y'all want. I have a bed in the extra room.

Lane and Rebecca exchange a look.

REBECCA

Thanks for the offer, but I don't
wanna ruin your guest bed.

Rachel laughs.

RACHEL

Appreciated.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S BEDROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

Lane and Rebecca are laying in bed cuddling and covered up.

LANE

So when do you want the wedding to
be?

REBECCA

I've always wanted a fall wedding.

LANE

Fall is a few months away.

Rebecca raises an eyebrow.

REBECCA

I didn't say this fall.

LANE

But why not this fall?

Rebecca pauses and looks at Lane.

REBECCA

Can we even afford a wedding that
soon with a baby coming?

LANE

Sure we can. It doesn't have to be
a big wedding and it doesn't have
to be fancy.

Rebecca hesitates.

REBECCA

There's so much to do before then,
what if we don't have time?

LANE

Don't overthink it, Jonas has the
hardest job.

REBECCA

You're right.

(beat)

Are you sure you wanna get married that soon?

LANE

Becca I would have married you the first day I saw you.

Rebecca smiles.

REBECCA

Okay then let's do it.

LANE

Really?

REBECCA

Yeah. I'll start dress shopping soon and Jonas can start planning.

Lane smiles warmly.

LANE

Deal, maybe we can use your sister's back yard.

REBECCA

(two second pause)

That's a good idea. But who are we going to invite?

LANE

Anyone you want.

REBECCA

What about your family?

Lane pauses.

LANE

The only family I have is my parents, my brother and Cade.

REBECCA

Invite Alexis.

Lane laughs then looks at Rebecca with confusion.

LANE

Why would I wanna do that?

REBECCA

Well she is the mother of your nephew. And after the stuff she pulled to try and get you back, what better way to get back at her by inviting her to a wedding that she always thought would be hers? Not to mention when she finds out we're having a baby.

Lane smirks.

LANE

I don't know what I did to deserve you.

Rebecca shrugs as she gives Lane a kiss.

CUT TO:

INT. THE BAR - A FEW DAYS LATER

Jonas is fixing drinks behind the bar. Rebecca and Lane walk in and sit down by Jonas.

REBECCA

We have a job for you.

JONAS

What's that?

Rebecca holds out her hand as Jonas' eyes get wide, his mouth dropping.

JONAS (CONT'D)

Oh my gosh! No way!

Jonas grabs Rebecca's hand and looks closely at her ring.

JONAS (CONT'D)

It's planning time! Any ideas? Suggestions?

LANE

Her sister's back yard. We're gonna use the open field.

JONAS

Am I allowed to come dress shopping or is that only a girl thing?

Rebecca laughs.

REBECCA
You can come.

JONAS
Yes!

LANE
There's a tiny catch though.

REBECCA
The wedding is October.

Jonas' eyes light up.

JONAS
I've got to plan ASAP! But why so soon?

LANE
We're having a baby.

Jonas' eyes get wide as he's lost for words.

JONAS
I promise I won't let you guys down. This is going to be the best wedding ever!

REBECCA
Besides yours of course.

Jonas points his finger at Rebecca and winks.

FADE TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - A FEW DAYS LATER

Lane, Rebecca, Melissa, Mike, Rachel, Stacy, Richard and Cody are sitting around talking.

LANE
Before we leave for dinner there's something we need to tell y'all.

Melissa and Stacy keep their focus between Lane and Rebecca.

LANE (CONT'D)
We're engaged.

Melissa gasps and Stacy tears up.

MELISSA
My sweet baby!

Melissa gets up and sits next to Rebecca, hugging her.

REBECCA

There's more. The wedding is this October.

STACY

That's not far away.

LANE

We aren't having a big wedding or reception, just something simple.

Stacy has a look of uncertainty.

LANE (CONT'D)

We're also having a baby.

Everyone except Rachel looks at them with a shock.

CODY

I'm happy for y'all.

REBECCA

Thank you.

RICHARD

Are we ready to go celebrate?

REBECCA

Definitely.

Everyone gets up and walks to the door to leave.

CUT TO:

EXT. RACHEL'S BACK YARD - A FEW MONTHS LATER - OCTOBER - EARLY AFTERNOON

Lane is dressed in DARK DENIM JEANS with a WHITE LONG SLEEVE BUTTON DOWN SHIRT. Cody is wearing DARK DENIM JEANS and a BLACK LONG SLEEVE BUTTON DOWN SHIRT. Everyone else is dressed FORMALLY. Lane, Cody and a Priest stand at the alter. Richard and Stacy are sitting in the front row by Lane. Alexis sits next to Stacy holding Cade. Mike and Melissa sit in the front row on Rebecca's side. FRANK and MARIE, early 50's, both look laid back and nice, sit next to Mike and Melissa. Jonas sits next to Frank and Marie.

CUT TO:

RACHEL'S HOUSE - SPARE BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

Rebecca is dressed in a WHITE WEDDING DRESS. Her belly has a small BABY BUMP and her hair is DOWN and CURLLED. She has a FLOWER CROWN on her head and her makeup is lightly done. Rachel is wearing a LONG DRESS, her hair is HALF UP HALF DOWN and CURLLED. Both are holding a BOUQUET made of BLACK ROSES, SUNFLOWERS, and BABY BREATHS. Rachel is looking at Rebecca with love in her eyes.

RACHEL
Are you ready?

REBECCA
As I'll ever be.

Rachel and Rebecca share a smile and walk to the back door. Rachel goes outside and a few moments later she comes back inside with Mike and Jonas behind her. Two men stand behind the doors.

JONAS
Oh look at you!

Mike tears up, hugging Rebecca. Jonas looks at Rebecca with love as he smiles warmly at her.

MIKE
You're so beautiful.

JONAS
Isn't she?

Rebecca smiles warmly at Jonas, pulling out of the hug. Cody walks in.

REBECCA
Thank you.

CODY
Not to cut y'all's moment short,
but it's time.

Mike pulls away, wiping his tears.

MIKE
Are you ready?

REBECCA
As I'll ever be.

Mike, Rachel, Cody and Jonas smile.

JONAS
See you guys outside.

Jonas walks out as Rachel and Cody link arms.

RACHEL
Ready?

CODY
Yep.

Rachel and Cody exchange a smirk and walk out as the doors close behind them. Mike puts his arm into Rebecca's as they get ready to walk.

REBECCA
I love you daddy.

MIKE
I love you too baby.

The doors open as Mike and Rebecca walk out. Lane smiles lovingly and Alexis has a look of jealousy. Melissa cries with happiness as Jonas and Patrick smile. A few moments later, Mike and Rebecca make it to the arch where Lane, Cody, Rachel and the Priest wait. Mike kisses Rebecca's head as he lets her go, returning to his seat next to Melissa as Rebecca stands across from Lane.

CUT TO:

RACHEL'S BACK YARD - LATER

Lane and Rebecca stand at the archway with a glass in their hand. Jonas hits a spoon on his glass to get everyone's attention as everyone gets quiet and focuses on Lane and Rebecca.

LANE
I wanna thank everyone for coming to celebrate with us today. I'd like to propose a toast, to my wife and to my unborn child who is expected to arrive in February.

Lane raises his glass followed by Rebecca as everyone cheers and raises their glasses.

LANE (CONT'D)
To our future.

Everyone takes a drink. Lane, Rebecca, Rachel and Jonas stand in a small group as Richard and Stacy approach them. Stacy hugs Rebecca.

STACY

I'm so happy for you two! And Rebecca you're as beautiful as ever.

REBECCA

Thank you.

RICHARD

I'm proud of you son.

Cody walks up to them.

CODY

Congrats baby brother.

LANE

Thanks.

Cody half hugs Lane as Alexis walks up, giving Cade to Cody as Cody takes him.

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Congrats Lane, Becca.

REBECCA

Thanks.

Cade leans to Stacy for Stacy to take him and Stacy takes Cade as she and Richard walk away. A slow song comes on as Cody looks at Rachel and smirks.

CODY

Wanna dance with me?

RACHEL

(smiling)

Sure.

Cody and Rachel walk away. Alexis has a hurt expression as Lane puts his arm around Rebecca.

LANE

Let's go.

Lane and Rebecca go to the dance floor and begin to slow dance.

REBECCA

So Rachel and Cody huh?

LANE
Maybe it's just because they walked
together.

REBECCA
Or to make Alexis jealous.

Lane chuckles.

LANE
Yeah that too.

REBECCA
Who knows, maybe they'll become a
thing.

LANE
Maybe so.

Lane admires Rebecca.

LANE (CONT'D)
How are you liking our wedding?

REBECCA
It's everything I've ever dreamed.

LANE
I've thought of this moment since
the first day I met you.

Rebecca smiles.

REBECCA
I love you.

LANE
And I love you.

Lane lovingly kisses Rebecca.

Cody and Rachel are slow dancing.

RACHEL
So is this an attempt to make
Alexis jealous, or was that
charming smile the real deal?

CODY
It might have been the real deal.

RACHEL
Oh, a mystery?

Cody smirks.

CODY

It keeps curiosity. Besides, would you really believe me if I said I was into you?

RACHEL

I might. But if jealousy is your goal I can probably help you out some.

CODY

Yeah?

Rachel giggles.

RACHEL

Just play along.

Cody gives Rachel a look of confusion as Rachel leans in and kisses him deeply. A few moments later she pulls away as Cody smiles, speechless.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Say something.

CODY

(hesitant)

Thank you.

Rachel laughs.

RACHEL

Rebecca was telling me that we should get together. I told her it wasn't happening but when I saw you for the first time I started thinking maybe it wouldn't be so bad.

CODY

Oh yeah?

RACHEL

Yeah. Then seeing you again today all dressed up, I guess it got to my head a little.

Cody smiles.

CODY

So you're saying you have a crush on me?

RACHEL
You could say that.

CODY
Well maybe I have a crush on you
too.

Rachel smirks.

FADE TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LANE'S BEDROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

Lane and Rebecca are laying in bed.

REBECCA
So do you think our wedding was a
success?

LANE
Definitely.

REBECCA
I'm not sure who got more attention
though, us or the baby.

LANE
Probably the baby.

Rebecca smiles and there's a few seconds of silence.

REBECCA
Did you see that kiss between Cody
and Rachel?

LANE
I wasn't paying attention.

REBECCA
I see them becoming a thing.

Lane raises an eyebrow.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
Don't give me that look.

LANE
Rachel was pretty clear about her
feelings towards that idea.

REBECCA
Feelings change.

LANE

Some feelings change, not all. But if you are right then hopefully things work out between them.

REBECCA

It would be pretty cool.

LANE

Yeah I guess it would be.

Rebecca smirks as she gives Lane a loving kiss.

CUT TO:

INT. RACHEL'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - ONE WEEK LATER

Cody and Rachel are cuddling on the couch watching tv. The front door opens as Rebecca and Lane walk in. Rebecca notices Cody and Rachel.

REBECCA

I knew it.

LANE

And when were y'all gonna tell us?

RACHEL

Eventually. We wanted y'all to have y'all's time to shine.

Rebecca and Lane sit on the opposite couch as Cody and Rachel sit up.

LANE

So how long have y'all been shacking up?

CODY

Since the wedding.

REBECCA

I told you!

RACHEL

You guys knew?

REBECCA

We didn't know, I just had a feeling. I saw y'all kiss while we were dancing.

Rachel stays quiet, smiling.

REBECCA (CONT'D)
Anyways, we came because it's time
to plan for the baby shower and I'm
gonna need your help.

RACHEL
Oh yeah I almost forgot about the
baby shower.

Rebecca raises an eyebrow.

RACHEL (CONT'D)
I'm sorry Becca, I'm a shitty
sister.

REBECCA
No you're not. You're just in love
so I forgive you.

RACHEL
Thank you.

REBECCA
So are y'all together or just
shacking up?

Rachel laughs.

RACHEL
Together.

LANE
Are we the only ones that know?

CODY
Yep. But we were planning to tell
you guys soon, then tell mom and
dad. But I think I heard mom saying
something about moving back here.

LANE
When did she say that?

CODY
For your wedding. But I'm not sure
when or if they even are for sure.

Lane raises his eyebrows.

CODY (CONT'D)
Just don't say I told you, I'm not
even supposed to know about it.

LANE

I won't.

RACHEL

So is Jonas helping with the baby shower?

REBECCA

Yeah and he wants to be called Uncle Joe since Cody is the godfather.

Rachel laughs.

CODY

It isn't weird to y'all that he's gay?

REBECCA

Not at all.

LANE

It was at first but once you get to know him he's really cool. And don't worry, you aren't his type.

Cody raises an eyebrow.

CODY

Gay people have a type?

RACHEL

Of course they do! You have a type don't you?

CODY

I mean I guess so.

REBECCA

I would ask if you talked to him at the wedding but looking back now I guess you were a little too occupied to pay him any mind.

Cody laughs.

CODY

Touché.

Lane's phone rings.

LANE

Speaking of mom and dad.

Lane answers the phone and puts it on speaker.

LANE (CONT'D)
(into phone)
Hey mom.

STACY
(over phone)
Where are you?

LANE
(into phone)
At Becca's sisters house, why?

STACY
(over phone)
Me and your dad are at the house
and no one is here. We were just
wondering where you and Becca were.

Lane rolls his eyes.

LANE
(into phone)
Maybe if you would actually call
instead of just showing up we
wouldn't be having this
conversation right now.

STACY
(over phone)
Watch your mouth Lane. Just because
you're bigger than me now doesn't
me I won't slap you for being
sassy.

Cody laughs.

LANE
(into phone)
We're coming, bye.

Lane hangs up the phone.

CODY
She's gonna have it out for you
when we get there.

LANE
I don't care.

Lane gets up followed by Rebecca.

REBECCA
Are y'all coming?

CODY
(getting up)
Yeah. We're gonna change real quick
and meet y'all there.

Rachel smiles and gets up following Cody as Lane and Rebecca leave.

CUT TO:

INT. LANE'S HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Richard and Stacy are sitting on the couch. Lane and Rebecca walk in.

STACY
Ohh that belly gets cuter every
time I see you!

Stacy hugs Rebecca as she and Lane sit down.

LANE
Cody is coming too, he should be on
his way.

STACY
Good. Does he have Cade?

Stacy sits next to Richard.

LANE
No.

Cody and Rachel walk in.

CODY
Hey.

REBECCA
That was really fast.

RACHEL
He's got a heavy foot.

Stacy chuckles.

STACY
He got that from his dad.

Cody and Rachel sit on the couch by Lane and Rebecca.

CODY

I know y'all met Rachel for the wedding. She's my girlfriend now.

STACY

Since when?

CODY

Since a few days after the wedding.

STACY

So brothers dating sisters?

LANE

I'm actually married, not dating.

Stacy snaps her eyes to Lane.

STACY

I don't recall asking for your smartass comment.

RICHARD

Stacy.

Stacy snaps her eyes to Richard.

STACY

We have news to share.

CODY

What news?

Stacy and Richard exchange a look and smile.

STACY

We're moving back.

LANE

What made you decide that?

STACY

Well since your brother already has a kid and you have one on the way, we wanna be around to see them grow. And I'm sure there will be more babies down the road and we just wanna be here for them as well as y'all.

RICHARD

We do miss it here.

Cody and Lane exchange a look.

STACY

Lane don't worry we're already looking for a house, you and Becca can keep this one.

LANE

No y'all can have this one back, we're leaving anyways.

Stacy gives Lane a look of confusion.

STACY

Leaving? Why?

LANE

Because we wanna build our own house the way we want it. We were gonna let Cody stay in this one.

STACY

Well then Cody you can take this one. It's too big for us, y'all are grown and on y'all's own anyways.

CODY

And what about y'all's grandkids?

Richard raises an eyebrow.

RICHARD

What about them?

CODY

If y'all move back in here you can have a room for them to sleep and you can use Lane's old room as a toy room or something. You have the perfect yard space for them and like you said there will be more than just two.

Richard and Stacy exchange a look.

STACY

He does have a point Richard.

RICHARD

(looking at Lane)

Do y'all even have money to start building a house with the baby coming?

LANE

We can borrow against our savings to start it.

STACY

No, you need to save that money.

LANE

We already figured it out. We'll just have to stay here until the house is finished.

Richard and Stacy exchange a worried look.

STACY

And what about you Cody? What are you gonna do?

CODY

Rachel has her own house. I stay there a lot anyways, and when we do decide to move we'll either build or buy something else.

Stacy looks between Lane and Cody with worry.

CODY (CONT'D)

Take your house back mom, me and Lane are gonna be fine.

RICHARD

You have to let them go Stacy, they can take care of themselves.

Stacy hesitates.

STACY

Okay. We'll come back over here.

LANE

We're gonna move our stuff out of the master room and into my old room.

RICHARD

I'll help but we've got time. We're coming back at the end of the month but we still need to pack everything up.

REBECCA

Is it okay if we have our baby shower here?

(MORE)

REBECCA (CONT'D)

That way we don't have to load up
everything just to unload it then
load it again?

STACY

Of course!

Rebecca smiles as Stacy half hugs her.

FADE TO:

INT. HOSPITAL ROOM - FEBRUARY

Lane is sitting with Rebecca in the hospital bed holding a
BABY GIRL wrapped up in a PINK BLANKET. Lane watches the baby
with love as Rebecca rests her head on Lane's shoulder,
admiring their newborn baby girl. Lane looks at Rebecca and
lovingly smiles as he kisses her on the forehead.

FADE TO BLACK.