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EXT. LAWN - DAY

We see a large two story house in a middle class neighborhood. Two men are carrying boxes out of a moving truck. Xavier Mansley (25) and Gavin Dixon (25) are walking towards the front porch. Xavier loses his grip. He drops his box on the ground.

XAVIER

This was a stupid idea.

Gavin walks over to the porch. He places the box next to the front door.

GAVIN

Are you still going to bitch about this?

XAVIER

Yes. Renting a five-bedroom house without five people is a really bad idea.

Xavier grabs the box off the ground. He walks over to the porch and places it on the porch.

GAVIN

Well, your sister Victoria will be staying with us. So that makes three.

XAVIER

I'd rather be staying at the old place.

GAVIN

Dude the old place was horrible.

XAVIER

It wasn't that bad.

INT. INTERVIEW LIVING ROOM

The living room is filled with half opened moving boxes all over the room. Gavin is sitting in the middle of the living room on the sofa.

GAVIN

The old apartment was the worst. Every night was police sirens and fireworks. Also we had a neighbor that would have a lot of loud sex late at night.

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GAVIN (CONT'D)
 Why are you having sex at three
 o'clock in the morning. Don't you
 have work the next day.

EXT. DRIVEWAY

Gavin and Xavier are walking to the front porch with box's. A
 car pulls up to the house driveway.

Victoria Mansley (23) opens the door of the car. She gets
 out caring groceries. She closes the door with her foot.

CAR DRIVER
 Ha, watch it.

She walks over to the cars front window. The driver lowers
 the window.

VICTORIA
 Sorry. My hands are fool.

CAR DRIVER
 I don't care woman. Don't kick my
 car.

VICTORIA
 Fine. Whatever.

CAR DRIVER
 Whatever.

Gavin and xavier place their boxes on the front porch. Gavin
 turns around to see victoria arguing with the driver.

Gavin runs over to Victoria.

GAVIN
 Whats going on?

VICTORIA
 Nothing much. I just accidentally
 hit his car.

CAR DRIVER
 No. Slammed my car.

GAVIN
 Can you kind of let this go.

CAR DRIVER

Let this go. If a rider sees a dent in my car they will give me a lower rating which will give me fewer rides. Which will make me make less money. So no I will not let this go.

Gavin reaches into his pocket and takes out his wallet.
Victoria walks away from the car towards the front porch.

GAVIN

Look I will pay you extra.

CAR DRIVER

No.

EXT. FRONT PORCH

Xavier is watching victoria walk up the front porch.
Victoria walks up to the front door. Avery stern Xavier attempts to confront victoria.

XAVIER

What took you so long.

Victoria nonchalantly turns to Xavier.

VICTORIA

The store had a long line.

XAVIER

Three hours long.

VICTORIA

Come on. I'm telling the truth.

INT. INTERVIEW LIVING ROOM

The living room is filled with half opened moving boxes all over the room. Victoria is sitting in the middle of the living room on the sofa.

VICTORIA

The line wasn't long. I just happened to start chatting with some guy. Bonus points he bought all the grocers. I told him that I was broke and needed some money after moving into my new apartment with my hot sorority sisters.

EXT. FRONT PORCH

Xavier is confronting victoria.

XAVIER
Did you at least get change?

VICTORIA
No.

XAVIER
Seriously.

VICTORIA
Yes seriously.

INT. INTERVIEW LIVING ROOM

The living room is filled with half opened moving boxes all over the room. Xavier is sitting in the middle of the living room on the sofa.

XAVIER
Victoria always does this. She goes out and wastes time on useless things like taking pictures for social media. Also, I just know she has the change.

EXT. FRONT PORCH

Tired, Gavin runs over to Xavier and Victoria still arguing.

GAVIN
I took care of the ride.

Angered, the driver drives off while giving Gavin the middle finger.

XAVIER
You call that taken care of.

Victoria ignores xavier. She proceeds to walk to the front door.

XAVIER (CONT'D)
Where do you think you're going.

VICTORIA
To put away the groceries and check on the roommate situation.

GAVIN
Somebody has to do it.

XAVIER
Are you seriously agreeing with
her?

GAVIN
Are you going to get the roommates?

XAVIER
Yes. I have ideas too.

VICTORIA
One more thing I have to do is make
my special batch of brownies.

Victoria opens the front door. She swiftly walks inside.

XAVIER
VICKY. You are not going to make
pot brownies again.

Xavier follows victoria inside the house. He grabs the front door and closes it after himself. Gavin tries to quickly grab the front door but misses by near inches. He tries to open the door but it doesn't budge.

GAVIN
You guys. The door is locked.

Gavin pulls harder at the door.

GAVIN (CONT'D)
You got to be kidding me. YOU GUYS
THE DOOR IS LOCKED.

INT. COFFEE SHOP - DAY

A small number of people are sitting at tables drinking coffee in a half empty old fashioned coffee shop.

Jenny Hernandez (24) is sitting at a table by herself looking at rental homes on her laptop. There is a large old used coffee cup next to her laptop.

JENNY
Finally a good place.

INT. INTERVIEW JENNY'S BED ROOM - DAY

A small single bedroom is filled with clothes and books on how to books on living a vegan lifestyle. Jenny is dressed in a plain white tee shirt and sweat pants. She is sitting on an unfinished bed.

JENNY

My rent in this apartment is getting ridiculous. Also working part-time jobs doesn't help pay the bills. I'm hope-full that I will find a reasonably priced apartment fast before next month.

INT. COFFEE SHOP - DAY

Jenny quickly reaches for the large coffee cup. She moves the coffee cup to her lips. The lid detaches from the cup.

The coffee spills all over the laptop's keyboard.

JENNY

Damn it.

Jenny moves back from the table. The laptop's screen goes black.

JENNY (CONT'D)

Oh, come on.

Jenny takes a quick survey of the room. She spots Eli Wang (26) sitting at a table by himself with a laptop.

He is looking at his various headshots of himself.

Jenny grabs her laptop and closes it. She picks up her things from the table.

She walks over to Eli's table. She taps on Eli's shoulder. He immediately turns around.

JENNY (CONT'D)

Hi. I just broke my Laptop. Can I use your laptop for a second?

ELI

Sure I guess.

Jenny grabs a set next to Eli. Eli hands her the laptop. She immediately goes to the internet to the house rental website.

ELI (CONT'D)
Looking for a new place?

JENNY
I can't afford my rent anymore.

ELI
That's crazy. I'm also looking for
a new place to stay.

INT. INTERVIEW ELI'S BED ROOM - DAY

A small messy bedroom is filled with gym clothes and equipment. Eli is dressed in nothing but gym shorts. He is sitting on his messy bed.

ELI
The real reason I want to move.
Well, I feel like I'm kind of
getting too old to live with my
parents. Also, it's not a good
look for a person like with the
ladies.

Eli flexes his muscles.

ELI (CONT'D)
You know what I mean. Ladies don't
like guys that live with their
parents. It's not sexy at all.

INT. COFFEE SHOP

Eli tries to inch his way over to Jenny.

ELI
Is that website any good?

JENNY
It shows you a reasonably priced
place in the areas you want to live
in.

ELI
Cool.

Nervously, Jenny starts to type faster on the computer.

JENNY
Don't worry I'm almost done. I'm
sorry to keep you waiting.

Eli inches away from Jenny.

ELI
Its no problem. Do you have an
accent?

JENNY
How did you know? I'm from Texas.

Jenny playfully touches Eli's shoulder.

ELI
A master never tells his secrets.

JENNY
A master?

ELI
I mean an expert.

Jenny finishes typing on the computer.

JENNY
I'm done. Thanks for letting me
use your laptop.

Jenny quickly gets up from the table. She grabs her stuff
and walks away. Eli watches her walk out of the coffee shop.

ELI
Damn it, Eli, what were you
thinking.

INT. INTERVIEW ELI'S BED ROOM - DAY

A small messy bedroom is filled with gym clothes and
equipment. Eli is dressed in nothing but gym shorts. He is
sitting his messy bed.

ELI
The old laptop headshot trick
always works. The ladies always
think that I'm some famous actor
type. Then they want to use my
laptop. But you know they just
want to talk to me. Works all the
time.

EXT. HOUSE - NIGHT

Xavier, Gavin, and Victoria stand on the street curb looking
at their cellphones. They are dressed in club attire.

Xavier puts his phone in his pocket and turns to Victoria.

XAVIER
Vicky, I thought you order the car
already.

Vicky puts her phone in her purse.

VICTORIA
I did. He is just running late.

Gavin puts his phone in his pocket.

GAVIN
Can you two just not argue tonight.

Offended Xavier slowly turns his head towards Gavin.

XAVIER
Are you implying that we argue all
the time?

Victoria points her finger in Gavin's face.

VICTORIA
Ya Gavin. Do you think we argue
all the time?

INT. INTERVIEW LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

The living room is has a small number of half-opened moving boxes all over the room. Gavin, dressed in club attire, is sitting in the middle of the living room on the sofa.

GAVIN
All they do is argue. It just kind
of gets on my nerves. It's like
they need to fight over something
just to prove which one is more
dominant. Like a pack of wolves.

EXT. HOUSE - NIGHT

A large minivan drives up to the front of the house.
Victoria points to the van.

VICTORIA
Finally. He is here.

Victoria and Gavin walk over to the van. Xavier follows
right behind them.