1 Year, 1 Night

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David Blakemore

Tim, mid 20's. handsome, lies on a single bed, fully clothed, staring at the ceiling.

INT.LIVING ROOM - NIGHT (FLASHBACK 1 YEAR AGO)

2

Jessica, mid 20's, pretty, is sat on the sofa, crying.

Tim enters the room with two mugs of tea, puts them down on the coffee table, and sits next to Jessica.

**JESSICA** 

Thank you.

TIM

What happened?

**JESSICA** 

He said he didn't want to get married, and that's when we started arguing. It just got out of hand. I don't know why it happened.

TIM

Is it over?

**JESSICA** 

I don't know. I don't want it to be,

(beat)

I don't know what to do.

Jessica can't continue, instead she takes her mug of tea and takes a sip.

**JESSICA** 

I'm so sorry to dump all this on you. But you're the only one I can talk to.

TIM

Don't worry about it, you can stay here tonight if you want.

**JESSICA** 

Are you sure?

TIM

Yeah, I'll make the bed up, and I'll sleep on the sofa.

**JESSICA** 

Thank you.

Jessica hugs Tim warmly, while he is disappointed.

INT. BEDROOM - NIGHT (FLASHBACK 1 YEAR AGO)

3

Jessica is under the bed clothes, when Ben enters, dressed in a t-shirt and shorts.

TIM

Goodnight Jess. I'll see you in the morning.

Tim turns to leave.

**JESSICA** 

Tim,

(beat)

Will you sleep with me tonight?

Tim is unsure.

TIM

Do you really want me to?

Jessica nods, and Tim climbs into bed with Jessica, where she rests her head and arm on his chest.

Tim gets comfortable, and puts an arm around Jessica, kissing her on the forehead.

Jessica smiles, while Tim is happy.

INT. BEDROOM - NIGHT (PRESENT DAY)

4

Tim is still lying on the bed, when his mobile sounds an incoming text. He takes the mobile out of his pocket to read it.

It is Jessica thanking him for the message, saying that both her and Adam are very happy, and that she hopes Tim can come to the wedding, once a date is arranged.

Tim puts his mobile away, and is sad. he wants Jessica for himself.

INT. BEDROOM - NIGHT (FLASHBACK 1 YEAR AGO)

5

Tim lies awake in bed with Jessica, she is asleep.

Tim looks at Jessica, leans in and whispers

TIM

I love you.

Jessica stirs, but does not wake up, while Tim enjoys the moment.

The End