

'Never Forget'

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EXT - CITY STREET - NIGHT

An engagement ring on a woman's hand, carrying a valentines gift bag. LAUREN, dressed in smart work clothes, hurries down a deserted street towards a modern apartment block. Her phone rings and she answers it.

LAUREN
I'm literally one minute away.

EXT - BALCONY - NIGHT

Jason looks down the street towards Lauren.

JASON
No rush. Happy Valentines Day.

LAUREN (V.O.)
Sorry. Happy Valentines Day.

JASON
Good night last night?

LAUREN (V.O.)
(Beat) Oh, yeah it was ok...

INT - TRENDY BAR - NIGHT (FLASHBACK TO NIGHT BEFORE)

Lauren and her friend down a line of shots at the bar.

LAUREN (V.O.)
...chinese takeaway, bottle of red,
nothing special.

JASON (V.O.)
Ah fair enough. You stayed in then?

Lauren and Tara drinking at the bar with two attractive men.

LAUREN (V.O.)
Yeah, I told you we were didn't I?

JASON (V.O.)
Yeah I know. Just checking.

Tara snogs one of the men on a sofa. The other man sits very close to Lauren on the next sofa, leaning into her.

EXT - CITY STREET - NIGHT

Lauren looks flustered and changes the subject.

LAUREN
Yeah...anyway, how was your night?

JASON (V.O.)
I've had better.

LAUREN
Aww no. Why? What happened?

INT - TRENDY WINE BAR - NIGHT (FLASHBACK TO NIGHT BEFORE)

Jason sits in the corner, his eyes fixed on Lauren and the man as they kiss passionately on the sofa.

JASON (V.O.)
Nothing much. Just felt a bit sick
that's all.

She pulls away from him and seductively removes her engagement ring. She takes his hand and leads him outside.

EXT - CITY STREET - NIGHT

Lauren is now almost at the apartment block.

LAUREN
Oh, you should have phoned me.

JASON (V.O.)
Haha, yeah ok. (Beat) I love you
more than I've ever loved anyone.

LAUREN
Oh... thanks, I love / you too.

JASON (V.O.)
But before I met you, I was
content. I didn't need you in my
life. Never forget that, ok?

LAUREN
Erm, ok. Why?

JASON (V.O.)
Because I want you to remember for
the rest of your life that this was
all your fault.

Lauren stops just short of the apartment block, confused by what she's hearing. Jason's body hits the concrete in front of her.