

Scene 1: A rich house - after the party

At 8:00 Lara wakes up in front of a rich house. Her head hurts, she has got a bad hangover. She gets up and looks around. There is the waiter from the party.

Lara: Hey!

The waiter turns around and looks at Lara.

Waiter: Oh, you're the "Party girl" from yesterday.

Lara: I beg your pardon? "Party girl"? I don't drink any alcohol!

Waiter: But yesterday you drank a lot of cocktails and you had a lot of fun.

Lara. Oh!

Waiter: Shall I tell you what's happened yesterday?

Lara: Maybe it's better not to tell me, but it would be nice, if you could drive me home, when you've finished your work.

Waiter: I'm finished in five minutes, then I can take you home.

Lara: Thank you very much!

Scene 2: At Lara's home

At Lara's home she gets out of the car. In front of the front door she notices a lot of suitcases. She hears her mother opening and closing the wardrobes. So Lara calls her parents.

Lara: Mum? Dad? I'm back home!

Her mum comes down the stairs.

Mum: Where have you been? I called you on your phone.

Lara: I was at a party and now I have a headache. I just want to be alone at my room, please.

Mum: Okay, but when you feel better, you can pack your bag for our holidays in Alaska.

Lara: All right!

Scene 3: At Larry's café

Jenna gets up earlier than usually while her mother is still sleeping. She goes to her car, gets in and drives to Larry's café.

Jenna: Hello?

Jenna looks for Larry.

Larry: What do you want?

Jenna: I want to have my job back, please!

Larry: Why should I?

Jenna: Larry, please! I need it! I would work for less money!

Larry: Okay, I'll give you one last chance.

Jenna: Thank you, thank you very much, Larry!

Scene 4: At Josh's home

Josh is lying in his bed watching TV. Suddenly the cell phone rings. Josh looks at the display: It's Brad.

Josh: Hi, Brad!

Brad: Hi! You sound sad.

Josh: Do you want to know, why I'm sad?

Brad: Yes, of course!

Josh: Do you remember the girl called Jenna, with the old car?

Brad: Surely! You mean the cool girl with the funny car?

Brad laughs.

Josh: That's not funny, but you're right. Listen! Yesterday evening, I had a date with her.

Brad: Oh, I see and it didn't have a happy ending, did it?

Josh: Yes, you're right!

Brad: Okay, you need a distraction.

He thinks.

Brad: Maybe we can go surfing, the weather and the waves are good today!

Josh: Probably you're right.

Brad: Great! I'm going to call Luke too and then we'll pick you up in half an hour.

Josh: See you, bye!

Scene 5: On the road

Brad and his driver have picked Josh up and now they are driving on the road to the beach.

Josh can't see Luke, so he asks Brad.

Josh: Where's Luke?

Brad: He's ill, he's not in the mood to come. His mother told me, that he doesn't want to go surfing with diarrhoea.

Josh: Oh, poor Luke. I hope, he will get better, soon.

Brad: Yes, that would be great. But now we go surfing and we will make you happy again.

After a while they reach the beach.

Driver: Here we are, Mr. Dexter, the best surfing place, ever.

Brad: Thank you, Mr. Watson.

Scene 6: At the beach

They get out of the car and go to the place, where they usually go to. Brad takes a big towel out of his bag and puts it on the sand. Josh takes two bottles of coke out of his cool box and passes one to Brad.

Josh: This is a nice distraction, Brad!

Brad: Do you want to talk about yesterday evening?

Josh: No, I want to forget this girl. Girls are so difficult!

Brad: I know what you mean.

They look at the beach. Then Brad breaks the silence.

Brad: Look, there's a big wave! Hurry up Josh!

Josh: Okay, but I'm sure, that you'll fall into the water!

Josh and Brad surf for one hour. Then they get hungry, but they didn't take any food with them. So Brad has got the idea to eat some sandwiches in a café next to the beach.

Brad takes out his mobile and calls his driver.

Brad: Watson?

Driver: Yes, Mister Dexter?

Brad: Could you come and pick us up?

Driver: Sure, I'll be there in 15 minutes.

Brad: That'll be fine. You can take us to a café in Beach Street.

Driver: Okay, bye then.

Brad: Bye!

Scene 7: At Larry's café (Part 1)

After the ride:

Brad: Thank you, Mr. Watson! I'll call you when we need you.

Driver: Okay, Mr. Dexter.

Josh: It's really nice to have a driver.

Brad: Yes, Mr. Watson is a cool person.

Josh: Look! That's the café, where Jenna used to work.

Brad: Don't worry! Remember, she's fired!

Josh: Yes, you're right, but I can't stop thinking of her.

Brad: That's not good.

Thinking!

Brad: Never mind, let's go in!

They go in to the café and look for a table. Then they find a free one.

Brad calls the waitress. The waitress comes and unexpectedly it's Jenna.

Brad and Josh are surprised. Jenna only looks at her notebook, so that she doesn't realize Josh and Brad.

Brad and Josh: Hi!

Jenna: What would you like to drink or eat?

Brad: Well, I'd like to have a sprite.

Jenna: Okay, what would you...

Brad: Wait, I'd like it without ice, but with a lemon in it and I'd like to have a salami sandwich.

Jenna: Okay, what would you...

Then she looks at the other guy and realizes that it is Josh.

She gets angry.

Josh: I'd like to have a coke and I'd like to have a bacon-egg sandwich.

Jenna leaves.

Scene 7: At Larry's (Part 2)

Brad: That was hard.

Josh: Yes, it was.

Brad: You don't look good. Are you okay?

Josh: No! (He shouts a little bit) I don't feel good.

Brad: I can understand you.

Silence.

Jenna returns with the drinks and the sandwiches.

Jenna: Here you are!

Josh: I told you I wanted my coke without ice, but as you can see, there's ice in my glass.

(Josh's voice is aggressive and he doesn't look at Jenna)

Jenna: Sorry, but you didn't say so.

Josh: You're wrong! I did!

Josh looks at Jenna and hits the table with both fists so that one drink spills.

Brad: Oh, I think, I'll better go.

Brad takes out his money and gives Jenna ten Dollar.

Brad: The rest is your tip. (He looks at Josh) I'm waiting outside.

Brad leaves.

Scene 7: At Larry's café (Part 3)

Josh: Sorry, Jenna!

Jenna: Your behaviour was scary.

Josh: I'm really sorry, but I think, it was because of yesterday evening.

Jenna: Yes, I can understand you. It was not fair of me.

Josh: Maybe we can meet again?

Jenna: That would be nice. But let's meet again at a better place than last time.

Josh: Okay, give me your number, then I'll give you a call!

Jenna gives Josh her number.

Josh: Thank you very....

Larry: (*screams*) Jenna!

Jenna to Josh: I have to work.

Jenna leaves.

Larry to Josh: Don't spoil my employee. You mustn't come in my café anymore! And now:

Go!

Josh: Okay, calm down!

Josh leaves the café.

Brad and Mr. Watson are still waiting in front of the café. Then they all drive away.

Scene 8: At Larry's café

When Josh has left the café, Larry warns Jenna.

Larry: Remember Jenna, it's your last chance!

Jenna: I know, Larry. I'm so sorry.

Larry: You always apologize. I can't stand this anymore.

Look at this table. There are people who want to order something. Now go and do your job!

Jenna goes to the table and works very hard for the rest of the day.

Scene 9: At Jenna's home

Very late in the evening Jenna comes home. When her mum sees her, she says:

Mum: Hi, baby, where have you been the whole day?

Jenna: I tried to get back my job.

Mum: Well done!

Jenna: Lucky me!

Mum: Like I said: Things will change!

Jenna: Yes, mum, you were right.

Mum: I know (*coughing*), I'm always right.

Jenna's mum takes a cigarette.

Jenna: Anyway, I have to get up early tomorrow morning, so I have to go to bed now.

Jenna goes upstairs into her bedroom.

Scene 10: Chatroom

After an expensive shopping tour, Jane and Cindy watch a DVD. After dinner Cindy goes into her room, lays on her bed and takes out her mobile. Then she writes in her WhatsApp-group:

Rich Surfing Kids

Cindy: What's up guys? What about cinema tomorrow?

Luke: Sorry, I won't come. I'm ill.

Cindy: Poor Luke, but it's okay!

Lara: Count me in, it's my last day, before we go to Alaska.

Josh: I won't come as well. (Josh goes offline.)

Lara: Why?

Brad: Josh has a date. By the way, you can count me in as well, so I'll be alone with the girls.

Lara: And we are alone with you!

Cindy: That's fine!

Brad: What about Jane?

Cindy: Jane has to go to her aunt's birthday party.

Brad: What a pity, one girl less for me.

Cindy: Anyway, we'll meet at five o'clock in front of the Santa Monica Cinema.

Brad: Mr. Watson and I'll pick you all up!

Lara: No, thanks.

Cindy: Dream on, Brad.

Lara: Has anyone seen my handbag?

Cindy: No, I'm sorry.

Brad: No, but you can come and look for it at my home.

Cindy goes offline.

Lara: What's your problem, Brad?

Brad: Love is my problem.

Lara goes offline.

Scene 11: At Lara's home

Lara is sitting on her armchair in her room and chats with Brad. At this moment her phone rings, an unknown number:

Lara: Hello.

Harry: Hi, here's Harry the waiter.

Lara: Why do you know my number?

Harry: You gave it to me yesterday at the party.

Lara: I can't remember.

Harry: Anyway. I found your handbag.

Lara: Is it the red one with the golden buckle?

Harry: Yes, it is.

Lara: After all it's really mine.

Harry: I know, there was a purse with your name in it too.

Lara: Thank you very much. I had already looked for it. Can you please bring it tomorrow?
You know where I live.

Harry: Why should I bring it to you?

Lara: Because I'm going to go on holiday tomorrow, please.

Harry: If necessary.

Lara: Thanks!

Scene 12: At Jenna's home

Jenna wakes up in the morning. She's terrified as she looks at the clock, because it's already eight o'clock. But in the next second she relaxes, because she won't go back to Larry and his café. She's got enough of him. Jenna gets up slowly. She can hear her mother talking to someone.

Jenna goes downstairs.

Mum: Jenna, here's a boy called Josh at the phone. He wants to talk to you.

Jenna takes the phone.

Jenna: Hi, Josh.

Josh: Hello, Jenna. I've thought, you're at work today?

Jenna's mum is smoking a cigarette on the sofa.

Jenna: No, I've slept too long and I don't want to work for Larry anymore.

Josh: Oh, that's a surprise, but a good surprise. But how do you want to earn money?

Jenna: I have to look for another job.

Josh: Maybe I've got an idea.

Jenna: Tell me!

Josh: If you want to know my great idea, you have to come to my home. My address is
166 Sea Avenue.

Josh hangs up.

Jenna: ...but Josh!

To be continued...