

EXT. MANHATTAN BRIDGE - DAY - 6 YEARS EARLIER

Dean and Cindy walk along the walkway. Cars and trains beside them roar.

DEAN

You gonna talk to me or not? You gonna tell me what's goin' on?

Cindy shakes her head and won't look at him.

DEAN (cont'd)

You're not gonna tell me?

CINDY

I don't know what you want me to say!

DEAN

I want you to tell me what's going on... I wanna know! You got me feeling sick you know? I'm very intuitive. I know there's something up.

CINDY

I don't know what to do.

DEAN

You're not gonna tell me?

Dean races towards the protective fencing that separates the walkway from a 200 foot drop into the east river. He climbs up.

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CINDY

Stop! Stop, stop! No, no no, stop!!!

DEAN

You gonna tell me?!

CINDY

Stop! Come down!!

DEAN

You gonna tell me?

CINDY

Just come down!! I'm not kidding you!!

DEAN

You're not gonna tell me what it is?

Dean swings one leg over the fence and moves to put his entire body over...

CINDY

Please come down!! Please stop.

DEAN

You want me to go over the edge?

CINDY

No, I want you to come down!

DEAN

Tell me what it is.

CINDY

Come on, its dangerous!

DEAN

You gonna tell me?

CINDY

No. NO! STOP! Please come on! I'm pregnant! Stop, come back please! Please come down.

He jumps back down. She retreats from him.

DEAN

Is it mine?

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CINDY

I don't know. I don't know.

DEAN

You don't know?

CINDY

Maybe...

DEAN

Maybe?

CINDY

Probably not.

Dean has to take a minute to gather himself.

DEAN

What are you gonna do?

CINDY

What am I gonna do?

DEAN

What are you gonna do?

CINDY

I don't know...

DEAN

You're gonna have it? You're not gonna have it? What are you gonna do? You thought about this?

CINDY

I don't know.

She begins walking away from him.

DEAN

(calling out)

You don't know?

INT. ABORTION CLINIC - DAY - 6 YEARS EARLIER

A female Nurse sits with Cindy, looking over a file.

NURSE

You've opted for vacuum-aspiration abortion today.

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