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1 GRANDMA WAKING UP

INT. HOSPITAL ROOM - DAY

The parents are standing with the boys at the foot of the hospital bed, with a police officer and a nurse standing behind them and are screaming at the boys, how irresponsible they could have been.

At that moment grandma wakes up with a smile on her face as if she had a good sleep.

GRANDMA

This was the best time ever!
Thank you boys and thank you
Mike!

CUT TO: OPENING CREDITS

2 FAMILY PICNIC

EXT. PICNIC AREA - DAY

The whole family is gathered at a picnic area, enjoying themselves by talking, joking, eating, and drinking. The father, a confident and successful middle-aged man, stands by the BBQ while his two teenage sons sit at a table and trace their surfing trip on a map with markers. The boy's grandmother joins them on the other side of the table and engages them in conversation.

GRANDMA

So this is the summer trip I've
been hearing so much about, is
it?

DAVID

(gets interrupted by his
father)
Yeah. This is it. The whole
surfing trip...

FATHER

(First to the boys then to
Grandma)
Dream on boys. Don't bother, Mom.
They're not going anywhere this
summer.

GRANDMA

Oh, Mike, lighten up! Let them
enjoy their youth.

FATHER

Enjoyment is one thing, but
delusion is another. Your

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FATHER (cont'd)

grandsons are losers with a capital L. They screwed around the whole year and didn't pass the grade. Instead of going on holidays, they'll have to spend their days in summer school. I should kick their asses.

GRANDMA

Well, it's not like you were some kind of saint in school either, Mike and I never kicked your ass, even though I sill could.

FATHER

Come on Mom! I never got caught smoking marijuana on school property...

GRANDMA

(interrupts Mike)

That's exactly right, Mike. You never got caught. Don't think that just because you never got caught smoking behind the garage that your father and I didn't know what was going on...

FATHER

(interrupts Grandma)

Mom! Please! Let me take care of my kids the way I want to, okay? You didn't forget your medication, right?

Grandma takes a bottle of pills and takes a few pills while the boys talk.

ADAM

But Dad! You said that we could go surfing!!

DAVID

Yeah, Dad!

FATHER

Forget it. You screwed up big time and you're not getting rewarded for that one.

MOTHER

Oh, come on, Mike! Give them a break. We're on a family picnic.

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The father returns to his BBQ, and the mother talks to the grandmother as the boys continue talking and adding pictures of destinations, writing information about these places.

DAVID

You know, this trip would go a lot easier if we had a car.

ADAM

Yeah, but Dad's not gonna give us the car now.

DAVID

Where there's a will, there's a way. We'll figure it out.

Meanwhile, the mother and grandmother keep talking and grandma notices the bottle of pills on the table and in the mean time takes a few, as if she had forgotten that she had taken them a couple of moments before.

MOTHER

You know, Ruth, the boys are just acting out. It's normal at this age. They just went a little too far this time. By the way Ruth how are things at the community center, are you still taking those self defense classes?

GRANDMA

Oh, I know, Helen. But I still think that Mike is being too hard on them. Everyone makes mistakes, even Mike. But the more you push on boys like that, the worse it gets. This is exactly what they teach us at the self defense classes how to not push too far.

They laugh as the shot fades away.

FADE TO BLACK: ON LAUGHTER

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GRANDMA'S VACATION TIME

INT. LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

Grandma Ruth is sitting in her living room watching TV. A commercial promoting a visit to Tijuana and the Baja California coast comes on and she makes a face before switching off the TV. She continues to stare at the blank TV for a moment before picking up a picture of her and her husband. The photo features their happy family with kids smiling and a tent in the background.

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GRANDMA
(to herself)
I know, Ed. I know...

She stands up takes some of her pills and walks out of the living room.

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GRANDMA'S SETUP

INT. KITCHEN - DAY

Grandma Ruth calls her son Mike and asks if he and the boys can come and help her move something.

GRANDMA
Hi Mike, I'm sorry for calling you...

FATHER (OS)
No Mom, it's fine.

GRANDMA
Well, you know, we haven't seen each other lately a lot and I was just thinking, you know.

FATHER (OS)
Mom, I'm sorry, I'm actually late for a meeting. Could you get to the point maybe?

GRANDMA
Well, I was thinking that you and the boys could stop by later to help me move some stuff.

FATHER (OS)
Okay Mom, I'll pass by in the afternoon. See you then. Bye.

Mike hangs up the phone.

GRANDMA
Thank you Mike. You know, I was thinking... Mike? Are you there? Mike?

Grandma Ruth hangs up the phone and sighs in disappointment before continuing with her work.

5 THE PERSUASION

INT. KITCHEN - DAY

Grandma Ruth pours drinks for everyone as Mike and the boys stand by the central counter as they are all drinking.

GRANDMA

Well boys, thank you for helping me. I couldn't have done it without you.

ADAM

No problem, Grandma.

FATHER

Thanks for the drinks, Mom. But we have to get going now.

Adam picks up the bottle of pills from the counter with a half empty glass of water by the pills and starts reading the label.

GRANDMA

(Smiling)

Those are my forgetful pills. I take them so that I don't forget to take them.

Grandma is preparing some cookies for the boys and they eat them as they wait in the background.

GRANDMA

Actually, Mike, there's something I have been meaning to talk to you about.

FATHER

What is it, Mom?

GRANDMA

Do you remember how we used to go camping when you kids were young and your father was still alive? We had such a great time.

FATHER

Is this about going on vacation again? I can't take you right now Mom. Too busy at work.

GRANDMA

But I haven't been on vacation ever since your father died. And I don't want to waist the time I have left. How knows how long that is.

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FATHER

Okay, Mom. I'll take you the moment I can. But not right now.

GRANDMA

You know the boys could help! They can take me in your RV.

FATHER

(Setting the bottle of pills down on the counter)
Absolutely not. They're irresponsible, besides they're grounded.

GRANDMA

Michael, please. Let them take me. I want to have more memories with my grandsons before I die.

FATHER

(First to grandma and then to the boys)
Oh Mom! You always do this. Fine! But if anything happens to my RV or grandma, you're going into the army academy.

The boys smile at each other behind Mike's back.

FATHER

Come on let's get home. Bye Mom! Don't forget your pills!

DAVID

Bye, Grandma!

ADAM

See you tomorrow.

Grandma winks at the boys as they leave, as grandma is preparing some cookies for the boys and they eat them as they wait in the background.

As if she were already ready to go at a moments notice.

GRANDMA

(smiling)

That's how you handle your father, boys!

Grandma Ruth smiles as walk out of the kitchen and begins to open her suitcase.

6 THE DEPARTURE

EXT. DRIVEWAY - DAY

Mike is with his sons inspecting the RV and providing them with precise instructions on how to care for it. Grandma Ruth arrives with her suitcases and sun hat in tow.

GRANDMA
(excitedly)
Oh, is this the new RV, Mike?

FATHER
(proudly)
Yes, Mom. I got it just after Christmas.

GRANDMA
(boarding the RV)
Well, it looks just like the old one.

FATHER
(smugly laughing)
No, Mom. It's way bigger than the old one.

As Mike starts to board the RV, David and Adam are still outside.

FATHER
(stopping in his tracks)
That's why I don't want these two juvenile delinquents to wreck it. So don't get a scratch on it! Got it?

David and Adam squeeze past their father into the RV.

INT. RV - DAY

Mike turns around to face his boys.

DAVID
Sure Dad. I know how to drive. Don't worry.

FATHER
I'm serious, David.

ADAM
Don't worry, Dad. I'll keep an eye on everything.

FATHER
You better! And you guys make sure to take good care of Grandma. I mean it!

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GRANDMA

Oh, Mike. Don't worry so much.
I'll keep an eye on everything.

FATHER

(moving towards the door and
then pointing at the boys)
Okay, Mom. But make sure to call
me every day, okay? And don't
forget your pills!

EXT. DRIVEWAY - DAY

MIKE steps out of the RV and closes the door, giving it a couple of bangs to make sure it's shut tight. The boys are settling inside, turning on the ignition. Mike steps back, watching as the RV drives off, waving to them as they disappear down the road.

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ON THE WAY

EXT. ROAD - DAY

The boys are up front driving and Grandma is in the back.

She besides to come forward to check on the boys.

GRANDMA

Boys, I have some music for us to
listen to. Here it is.

Grandma hands Adam an old cassette.

ADAM

What's this, Grandma?

GRANDMA

It's a cassette of my favorite
music.

ADAM

How do you play this?

GRANDMA

Put it in the radio.

ADAM

I don't think this plays a
cassette. There's no where to put
it.

GRANDMA

I'll get my transistor!

Grandma gets up and goes to the back and brings back a small cassette player and puts in the tape.

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The small transistor plays some music old and sounds horrible as the player eats up the tape.

ADAM

Oh come on Grandma, that sounds horrible.

Grandma switches off the cassette player and pulls out the cassette with the tape bunched up and stretching from the player. Then puts it down and asks Adam to put some music on.

GRANDMA

Oh my. This isn't good. So what is great music these days?

Adam turns on the radio and "Vamos a la playa" begins to play.

DRIVING MONTAGE:

A lively tune "Vamos a la playa" plays in the background as the RV cruises down the highway.

The RV reaches a dead end road and as crickets chirp, the boys have some fun with a silly back-and-forth turn.

Back on the highway, the music resumes and the RV continues on its journey.

Suddenly, the RV comes to a halt in the middle of the road. Grandma can be seen by the window reading in the lounge area, while the boys are outside just under the window checking the map. They stand by the RV, absorbed in the map when they suddenly notice the RV rolling forward. As the RV rolls out of frame, the boys scramble to catch up with it.

END OF DRIVING MONTAGE

INT. RV - DAY

The boys are driving and Grandma is preparing some snacks. She brings the snacks to the boys up front and sits on the back seat.

GRANDMA

Here you go boys. Something to keep your energy up.

ADAM

Thank you Grandma!

GRANDMA

Well, I have to take care of my boys. Thank you for doing this.

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ADAM

Oh, Grandma, thank you for getting Dad to let us take you. We weren't expecting to go surfing this summer.

DAVID

(As he's driving)

Thank you, Grandma!

GRANDMA

Tell me boys what really happened in school this year?

DAVID

(Sarcastically)

What did Dad say to you?

GRANDMA

Actually, he tried to tell me, but I wanted to hear your side first. So what happened?

They kind of smile at each in appreciation.

DAVID

It's stupid.

GRANDMA

Try me, David.

DAVID

Well, this guy from school had a party, me and Adam went to.

ADAM

But we weren't exactly invited, Grandma.

DAVID

Anyway, like Adam said, we weren't invited, but we wanted to go anyway. (beat) So we did something to get us in.

GRANDMA

Why weren't you invited?

DAVID

Well, these guys are kind of popular. Anyway, Adam had the idea of doing something that would make us popular.

GRANDMA

(A little upset)

Did you boys bring alcohol to the party?

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DAVID

No, they already had beer and everything. But we kind of knew that they wanted something else.

GRANDMA

Was it drugs?! (beat) Because young people should not be experimenting with drugs!

DAVID

No, Grandma, it wasn't drugs.

Adam gives Dave a surprised look as Grandma walks to the back and takes some pills from a bottle. She returns slowly.

GRANDMA

Good!

DAVID

A friend told us that they wanted something and we asked him if we could take the bag to them. So we did and then things just kind of went south from there.

ADAM

What David didn't say, Grandma, is that when we went to the party and gave the bag to the guys, a neighbor called the cops.

DAVID

Yeah, well, the cops came and broke up the party and they found the bag. Those asshole told them that we brought the bag. So we got busted for that.

ADAM

And Dad had to come down to the police station and bail us out.

GRANDMA

That's why your father was so angry with you boys?

DAVID

Yeah. He said that we were idiots.

GRANDMA

But it wasn't even your fault.

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ADAM

Well, it was a little bit, but.

DAVID

Because those asshole couldn't keep their mouths shut!

GRANDMA

Boys! Don't worry, keep calm and enjoy the summer, MOFO.

DAVID

Hey Grandma, have do you know what a meme is? You're rockin' it!

GRANDMA

No, I just read it off that car's bumper sticker.

They all start laughing as the RV drives off into

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PIT STOP

EXT. GAS STATION - DAY

The RV pulls up to a gas pump and comes to a stop.

David and Adam exit the RV and begin to pump gas while Grandma looks out of the RV window.

GRANDMA

(Shouting to the boys)

Hey boys, don't forget we still need to stop at a supermarket for some bread, milk, and coffee!

DAVID

(Shouting back)

Grandma, we don't need to stop. This 76 gas station has everything!

ADAM

And Grandma. Don't forget your pills. Ok?

Grandma knods as the boys walk towards the convenience store and disappear inside, she takes her pills.

After a little time, they come back out with bags full of groceries and snacks.

They drive off down the road.

(This scene could be expanded into a commercial for a sponsor)

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1ST SURFING DAY

EXT. BEACH - DAY

David and Adam ride the waves while Grandma reads a book on the beach. After a while, Grandma calls out to the boys.

GRANDMA

(Shouting to the boys)

Boys! Are you wearing enough sunscreen?

ADAM

(Shouting back)

Yeah Grandma! Don't worry!

DAVID

(Whispers to Adam)

Come on, let's keep it down. We don't want everyone to know we're here with grandma.

ADAM

(Whispers back)

She's just worried about us. There's nobody here anyway.

DAVID

(Pointing to some surfers in the distance)

What about those guys? What if they tell someone?

ADAM

(Laughs)

Relax dude!

Adam gets wiped off the surf board and David laughs as Grandma enjoys her book.

EXT. IN FRONT OF RV - DAY

David and Adam get back to the RV. They stretch their arms and legs after a long day of surfing. Grandma emerges from the RV with a big smile on her face.

GRANDMA

Hi boys! Just in time for dinner.

ADAM

(smiling)

Awesome, Grandma! What's for dinner?

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GRANDMA

Well, I've made some of my famous spaghetti and meatballs. That you boys love so much and I found some great cookies in the kitchen for later.

DAVID

That sounds great, Grandma. Thanks. Wait what cookies? Not the ones in the back in a black bag?

GRANDMA

Yes. They look so delicious, did your mother make them?

Adam kicks David under the table.

DAVID

You didn't eat those did you? Because they're not exactly...

ADAM

(Interrupting David, to Grandma and then back to David and back to Grandma)
They have too much sugar and with your medication, it can be dangerous. David take those inside and hide them better this time! Are you feeling OK?

Adam helps Grandma sit down, while David takes the cookies from Grandma and takes them inside.

GRANDMA

Oh yes. They are delicious. I'm full of energy. I just watched my soaps and now we can have some fun. Do you boys want to go hiking or maybe we could get some of those Jets skis, those look like fun. Maybe we could go to a concert or maybe water skiing.

ADAM

Hey Grandma, why don't you just take it easy for a while. OK?

David returns and sits down to eat, as Grandma starts looking through a magazine and listing through the pages very fast, laughing at random stuff.

ADAM

(Silently to David)
Grandma is really baked!

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DAVID
(Quietly but smiling)
I know that's so cool!

GRANDMA
(smiling)
Ah you boys are really funny.
Eat, eat, we have a lot to do
today! Let me make you boys some
pancakes, I want pancakes, do you
want pancakes? I'll make
pancakes!

Grandma goes inside the RV and begins making pancakes and the boys laugh like crazy as Grandma is full of energy.

DOLLY BACK AND FADE TO NEXT SCENE

10 HIGH GRANDMA

EXT. RV - NIGHT

DAVID is sitting on a camping chair in front of the RV when ADAM joins him, bringing a joint with him but forgetting to close the RV's door.

DAVID
Is Grandma asleep?

ADAM
Oh yeah. I think she took her
sleeping pills or something. She
was out like a light.

DAVID
Out like a light?

David takes the joint, lights it and then passes it.

ADAM
This is great. I can't believe
we're actually here.

The boys gaze at the ocean and smoke when suddenly Grandma shows up behind them, startling them.

GRANDMA
(Grabbing the joint from one
of the boys)
Boys! Are you smoking?!

ADAM
Grandma! Noooo!

Grandma takes the joint and inhales deeply.

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GRANDMA

Oh, boys. Don't you know smoking isn't good for you?

DAVID

Grandma, please don't!

She inhales the joint deeply again and begins to smile.

GRANDMA

They used to tell us not to smoke because it was bad for you even in my day.

DAVID

(Surprised and smiling)
You smoked, Grandma?!

ADAM

(Surprised)
Grandma, that's not a cigarette!

David takes the joint from Grandma and takes a smoke.

GRANDMA

Oh, this is a strong one. I feel quite lightheaded.

ADAM

(Standing up)
Are you okay, Grandma?

GRANDMA

Oh, yes, yes. I'm fine. I just got dizzy because I got up so quickly.

ADAM

Grandma that's really not a cigarette it's weed.

GRANDMA

Oh. I'm so revealed. That is a lot better. Oh my, I think I better go sit down.

The boys burst into laughter as Grandma sways towards the RV.

DAVID

Dude! Grandma is double baked!

As she enters the RV, the boys are still laughing outside.

The TV turns on and a Spanish soap opera "Telemundo" can be heard in the background.

The boys listen and then start laughing again even harder.

11 TRAFFIC VIOLATION

EXT. INTERSECTION - DAY

DAVID is driving down a road while ADAM is navigating.

ADAM
You have to turn left.

DAVID
(Confused)
Here?

ADAM
(Anxious)
Yeah, left!

David turns left and almost causes an accident with a nice open-top bright yellow Jeep with surf gear on top.

A moment later, a POLICE CRUISER speeds up behind the RV with lights and sirens.

They stop by the side of the road, and an officer walks to the driver's side window.

EXT./INT. RV - DAY

The boys are scared, and GRANDMA is watching through the side window as the officer approaches.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
License and registration.

DAVID
(Nervously to the officer
and then to Adam)
Yes, officer. (beat) Get me the
registration. There.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
Sir, do you realize that you
could have caused a major
accident back there by driving
recklessly?!

DAVID
(Nervously hands the officer
the documents)
Yes, sir. I'm sorry, officer. My
brother was navigating and he
told me to turn left over there.

The officer takes the papers.

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TRAFFIC OFFICER
(To dispatcher on radio)
Dispatch, Delta 311, I'm 10-38 at
mile marker 10 Woodland east.
Request a 10-28 info pending.

Grandma climbs forward and tries to talk to the officer.
The boys help grandma climbs forward.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
Sir. I need your attention over
here. Have you been drinking
today?

DAVID
No, sir!

GRANDMA
I apologize, officer, but what
seems to be the problem here?

TRAFFIC OFFICER
(After talking to Grandma,
he looks at David)
Ma'am, your grandson almost
caused an accident back there
that could have ended very badly.
There's no excuse for reckless
driving.

GRANDMA
Oh, officer, I'm sorry. David
here was just trying to help get
me to the lady's room. You know,
at my age, sometimes it's hard to
hold it.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
(Officer jumps in politely)
Yes, ma'am. I understand, but
that was really dangerous. I
don't want to hold you any more
than I have to. So, if your
grandson promises he won't be
doing any more traffic offenses,
I'll let him go with a warning.

David starts nodding with his head and stays serious, as
Grandma reaches for some cookies and tries handing them to
the officer.

GRANDMA
Oh, thank you very much, officer!
Would you like some of these
delicious cook...

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Adam notices that Grandma is handing the officers some of the cookies from the other days and tries to pull her back without being suspicious. While the officer doesn't notice as he's talking into his radio.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
 (To dispatcher on radio and
 then back to Grandma)
 Dispatch, 10-22 on that check.
 Thank you ma'am, not while I'm on
 duty.

He hands the documents back to David who is petrified with fear.

TRAFFIC OFFICER
 Take good care of your grandma,
 son! She's a sweet lady.

DAVID
 Thank you, officer.

The officer heads back to his cruiser, and David sighs a sight of relief while Adam takes the cookies for Grandma's hands.

ADAM
 Way to go Grandma!

GRANDMA
 Well, this wasn't my first run-in
 with the law.

David puts the RV in drive and drives off, still visibly paralyzed by fear.

ADAM
 You okay, Bro?

DAVID
 (Angry and at the end
 quietly)
 That was so close! Good thing, he
 didn't take one of those cookies!

They drive off down the road.

12 SEEING THE GIRLS

EXT./INT. RV/HIGHWAY - DAY

The RV drives down the highway when a bright yellow open-top Jeep with surf gear speeds past. By chance, the two vehicles end up driving parallel to each other for a while.

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David and Adam are still arguing, unaware of the two beautiful girls in the Jeep next to them.

DAVID

You know it wouldn't kill you to do something right for a change.

ADAM

Are you saying it's my fault you got pulled over?

DAVID

No. I'm saying it's your fault for not knowing how to work the navigation. Just as it was your fault for getting busted at the party.

ADAM notices the Jeep driving beside them.

ADAM

Well, you wanted to go to the party.... Wow, check out those two in the Jeep!

Both boys gaze through the driver's side window at the two girls in the Jeep, but the girls are oblivious to their presence.

DAVID

Look, dude. (beat) They surf too!

Grandma notices that the boys have stopped arguing and observes what is going on. She peaks out of the side window through the curtains and sees the two pretty girls in the yellow Jeep. The girls notice the boys staring at them and wave politely for a few moments and then drive off.

ADAM

(Waves back at her slightly)
Look, look, she's waving at me.

DAVID

(Waves to the girls as they drive off)
Dream on, dude. The other one is kind of cute. Bye, see ya. Nice knowing you.

ADAM

Where do you find girls like that?!

Grandma is listening from behind and decides to pitch in.

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GRANDMA

Boys, boys, boys. If you want a woman to notice you, all you have to do is speak to her, with respect and listen.

DAVID

Oh come on Grandma.

GRANDMA

David. Listen to me. You don't need to impress people by acting tough. All you have to do is talk with them.

David keeps driving but looks at Grandma over his shoulder.

GRANDMA

You boys should talk to them the next time you see them. They smiled at you boys, so they'd probably talk to you.

DAVID

Well, that's not gonna happen...

GRANDMA

Why not? All you boys have to do is walk up to them and say hi, then talk to them. Showing an interest in them and what they're doing.

DAVID

Well, we don't know where they're going and cute girls like that don't grow on trees.

Adam listening to the conversation and nods at Grandma.

GRANDMA

(Witty and excited)

I know where they're going...

DAVID

(Surprised)

You do? Where? How?

GRANDMA

(Witty again with a smile on her face)

I'm not telling...

ADAM

Come on, Grandma. Pleeeeease!

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GRANDMA
OK, OK. They're headed to
Scorpion Bay.

DAVID
How do you know that?!

ADAM
Yeah, Grandma?

Grandma nods and smiles like she doesn't want to tell the boys.

DAVID
(Looks at Grandma over his
shoulder)
Oh come on, Grandma. Please tell
us.

GRANDMA
Didn't you boys notice the bumper
sticker on their car?

Adam nods in sign of no.

DAVID
No, Grandma. What sticker?

GRANDMA
They had a bumper sticker that
said "I <3 surfing @ Scorpion
Bay".

DAVID
We're going to Scorpion Bay!

GRANDMA
Exactly!

ADAM
(Excited)
Oh wow Grandma! That's amazing!
How did you think to do that?!

GRANDMA
(smiling)
I saw it on Columbo last week on
TV.

ADAM
Grandma you're a legend!

GRANDMA
Now all you boys have to do is
talk to them.

David smiles as they drive off down the highway off into the sunset.

13 CRAZY CRUISE CONTROL

INT. RV - NIGHT

David is driving while Adam is looking through the passenger window and gazing at the stars and lights in the distance.

DAVID
(David sighs)
Man I'm sleepy.

ADAM
(Gazing through the window)
Me too!

After a little while David sets the cruise control and gets up, while Adam is still looking through the passenger side window.

He heads back towards the kitchen area and starts pouring himself a coffee, when Adam suddenly turns to see David missing at the steering wheel.

ADAM
(Stops mid sentence)
You know, this trip... David?
David! Woow....

Adam jumps into the driver's seat, grabbing the wheel and screaming at David.

ADAM
What the hell are you doing?!

David comes back to the driving area as Adam gets control over the RV that was cursing just fine.

DAVID
What? Why? What's wrong? I was just getting some coffee. Did you want some?

ADAM
You could have killed us all, idiot!

DAVID
(Surprised)
Why? What did I do?

ADAM
You can't just leave the wheel and get coffee!

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DAVID

Why! There's adaptive cruise control and lane assist. Dad showed me.

ADAM

Man you're stupid, you're not supposed to leave the driver's seat!

As they start fighting Adam stops driving and starts fighting with David and then remembers to drive again.

Grandma woke up when she felt the RV jerk left and right, so she comes to check what was happening.

GRANDMA

Boys! Stop fighting! What is going on.

ADAM

David wasn't driving grandma!

DAVID

(Punching Adam)
Ass hole, you had to rat me out.

They start fighting again and Grandma wakes up and stops them.

GRANDMA

Boys, boys. Stop! Adam I want you to pull over right now. You boys are too tired to drive.

Adam pulls over to the side of the road.

DAVID

You're right Grandma. I'm too tired

GRANDMA

David I want you to have a little rest.

David stands up and talks to Grandma.

DAVID

But Grandma if we don't drive through the night, we won't get there on time.

GRANDMA

That's why Adam will drive for a while, so that we will still arrive in the morning.

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DAVID

But Dad said that Adam shouldn't drive. He crashed mom's car into the neighbor's hedge just moving it a couple of feet.

Adam punches David's leg.

ADAM

That was one time asshole and I was trying not to hit their dog so I swerved.

They start fighting again and Grandma breaks them up.

GRANDMA

Boys! Stop this. Right now! Your father isn't here and if I say that it's OK for Adam to drive, then he'll just have to except that this was the best decision at the time. David get some rest and I'll keep Adam company and make sure everything is OK.

DAVID

OK Grandma. I guess I'll take a shower since I'm wide awake now.

David walks to towards the back of the RV while Adam drives off as he sighs because of fatigue and Grandma sits down in the passenger seat.

GRANDMA

I can't believe my two little boys are driving already! I remember when your father started driving. Your Grandfather and I were so worried about him and his fast car.

Adam smiles at Grandma but keeps driving, he looks a little tired and almost falls a sleep while driving.

GRANDMA

Adam, are you OK?

ADAM

Thanks Grandma. I'm fine, really. I just need to take it slow for a while.

GRANDMA

You know, if you are tired, I could drive for a while and you boys can get some needed rest. I'm wide a wake.

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ADAM

No Grandma, you can't drive this thing...

GRANDMA

Why not? I used to drive those big cars back at the factory. Come on pull over and I'll drive for a while. Just for 10 minutes so that you boys can get some rest.

ADAM

Ok Grandma.

Adam pulls over to the side and gets up, while Grandma sits in the driver's seat.

ADAM

Are you sure you know how to drive this thing?

GRANDMA

Oh yes, it's just like your Grandfathers old Buick! I'll be fine, now go and rest.

ADAM

OK...

Adam walks to the back, as Grandma tries to figure out how to drive the RV.

She starts pushing buttons and blinds begin to go up and down, lights turn on and off, the pneumatic system starts to work, doors open and close.

But at one moment she figures out what to do and starts to drive, jolting while starting off.

INT. BACK ROOM - NIGHT

Adam drops to the bed and turns on his back, falling almost completely asleep the moment he hits the bed.

But then he starts shaking left to right and opens his eyes and notices that the lights are going the wrong way outside.

ADAM

(Shouts to the front)
Hey Grandma are you diving backwards?

Grandma stops the RV and figures out what's wrong and begins to drive forward.

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David in the shower almost loses his balance while he's shampooing his hair.

GRANDMA(OS)
Everything is fine, I was just driving past something.

ADAM
(Shouting to the front)
One the highway?!

Adam falls back a sleep while the RV drives continues down the road.

INT. BATHROOM - NIGHT

The RV keeps going faster and faster and David in the shower gets shoved around.

DAVID
(Shouts out of the shower)
Aaaaam! What the hell are you doing?! Drive slower!

He gets shoved around some more.

DAVID
Adam! What the hell are you doing up there! I can't shower. Adam!

At that moment Adam opens the bathroom door and surprises David, as the RV keeps swaying left to right.

ADAM
What are you screaming about?

David surprised to see Adam there.

DAVID
Who the hell is driving the RV?!

ADAM
Grandma! Why?

DAVID
Grandma?!

David launches out butt naked from the shower and runs to the front of the RV tying a towel around his waist.

He runs towards the driver's seat where Grandma is completely excited to be driving.

DAVID
Grandma! What are you doing? Slow down.

He grabs the wheel and brings the RV to a stop

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GRANDMA

Oh, I'm sorry was I going too fast. I guess it's a little faster than your grandfather's Buick.

Adam runs forward, as Grandma and David stop the RV. David gets angry at Adam.

DAVID

What the hell were you thinking! This is exactly why Dad told me to drive.

GRANDMA

I'm sorry boys. I must have got caught in the moment. But it was so fun to drive again.

DAVID

Grandma can't drive, she hasn't driven in 10 years because of her medication. You could have gotten us all killed!

Grandma gets up from the wheel.

ADAM

I'm sorry Grandma.

Grandma touches Adam on his shoulder.

GRANDMA

Boys I think we're all getting to tired to drive. Let's just get some rest.

DAVID

I'll pull over at a rest area. I can't handle anymore.

David takes a seat and drives off still wrapped in a towel and covered with shampoo.

They pull over to a rest area.

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MEETING THE GIRLS

INT./EXT. RV - DAY

Adam and David are driving down the highway the next day, enjoying the scenery. Suddenly, Adam's phone rings.

ADAM

(answers phone)
Oh hi Dad! What's up?

(CONTINUED)

FATHER (OS)
(through phone)
What do you mean what's up! You
haven't called since you left.
Put your brother on the phone!

Adam hands the phone to David.

DAVID
(answers phone)
Yeah Dad?

FATHER (OS)
(through phone)
David? Where's Adam?

DAVID
(Distracted)
Dad, I can't talk. I'm driving.

FATHER (OS)
(through phone, aggravated)
What do you mean driving! You
shouldn't be on the phone! Put
Adam back on.

David hands the phone back to Adam.

ADAM
(answers phone)
Yeah Dad?

FATHER (OS)
(through phone)
What the hell are you to? You
haven't called since you left.

ADAM
(trying to calm his father
down)
Sorry Dad. We were just having so
much fun and we forgot.

FATHER (OS)
(through phone)
Have you busted the RV?! That's
why you didn't call, right?

ADAM
(laughs)
No Dad! The RV is fine! We're
just on our way to Scorpion Bay.

FATHER (OS)
(through phone skeptical)
Scorpion Bay? OK, well make sure
you keep me updated.

(CONTINUED)

David and Adam just begin pulling into the gas station area. They notice the girl's yellow Jeep at one of the pumps.

DAVID
(Excitedly to Adam)
Dude, look!

ADAM looks at the Jeep as they're pulling in and stops listening to their father on the phone.

ADAM
(Handing the phone blindly
to Grandma)
Here, Grandma. Dad wants to talk.

David and Adam focus on the girls as they stop the RV, while Grandma talks to their Father in the background.

DAVID
(Whispers to Adam)
Dude, they're gorgeous!

ADAM
(Nods)
Yeah, and check out their gear.

GRANDMA
(On the phone)
Hello, Michael! How are you?

FATHER (OS)
(On the phone)
Hi, Mom. I'm okay. Just worried
about you and the two
knuckleheads.

DAVID
(Whispers to Adam)
Should we go talk to them?

Adam shrugs his shoulders.

GRANDMA
(On the phone)
Oh, Michael, don't worry. We're
all fine and having a great time,
the boys are taking great care of
me. It's wonderful. Listen,
Michael, I have to go because
we've just stopped for a bathroom
break, and I have to run.

FATHER (OS)
(On the phone, getting cut
off)
But, Mom...

(CONTINUED)

David and Adam are still hesitating to talk to the girls at the gas station. Grandma notices and leans forward.

GRANDMA

Boys, remember what we talked about? How to get those girls to notice you?

DAVID

Yeah, Grandma.

GRANDMA

Well now's your chance. So go! Get your butts out there, before you lose your chance.

Grandma taps the boys on their shoulders to get up.

DAVID

Okay, Grandma.

The boys exit the RV.

EXT. GAS STATION - DAY

The boys approach the girls at the gas pump.

DAVID

(Greets the girls)

Hi.

INT. RV - DAY

FATHER (OS)

Mom. Put one of the boys back on the phone please.

GRANDMA

(Sighs)

Alright Michael, but they're a bit preoccupied at the moment.

Grandma looks over at the boys who are chatting with the girls.

GRANDMA (CONT'D)

(To the boys, waving them over)

Your dad wants to talk to you.

David and Adam look over and say goodbye to the girls who head to the gas station store. They boys run back to the RV to grab the phone.

DAVID

Hey Dad!

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FATHER (OS)
(Angrily)
What the hell are you boys up to?

ADAM
(Sighs and into the phone)
Dad, we're just talking to some girls.

FATHER (OS)
(Interrupts Adam)
Girls?! You're supposed to be taking care of your grandma!

DAVID
Dad, relax. Grandma's right here and we're just having a little fun.

FATHER (OS)
(Exasperated)
OK, OK! Just take care of her and make sure you call me every day from now on.

DAVID
Sure dad. Talk later.

David the phone to Grandma as Mike is still talking in the background and the boys look back to see if the girls are still there and see them getting into their car. They wave to each other, Grandma leaves.

The boys get back into the RV.

GRANDMA
(Interrupts Mike in haste)
Michael, I have to go take my medication now. We'll speak later. Bye bye."

She puts the phone down and reaches for her medication bottle just as the boys enter.

GRANDMA
So how did it go?

ADAM
Grandma, you're a genius! We talked to them, and they're really nice.

GRANDMA
I told you it would work.

(CONTINUED)

DAVID

We're meeting up tomorrow at the beach.

GRANDMA

(Excitedly)

That's very exciting.

Suddenly, Grandma gets a little dizzy and sits down abruptly, and the boys both jump to help.

ADAM

Grandma! Are you okay?

GRANDMA

Oh my. I had a dizzy spell.

ADAM

Are you okay now?

GRANDMA

Yes, yes. I think I just might be running out of my medication.

ADAM

David, get a glass of water!

David gets a glass of water and brings it to Grandma.

GRANDMA

Oh Adam, would you be a dear and get my prescription refilled at the pharmacy when we pass by?

ADAM

Sure, Grandma. Are you sure you're taking your medication the right way?

GRANDMA

Of course. I have a schedule right here somewhere. Come on, help me up.

She looks trough her pours for a peace of paper but doesn't find it and then leaves towards the back.

FADE TO:

15 HITTING THE BEACH

INT. RV - DAY

The RV pulls up to a crowded beach where many surfers are catching waves.

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DAVID
(Excitedly)
Wow, there's so many people here.
This is so cool!

ADAM
(Points to the girl's jeep)
Look! The girls' jeep!

They park a little distance from the girl's jeep, and Grandma is taking her medication in the background, holding the counter to maintain her balance.

ADAM
Grandma, are you okay?

GRANDMA
Oh yes, I'm just a little tired and need to rest. Don't worry about me. It's too hot outside anyway. You boys go and have fun, and I'll rest right here.

ADAM
Okay Grandma. But if you need anything, just call us.

GRANDMA
No, no. You boys have a great time and I'll stay out of sight. Remember, talk to them nicely and ask them out for the evening.

Adam nods as they exit the RV as Grandma takes some more of her medication and holds her balance. Then takes a seat like she lost her balance a little.

EXT. BEACH - DAY

As they paddled towards the girls, they noticed that the waves were getting bigger and stronger. David was a little intimidated, but Adam reassured him that they could handle it.

DAVID
Don't worry man, we got this.
Just follow my lead.

ADAM
Okay, okay.

They continued to paddle until they finally reached the girls. The girls were impressed with their surfing skills and struck up a conversation.

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LISA
(Smiling genuinely)
Hey, you guys look pretty good
out there!

JENNY
(A little provocatively)
Yeah, we've been watching you
from a while.

The girls laughed and the boys felt at ease. They chatted for a while longer, sharing stories and jokes. Eventually, the girls suggested that they all go out for dinner later that evening.

LISA
Why don't we all meet up at that
little seafood place down the
road?

DAVID
(Smiling)
We can do that, it sounds great!

The boys were thrilled that they had successfully talked to the girls and made plans for the evening. They couldn't wait to tell Grandma all about it.

INT. RV - DAY

The boys get back to the RV with their surf boards, beaming with happiness. As they enter the RV, they immediately look around for Grandma.

DAVID
Come on, let's get ready. Are you
gonna shower first?

ADAM
(Looks around for grandma)
Sure. Where's Grandma?

Adam walks towards the back room while David yells from the front.

DAVID
Dude, are you going first or
what?

ADAM
Hold on!

As Adam approaches Grandma, who is lying on the bed, he speaks to her cautiously.

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ADAM

Grandma? Are you okay?

Grandma remains motionless, with a bottle of pills on the table. Adam tries to shake her and suddenly she wakes up from her deep sleep, startling Adam.

GRANDMA

What? Who? What's going on? Who's at the door?!

ADAM

Grandma, it's me, Adam.

He kneels down as Grandma slowly regains her bearings.

ADAM

Grandma, are you okay?

GRANDMA

Oh, yes. I was just in a deep sleep. I thought you were the postman back home. Come on, help me stand up.

Adam helps Grandma stand up and together they move towards the front of the RV.

Grandma and Adam step into the lounge area and he helps her sit down on the couch.

ADAM

David, get the chair for Grandma.

GRANDMA

No, no, no. I'll just sit on the couch. Tell me, did you boys have a good time?

DAVID

Oh yeah, Grandma! It was awesome!

ADAM

Don't you want to know if Grandma is okay?

GRANDMA

I'm fine. I want to know what happened. Was it everything you boys hoped for?

ADAM

Grandma, are you sure you're fine? You were really deep asleep. I had a hard time waking you up.

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GRANDMA

Yes, I probably just took too many of my sleeping pills. I usually sleep through the night without waking up. Really, I'm fine.

Grandma gets up and starts pouring herself a glass of water and Adam tries to help her.

GRANDMA

Now, tell me, was the place like you hoped it would be?

DAVID

Yeah, Grandma. It was awesome. The waves were just right and the beach is great.

GRANDMA

Did you find those nice girls?

DAVID

Yeah, we did. They were already here on the water.

GRANDMA

And did you talk to them?

DAVID

Not only did we talk to them, but we've got a date tonight!

GRANDMA

That's wonderful! What are you boys going to wear?

DAVID

I don't know, but we've got to get ready!

ADAM

Are you sure you'll be okay, Grandma? Maybe we should go on the date until tomorrow?

David stops unpacking his cloths and turns to Adam.

DAVID

Are you, crazy?

GRANDMA

Oh, nonsense! I'll be fine. You boys need to be punctual! Now, go get ready and I'll make you boys something for dinner.

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ADAM

But Grandma, we're going out with
the girls for dinner.

GRANDMA

My goodness, I completely forgot.
Yes, yes, go get ready.

The boys get ready as Grandma starts to read.

16

DATE TIME

INT. RV - NIGHT

David exits the bathroom as Adam is getting dressed in the
back room.

DAVID

Are you ready yet?

ADAM

Yeah, just about.

Adam rushes out of the back room looking a little nervous.

GRANDMA

Boys, you two look very handsome.

DAVID

Come on, Grandma. Can't you see
Adam is nervous enough without
that?

GRANDMA

(Excited)

Oh, right. You boys are going to
be great and have so much fun!

ADAM

Thank you, Grandma. Are you going
to be okay?

GRANDMA

I'll be fine. I have my book and
then go to bed. You boys go and
have fun, don't worry about me.

DAVID

(Back to Adam while he's
almost out the door)

Come on! Let's go already!

David exits the RV, as Adam tries to follow still fiddling
with his tie.

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ADAM

What's the secret to this thing?!

Grandma sees that Adam has problems with his tie and gets up to help and David nags him to hurry up.

GRANDMA

Here, let me help you.

DAVID

Come on already! Do you really need a tie?!

GRANDMA

The rabbit comes out of the hole, around the tree, and back in the hole. There now you look hansom!

Grandma stands back and almost losses her balance, but Adam doesn't notice as she catches her balance on the counter, as Adam exits the RV.

ADAM

Thanks! Bye, Grandma!

17 THE DATE

EXT. BEACH PARKING - NIGHT

They walk up to the Jeep of the girls where the girls are already waiting for them.

Lisa smiling at David.

LISA

We though you ditched us.

Jenny walks up to Adam and fixes his tie, straightening his jacket.

JENNY

You look very handsome.

ADAM

And you look very pretty.

They smile at each other in close proximity.

Soon they walk off.

BEGINNING OF DATE MONTAGE

- They're walking on the beach,
- They sit at a restaurant (Miguel is their waiter),
- They talk,

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- They have fun and laugh,
- They dance salsa,
- They walk along the shops,
- They kiss slightly for goodnight.

END OF DATE MONTAGE

18 THE PROBLEM

EXT. ROAD - NIGHT

David and Adam are walking down the road towards the beach and the RV.

DAVID
That was amazing, man! Grandma was right!

ADAM
Yeah, she sure what she's talking about.

They arrive at the RV and enter quietly.

ADAM
Shh, can you please be a little quieter? We don't want to wake up Grandma.

DAVID
(relenting)
Sorry. I had a little too much to drink!

Adam sits on the sofa as David heads towards the back bedroom to retrieve his belongings.

DAVID
(to Adam)
I'll bring you your stuff.

ADAM
(whispering)
No, you'll wake up Grandma. Just leave it.

DAVID
(whispering back)
Dude, I need my stuff to sleep. I'll be quiet.

David tiptoes towards the bedroom, but his drunken state causes him to bump into various objects. Adam, meanwhile, fiddles with his phone.

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ADAM
(whispering towards the
bedroom)
Shhhhh!

After a few moments, David starts calling out for Adam.

DAVID
(nervously from the bedroom)
Dude! Get over here.

ADAM
(whispering)
Come on man! You'll wake up
grandma.

David gives up on being quiet and turns on the light.

DAVID
(loudly)
Dude! You seriously need to get
in here. Like now!

Adam stands up and heads towards the bedroom, but he's concerned about waking Grandma.

ADAM
(whispering)
You're gonna wake up Grandma.

David crouches down to pick up a spilled bottle of Grandma's medication, with pills scattered all over the floor, as Adam enters the back bedroom.

ADAM
What are you doing? You're gonna
wake up Grandma!

DAVID
No, I can't. I've tried to.

Adam approaches the bed and tries to wake Grandma up.

ADAM
(First to David then to
Grandma)
What do you mean?! Grandma! Wake
up! Can you hear me?

DAVID
I tried that!

Adam notices Grandma's hand dangling off the bed and starts breathing deeply because he's having a panic attack and his asthma is acting up.

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ADAM

Is she breathing? Go get a glass
of water for her!

David runs to get water as Adam shakes Grandma and tries
to wake her up.

ADAM

Grandma! Wake up! Can you hear
me! Squeeze my hand if you can
hear me!

David returns with the water, as Adam is listening to
Grandma's breathing while hipper ventilating a little.

He takes the water and drinks it.

DAVID

Is she breathing?

ADAM

No, I don't know. Come on, man!
Call 911. They can save her.

David gets his phone and starts dialing, but then
hesitates and hangs up.

DAVID

No, no. We can't call 911.

ADAM

What do you mean?! She's not
breathing, Call 911. Now!

DAVID

There's nothing we can do. She's
gone!

Adam gets upset and is upset with David and tries to get
his cell phone, as David evades him.

ADAM

Call 911! Give me the phone!

DAVID

Look, dude. I know you want to
help her, but if we call 911, we
could get in a lot of trouble.
Just think we're in a foreign
country, we're two teenagers and
someone is dead. We're drunk and
have drugs in the RV. We're
getting arrested for sure!

Adam realizes the situation they're in and stands back to
think.

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ADAM

Oh, shit! The drugs. (beat)
They're gonna think that we
killed her! She smoked our weed
yesterday!

Adam covers Grandma's body, as he seems saddened by her supposed death and heads towards the saloon area.

ADAM

I'm sorry Grandma.

He goes the saloon and plops down on the sofa still breathing heavily. David follows and sits beside him.

ADAM

Fuck! You're right. We're
screwed!

DAVID

We're not screwed. We just need
to figure a way out of this.
You're good at this stuff, you'll
figure it out.

ADAM

I suck at this. I couldn't even
keep Grandma alive on a simple
road trip!

DAVID

Dude, it's not your fault. She
just died, that's what old people
do! But we need to figure out
what to do.

ADAM

What do you think happened?

David hands Adam some pills.

DAVID

I found these pills on the floor.

Adam inspects the pills with his hands still shaking and then gets up, as David points back to the floor in the back area.

ADAM

Hold on! Where were these?

DAVID

On the floor beside the bed.

David's phone rings, it's Lisa calling and he answers.

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DAVID
Hey! What's up?

LISA (OS)
Hey, I just wanted to tell you that Adam forgot his inhaler here, so Jenny and I are bringing it down to you guys.

DAVID
Oh, thanks. He's always forgetting that thing somewhere and finally he needs them.

LISA (OS)
Sure thing! See you guys soon.
Bye.

Adam stands up nervously and eavesdrops on the conversation breathing a little deeply.

DAVID
(Quietly to Adam)
You forgot your inhaler, again.

LISA (OS)
Hey, tell Adam that Jenny says she can't wait to see him again.

Adam starts hyperventilating even more and shaking his head.

ADAM
(Nervously while standing up)
No, no, no, no. Don't let them come here! Tell them that we're on our way there.

DAVID
(To Adam covering the phone)
Why? They're already on their way.

ADAM
(Pointing to Grandma)
Dude, no! Tell them that we'll meet them there!

DAVID
(First to Adam and then back to Lisa)
Oh crap! Yeah, okay. Hey, babe, listen! We're coming your way anyway. Could we meet you guys back the hotel?

(CONTINUED)

LISA (OS)
OK. But we're already on our way?

ADAM
(Whispering to David)
Tell them we're already on the highway and we'll miss each other.

DAVID
We're already on the highway and we'll just miss each other. Besides, we ran out of water in the RV and needed to fill it up. So we'll just swing by.

LISA (OS)
OK, sure thing. We'll be waiting. Bye.

David hangs up the phone, and Adam takes a deep breath.

DAVID
OK, cool. We dogged the bullet.

ADAM
Yeah, but now we have to go there.

DAVID
So what?

ADAM
We still have to dealt with our situation.

Adam points at Grandma covered in the back, as the both stare trying to contemplate what to do.

19 THE PARKING PROBLEM

EXT. STREET - NIGHT

The RV pulls up to a curb on a dark street outside the hotel.

ADAM
(looking around)
This place doesn't look safe.

DAVID
(glancing at the street signs)
Nah, we're good. Relax, we'll only be a few minutes. We'll grab your inhaler from Lisa and Jenny and then we'll be on our way.

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Adam hesitates for a moment, but ultimately gives in.

ADAM
OK, but let's make it quick.

They exit the RV and make their way towards the hotel.

20 FORGETTING THE PROBLEMS

EXT. CORRIDOR, HOTEL ROOM - NIGHT

Lisa opens the door and invites the guys in.

LISA
(She winks smilingly at David)
Back so soon, tryin' to get lucky after dinner. Aaa?

David and Adam enter the room, both looking uneasy.

DAVID
Uh, actually, we just came to pick up Adam's inhaler.

LISA
(A little confused)
Okay. I'll go grab it for you then.

Lisa disappears into the bathroom where laughing can be heard and then returns with the inhaler, followed by Jenny, who walks out wrapped in a tight short towel.

Lisa takes David's hand while smiling at Jenny.

LISA
(Walking past David)
Jenny! Look who decided to get lucky.

Jenny throws Adam his inhaler.

JENNY
(Provocatively and playfully)
You left this in our car.

ADAM
(Grateful)
Thanks.

JENNY
(Smiling)
On purpose?

(CONTINUED)

ADAM
(Slightly embarrassed)
No, I must have dropped it.

LISA
(Tapping Adam on the chest)
Oh relax, boy scout. She's just
teasing. Who wants a drink?

Lisa pours drinks for the them, she takes a small bottle and slips a pill into each drink that looks like a kind of drug.

Everyone takes their glass, but Adam still in a stressed and confused state.

LISA
(Cheerfully)
This has a kick to it. Cheers!

Adam hesitates and Lisa reassures him that he'll relax after this.

ADAM
I'm not sure that we should...

LISA
(Interrupts Adam)
Relax and don't worry! It will
take your edge off.

Jenny nods to Adam and they all drink up.

Soon the mood lightens, as the drugs take effect. David and Lisa start dancing and getting more intimate, while Adam and Jenny become increasingly uncomfortable sitting on the bed.

JENNY
(Whispering to Adam)
Are you OK? Do you wanna maybe
get some fresh air?

ADAM
(Nodding)
Mhm...

As Adam and Jenny leave the room, David and Lisa continue their passionate make-out and dancing.

EXT. CORRIDOR - NIGHT

Adam and Jenny walk down the corridor and head towards the stairs.

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JENNY

I'm sorry about my friend. Do you want to go down to the beach or something?

ADAM

It's OK. Yeah sure. I like the ocean.

JENNY

Are you OK? You look like you're worried about something?

ADAM

No, I'm OK. I just have a lot on my mind. I'll be fine. Thank you.

Adam smiles at Jenny with a worried look on his face, Jenny smiles slightly back at him. They continue to walk down the stairs, as the scene fades to the beach.

EXT. BEACH - NIGHT

Jenny and Adam are sitting on the beachfront, talking.

BEGINNING OF MONTAGE

- Adam and Jenny smile at each other (Adam worried a little),
- They walk on the beach holding hands and hugging,
- Silhouettes of David and Lisa making out on the bed can be seen,
- Adam and Jenny also making out the bed also, illuminated by neon lights of the hotel,
- They all somehow fall asleep.

END OF MONTAGE

21 MORNING PANIC

INT. MOTEL ROOM - DAY

Adam wakes up and looks around, realizing it's morning.

ADAM

(whispering)

Oh crap!

He gets out of bed without waking up Jenny and goes over to David and Lisa's bed, where Lisa is laying on top of David half naked.

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ADAM
(whispering, while poking
David)
David. David, wake up. Dude, wake
up!

DAVID
(mumbling)
I'm sleepin'!

ADAM
(whispering)
Shh. Don't wake up everyone. Get
up.

Lisa starts moving around on top of David as Adam shakes
him a little.

ADAM
(whispering)
Wake up, dude! We've got to get
going.

DAVID
(mumbling)
I'm still asleep. Leave me alone!

David lifts his head a little and sees Adam by his bed. He
then sees Lisa's naked body sleeping on top of him and
smiles at Adam.

ADAM
(whispering)
Get up, man. We've got to go.

DAVID
Check this out!

ADAM
(whispering)
Shh. Be quiet and get up. We've
got to go. Now!

David shakes his head and doesn't want to go.

ADAM
(whispering)
We've still got a situation in
the RV, remember!

David becomes serious and starts looking for a way to get
out of bed.

DAVID
(whispering at first and
then louder)
Shit! I forget! Fuck!

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ADAM
(whispering)
Shh. You're gonna wake her.

Lisa rolls off David, revealing her bare breast and her behind, still covered with a thin bed sheet.

David slides away and starts putting his clothes on, covering his naked butt.

ADAM
(nervously)
Come on already!

DAVID
I'm comin'!

They both exit the hotel room quietly, still putting on their clothes, as the girls continue sleeping.

David tries to close the door silently.

They rush down the stairs while getting dressed.

ADAM
(panicking)
How could you forget?!

DAVID
(still dressing up)
I was wasted after the first drink.

They walk down the street towards where the RV is parked. They pass a "No parking" sign without noticing that the RV is missing.

ADAM
We need to call the Dad or the cops. Something!

DAVID
If we do that, we're dead.

They continue to pace down the street, arguing. Adam looks around while David insists that the RV is parked further down the street.

DAVID
It's just down there. Just a little further.

ADAM
It wasn't that far.

They reach a dead end and they look around like they were lost.

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DAVID
(looking around)
This isn't the right street.

ADAM
(told you so)
It wasn't parked this far down.

DAVID
(aggravated)
Well, where the hell is it?!

They both look around, then David decides to check the other street.

DAVID
(calling Adam)
Come on!

ADAM
(trying to convince David)
It's not down there.

DAVID
(determined)
Well, it didn't just drive away
by itself.

They return to the beginning of the road where they left the RV the night before. David searches around and then checks the other street again.

DAVID
(coming back)
It's not down there.

ADAM
(angry)
I told you we left it right here.

DAVID
(worried)
Well where the hell is it then,
smart ass?!

ADAM
(yelling)
How the fuck should I know?
You're the one with the keys,
maybe someone took it. You do
have them, right?

DAVID
(checking his pockets)
Oh, come on. They're right here.

David tows the keys at Adam, who moves sideways as the keys fly towards a storm drain.

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Adam turns to see the keys and leaps to catch them before they fall into the storm drain.

Luckily he catches them and throws them back to David.

ADAM
(angrily)
That's all we need right now.

Adam's suggestion that someone might have stolen the RV worries David, who starts pacing around and kicking things, including the "No parking" sign.

DAVID is angry and screaming at ADAM. Meanwhile, a hotel employee walks down the street to his car, noticing that the boys are looking for their RV.

DAVID
We should never have come back here yesterday. Who the hell steals an RV?

MIGUEL
(from afar, then comes closer)
¡Hola gringos! Missing your car?

ADAM
Yeah, why? Did you see something?

MIGUEL
No, hombre. I was working all night. But if you parked it on this street, your car is gone.

DAVID
What do you mean it's gone? It got stolen or something.

ADAM
It was an RV.

MIGUEL
No, hombre. Wait! Aren't you the hombers from the club last night with those two fine chicitas? Yes, yes, it was you! Wait! Did you park your RV here and went back with those chicitas? Alright!

ADAM
Yeah, we parked it right here!

MEXICAN WAITER
Hey, hombre. Your RV wasn't stolen. It got towed. It's what I call gringo justice.

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ADAM

Come on! That's not funny. What do you mean it got towed?

MIGUEL

(kicking the sign post and laughing)

Yo holmes. You're not supposed to park here. Don't you gringos read the signs or do you just ignore everything?

ADAM

Hold on. Why is your car still here?

MIGUEL

Yo holmes, because God works in mysterious ways. They only tow cars of gringos who don't read the signs and don't tip people. Haha.

ADAM

Look, I'm really sorry about the tip. So where do they tow the RVs to?

David searches his pockets and pulls out 10 bucks and hands them to Miguel.

DAVID

Yeah! Where is it! Here's 10 bucks!

MIGUEL

(leaves at the end, smiling and laughing)

I would tell you, but you didn't give me a tip yesterday evening. Also, I have no ideas, because I've never had my car towed. But you should call la policia and they will tell you. Haha! Don't worry, gringos. You had a great night with those mamasitas. You'll get your RV back eventually! Don't worry so much. Ha ha. Save your money, you need it more than I do right now. Ha ha!

Miguel begins to walk away in the middle of the sentence, back to his car.

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DAVID
Asshole!

ADAM
(First to David and then to Miguel)
Come on! I'm sorry and thanks. I guess.

The Mexican waiter gets into his car and drives off.

DAVID
Fuck! Now what?!

MIGUEL
(shouting from his car)
Good luck, gringos.

Miguel shouts from his beat up car and David flips him off as he drives by.

DAVID
(towards the car)
Screw you!

ADAM
Come on! We've to find where they took the RV to!

Adam starts walking back to the hotel.

DAVID
Wait, what?

ADAM
We're gonna need some help.

David still standing there as Adam keeps walking.

DAVID
Why?

ADAM
Well, they've got a car, and between the two of us, we only have a couple of bucks.

DAVID
Oh, crap!

ADAM
What?

DAVID
All my money is in the RV!

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ADAM

Wait, how? Crap! Ok now we really need them. Lets get some coffee so that it doesn't look like we bailed on them.

They head back towards the motel.

INT. HOTEL ROOM - DAY

As Lisa pulls a tank top over her breasts, Jenny can be seen showering through the slightly open door, which she closes just as the guys walk in.

LISA

(Provocatively)

I thought you guys ditched us after a one night stand.

DAVID

(handing a cup to her and winking at the end)

No! We were just getting some coffee. Extra cream for you.

Jenny comes out of the shower and smiles at Adam, who goes over to her bed as she starts changing. She smiles at Adam and gives him a kiss as he hands her a coffee.

JENNY

Is that for me?

ADAM

(smiling)

Yeah. I thought you'd like a coffee.

JENNY

Thank you. So what are we doing today?

David takes a step back and addresses Jenny.

DAVID

Well, we've got a bit of a problem.

ADAM

(to Jenny)

And we kind of need your help.

LISA

(looking at David and Adam as they all move into a group)

What do you mean?

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ADAM
(Pointing at David)
Well, our RV got towed because
this guy didn't see a sign on the
street last night.

DAVID
(aggravated, at Adam)
Oh, so it's my fault?!

David punches Adam in the hand and they almost start a
fight again.

LISA
(to David, then back to
Adam)
Calm down! Go on.

ADAM
This waiter from yesterday, told
us that we weren't supposed to
park on the street and the RV got
towed.

DAVID
We thought it got stolen or
something.

LISA
OK, so what's the plan now?

ADAM
Well we need a ride, I guess and
need to find out where they took
the RV.

JENNY
We could ask someone.

ADAM
Also we're gonna have to borrow
some money.

LISA
(jokingly, bumping against
David and winking at him)
Oh, so that's why you guys came
back. Hehe.

DAVID
(Almost mentions Grandma)
No, no. We just had to check
on...

ADAM
(interrupting David
abruptly)

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ADAM (cont'd)
On my wallet and found the RV was missing.

LISA
(laughing)
Just kidding. Have you guys called the cops?

DAVID
(uncertainly)
Amm. No. I mean, we wanted to because we thought it got stolen, but we didn't and we kind of don't wanna' get the cops involved.

JENNY
(curious)
Why not?

ADAM
Well, David brought along a bunch of weed. Sooo, it would...

LISA
(nodding understandingly)
OK, got it. No cops.

JENNY
(excitedly)
We could ask the nice guy at the front desk? He said he knows everything.

LISA
(assertively)
OK, Jenny, you and Adam go ask at the front desk, and David and I'll get the car and meet you in front.

They agree and Lisa grabs her bag and keys off the table.

As they're leaving, Lisa leans in to whisper to Jenny.

LISA
(Quietly)
Maybe you should ask the guys at the front desk by yourself. I think he had a thing for you.

Jenny nods and smile back at Lisa and then smiles at the guys as they look back.

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FINDING THE RV

INT. HOTEL LOBBY - DAY

Jenny and Adam approach the front desk, but Jenny stops him before they reach it.

JENNY

Hey, would you mind getting me another coffee? Don't worry babe, I'm not going anywhere, I'll just talk to this guy.

Jenny gives Adam a kiss passionately, causing him to smile and forget about everything.

Adam heads for coffee as Jenny heads to the front desk and flirts with to the GUY for directions, he shows her some places on a map.

Just as she finishes, Adam returns with a cup of coffee and they meet up at the entrance and walk out of the lobby.

ADAM

(Smiling while handing her the coffee)

Here you go. So did you find out where the impound lot is?

Adam hands Jenny a cup of coffee and she smiles back and gives him a kiss.

JENNY

Yeah. But there's a couple of them. He said we need to check them all.

EXT. DRIVE WAY - DAY

Lisa and David drive up in their Jeep as Jenny and Adam exit the lobby and jump in the back.

LISA

What did you find out?

ADAM

There's a bunch of lots.

JENNY

Yeah and some aren't listed so we're gonna have to ask around for directions. He showed me where they were but we need to just ask around in the area.

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DAVID
(sarcastically)
Great! Just great!

Lisa smiles at him and drives off.

EXT. STREET - DAY

Lisa exits the impound lot gate and approaches the jeep.

LISA
(shaking her head)
No luck, it's not here.

DAVID
(sighs)
So how many lots is that now?

LISA
(thinking)
Three and still no sign of the
RV.

ADAM
(optimistic)
We keep lookn'

They all get back into the Jeep and drive off.

INT. JEEP - DAY

Everyone is thinking to themselves in the car but then
Jenny breaks the silence.

JENNY
Hey guys, I know we're on the
clock, but I'm starving. We
didn't have breakfast, can we
grab a bite to eat?

LISA
(nodding)
You're right, I'm getting pretty
hungry too. How about you guys?

DAVID
(sighs)
I guess we should eat something.
Let's pull over here.

They park by a Mexican cantina and exit the car.

EXT. CANTINA - DAY

They walk into the cantina and find a table.

Adam pulls out a chair and sits beside David as a waiter,
MIGUEL, walks up and hands out the menus.

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MIGUEL

(Serious at first and then
jokingly)

Welcome to Cantina La Vida. Would
you like something to drink? Oh
great, now I can kiss my tip
goodbye here too.

DAVID

(As he notices Miguel)

Oh come on!

ADAM

Wait, you work here too?

MIGUEL

(Joking)

Of course, I cannot afford not
to. I don't get any tips.

LISA

Wait, you know this guy?

ADAM

And he told us that our RV
probably got towed.

MIGUEL

You are still searching for your
RV. What a surprise.

JENNY

Hey, wait! I remember you. You're
the guy from the beach.

LISA

Yeah, from the beach bar.

DAVID

(jokingly)

What, you work there too?

MIGUEL

(sarcastically)

Yeah, I work there. Not that
you'd notice.

ADAM

Right! I remember you surfing
too. You had that yellow and blue
board.

MIGUEL

Yeah, that was me. I sometimes go
surfing there.

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DAVID

So, Jose. Any chance of getting some food or something today?

ADAM

(To David)

Stop being such a dick.

LISA

(to David and then to Miguel)

Yeah, come on man. Sorry about him. Don't mind him. Please continue.

MIGUEL

OK, so what would you guys like to drink?

DAVID

You know what? I'll have a margarita.

MIGUEL

(Jokingly)

Great choice for the lady, what about for you?

JENNY

(giggling)

I'll have a margarita too, please.

ADAM

And I'll have a beer. Something local, maybe?

MIGUEL

Absolutely, I know just the thing.

As the he walks away, Jenny looks around the cantina and notices the decor.

JENNY

You know, this place is pretty cool. I like the colorful tiles.

DAVID

(jokingly)

Yeah and I like the fact that they're not playing that god-awful Mexican music.

LISA

(sarcastically)

Yeah, I was hoping for some nice polka.

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Adam chuckles as Miguel returns with the drinks.

ADAM
Hey, look they have a live band
later. Maybe we could show off
our dance moves.

JENNY
(smiling)
Yeah, and we could teach Miguel
here some new moves.

MIGUEL
(laughing)
Hey, I don't need any help. I'm
already the best dancer in town.

LISA
(teasingly)
Oh yeah? Prove it.

Miguel strikes a pose and starts doing a salsa move, but accidentally bumps into a nearby table, knocking over some stuff on the table.

DAVID
(sarcastically)
Yeah, real smooth, criminal.
Michael Jackson would be proud.

The group bursts into laughter as Miguel rushes to the back

INT. CANTINA CORRIDOR - DAY

The group has just finished eating and they talk about getting back to searching for the RV.

ADAM
I think we better get back to
finding the RV. It's kind of
time-sensitive.

David starts looking around frantically, as if expecting the RV to suddenly appear in restaurant.

DAVID
Oh yeah, crap! Right. Let's get
the check. Where is that Jose
dude?

Lisa reaches out to touch David's hand, a gentle gesture that seems to calm him down.

LISA
Don't worry, we'll get the RV
back.

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ADAM

He's called Miguel by the way and he's actually really OK. So be nice to him and maybe he can help us find it faster.

David looks skeptical, as Adam waves to Miguel, who comes over to the table.

MIGUEL

Everything to your satisfaction?

Jenny gushes with enthusiasm.

JENNY

Oh, it was the best. I was so hungry.

Miguel bows slightly, a small smile still on his lips.

MIGUEL

Thank you very much. I will be sure to tell the chef.

Adam speaks up, his voice urgent.

ADAM

Listen, Miguel, could you please help us?

MIGUEL

Sure. What do you need, amigos?

Adam turns to Lisa, who pulls out a map with marked places and Miguel rests on the table with his hands, looking at the map.

JENNY

The guy at the front desk told us there's a bunch of places where they could have taken the RV to. And we've checked out a couple so of them so far.

Miguel nods, his expression thoughtful.

MIGUEL

Ah, OK. I see your problem. You are going about it just randomly. I told you guys that the fastest way was to call la policia. They would know for sure, otherwise it's a small problem to find it.

Adam shakes his head.

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ADAM

If we call the cops, our dad will
kill us.

David rolls his eyes, his frustration clear.

DAVID

Yeah, over the phone.

Miguel nods, his expression understanding.

MIGUEL

(Jokingly)

Well no, we wouldn't want that.

Lisa chuckles, bumping him a little.

LISA

You're funny.

David roles his eyes.

DAVID

Yeah, a real comedian.

Adam kicks David under the table, and Lisa bumps him with
her elbow so that his hand, that's supporting his head
falls down.

DAVID

Awo.

Miguel continues.

MIGUEL

The problem is, because your RV
was parked in the street behind
the hotel, it could have been
taken to three different impound
lots. But since it was towed
during the night, I think you can
rule one out.

Adam nods, his expression relieved.

ADAM

OK. Which one?

Miguel points to two impound lots on the map.

MIGUEL

I'm sure they would not have
taken it to this one here and you
have already been to these.

Migle points to the crossed-out impound lots.

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MIGUEL

That means it is one of these two
lots.

A voice can be heard from the back and Miguel becomes nervous and leaves in a hurry.

JEFE (OS)

(Heard from the back)
Miguel! Done estas?!

MIGUEL

(Leaves at the end)
OK. Listen, I've got to go or
I'll lose my job. But you guys go
and check this one here and I'll
meet you at the other place in a
couple of hours. Godda' run,
here's your check.

ADAM

Thanks Miguel! Thank you again!

JENNY

Bye Miguel!

They all stand up and get ready to leave as David pays the check.

ADAM

(To David)
Don't forget to leave a big tip
this time.

DAVID

(sarcastically)
Oh yeah, because I was planning
on leaving a small tip to really
show Miguel who's boss.

Lisa playfully takes David under her arm and they leave, with David dramatically leaving a big tip on the table. Jenny kisses Adam on the cheek as they exit.

Miguel approaches the table, holding the check.

MIGUEL

(looking at the tip)
Gracias, amigos! This should
cover my rent for the month.

Adam chuckles and pats Miguel on the back.

ADAM

(smiling)
Thanks for your help, Miguel.
We'll see you later.

Miguel waves as he walks away, with Adam and Jenny following close behind.

23 THE WRONG IMPOUND LOT

EXT. STREET - DAY

They drive up to an impound lot and get out of the Jeep to check if the RV is in the lot.

JENNY

I'll go and check at the office.

ADAM

No. Don't bother. Look they only have one RV over to the right and that's it. It's not ours.

LISA

Well let's take a look around just to make sure. Cool?

ADAM

I guess we better make sure.

They all wander off their separate ways and start looking over the fence.

David and Adam somehow wind up together.

ADAM

What are we gonna' tell the girls when we find the RV? Well we've still got the Grandma situation in there.

DAVID

(Interrupts Adam)

Of fuck! OK. We'll tell them that we've got weed in the RV.

ADAM

They know that already and don't forget she's laying there on the bed. Thank God the blinds were drawn.

DAVID

Give me a boost. I don't know dude. Let's just find the damn RV first and figure it out later.

They continue looking as Adam helps David look over the fence.

They meet up with the girls back at the Jeep.

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LISA
No luck?

DAVID
Nah. Adam was right. You guys?

LISA
Nope. No RVs that way. But Miguel did said that the last impound lot was down the road and it might be the one.

ADAM
OK Let's get going.

They get back into the Jeep and drive off.

By this time it was getting pretty late.

INT. JEEP - DAY

The sun was slowly setting as they try and figure out where to go.

LISA
Is that it?

DAVID
Do I look like Google Maps?

LISA
(Smiling at David)
Well, you do have a bald spot.

DAVID
(Laughs)
Ha ha.

ADAM
Guys, we should be going South.

LISA
Yeah, we don't want to end up in Canada by accident.

DAVID
Or the asshole who gave us directions screwed us. The usual "let's give them the wrong directions" prank.

LISA
So which way do we go?

DAVID
We could just keep following the sun, like ancient mariners.

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ADAM

Ah, yeah, the good old days when GPS stood for "Giant Pointy Stick". Either we already passed it or it's further South.

LISA

Okay, enough with the history lesson, let's just go South.

She turns right and drives down a road.

EXT. ROAD - DUSK

The sun was slowly setting as they drive towards an impound lot. Adam taps Lisa on her arm.

ADAM

Hey Lisa. Can you pull over here for a sec?

LISA

Sure.

They pull over next to a chain link fence where cars are parked on the other side. They get out and look around to see if they can spot their RV.

LISA

So, you guys wanna check out the office? It looks like it's still open.

ADAM

Yeah, that's a good idea. But it would be even better if we knew if the RV was here first.

They start looking around for the RV.

JENNY

(Pointing)

Is that it over there?

DAVID

Oh yeah, that's our RV!

ADAM

(Sighing in relief)

Huff, now I can breathe!

LISA

(Handing some money to Adam)

Great! So, you guys go to the office and get it back. We'll wait for you here. Got your keys?

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DAVID
(Checking his pocket and
pulling out his keys)
Yeah, right here.

David starts walking towards the office and Adam follows.

EXT. LOT OFFICE - NIGHT

David and Adam walk up to the window of the impound lot office, both wanting to be the one to speak.

DAVID
(to Adam)
I'll talk.

ADAM
(insisting)
No, wait. Let me.

DAVID
(firmly pulling back Adam)
I'll do it. Buenas noches. I'd
like to ask something.

The woman in the office, who is scrolling through her phone, slowly puts down her cigarette and moves to the window.

WINDOW LADY
Si. How can I help you this evening?

DAVID
Well, our RV was towed to your lot and I'd like to get it back.

WINDOW LADY
OK, bueno. All I need from you is confirmation that you have paid the fine for the policia, proof of ownership, your ID, and the keys to your vehicle so we bring it to you.

DAVID
Well, I didn't get a ticket and the RV is my dad's. All the paperwork is in the RV and so is my wallet and ID. Maybe if I could get the registration.

WINDOW LADY
OK, senior. Then it looks like you have a big problema. I think it would be best if you were to go to the la policia and then

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WINDOW LADY (cont'd)
contact the owner to send you the proof of ownership and a permission document that you can deal with this.

DAVID
Yeah, but the registration and my ID prove that it's my dad's RV and that I'm his son. So if I can just get it, we can clear everything up. Besides, my dad would kill me.

WINDOW LADY
Lo siento, senior. That is a shame, but I cannot do that. I cannot let you go into the lot. It is for employees only, company policy.

DAVID
Yeah, but there must be some way. Maybe you could go and get the registration and ID.

ADAM
(cuts David off in the middle)
Duuuude! Shut up! Get over here.

David and Adam step away from the office window.

ADAM
(reminding him)
Grandma, remember!

DAVID
(Holding his head)
Oh shit!

The girls are watching them from afar.

JENNY
Maybe they don't have enough money.

David starts pacing around.

JENNY
(Shouting to the guys)
Do you guys need money?

ADAM
(Shouting back to Jenny and then to David)
Yeah, I mean no. We're good. Hold on.

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He walks passed some signs on the wall and points to one that says "Only employees beyond the gate. Keys must be handed to cashier and vehicles will be delivered to front gate after payment has been processed."

David joins him as they walk back to the girls after finishing his conversation with the office lady.

DAVID

By the way how did they park it here after towing it without seeing... Grandma?

ADAM

Man, sometimes you're really dense! They didn't. They towed it here without driving it and just towed it into the spot. They never looked inside.

DAVID

But what the hell are we gonna do now? How about that we don't have enough money.

ADAM

We can't tell the girls what's actually going on, that's for sure and Lisa already said she could give us the money.

DAVID

Okay. What about...

ADAM

(Cutting David off again)
I've got it! We tell them that we can't get it back because we don't have proof of ownership. Come on, let's go.

They walk towards to the girls a bit qucker who are waiting for them.

LISA

What's up? Do you guys need some more money? It's not a problem.

DAVID

No, it's not the money. We don't have any documents to prove that the RV is ours and we didn't get a ticket.

LISA

So we'll just hop down to the police station and get everything sorted out.

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DAVID

If we go to the cops and they call our dad from Mexico, he's gonna kill us over the phone. He has a superpower. I'm not kidding.

ADAM

He's really not kidding. He would murder us.

LISA

So what do you wanna do?

Just then, Miguel drives up behind them and stops.

JENNY

(waves to him)

Hey, look, it's the Miguel! Hi.

DAVID

(quietly)

Oh great, here comes the busboy.

MIGUEL

Hola amigos! I see you have found the impound lot. But where is your RV?

ADAM

(Pointing to the RV)

Hey Miguel, yeah, it's right over there!

MIGUEL

What is the problema? Is the oficina closed?

ADAM

Yeah, I mean no. I mean...

LISA

(interrupts Adam)

What Adam is trying to say is that it's over there, but there's a problem.

MIGUEL

So what is the problema?

LISA

Well, they can't get their documents from the RV, so we're kind of stuck.

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MIGUEL

OK bueno, I can help with that.
Come on, Adam, vamonos to the
oficina and I'll sort it out with
the hermanita.

JENNY

Wait, that's your sister? That's
so awesome!

MIGUEL

(first to Jenny and then to
Adam)
Noo, hehe. That's just something
we say. Vamonos!

Miguel and Adam start walking towards the office.

ADAM

Hey Miguel. Thank you for doing
this. But there's a problem.

MIGUEL

Don't worry amigo. I will fix
everything.

Adam stops Miguel.

ADAM

Wait, David brought some weed
from home and it's in the RV.

MIGUEL

Ai dios mios. Why would he bring
weed into Mexico? Everyone wants
to take it to the Statos Unidos,
but you loco gringos bring it
back. Are you crazy? OK, it's a
problema, but I will help you.
Just follow my lead.

They return to the group.

LISA

What's up?

MIGUEL

We have a problem. You see that
truck parked over there by the
big pile of scrap metal? Well,
that truck belongs to a local
pendejo who won't give you your
RV unless you pay him a lot of
dinero and some extra to look the
other way for la policia. But you
probably won't give him a tip
also.

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ADAM

If our dad finds out about this,
he's gonna kill us.

MIGUEL

OK, tranquilo amigo. I'll help
you. Let me make a phone call.

Miguel walks away from the group and starts talking on the
phone.

DAVID

Can we really trust this guy?

ADAM

He's helped us so far.

LISA

You're just jealous because he's
nice. Besides, we're all out of
ideas.

Miguel finishes his phone call and rejoins the group.

MIGUEL

OK, I think I know what we have
to do. I talked to my cousin and
he gave me a good idea.

ADAM

Great!

MIGUEL

Well, it's a little bit risky,
but if it works, he says that the
person who runs the salvage lot
will not report anything to la
policia because he doesn't want
them involved.

LISA

What do you mean?

MIGUEL

They have an arrangement with la
policia. They tow cars to the
lot. But they don't report it
because sometimes people come
directly to them. They take their
money and give a cut to la
policia. They always tell people
they need to go to la policia to
scare them. It's a scam. So, if
they go to the station, la
policia can scare them back to
the lot and gringos always pay,
everyone get's their cut, but no
documents.

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DAVID

Great! Criminals everywhere.

MIGUEL

Si, pendejos. But my cousin gave me an idea. We have to wait for the gang to get into the officina and take the RV from the lot.

ADAM

Wait, wait, wait! You want us to steal the RV back? We'll get in even bigger trouble.

LISA

That doesn't sound like a good idea.

MIGUEL

Si. It would not be. But they are not going to report you because of the scam. And if the pendejos who run the lot tell la pilicia that someone has stolen back the RV, la policia will make them pay their for their cut. It is all corrupt. So, don't worry. We just take it, no problema.

ADAM

How are we supposed to get the RV through that main gate? There's no way they won't see us.

MIGUEL

Mira, mira, amigos. Your RV is parked right by the fence over there. So, all you have to do is drive it out.

DAVID

(sarcastically)

What about the fence, genius?

MIGUEL

It's not a problem. Mira. The girls hook the winch of the Jeep up to the fence and they pull the fence, when you guys drive the RV out. Simple.

JENNY

That could work.

MIGUEL

Si. The only way.

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ADAM

I don't know. I mean, if we get a scratch on the RV, dad's gonna kill us.

DAVID

(To Adam)

Not as much if he found out the RV got towed in Mexico.

LISA

This all sounds a little off, but I don't see any other way, unless you call your dad.

MIGUE

Si, si. It's not a problema and we can hide the RV at my cousin's place a couple of miles down the road.

David nods and agrees with Adam.

LISA

Are you guys sure you wanna do this?

DAVID

I guess it's the only way.

The look at each other.

MIGUEL

OK bueno. You girls move your Jeep to the fence and don't turn on your lights. Hook up the winch and be ready to pull. Guys go to the other side of the road, there's a big drain pipe and climb to the other side. Get in the RV and wait for the signal. I will go to la oficina and distract the pendejos.

Everyone nods at each other and some flash a thumbs up.

MIGUEL

When you girls hear me throw the trash can at the window of laoficina and start screaming at them, pull the fence down and you guys drive out. Then just drive up the road and I will meet you behind the old factory. OK? Bueno, vamanos.

The girls get into their Jeep and get into position. The boys cross the road and Miguel heads towards the office.

The boys heads down the ditch.

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STEALING THE RV

EXT. DRAIN DITCH/PIPE - NIGHT

Adam and David climb down and enter a huge pipe. They pull off the bars to get in.

ADAM

I'm not sure about this plan.

They continue towards the lot.

EXT. FENCE - NIGHT

Lisa drives up to the fence in the Jeep without turning on the lights.

JENNY

I'll get the winch.

LISA

Okay. Make sure it's tight and secure.

Jenny gets out and starts hooking up the winch while on the other side of the fence, the guys get ready to enter the RV.

EXT. RV - NIGHT

The boys reach the RV and Adam spots Jenny, waving to signal their presence. David searches for the keys and attempts to use them, but Adam stops him just in time.

ADAM

(Catching David's hand before he presses the button)

Don't press that button! The turn signals will flash and they'll see us. Use the key.

DAVID

Right! But what about the alarm?

ADAM

We didn't switch it on, remember.

David tries the door and opens it without unlocking it.

DAVID

Dude, it's open. Get in, quick.

As David enters the RV, Adam follows quietly.

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ADAM
(surprised)
It was open? Don't turn on the
lights when you start the RV and
do it quietly!

DAVID
(While turning the key)
How am I supposed to start the RV
quietly?

EXT. OFFICE - NIGHT

Miguel walks up to the office and peers inside through the window. Laughter and chatter can be heard.

After confirming that the coast is clear, Miguel blocks the door with a wooden board and hurls a trash can at the window while yelling at the people inside.

MIGUEL
Hey pendejos! Como esta,
pendejos!

Meanwhile, Lisa reverses the Jeep and pulling down the fence. Jenny guides the guys to the RV.

JENNY
(Silently)
Go, go, go!

David presses the accelerator, but the RV doesn't move.

DAVID
Come on, come on! Go, go already!

Adam checks out of the window and sees Miguel running past towards his car, as the people in the office are breaking down the office door.

MIGUEL
(Silently and nervously at
the guys)
Vamanos, guys! Go! Go!

Adam checks out the window and sees the wheel stoppers blocking the wheels, he gets out to push the wheel stopper from under the wheel. He kicks and pulls at it while David revs the engine, but the RV remains stationary and smoke starts to rise from under the tires.

DAVID
(Screaming at Adam)
They're coming!

Adam struggles to remove the wheel choke.

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ADAM

Fuuuuuck!

He finally manages to pull it out and the RV lurches forward, causing Adam to fall on his back.

DAVID

Aaaaaaa. Come on, dude! Run!

Adam gets up, sees the pendejos from the office in hot pursuit and starts running after the RV, which has driven over the fence and turned onto the road.

ADAM

Waiiiit for me!

He runs by the side of the RV and jumps into the door as David peels off.

ADAM

Go, go, go!

As he lands on the floor inside the RV.

INT. RV - NIGHT

Adam sits in the passenger seat, breathing heavily.

ADAM

That was too close.

Suddenly, a huge pickup truck with lights on top and angry Mexican men wielding shotguns appears in the rear view mirror and begins chasing them from the impound lot.

DAVID

(Looking in the mirror)

Fuck! Dude, do something!

Adam turns around to look out the back window as David floors the accelerator.

ADAM

They're gaining on us!

Adam stands up and moves to the back window to get a better view.

EXT. OLD FACTORY - NIGHT

They hurtle passed the old factory where the girls and Miguel are hiding and waiting.

The pickup truck is following them speeding.

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JENNY

Are they being chased?

Soon after a police car with lights and sirens follows also as the girls and Miguel hide a little.

MIGUEL

Si, for sure!

INT. RV - NIGHT

Adam reaches the back window.

ADAM

They're right behind us! Floor it!

David looks back at Adam, desperate for a solution.

DAVID

Throw something at them!

Adam quickly runs to the main RV saloon and starts opening closets and draws. He grabs some packets from the storage compartments and runs back to the back window.

ADAM

(Screaming to the front)
Dude, what are these packets?

DAVID

(Screaming to the back)
What packets?!

Adam opens the windows and starts throwing the packets out of the RV. They burst open, releasing a fine white powder. Together with the packets he also grabs their surf trip map that gets stuck to the packets and throws it out the window. The map flies through the air and lands on the pickup's windshield, obstructing their view.

The pickup driver panics and slams on the brakes, crashing into a ditch. Everyone inside screams as the police arrive on the scene and point their guns at the armed Mexicans.

The RV keeps speeding down the road as Adam watches excited from the back window.

ADAM

(Celebrating)
Yeah!

He closes the window and returns to the front, sitting down next to David.

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DAVID

What the hell did you do!

ADAM

They just found a different route! Ha ha ha! Our surf map flew out the window and got stuck on their windshield. Hey, turn off the main road already. By the way, what was in those brown packets under the sink?

DAVID

What packets under the sink?

Adam gets up and retrieves a packet from under the sink.

ADAM

These packets.

DAVID

Dude, that's heroin! Where did you get that?

ADAM

What?! I told you, under the sink.

DAVID

Where did they come from?

ADAM

I've got no idea? Maybe...

DAVID interrupts him.

DAVID

Well, get it out of here! Throw it out the window!

Adam throws the packet out of the window and sits back down.

DAVID

How many packets were there?

ADAM

A bunch... I threw them at those guys back there.

DAVID

We have to check if there are more! Did you even look?

ADAM

(interrupting)

By the way, where's Grandma?

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DAVID

What do you mean? She's back there!

They turn to look at the back of the RV and notice Grandma is missing

DAVID

Stop the RV!

David punches the brakes and the RV screeches to a halt in the middle of the road. They both get up and walk towards the back, looking terrified at the empty bed. At that moment the cell phone rings, startling them.

ADAM

It's Dad!

DAVID

(frustrated)

Shit! Don't answer it!

ADAM

He'll just keep calling...

Adam cancels the phone call.

DAVID

How the hell does he always call at the wrong time!

ADAM

I'm more worried about what we're gonna tell him!

Still looking under the bed, into drawers and other impossible places.

DAVID

Where's Grandma? Do you think those assholes took Grandma?

ADAM

How am I supposed to know?

DAVID

(frustrated)

Fuck! Mom and Dad are gonna kill us.

ADAM

We have to go back and get her body. There's no way we're leaving her here!

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DAVID

But what are we gonna tell the girls?

ADAM

Nothing! We'll tell them we're leaving because those guys are chasing us and then get Grandma.

They go back to the front and Adam gets in the driver's seat, as David checks for Grandma in storage spaces.

ADAM

I'll drive!

DAVID

You've never driven the RV, and Dad said...

ADAM

(cutting him off)

Who cares what Dad said? I'm driving.

Adam starts the RV, backs up and drives back down the road.

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RECRUITING MIGUEL

EXT. OLD FACTORY - NIGHT

The girls and Miguel are waiting by the old factory, trying to figure out how to find the guys and checking their phones. The RV suddenly comes into view and passes by the factory.

MIGUEL

(laughing)

I bet you 1000 pesos that they miss it.

INT. RV - NIGHT

They figure out that they have passed the factory and Adam slams on the brakes.

DAVID

You passed it.

ADAM

Yeah, I noticed!

The RV comes to a stop.

He then backs up and drives behind the old factory.

EXT. OLD FACTORY - NIGHT

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The RV comes to a stop and Adam and David get out.

LISA
(Smiling)
Don't tell, me you wanted to skip town without saying goodbye, but figured that you missed me.

DAVID
Yeah, right.

He puts his arms around Lisa and gives her a passionate kiss.

Adam takes out his phone as it rings and cancels the calls when he sees it's their dad.

ADAM
Thanks, guys, but we have to go! Those guys are still after us and dad is going to kill us!

MIGUEL
By the way, how did you get away from them?

ADAM
They ended up in a ditch. But they'll be back.

DAVID
They were right behind us and Adam threw some packages at them and they drove off the road.

JENNY
Ha ha, that's cool!

MIGUEL
Yes! For sure, but they'll be back soon.

Lisa gets worried a little.

LISA
(First to David and then to Miguel)
But what happens if those guys catch up to you? Hey Miguel are they safe here?

Miguel turns to Lisa.

MIGUEL
(First to Lisa and then to David and Adam)
We are safe, but we they are not. If they find them they will kill
(MORE)

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MIGUEL (cont'd)
them. Maybe you guys could hide
out at my cousins place. You will
be safe there for a while anyway.

Jenny and Adam join them and they all stand worried trying
to think of what to do next.

JENNY
Hey Miguel! You know your way
around these parts, right?

MIGUEL
Si. I do. But why?

JENNY
Maybe you could help them find
the quickest way to the border,
so that those guys don't find
them.

They all stand back a little and Lisa get's excited.

LISA
Oh yeah! You're a genius! He
could help them!

MIGUEL
Si. I could help. But if those
pendejos catch us we will all be
dead.

LISA
That's exactly why they need your
help.

David and Adam look at each other nervously and try to
stop the situation.

ADAM
(First to everyone then to
Miguel)
No, no! We couldn't let him do
that! It's much to dangerous.
Thank you Miguel for everything.

DAVID
No way!

David steps back and turns around to think, as Lisa
wispers to Miguel.

LISA
Just help them get over the
border and we'll pay you when you
get back. Ok?

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They look at each other and Miguel nods slightly to Lisa, who touches David on the shoulder, who turns around again.

LISA

Oh come on guys! He's your best choice!

MIGUEL

Si. She is right. Even though I do not want to get killed.

Adam and David try to stop everyone, but the girls aren't letting it go.

LISA

There, it's settled. Now get out of here guys. Quickly!

Lisa hugs David and Jenny hugs Adam. They push all three guys towards the RV.

LISA

Go. Get out of here and call me when you get home!

The guys get into the RV, as the girls step away.

They start the RV and drive off as the girls wave to them and look if the Mexican gang is following them.

CUT TO NEXT SCENE:

26 BRIEFING MIGUEL ON THE SITUATION

INT. RV - NIGHT

The guys are sitting in the RV and driving with Miguel trying to navigate.

MIGUEL

(First helping then surprised)

OK David, now you have to turn left onto that road over here. You are going the wrong way.

DAVID

Yeah, listen Miguel, we have to get back to the junk yard...

MIGUEL

(Surprised)

Why would you want to do that. Those pendejos are back there.

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DAVID

Well here's the thing...

ADAM

Miguel. We've got kind of a huge problem and we didn't wanna tell the girls...

At that moment the RV comes to a halt in the middle of the road and voices can be heard from inside.

MIGUEL(OS)

Mama mia! You gringos really are loco!

Adam's phone rings again, their father calling.

CUT TO NEXT SCENE

27 OBSERVING THE NARCO GANG

EXT. JUNK YARD - NIGHT

Adam, David and Miguel are hide behind some wrecked cars, peeking at the narco gang as they talk in front of their office container.

ADAM

We have to get into that container. I'm sure she's in there!

MIGUEL

Bueno. You guys go and I'll watch from here and let you know when it's safe to go.

Adam and David sneak from the wrecked car to a pile of old tires behind the narco guys backs.

They look back at Miguel who shows them a thumbs up.

As they go forward they reach a pile of wooden pallets, hiding behind the pallets they try to make a plan to get into the container, unaware that grandma is following them behind their backs, sneaking also.

Adam and David don't notice that Grandma is behind them but see Miguel waving his hands and Adam waves back and shows a thumbs up.

MIGUEL

(First to them quietly and then to himself)

No! Do not go. Look behind you! Jesus, these guys are really morons!

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Holding his head as he sees that they think he is waving to them to proceed.

ADAM

Look. He's says the coast is clear. Are you ready?

David turns around and casually asks Grandma if she's ready without realizing she's alive and has joined them behind them.

DAVID

Ready, Grandma?

ADAM

(Turns and checks behind him)

Grandma?! Aaaaaaaa!!!

The boys notice Grandma right begin them and are so startled that they start screaming.

At that moment, the narco guys notice someone behind the pallets and start chasing them.

The boys and grandma start running away, but grandma can't keep up.

Miguel runs the other way as one of the gang chases him, but he manages to escape.

MIGUEL

Get the gringos! Get the gringos.
I'm just delivering the pizza pendejo!

David sees Miguel running away and pointing to them.

DAVID

(Screaming to Miguel)
Asshole!

The narco guys catch up with her and capture her.

NARCO BOSS

(To Grandma and then to one of the guys)
Gotcha! Put her in the oficina!

David and Adam hide in the woods, watching as the narco guys take grandma into the office container.

DAVID

That asshole rated us out!

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ADAM

How are we going to get her back now?

NARCO BOSS

(From a distance)

If you want the old lady back, you'll have to give us our stuff back! You've got half an hour!

The boys watch as the narco guys move towards the office container and then decide to return to the RV.

ADAM

I know what to gonna do. Let's go.

David follows him, worried about their grandma.

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GRANDMA ESCAPING

EXT. JUNK YARD - NIGHT

The narco guys are standing around and joking around in front of the office container, waiting for Adam and David to bring back thir drugs. After a while, the Narco Boss points to a younger gang member and tells him to come closer.

NARCO BOSS

Hey Pollito! Over here. Rapido!

Pollito approaches hesitantly.

NARCO BOSS

Get in the oficina and get the abuelita to tell you where those gringos are hiding. Vamanos!

Pollito nods and enters the office container, while the gang taunts and laughs at him.

From outside, things breaking inside can be heard. The gang taunts Pollito even more.

NARCO BOSS

Dios mios, she's only an abuelita, don't hurt her.

The gang laughs as things break inside. Suddenly, there is no more sound from the container.

NARCO BOSS

(Jokes)

Hey Pollito, did a little old abuela kick your tiny ass!

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INT. CONTAINER OFFICE - NIGHT

Pollito is getting up off the floor, as grandma takes a glass coffee pot and breaks it over his head. He loses his consciousness.

GRANDMA

Maybe now you will respect your elders!

She takes some keys off his belt, as he lies unconscious perched by a desk and she exits through the back door.

EXT. JUNK YARD - NIGHT

Back outside, the gang notices that there is no more sound from the container.

The Narco Boss decides to check and enters the container. He comes back out, angry.

NARCO BOSS

She's gone! Find her! Vamanos!

The gang scatters, looking for Grandma.

29 GRANDMA IS BACK

EXT. WOODS - NIGHT

The boys are hastily walking through the woods and approaching the RV.

DAVID

What are we doing?

ADAM

(Entering the RV)

I've got a plan!

Adam opens the RV door and enters, as David follows noticing the lights were on.

DAVID

(Entering the RV also)

Hey weren't these off when we left?

INT. RV COCKPIT - NIGHT

They and start talking about what to do.

Adam starts changing.

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ADAM

Ok, so here's what we're going to do. I'm going to stop at the gate and get those assholes to follow me down the road.

DAVID

What about grandma? Wait I think there's someone outside!

Adam puts his shirt on and starts looking out the windows, as David reaches for his baseball bat.

ADAM

Look there!

Adam points at the door as it opens revealing Miguel and David swings his baseball bat, hitting Miguel in the face.

Miguel gets knocked against the door and falls forward unconscious to the floor.

ADAM

Stop! It's Miguel! You just hit Miguel!

Adam helps Miguel.

DAVID

How was I supposed to know it's was this asshole. Besides it serves him right for ratting us out.

ADAM

Shit I think you killed him!

DAVID

That's all we need.

Miguel moans and moves in his unconscious state.

ADAM

I think his not dead, just unconscious. Help me move him.

Adam grabs Miguel under the arm and David puts down the bat and reaches for the other arm. They put Miguel on the couch and both step back.

DAVID

He'll be fine! What are we going to do about Grandma?

ADAM

Hold on.

They move to the front of the RV and drive off

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ADAM

Like I said, I'm going to drop you off about a quarter of a mile from the main gate. Then when those guys chase me, you'll get inside and get grandma. Then meet me back where we just parked.

DAVID

Ok. But how will you get rid of them by yourself? Maybe you could toss them that guy and they'll deal with him.

Because they're focused on the road and hatching a plan they don't notice that grandma sneaks up on them from the back.

She notices Miguel on the sofa and tries not to wake him, but covers him with a blanket.

GRANDMA

Boys, why didn't you tell me you were inviting a friend over.

The boys get so startled by grandma just showing up that they start screaming.

Adam pushes the breaks and Grandma loses her balance, flying through the air and hitting her head on the RV dashboard.

The boys look at each other for a moment in shock and leap to help their grandma.

They turn her over and try to wake her.

ADAM

(concerned)

Grandma, can you hear me?
Grandma?

DAVID

(angry)

What the hell were you thinking, man? Slamming the breaks like that!

ADAM

(panicked)

I got freaked out!

They both try to wake her frantically.

ADAM

Grandma! Come on, wake up!

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DAVID
How is she? Is she breathing?

ADAM
(struggling)
I don't know. She's not waking
up. Help me move her but move him
to the chair first!

David grabs Miguel and moves him to the chair, as Miguel's
body slides down in the chair.

DAVID
(To himself)
Great, more dead bodies.

They gently lay Grandma on the main sitting area, with
Adam trying to wake her up again.

ADAM
Grandma! Wake up, Grandma.

He listens to her chest.

ADAM
Dude, get me the mirror from the
bathroom. Quickly!

DAVID
The big one? Why?

ADAM
So that I can check if she's
breathing. Just do it, I saw it
in a movie once. Go, go!

David hurries to the bathroom and starts shoving stuff
around, breaking a couple of things.

He brings out the vanity mirror from the RV's bathroom and
hands it to Adam, who looks at him like he was an idiot.

ADAM
What the hell is this? What's the
matter with you!

Adam maneuvers the mirror under Grandma's mouth and is
intensely looking for signs of breathing, just as his
phone rings again and he falls back on his butt.

It's his father and he cancels the call.

He stands up and hands the mirror back to David, who takes
it and puts it onto Miguel's lap.

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ADAM

Dude, I think she's really dead
this time!

DAVID

As opposed to before when she
wasn't?

ADAM

She's not breathing. I think that
we killed her, man!

DAVID

How could we have known? She fell
after you hit the break hard!

ADAM

So it's my fault?!

Their frustration boils over, and they start shoving each
other around in a heated scuffle.

They fall down, almost landing on Grandma, but deflect and
fall on the floor, as something glass like breaks in the
background.

Somehow Miguel has regain consciousness and pulls them
apart as they are rolling around.

MIGUEL

Amigos, this is a waste of time!

The boys stop fighting losing their breath.

Migel looks at Grandma on the sofa and holds his head.

MIGUEL

Diso miso! What happened here?
What happened to your abuelita?

ADAM

Grandma frightened us and I slammed
on the breaks.

DAVID

Adam killed her this time.

ADAM

(First to the guy and then
to Grandma while covering
her)
No I didn't. It was an accident!
I'm sorry Grandma.

Adam takes a blanket and covers Grandma.

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MIGUEL

Ay mami, you gringos are really
shit out of luck! You have
problems until the end.

DAVID

The problem is she actually
wasn't really dead before...

MIGUEL

(Interrupts him)

Si, but you might be in serious
trouble now. You are in Mexico,
with a ton of weed in your RV and
you just pissed off a Mexican
gang. Those pendejos work with
the local cops, so you are really
in trouble. We need to get you
far away from here. Rapido!

DAVID

Well, when you put it that way,
we better get the fuck out of
here.

ADAM

Not to mention poor Grandma!

They all move to the front of the RV and David looks into
one of the overhead cupboards. He opens the door and
closes it, he checks another compartment. He looks
confused and then goes to check another one, as Adam sits
down on the passenger side seat.

DAVID

Dude, where's the weed? It's
gone!

ADAM

Are you sure? Where did you put
it?

DAVID

It's gone! It was right here
along with our money and now it's
gone!

ADAM

All the money? The money that I
gave to you?

David nods and Adam checks his pocket and pulls out a
couple of bucks.

DAVID

(Taking some money from his
pocket)

(MORE)

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DAVID (cont'd)
Do you mean to say that these
couple of bucks are all we have?

ADAM
Well, that's all I have.

Miguel joins them in the front.

MIGUEL
Do you mean to say that you
gringos don't have any dinero?

DAVID
(Sits down in the driver's
seat)
We're screwed!

ADAM
No we're not. Miguel do you have
any money?

MIGUEL
Lo siento amigos. But I don't
have any money on me.

DAVID
Where's the tip I have you at the
restaurant?

MIGUEL
El dinero is in my wallet in the
pizza delivery car.

ADAM
We're headed home anyway. Right?
So no problem.

David starts the RV and backs up.

They drive off back from where they came from.

30 THE FUEL PROBLEM

INT. RV - DAY

They are driving down the road and the RV starts to run
out of fuel, as the fuel gauge goes towards zero.

DAVID
Not to be the bearer of bad news,
but we're running out of gas. I
mean the light came on a couple
of miles ago.

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ADAM

I thought we had a full tank of gas?

DAVID

We did, before we drove around and before we burned a ton flooring it out of that impound lot. So, now what?

ADAM

(Surprised)

Why are you asking me?

DAVID

You're the MacGyver of the family.

They keep driving and looking for a gas station. Eventually spot a gas station, but there's only an automated pump that accepts credit cards.

ADAM

Damn! It's credit card only. We have no money.

DAVID

What about Grandma's credit card?

ADAM

We don't have her pin number.

David starts to drive off, but Adam stops him.

ADAM

Hold on!

DAVID

What?!

ADAM

You gave me an idea! We can't fill the tank up all the way. But remember when you buy stuff at the shop and it's less than 50 bucks, you don't need a pin. So as long as we fill up for less than 50 bucks and do it at different stations. We should be fine.

Miguel leans forward and speaks.

MIGUEL

Si. That that could work?

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ADAM

As long as we don't go over 50 and don't fill up too often, we should be fine. Get Grandma's card.

DAVID

I'm not getting it. You do it!

ADAM

Miguel, get her card. It's in her bag.

At that moment Adam's phone rings, it's their dad again. He looks at the phone and shows to Miguel to get the card. Adam answers the phone and they take turns speaking with their dad.

ADAM

(First to David and then into the phone politely)
No, no, no, no! Hey Dad. No, she's sleeping. How the hell am I supposed to know? Yeah, fine, I'll get him. Dad wants to talk to you.

DAVID

Hey Dad. No, no, yeah, no, no, nope, I know, you said I'd do so. Yes, she's sleeping. I don't know. Here, talk to him.

David hands the phone back to Adam, as he things and looks around to see if Grandma's body feel of the bed or rolled under a table.

ADAM

It's me, Dad. Yes, Dad. No, he's not. Yeah, Dad, soon. Yeah, on our way. Bye, Dad.

Adam hangs up the phone.

Miguel retrieves the credit card from Grandma's bag, as David reverses the RV and David gets out.

EXT. GAS STATION - DAY

David exits the RV and opens the fuel tank while Miguel hands him the credit card through the window.

MIGUEL

Here, swipe this.

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David takes the card and swipes it at the pump before grabbing the nozzle and starting to pump gas.

ADAM
(From inside)
Don't go over 50 bucks!

Adam starts to search for the next gas station with Miguel, as David finishes pumping gas, making sure not to go over 49.92 bucks.

He finishes and gets back on the RV.

DAVID
Let's roll.

They drive away from the gas station, heading towards their next destination. With Miguel pointing directions to David from the back seat.

MONTAGE OF GASSING UP

- Looking for a gas station, sometimes empty, sometimes with people, but always with a payment machine.
- They drive up to the gas station.
- Swipes the card.
- The alternate who pumps the gas.
- Fill the tank to 49.94 bucks.
- On to the next station.

END OF MONTAGE

(Montage keeps going through the day until it begins to become dark.)

31 WHAT TO DO WITH GRANDMA

EXT. GAS STATION - NIGHT

The RV pulls up to the empty gas station. David looks around.

DAVID
The place looks deserted.

Adam gets out of the RV and begins to fill up the tank.

Miguel finds some cookies and eats them.

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MIGUEL

(To Adam outside)

Aii. These cookies here are great! Did your Abuelita make them?

ADAM

(Shouts back to Miguel inside)

Miguel, don't eat those. They've got weed in them and they're three days old.

As he pumps the gas, Davide inside. Adam finishes filling up and gets back in the RV.

INT. RV - NIGHT

Adam gets back into the RV and stops in the middle of the saloon. He appears lost in thought and David inquires, as Miguel sits in the chair.

ADAM

You know we're gonna have to cross the border. What are we gonna do with Grandma?

DAVID

What's the problem?

ADAM

What if one of those border cops wants to search the RV to see if we're not hiding anyone in here?

DAVID

They didn't check when we came here.

Miguel getting up and pacing around.

MIGUEL

Si. That is true, nobody ever tries to sneak into Mexico! But they do check RVs going back. If they're smuggling illegals or drugs or something. You know, everything you gringos have got. Ha ha.

ADAM

Very funny! But you're right. What do we do with Grandma?

DAVID

Maybe we could hide her or something. Come on, help me move her into the bedroom.

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They all grab Grandma and move her to the bedroom, accidentally hitting her hand on the door and knocking over a glass that spills on the floor.

ADAM
Hey! Don't hit Grandma! Watch out.

DAVID
It's not like she's gonna mind.

MIGUEL
You girngos are Crazy! All this is so fucked up! You know that right?

INT. RV BEDROOM - NIGHT

They carry Grandma's body into the bedroom and lay her down on the bed. They cover her with a blanket.

DAVID
Help me put her under the covers.

They step back and look at Grandma laying on the bed.

ADAM
This is never gonna work, man!

DAVID
Why not? She's sleepin'. Look.

ADAM
In her clothes? On her back, stiff like a surfboard?

DAVID
Old people do that. They sleep in their clothes...

ADAM
Really?

Miguel stands back and watches them.

DAVID
Yeah, okay, okay, you're right. Wait, I've got it! Help me lift the bed! Miguel, help us.

MIGUEL
Lo siento guys. I'm not going to be a part of this! This is loco!

Miguel goes to the front of the RV.

David grabs the bed and starts lifting it. Adam jumps to help.

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As they're lifting, there's a thump but they don't notice.

DAVID
We can put her in here.

ADAM
Like in a casket? And that's not weird to you?

DAVID
No, not like a casket. Just so that we can get her across the border.

ADAM
Oh yeah, because nobody ever hides anything under the bed. That's the first place they'll check!

Adam lets go of the bed and David loses his grip, causing it to fall down and Grandma is missing from the bed.

DAVID
Dude! It happened again! She's gone!

ADAM
No man! She fell off the bed. Right here.

David walks to the bathroom door and stares into it, while Adam tries to lift Grandma back onto the bed.

ADAM
(First to David, then to Miguel)
A little help David. Miguel?

David ignores him and keeps staring into the bathroom. Miguel is nowhere to be seen.

DAVID
You know this could work.

ADAM
Oh come on! What could work?

Adam puts her feet down and checks out what David is looking at.

DAVID
We could just put her in the shower. Nobody will check the bathroom!

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ADAM

Yeah, she's gonna fall over if we put her in there.

DAVID

Not if we hook her onto those hooks and tie her off.

ADAM

We're not tying her up in the bathroom like a hostage! Come on, help me get her on the bed.

DAVID

Okay, I've got another idea.

David moves to grab Grandma and Adam follows.

DAVID

Come on, let's put her in the chair.

They start moving her back to the saloon and hit the door frame again.

ADAM

(First to David and then to Miguel in the lounge)
Come on! Be nice to Grandma!
Miguel help us out, would you!

INT. RV SALOON - NIGHT

They bring Grandma's body into the area and place her in one of the chairs.

MIGUEL

Amigos. This is no bueno. This is sacrilegious!

Miguel stands back, pacing around and holds his head.

David takes some magazines and puts them in her hand, the wrong way up.

DAVID

There! Let's make it look like she was reading and fell asleep.

ADAM

This is stupid. It's not gonna work!

Grandma looks like a stoned surfer passed out, perched in a chair and Adam looks at Grandma and then David.

David fixes the magazine and puts on some sun glasses on Grandma and stands back.

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DAVID

What?! OK, it's stupid. But what the hell do you expect me to do? We tried the bed, you said no. We tried the shower, you said no. This is a no. What else can we do strap her to the roof or what! We should just call Dad and let him deal with it...

ADAM

(Interrupts David)

Hold it!

DAVID

What?! Is someone outside? Quick, close the blinds.

David starts closing the blinds of the windows and Miguel starts looking.

MIGUEL

The pendejos from the lot have found us?

After they're sure nobody is outside, Adam paces and thinks.

ADAM

Our surfboards are on the roof and maybe it's not such a bad idea.

David points to the roof in surprise.

DAVID

On the roof?

Adam gestures the action with his hands.

ADAM

Well, we take one of the surfboards bags and use it for Grandma. just strap everything onto the roof. Who's going to look up there? And even if they do, it's just surf gear.

DAVID

So this is your great idea? Really?

ADAM

It's your idea.

Adam leaves the RV and David stands there contemplating for a moment and then follows.

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EXT. PARKING LOT - NIGHT

Adam unstraps the surf bags on top of the RV and tosses one down to David. But David can't catch the heavy surfboard and it crashes to the ground.

Miguel gets out and helps David get up.

ADAM

My bad! Get that board out of the bag.

David takes the surfboard out of the bag and leaves it on the ground.

INT. RV SALOON - NIGHT

They are standing by the bag on the floor and they have already shoved Grandma's body into the bag.

ADAM

Well, that was a fun activity - shoving Grandma into a bag like she's a piece of laundry. Not traumatic in any way...

MIGUEL

Oh amigos. This is getting really disturbing. Lo siento, but you have gone completely loco!

DAVID

Don't be so dramatic, Miguel.

ADAM

This is not going to work!

DAVID

Do you have a better idea?

ADAM

Well, maybe not transporting a dead body on top of an RV like some kind of psychopath.

DAVID

Relax, Adam. It's not like anyone's gonna notice.

Miguel looks really distressed, but the boys ignores him.

MIGUEL

This is seriously loco!

ADAM

Sure, because no one will ever suspect two guys driving around

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ADAM (cont'd)
Mexico. It's not like we're
asking for trouble.

DAVID
Let's get this over with before
we attract any more attention.
Get the legs. Miguel grab a side.

Miguel first leans in, but decides that it's enough, as
the guys try to move the bag.

MIGUEL
(Fed up with everything)
Lo siento amigos. I'm out of
here. You guys don't need drugs
because you are so loco and I
don't want to be around when la
policia takes you jail. You are
on your own, this is not worth
the dinero!

Miguel gets out of the RV and walks away, as David looks
where he has gone and Adam struggles with the bag.

DAVID
Oh yeah? Keep walkin' asshole!
Thanks for nothin'! What dinero?

ADAM
(First to David and then to
the bag)
Help me, Dude! Sorry Grandma!

The boy grab the bag and take it outside, struggling with
it.

EXT. PARKING LOT - NIGHT

The boys struggle to hoist the bag onto the RV and in the
chaos, the bag falls on Adam.

ADAM
Get it off me, get it off!

David jumps down and helps free Adam off the bag.

DAVID
Quit messing around and help me.

They prop the bag against the RV and David climbs up onto
the roof. Adam follows and tries to grab the bag, but it
slips from their grasp and falls.

ADAM
Nice one, David!

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DAVID

Me? You were the one holding it!

David punches Adam and Adam almost falls off the roof.

ADAM

Why don't you just kill me, man?

DAVID

Oh, come on! Quit being such a wuss. Go down and help me push the bag up.

Adam climbs down, mumbling and aggravated all the way.

ADAM

How am I supposed to do it alone when it took both of us to stand her up before...

DAVID

Put some muscle into it.

Adam spots a rope and ties it to the bag, which suspiciously looks like the legs and throws it up to David.

ADAM

Tug on this. Pull! Pull!

David pulls the rope and Adam climbs back onto the RV.

ADAM

(Sarcastically)

Why don't you put some muscle into it?

DAVID

Stop messing around and help me!

They both pull the bag up and place a surfboard underneath it, securing everything with ropes.

DAVID

There, that should do it.

David takes a step back and almost falls off the roof, but Adam catches him.

ADAM

We almost needed more bags.

They both laugh, then climb back into the RV.

David and Adam settle into their seats and prepare to hit the road.

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DAVID

Alright, we've got this. Smooth sailing from here on out.

Adam looking nervous as they drive out of the parking lot and onto the highway and lightning can be seen in the distance.

32 THE BORDER CROSSING

INT. RV - NIGHT

Adam and David are driving towards a border crossing, both looking very nervous.

ADAM

I think that we need to calm down before we get there.

DAVID

You're gonna tell me to calm down? I'm already nervous enough.

ADAM

Just try to relax, okay?

As they approach the border and police lights turn on behind them. David panics.

DAVID

Dude, there's a cop car behind us with lights!

ADAM

Oh, fuck

DAVID

Did you check for any other packets under the sink?

Adam looks nervous and David slams on the brakes, the police cruiser passes right past them, with the RV stopping abruptly.

The boys look back and then forward again, just as the surf board bag with Grandma's body breaks loose and flies off the roof, through the air, landing at the feet of the border patrol officer.

Everyone stares in shock as the bag suddenly moves and sits up.

The boys look like deer caught in headlights.

CUT TO BLACK AND FADE TO NEXT SCENE

33 LECTURE AT THE HOSPITAL

INT. HOSPITAL CORRIDOR - DAY

The two boys are sitting in chairs on the corridor with their heads down and their parents standing across from them.

Their father is very angry at them, he's screaming and pointing, gesturing.

A police officer is standing beside them with papers in his hand.

The boys are staring at the floor and they look very down and depressed.

FADE TO ENDING CREDITS

34 ENDING CREDITS

Credits and pictures from the trip shown the boys and Grandma having a great time and fun from all the stages of the film.