# United States v. Brendt A. Christensen Case No. 17-20037

# Transcript of In Person Meeting on June 17, 2017, at 12:01:48

**BC:** Brendt Christensen

TB: Terra Bullis

UNK: Unknown Individual

TB:

Alright, it's about twelve o'clock, or 11:54, and Brendt is on his way so I'm

turning this on.

# [BREAK IN AUDIO]

BC: [Unintelligible]

TB: Hmm?

BC: [Unintelligible] ... the biggest investigation. Do you want to sit out here?

TB: Yeah, we can't go inside. Everyone's asleep anyway.

BC: Say what?

**TB:** Everyone's asleep anyway.

BC: Okay.

**TB:** We got back super late last night.

**BC:** So they took your phone?

TB: Yeah...

BC: For how long? What did they do?

TB: I don't know. Like...

BC: Probably just looked through our conversations.

**TB:** Maybe, I don't know. They like took it for a while and... They didn't say much so...



BC: I can tell you they might want to do a DNA swab in your mouth. Do you know what that is?

TB: Yeah.

BC: It's just you do it yourself [Unintelligible]. That's probably it though.

**TB:** Yeah. I mean they made it sound like things were done but I don't, I don't know.

BC: Umm, okay. So I can't come inside. Umm, what time is it? Okay, so it's 12:02. I'm going to go talk to, umm, one of the FBI agents, willingly, soon. And I want you to know when, so I want you to stay here and be there at 1:15. Would that work for you?

TB: Yeah.

BC: They're in my phone as Katie FBI. I got to use a calling card every time I call someone.

TB: That sucks.

BC: We got a... we got a card that could text and stuff but it didn't work. I'll...I'll try to get it to work better today. I'm just trying to do other stuff right now.

BC: [Unintelligible]... She didn't respond. Okay, umm. I'll try again soon.

**TB:** Okay. Why do you have to talk to them?

BC: I want to. I don't, but I will. I'm trying to clear my name. Just trying to cooperate. I want to get this over with.

TB: Me too.

BC: And I needed to see you.

TB: Alright.

BC: Hmm?

**TB:** How are you doing?

BC: I'm better than yesterday. I'm better than yesterday. How are you?

**TB:** That's good. Uh, I don't know. I ate something last night.

BC: Yeah. Seems like you [Unintelligible]...yesterday too.

TB: I guess. It probably helps. I mean, it's a long time. It's longer than I think I've ever been. But every time I get something to eat, like, I get sick. Cause of everything that's going on...and I'm just trying to be there for Michelle.

BC: And she wants to be there for you.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: I'm going to do my best, to put this behinds us. I'm going to do it for you and Michelle and everything. So, here's the thing. I'm still free, right?

But...

**TB:** You're still what?

BC: Free. That truck down there is the thing following me. In case you're wondering.

TB: What truck, where?

BC: It's just to the left. Way down. It's the black one down there, I think.

TB: You know which one?

BC: Yep, it's obvious. They're not trying to hide it.

TB: No?

BC: Out of everything that's happened, that is probably the only part that's amusing me. Because like...

TB: I love that you're laughing about it.

Well, okay. So this is obviously terrifying and all of that. But I'm not doing anything wrong. I'm basically [Unintelligible]. You know? I'm not doing anything, so they can follow me all they want. You know? It's just like, I've never had anyone follow me before. I don't know anyone who has. So and it's like you kind of...

TB: You said you wanted to experience all the things. This is something, right?

Yeah, I mean, it's like, you see it in the movies. You see it on all that but you know what? No, I have first-hand experience with it. A lot of it now. Like ten different cars I've seen. That's a new one. And now you've seen it too. We've experienced something that not many people have. It's weird.

TB: I'm glad you're laughing about it.

BC: This is the only thing in this situation I'll laugh about. But I actually do find this kind of funny.

TB: Sorry I'm so shaky. I don't mean to be.

BC: You don't need to apologize for anything.

**TB:** I'm trying to be a strong Bunny.

You're being strong. You really are, okay? I'm so proud of you for trying to help and doing everything you've done. Okay? It's going to be okay. I'm going to help. And they're going to find her, and then it will be done. And we'll go back to sitting in your room, cuddling, and doing nothing. Okay?

BC: I'm going to try calling her again.

TB: Okay.

BC: I forgot I have to do this stupid thing every time, don't I?

**TB:** Who are all those people?

BC: Huh?

**TB:** Who are those people?

BC: Michelle's work, you, Michelle's mom, Michelle's dad, my mom, landlord.

#### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

BC: Hi, is this Katie? This is Brendt Christensen. Uh, I'm doing alright. Yeah. Yeah. Of course. Yes. Yes, of course. I just want to help and clear this all up. I just want to help and clear this all up so... Yeah. Yep. I would be willing. Yes. Umm, a little after one. Something like that? Umm, I'm on a new phone and I don't know the number of it unfortunately. So, do you want me to give you a call back? If...If I don't respond, I'll give you a call back in like 20-30 minutes. Would that work? Cause, yeah this phone is... I...I still haven't figured it out. It's not...it can't text or anything. It's a little weird so I'm just trying to...yeah. Yeah. That works. That works. Sort of, not really. Umm, I need a pen. Just one second.

TB: I can get you one.

#### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

BC: Yeah, I remember vaguely but don't remember exactly where it is.

#### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

TB: Sorry babe, I thought I had water boiling but it wasn't boiling.

BC: Aw, thank you.

TB: And I put sugar in yours.

BC: Mmm, thank you. Do you know my phone number on this one?

TB: Umm, I can check real quick.

BC: I would like that cause I'm trying to get [Unintelligible] so I can text.

TB: Michelle messaged it to me so...

BC: Okay.

**TB:** I'm going to put this... It's really hot for some reason.

BC: Thank you.

TB: Yeah.

BC: I appreciate it.

**TB**: I'll just grab my phone real quick.

### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

**TB:** Umm, Michelle just, yeah. It's 217-264-5999.

BC: Alright.

TB: She had given it to me yesterday 'cause you called me and it didn't show

up. And I was like, well that's, that's stupid. And I don't know why but

[Unintelligible].

BC: Why, why can't I do this? What the hell.

**TB:** Can you write it down on your paper?

#### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

TB: What kind of phone is it? Is it like the weird kind that like drug lords get

or something?

BC: Yeah, it's a Tracfone.

TB: I love how that's my term for it.

BC: Yeah.

TB: I don't know.

BC: This phone doesn't exist. It's like a super drug phone. Yeah, device not

found. This phone doesn't exist.

TB: It is a super drug phone.

BC: It is, like, it's, it's better than most cause it...okay. Let's try this again now

that I have the internet. Straighttalk.com. It's possible [Unintelligible] the

last time.

**TB:** Hmm? I don't know anything about those stupid things. I'm sorry.

BC: [Unintelligible] the first time I've had to do this. It's uh, annoying. Do I

have a straight-talk SIM card? I don't fucking know.

**TB:** Did you get to eat with Michelle at the restaurant?

BC: Yep, we just went to the Pancake House.

**TB:** How is she doing?

BC: She's doing okay. I'm very concerned for you and her though.

**TB:** [Unintelligible]

BC: [Unintelligible] work out. That's my main concern.

**TB:** I'm trying to be okay. Like I think I'm okay, and then all of a sudden I like

am not.

BC: I think my SIM card is at home. Okay, well whatever. I'll do this later. I

just wanted to... and you having my number and stuff is actually very

helpful so. I'll call another [Unintelligible]

TB: K, I'm trying to force myself to be okay for you because...

BC: I appreciate it.

**TB:** Because I want you to be okay.

BC: And I'm doing the same for you. That's why I'm going to talk with them.

**TB:** [Unintelligible] ... promise? About not hurting this [Unintelligible].

BC: Hmm?

TB: I don't want anything to happen to you.

BC: It'll be okay. [Unintelligible] promise you won't do anything.

TB: I promise. Remember I have that thing that I promised a long time ago.

BC: Yeah.

TB: None of this makes any difference. I won't hurt myself. I don't know what you've been through. Like, I have no clue what happened on your end. All I know is that they wanted [Unintelligible]. I didn't even know where like...they had you for questioning or something but I didn't know where...where you were.

BC: They took me to their office, which I'm going to again. Then they held me for obstruction of justice, arrested me. Took me...

**TB:** Obstruction of justice? How?

BC: Because when they first showed up, I didn't know that I was the one that drove the car. Cause I thought it was Saturday and all that kind of stuff so...Yeah, umm.

**TB:** Did you fight with them at all?

BC: I just wanted to help. Just wanted to answer their questions. Then they held me for 24 hours. I assume now that it was to obtain a search warrant for my apartment because they released me after it started. Umm, they took me about a half hour away to, umm, a county jail. I had to sit in a concrete room with, umm, bars on one side. There was shit all over the walls. It was freezing. I was shivering the entire time for like, four hours straight. They took my shoes and my ring. Umm, and at around eight in the morning they gave me breakfast. Then I was changed into orange clothing and orange flip flops.

TB: You don't like orange.

BC: No, especially prison orange. Then they put me in a cell with a bunk, thankfully. And I was all by myself. I didn't want any contact with anyone else. It had a TV in it with cable, so that was nice. Umm, and that's where I

stayed the entire day. The bunk itself was incredibly uncomfortable but it was better than the one before. I was there...

**TB:** That sounds really scary.

BC: It was. I dozed, basically what I did is, as I was lying on the bunk dozing in and out with TV on in the background. I stretched a couple of times. The stereotypes about prison food are true. It was unbelievably bad. Worse than hospital food. Worse than school food. It was awful. I forced myself to eat it all because I didn't know how much I was going to get to eat later. For instance, the umm, must have been cheesy potatoes...I...I gagged eating them. I had to do it though. I almost vomited. But, it was so goddamn terrible. But I ate it anyway. And then at around 11:30 at night, umm, one of the police officers there said that the FBI was coming to get me. And that terrified me because they told me that I was going to appear in front of a judge to, to the whole obstruction of justice thing. And I assumed it was going to be during the next day, they were going to keep me for the max time. Which is 48 hours. But they showed up at 11:30 and I was like, "what the hell did they do?" But, it was to release me. They drove me around 15 minutes to Savoy, or no, Rantoul. Yeah it was uh, Rantoul. And uh, they dropped me off at a random motel. Super 8 motel. They didn't pay for it, they just left me outside with the paper bag with my wallet and medication in it. I had to pay for the motel. Stayed there at night. Got a cab in the morning. First thing I did was show up here. That's my story, so far. [Unintelligible]

**TB:** [Unintelligible] call you?

Nope, I was supposed to call her. The questioning was very aggressive. And very accusatory, and they asked me the same questions. It's one of those things, they ask the same question ten different ways, right in a row. Until I was reduced to just shrugging my shoulders, saying, "No, I don't know." Just, like it's all I wanted to do was help. And I did help, but... yep. Hi, this is Brendt. Yeah. Yes, two works for me. Okay, it's at 2117 West Park Court, correct? Okay, I'll be there at two. Okay, I'll do that. Alright, thank you. Bye.

BC: Two o'clock.

**TB:** That means we get more time?

**BC:** We get more time together.

TB: I'm so sorry you had to go through all of that.

BC: It's alright.

TB: I don't understand why they'd be so mean.

BC: Because they thought I did it.

TB: Like, what did they ask you about? You were at home.

BC: I think I was mistaken. Umm, I don't want to talk to you about it because I think it's still coincidental. I don't want you to know [Unintelligible] right now, okay?

TB: I'm just worried, like... 'cause I said you were at home too.

BC: That's fine. I don't want, I don't want you caught up in this more than you have to be, okay? So don't worry about it.

TB: It's just scary not knowing, like I mean I don't want to barge in or anything I just... It's just really hard for me because I don't, I don't know anything. I don't understand why, like...

BC: It's going to be okay. Just trust me here, okay?

TB: Okay.

BC: It's just one of those things, where the less you know...I don't want you caught up in this more than you have to be, okay? I'm trying to protect you, okay? So you have to trust me here.

**TB:** I trust you. I do. I...it's just so confusing when I don't have anything in my head, like...

BC: I understand.

TB: I don't, I don't know. And like, I don't even know what Michelle messaged me about some sort of bag last night and I don't know what she was even talking about. And I don't...

BC: Umm, so I had a big duffle bag in my car. When I left to go help Michelle with that stuff, I was actually getting a present for you.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: And umm, it was a big, umm cat tower.

TB: Cat tower, like in the, like in the app?

BC: But it broke, so you didn't get it.

TB: Oh.

BC: And...

**TB:** That's so random.

BC: I brought it over here, and now – I didn't bring it in because it was broken – and now I don't know where the duffle bag is.

TB: What color was it?

BC: Green. And they want to know where it is.

**TB:** Why would they want a cat tower?

BC: Because they might think...they want to know if something else was in it, or something. Because I showed up that Monday or Tuesday inside my... you know, went into the, my apartment and grabbed a duffle bag and left. And now it's gone. I acknowledge...

**TB:** I guess that might look weird.

BC: It's suspicious looking. I acknowledge it. I don't know where it is. I think I left it right outside there. I, someone might have taken it or something.

TB: I asked, well I asked them if like there was anything. I didn't know what it... she just said the bag and I'm like, "Did you see any bag of any kind outside?" and they were like, "What do you mean?" And I was like, "I don't know." Like, Michelle's asking about a bag, and I have no clue like what...

**BC:** Yeah I, I...my guess, now that I'm thinking about it is someone must have stolen it. Because I think...

TB: People don't steal stuff around here. Like...

BC: You don't know people.

**TB:** We live in a nice neighborhood. Maybe that's why they steal...I'm so confused.

BC: I don't know where it went. It's not in the Camaro. Maybe I brought it back to the Camaro and the door was open and someone grabbed it, there in my car - or the Saturn, I don't remember what I was driving. Saturn? Yeah, and umm, I don't know where it is. And...

TB: That's so weird.

BC: It's gone. It's not in our apartment. It's not in the Camaro. The Saturn's

been gone for days. And it's not here.

TB: But like, wasn't... I don't under... like wouldn't, wouldn't she have,

wouldn't Michelle have seen when you went in to help her with her

things?

BC: Yeah, she saw it. That's how they know about it in the first place.

TB: Oh.

**BC:** She told them about it.

TB: So that's, she, when they were questioning her, she must have said that he

grabbed a duffle bag.

BC: Yeah she told them everything about me. And that scares me too.

**TB:** What do you mean, everything? Like...

BC: Everything.

TB: Even the stuff that, like, scared her? I'm sure that doesn't look good.

BC: No.

TB: That's not good at all.

BC: Huh?

**TB:** That's not good at all. Like...

BC: Nope. It's not.

TB: I mean, I don't think they have anything, 'cause my phone didn't have

like...

BC: They don't have a damn thing. [Unintelligible]

**TB:** Any of our conversations that we have had that were weird, I deleted.

BC: [Unintelligible]

**TB:** I don't think they could get any of that.

BC: [Unintelligible] in the first place. Maybe, I'm like, if they had anything on

me, I wouldn't be here talking to you, right? [Unintelligible]. They're searching for something that doesn't exist. You know, it's...so it's going to be ok. It's just, when are they going to get through this. I want it done, like

now.

**TB:** Me too.

BC: I want to be able to go up to your room, right now.

TB: Well and it's not, it's not...

BC: It's hot out here.

**TB:** I know. It's, it's not that people have weird thoughts about you, it's just they don't know what's going on and...

BC: I'm trying to clear it.

TB: I know. I know.

BC: And when I go in today, I'll be like, look I tried to help last time and I was put in jail. And you know, this is a very big leap of faith on my part and I feel like I'm in danger right now. But I want to do it to help clear my name, help you, help Michelle, and help find this girl.

TB: They just don't know like, what's going on in there and they're just like we don't, we don't want anybody in the house. We don't want the house to be searched, like.

BC: I totally understand.

TB: Like, and they have a baby and they don't want to disrupt, like, already their lives revolve around that little creature. Like...

BC: Yeah, it's...

**TB:** If the cats didn't have medicine on them, I'd bring one of them out here and let you cuddle them.

BC: Yeah. There's a new car. Shift change. [Unintelligible] it just stopped there. Stopped in the same place.

TB: I'm amused you know what's going on. I'm amused that you're just like, "Yeah, they're following me. Whatever." You don't even...

BC: I mean, that is a whatever to me. I mean it's like the most minor consequence of everything that's going on because I'm not doing anything, you know?

TB: Yeah.

BC: I don't give a shit if they know where I am. Like I'm, all I've done so far is got out to eat, come to this place, and go home. You know, later today to

take my mind off of stuff I'm going to go to the gym. They can follow me to the gym. I'll work out with them. I won't.

**TB:** You have friends.

BC: Yeah. I just...I want this done.

**TB:** Me too.

BC: They have all of my electronics. That really sucks.

TB: I understand. They had my phone for a little while and that [Unintelligible]. I didn't realize how much I used it. Until, I...then I was like oh I can't fidget with my phone. I didn't even want to do anything with it, just fidget.

BC: Yeah. Yeah, it's...

TB: And that's the other thing. Like they...you're going to laugh at this cause that's the one thing, like yeah there's all that, like oh gosh, invasion of privacy kind of thing but I was like, whatever, like if you want to, you want to look at things, like whatever. And umm, they said that they wanted to like dump my phone memory or something cause I don't know exactly what they were looking for but that was just like do so, do so at your own risk. There's lots of pictures on there were I don't have clothes. They kind of laughed. Like no, seriously. You're going to get an eyeful. Like more than one. I feel sorry for any poor person looking at my phone, like...and there's pictures of other people on there too, like...

BC: Nice. I like that.

TB: Like porno-phone. And I was just like, well, have fun. It'll be entertaining. Like, I was kind embarrassed but then I, the rest of me was like if you want to, they, when they gave it back to me they made me, sorry I'm like stressed out, but it's funny. They were like so...everybody has their like things, like we just want to make sure that you're not involved in anything that you don't want to be involved in, because there's pictures of me on there with like a collar. Nope, I'm just kinky as hell. Like, if you want to talk about it, I'm fine. You know me. I'm

BC: Yeah.

TB: I don't care who knows what.

BC: Yeah, I told them stuff.

TB: But it was really funny because it's just like, well. Yeah, I'm a...Do you want to talk to me about it? Go a...we just wanted to make sure you were okay. Oh I'm great besides this whole thing. Like, I mean.

BC: Speaking of that kind of thing, one of the reasons they want to mouth swab you is because they found some blood in my apartment and we to need make sure that some of it's yours or if they [Unintelligible] okay?

**TB:** Yeah, if...if they want to do that, that's fine, like...

BC: Some was on the bed. And some was on a baseball bat. They found trace elements of it on a baseball bat. The stuff on the baseball bat is either mine, yours, or another girl's. And not from hitting you with it. I made you bleed once on your face. Do you remember that?

TB: Uh uh (as in, no)

BC: I did.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: And there's also a little period blood and I think...

**TB:** I know there's that but like, on my face?

BC: Yeah, I don't remember exactly how it happened. But it happened once.

TB: Hmm.

BC: And yeah, the baseball bat...

**TB:** Was I all floaty?

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** Oh. [Unintelligible]

BC: And I, I was kind of using the baseball bat as an intimidation thing and I think I got some it.

TB: Oh.

BC: So...

**TB:** That's fine. I...

BC: I just wanted to let you know that's where....

**TB:** I was probably in such a happy subby place that I don't remember or anything.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Cause you're kind of good at that. Will you be scared to play after all of

this?

BC: No.

TB: [Unintelligible] I know it's not important. I know it's not important, it's

stupid it's just, I kind of like you being my dom', like...

BC: I will keep being your dom', and before we start anything we're going to

have to shout out to the wiretaps in my apartment, "this is consensual."

Both of us.

**TB:** Your apartment is tapped?

BC: Probably. I assume.

TB: That could be a fun game. Hi if you're listening, we're going to have some sexy

time now.

BC: Yeah, really.

**TB:** It's going to be really kinky. [Unintelligible] hear this? [Unintelligible] the

sound. Let me educate you, all of you about BDSM. I'm sorry, I can't help but joke about it. Like, that aspect is funny, 'cause they couldn't have picked a more... yeah, group of people they chose to question. They're

going to have some interesting subject matter for a while.

BC: Yeah, I just want to...That's part of it today. I want to explain all of this

stuff to them because I'm sure they're going to ask me about all of it.

TB: Yeah.

BC: And I would, I'm okay talking about this kind of stuff since

[Unintelligible]

TB: Don't worry about me. Like you can tell them anything about me that...

BC: I assumed that but it's nice to hear it so...

TB: No. I, I [Unintelligible]. That one's really hot.

BC: Yes it is.

TB: I didn't realize that that one got so hot. That one has sugar in it though. I

put sugar in it. I hope I didn't put too much.

BC: No, it's good. Thank you. Do you want yours?

**TB:** Umm, I'm going to get it with this thing cause when I...

BC: Yeah.

TB: ...Oh it's not as hot as it was before. It was like super hot before and I was like, umm, whoever designed this shit piece of, it's one of, I think it's one of the other people, like Tommy's.

BC: Yeah. What time is it?

**TB:** But this is... yeah it was weird before because it was super hot. It's raspberry peach.

BC: Okay.

TB: It's stress-relieving, see? [Unintelligible] and detoxifying from the prison food. Detox. You need a detox from that shit.

BC: I cannot express how bad it was. I'm not exaggerating. All the things you've heard about it are true, and then some. It was bad. I'm talking, like, they had some ground beef, right?

TB: Oh God.

BC: It was slimy. I would say, 70 percent lean ground beef.

**TB:** That hurts.

BC: And just slop. The bread was...I don't know if I just got unlucky, but out of the three meals they gave me two pieces of bread each meal, every single meal had an end on it.

TB: Had a what?

BC: An end. And I don't like the ends.

TB: Oh.

BC: So I had three meals, six pieces of bread...

TB: Oh, like the heel?

BC: Three heels, yeah. I don't know how that happened. If I just got unlucky, but like, that's...

TB: They must hate you.

BC: Yeah. It's...

**TB:** Give the ends to the newbie.

BC: Like, that said the prison guards were nice. They were.

TB: That's good.

BC: They were accommodating, understanding, and they could tell I was scared and this was my first time, and I doubt they get many master's degree recipients in there. Like I put down...

**TB:** Why do you say that?

BC: I'm not the type of person who goes to county jail. You know, like...

**TB:** That's like Big Paws. Big Paws in jail, like he would talk to the guards and stuff.

BC: Yeah. Like, umm, for instance, highest level of education completed - they had the numbers one through 12, and I was like "Master's Degree," so he was like, uh, "how many years is that?" And I was like, I had to think for a while and was like, "19?" So, they didn't even have an option for like, degrees. [Unintelligible]

TB: That's insane. Like, I...

BC: Yeah, it's... yeah I was, I was very nice to them. It's like they didn't do anything wrong to me, you know?

TB: Well and...

BC: So I [Unintelligible]

TB: When I was scared I didn't know what was going on, I didn't if they were somehow like going to keep you, or if you were going to like, if I was not going to not see you again, or if...

BC: Yeah.

TB: And I remember like when I did see you that that's one of the things I wanted to make sure I let you know. Cause I didn't know if they were going to take you away again and... I wanted [Unintelligible] to have you remember that like I don't think Big Paws did what he was sent to prison for like...

BC: Yeah.

TB: He was totally framed. But regardless, like, I mean there's a possibility he did. I don't know him super well but like I wrote him every, every week. Every other day I, I'd write on, more on my little letter to him. And, like I

didn't care, it's, it's not like a, "oh I think he did it, or didn't do it," it was just a...I care about him. He's gone. I can't see him. I can't talk to him. I have to make sure that I'm there, and like, I'm so glad that you're back, like, back back, and that I, I'm not thinking that they're going to take you away again and like...

BC: Unless something ridiculous happens, I'll be fine today.

TB: But like, I was scared enough that I was like, I just wanted you to know that like no matter what happened, like even if, if you had to go somewhere like, as long as I knew where to write to, like it's impossible for you to be alone.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Like that's...people, I remember people when I would write him. They were like, why are you writing him in jail all the time? And I was like because I care about him. Like, I don't, I don't do anything not 110 percent. You know that. If I'm doing something, I'm 110 percent and I don't really give a fuck what anybody else thinks. Like, I'm there. If I love somebody, I don't, it doesn't matter, like I just, I love and there's nothing...Even if, even if I was at a point where I was like, oh my gosh this is, I don't know if I should... it doesn't matter. Like it's, it's a yes or no and if I do, I do and that's all there is to it. Like...

BC: Yeah. I, words can't express how much I appreciate that. I just hope you know that. I really, really do.

TB: Like...

BC: It means so much to me.

TB: The, like the only thing that I was worried about when they did ask me questions, cause they were like, "do, do you, do you care about him?" I was just like, of course I love him, like, they were like, you love him? And I was like, yes I don't know why that would ever be in question.

BC: Why would they ask that?

TB: Huh?

BC: I can't believe they asked that.

TB: Well, they didn't say, they didn't say, they asked, they didn't ask, like, point out, but they, they...you know how they ask things, like, they were

really nice to me but umm, they, they, I think they were trying to gauge, like my feelings maybe.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Umm, but I was just like I don't, I don't care what has happened, what will happen, what hasn't, like, regardless of the situation, my priority is to be there for Brendt. And to make sure that if there's anything I can do to help him like...I was like I don't, I don't know what your guys' opinion is or what you think or whatever, umm, you can think whatever you want, but I, I'll answer any question that you have. I have no problem with that. But I also am not going to just randomly, like my loyalty is just not something that I'm questioning. That's just not how I operate.

BC: Yeah.

TB: And, I don't know how I worded it but it...I was kind of just like, "Did you seriously just infer-, refer to, I, I can't... I think maybe they were kind of concerned that I seemed calm or something cause I, I get worked up. I get, I mean, I get anxious. But at the same time, I can also be somewhat calm. Like, it takes a lot to...

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** To get a rise out of me.

BC: It's a little bit hot.

TB: I'm sorry. It's kind of warm but I just wanted something relaxing. I'm trying really hard to take care of you even out here.

BC: You're doing a good job. I'm really happy I'm here with you.

TB: I'm just going to set this here, so it's fine. I feel kind of like a little animal though. I really do. Like a dog that's just super loyal and...

BC: Yeah.

TB: I don't even care about my nails. I messed them up cause I was... At first I was like, oh [Unintelligible] stupid nails. They're really long. It's your fault. Wouldn't be surprised if I drew blood on you with my nails now. I'm sorry if I seem chatty, like, I...

BC: No, it's good. It's good. I'm happy you are because I, I am, and I'm not at the same time, you know?

TB: Yeah. [Unintelligible] you, like, it was hard cause like, who do I go to when I want to talk to, when I want to talk to somebody about something that's going on. And it's like I can't talk to anybody about...

BC: I know. Michelle.

TB: About it...

BC: [Unintelligible]

**TB:** And I don't want to bother her, like....

BC: She'd be happy. She likes you. And she's happy, yeah, she's happy that you're here for me. She really is.

TB: [Unintelligible] I told you my house family said that if there's anything I can do for her, like...I try not to, I, I just don't want to like inundate her. I know I'm overwhelmed, and...

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** I just. .. I want to let her know that I'm here.

BC: Make sure that your housemates know how much I appreciate everything.

**TB:** They do.

BC: I, I really, really do.

TB: You're going to have to... Don't message him like that or anything, but Peter is worried. Umm, I didn't tell him details but he's just concerned. He's thinks there should be someone on the porch with me if I'm with you. I told him that that would happen. I lied. I don't lie very well. You know I don't lie very well.

BC: I understand that to an outsider, I look guilty. And that I look dangerous.

TB: He just doesn't know you very well and he freaked out a little bit with the very, very bare minimum that I told him. And I, I told him I'm safe. And he's like, why didn't they fucking go on the porch with you? Like he, he's like do I need to come over there? I'm like, no please. Just, it's okay.

BC: You can tell them there is an FBI agent tailing me at all times and they are literally looking at us right now. So if he's concerned and all that kind of stuff, you can tell him that.

**TB:** Yeah, I, I might just not tell him that I was alone with you on the porch.

BC: That's fine too. Just...

TB: I don't lie, like, I don't...you know me. You know my...You know.

BC: It's just, umm, right now, I mean, people have been advising Michelle the same thing. It's like, come on it's, their watching 24/7. I get the concern, but holy shit, like I can't do anything without them knowing. They follow me everywhere. They followed us to the restaurant we went to last night. They followed us to the Pancake House this morning. That's fine.

TB: The guy that came up here when I was passing out the last time you were over here, like he's just a neighbor, but he was like what's going on?

Yeah, exactly. I can't do anything without being [Unintelligible] It's like, if I even like stood up aggressively and like cocked my hand back jokingly, they'd probably be all over me. You know, like I can't do anything.

TB: Yeah.

BC: And I'm okay with that because I don't want to do anything. But people are concerned for your and Michelle's personal safety are... I understand where it comes from but it's unnecessary.

TB: Yeah.

BC: And very misguided.

TB: Yeah.

BC: You two are really the last person...people on earth that I would ever consider hurting. Like, [Unintelligible]

**TB:** At least, non-consensually.

BC: Yeah.

TB: I'm sorry, I had too.

BC: [Unintelligible] to get there.

**TB:** It probably only takes like, I'd say, I'd say, reserve 20 or 30 minutes. Just to make sure.

BC: Yeah. That's what I was going to do so we have a while still.

#### [BREAK IN AUDIO]

**TB:** Nothing's felt normal lately. I haven't been getting hours at work.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Like I don't know. I know I'm going to quit. I just don't know when. But I was supposed to work, I think I might work tomorrow. I think I do. But I was going to cover for somebody today and then they were like, no you

don't have to and....

BC: Okay, I was wondering about that.

TB: No, I was going to cover for someone today and then umm, the other day I, literally right when they, I was going to go to work, they had to take me in and, and I told my, my boss that like, I like, I'm sorry, like I...They were like, can you get a note? I'm like, you're asking me if I can get a fucking

note from the FBI? Like...

BC: Yeah, I mean...

TB: I guess I could.

BC: Did you?

TB: I, I haven't tried. Like, I didn't ask. I just, like umm, I...

BC: Could show them one of my search warrants. I have them.

TB: I just feel like .... 'Cause I, my work doesn't know anything except for that

I'm involved in some sort of legal matter. That's what I told them.

BC: That's all, you don't need to say more.

**TB:** I figured that's about all I needed to say.

BC: Yeah.

TB: But, I was just like...What would happen if I said I was involved in a legal

matter and I show up with a note saying like, Federal Bureau of

Investigation? They'd be like, holy shit what did you get into? I know you're into weird shit, but seriously? Everyone at works going to be like,

she's scary.

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** They're going to think I was the one.

BC: Ugh.

TB: It's like a movie. A really bad one, like...

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** A lifetime movie.

BC: Yeah, a really bad movie.

TB: A really bad lifetime movie. It's okay, you can be my lifetime movie. I'm secretly addicted to them anyway. I told Daddy that was my guilty pleasure. I was like, Daddy, you know what I do when nobody's home? And you guys are out, like, they went to go visit Ash's family. Like you know what I do? He was like what? I sit and I watch lifetime movies. He's like, you've got to be kidding me, like, say it ain't so? I was just like, oh it's true. He's like why? I'm like, because they're so awful.

BC: Ask me what bad horror movie is, so I understand completely. Bad movies are fun. It's like you know what's going to happen but you still enjoy it. Just...

TB: Is the Tulsi tea relaxing your stress level?

BC: You're relaxing my stress levels baby.

TB: Yeah?

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** I wonder what the FBI would do if I like just jumped on top of you right

now?

BC: Indecent exposure.

TB: Not if I'm not showing anything.

BC: That's true.

TB: My skirts not that short.

BC: I wonder, I don't know like what the limits on PDA are.

TB: You want to find out?

BC: Ah no, these people are above the law. They were tailing us last night to the restaurant, umm, Michelle's dad was with us. He came down for a bit and helped her out and, umm, the guy tailing us blatantly ran a red light to keep up with us. It was like, super obvious. It, it was pretty funny.

TB: I'm glad that can be our joke.

BC: Yeah.

TB: They get to watch us make out.

BC: Put on a show for them.

TB: You know, I'm a bit of an exhibitionist? It'd be hot. I'm sorry, I'm so

terrible. Yeah.

BC: Uh, man. I keep yawning.

TB: Yeah.

BC: My sleep schedule is non-existent.

**TB:** Sleep schedule? You have one of those?

BC: Not anymore. I did.

**TB:** Hey, were you able to do the stuff for your job? No?

BC: We're going to buy a laptop or something. I don't know, I'll call the

library and see if can [Unintelligible] program [Unintelligible]

TB: Do you, do you not have any laptop or anything.

BC: They took them.

**TB:** I wonder if we could like have you borrow one.

BC: That would be amazing.

TB: When you go, I will ask Tommy cause if he's, I don't know if he's awake

yet or not.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Umm...

BC: Tell him it needs to run the newest version of Mathematica. Which is not

an intense program, it's just umm, probably needs to be like a relatively

new version of Windows.

TB: I mean, yeah. Let me, let me see if he has and would be willing to let you

borrow a... I don't know what he has laying around but...

BC: That would be incredible.

TB: I mean, we have random monitors laying around. I don't see why we

don't have computers laying around.

BC: This other things is due Wednesday, and I have a feeling it's going to be

very difficult.

TB: Well I can, I can check.

BC: That's my girl.

**TB:** I'm a helpful bunny.

BC: Um-huh. You are. Thank you.

**TB:** I feel like adding being watched by the FBI to my list on Fet.

BC: Do it. [Unintelligible] being watched by the FBI.

TB: That no, that would be... I don't know if I could do that. I don't want to do anything that would be super blatantly obvious.

BC: I mean to be fair, they could be police...or state troopers.

TB: PDA while watched by law enforcement.

BC: There you go. There you go.

**TB:** I'm sorry. I shouldn't think it's funny. I really shouldn't. It's so irreverent of me.

BC: No, I think again like, I don't think pretty much any of this is funny except for this because it's like, what like...I understand why they're doing it. I get it but it's like, okay. What do they expect to see, like me digging a hole or something?

TB: No what you're going to do is you're going to do something to me and then you're going to grab me and lift me up like Hercules...

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** And carry the 200-pound woman to the car. In front of plain sight. Umm, with an angry look on your face.

BC: Yep, yep.

TB: And that's, that's what's going to happen. By the way they, you should have...I wish you were there when they were getting my information cause they had to...they're like, what's your height? Like what's your eye color? I was like, what is my eye color? I was like good luck.

BC: Blue-ish.

TB: And they're like, well it's like there's green in the middle but blue on the outside. I'm like, uh-huh, what color is that? I wasn't that mean but...

BC:

Yeah.

TB:

And then they were like, and we really hate to...they got to the weight part...and they're like, we, we really hate to ask...we, we. I'm like, I'm cool. I was like actually I'm pretty fucking happy about that number at the moment. I'm down to like 214.

BC:

Nice, that's about how much I weigh.

TB:

I know, I was like, fuck yeah. Look at me. Even uh Zach, the other day he visited and umm, we, we usually when he visits we just talk like sometimes he tugs on my hair but, we're talking and I threw my shirt off. He was like, damn. I'm like, what? He's like, you're getting really toned. Like, what are you doing? Stuff like that. He's just like, you're going to be like Wonder Woman. I'm like, thank you? That's kind of hot. Like if he thinks that's hot like I'm...

BC:

Yeah.

TB:

And apparently people, so he went to the, the camp thing, that like, and apparently when they were around the camp fire with like 20-30 people, umm, my name was brought up. And everyone in the circle was like, ah yeah Bunny is great. We love Bunny. She's amazing woo woo woo. She's like... apparently everybody knew me.

BC:

Nice.

TB:

Apparently, I have a really good reputation in the community.

BC:

That's good. You can vouch for me.

TB:

Yeah, like they...They're like man, yeah she can like top, she can bottom, like what is this? Oh God, people know me, like. I wasn't embarrassed that I was, he was like yeah. Like, we talked about you. I don't know how I feel about that. It's okay, I can vouch for you. I know you probably won't be going to the thing, umm, but that's okay.

BC:

Tonight? No.

TB:

No, no. Obviously not tonight. No, umm, the, the...

BC:

Play thing?

TB:

Yeah.

BC:

No, I think that's kind of off the table now.

TB: And that's okay. Umm, Peter said that he was going to get a room for him

and a room for Stacey so...

BC: Okay.

TB: Umm, I think one of, I don't know who he'll stay with but that's been

offered and I, I think that might be good for me. Umm, I'll miss you but I

think it would be good for me to go.

BC: How long is it?

TB: It's just a day.

BC: Oh, well that's...

TB: It's not...

BC: Yeah that's fine.

TB: It's not a lot. It's just that there's a dungeon and I haven't been at a

dungeon party for a while.

BC: Uh-huh, yeah I wanted to go but...

TB: It would be kind of cathartic for me. Maybe I'll find somebody who can

like florentine or something. See how it feels. I can report back.

BC: Um-huh.

TB: Like...

BC: I mean, I can learn.

**TB:** I already have what I'm going to wear.

BC: Nice, show me next time we're up in your room.

TB: Yeah.

**BC:** Whenever that is.

TB: I know, I, I don't know how long this is going be to for and I'm really

sorry. And I'm just respecting what everybody's...

BC: I want you to ask them if you could come to my place.

TB: I will ask.

BC: Yeah, because I'm mobile now. I have a car. You can tell them about the

FBI agent following me around...

TB: Yeah...

BC: And...

TB: I...

BC: The thing is, if you're there and let's say worst case scenario, they come

and arrest me, that would be the worst case scenario, right?

TB: Yeah.

BC: They would give you a ride somewhere. You know? Like you'd have your

phone or whatever.

**TB:** That would be so awkward. Do you think they could?

BC: What?

TB: Arrest you?

BC: I just, I don't want to think about it either. Okay? I mean they did it once.

TB: I know but...

BC: Let's just...

TB: I don't, I'm sorry. I don't want to think about it either. I just, you said it

and then...you said it. I'm sorry. I don't want you to disappear.

BC: [Unintelligible]

**TB:** I wish, I wish I could help.

BC: You are. You're already doing a lot for me, okay?

**TB:** But is it enough?

BC: Yeah, it's enough. Okay? Everything is fine. Now, anyway, you'd be okay.

That's all that I wanted to say. Just I respect, I'm doing my best to respect everyone's boundaries and if they really don't want it or anything like that, I'm not going to fight it or anything. Like, Michelle, she spent the night in the computer room. Her dad was on the couch and I was the one in our bed. Obviously, I wanted Michelle with me but I respected that. Tonight Michelle said she wants nothing more than to spend the night maybe in the computer room again but we don't know what's going to happen, and I'm going to respect that. So if they are adamant, and be like, no you can't go there no matter what.

TB: Like, I know I've already broken Peter's consent for, for seeing you without supervision but I'm pretty sure he'll...

BC: No that's...

**TB:** That's the thing I'm concerned about. He, I'm pretty sure he won't let me but we'll see.

BC: Well, I think you have a better idea of what's going on than him. I am more concerned about Tommy's opinion than anyone else's. He's the one I'd want consent from.

TB: Well I'd have to get consent from both of them. Cause...

BC: I understand.

TB: It's, you know me and my...

BC: Yeah, I understand that. Umm, just...

TB: I just want to make sure everybody feels, I don't want him, he sounded so worried. Like he was pacing at his work and people were concerned about him.

BC: Yeah, just umm, you can tell him what's happened.

TB: Yeah.

BC: And that they don't suspect you of anything or anything at all.

TB: I don't know how much I can tell him though. Like...

BC: Umm, yeah well.

**TB:** That's, that's the thing. Until things blow over, I might just have to have Brendt porch time.

BC: Okay, so here is the number one thing I've been thinking about. And I think it's the number one thing that I have on my side. If they actually had something against me, I wouldn't be here. I would be in jail. They are...

TB: They wouldn't let you loose.

BC: Frantically searching for anything. They're trying to find this girl. And I understand that I'm involved in this, but if they had anything that proved that I did anything bad, I would not be here. And if you want to try and convey to Peter that I'm not dangerous, or something, I think that's a good place to start because there's really...like this isn't just one random FBI

agent. When I was there, when they came to search our apartment, there were like 15 people. And then, our apartment was searched twice by the way. The state police came as well. So like this isn't like some small thing. This is like all the FBI in the county, the Champaign Police Department, the university police department, and the state police.

**TB:** Did you, did you have any of the stuff from when we play?

BC: They didn't take it.

**TB:** They didn't take it?

BC: No.

**TB:** Not even the cuffs and stuff?

BC: They didn't take any of it.

**TB:** Did they move anything?

BC: Our apartment was so thoroughly searched, like literally 24 hour search overall by the two different people. Everything was searched.

**TB:** So you still have the leather cuffs?

BC: Yep. Interesting, right? I was surprised.

**TB:** That would be the first thing that I would take, maybe.

BC: They took a lot of stuff. They took the baseball bat, all of our electronics. Do you know why I'm wearing white shoes right now? They took my goddamn shoes.

TB: You don't like white shoes.

BC: These are my tennis shoes. I wear them to work out. I didn't notice until last night when we tried to go to dinner. I was like, where the fuck are my shoes. They took my keys. Umm, they took my sunglasses.

**TB:** Did they, did they take the ball-gag, or...?

BC: Nope.

TB: Or the...any of the BDSM stuff?

BC: Nope, none of it.

TB: That's crazy.

BC: I know. I was very surprised. Like, yeah and they searched everything. And I mean everything. They went through everything. Like we've got a big thing of papers. Basically, like...

TB: I, I laugh because they did, they did ask me, cause when, when they basically found out that I was involved with BDSM. They were like, did you... I was like, yeah we did, we did stuff. Umm, and then I was like, and I, they're like, so did you go over, like yeah, I'd go over to his apartment and I cleaned for him. They were like, like a, did he like pay you or. I'm like no like it's like a, like a kink. Like his eyes, it's like...

BC: Were you talking to guys? Or were they girls?

**TB:** Oh they were guys. They were totally guys. And I, and I was laughing.

BC: And now they're all super jealous of me.

TB: Really.

BC: I got a bang-maid.

TB: I was just like, yeah like no, I go over there and we watch some stuff and I'll clean some part of his apartment and then, we'll either watch some more stuff or we'll have some fun or...yeah. I was really, I didn't hold anything...Yeah. Yeah. We haven't really done a whole lot of naughty things for a bit but...I was just like yeah we, he just orders me to clean and I will.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Is my collar still there?

BC: Yes.

TB: That's good.

BC: I did see that. Yeah.

**TB:** I was like, if they took, I was like if they took my collar, I'd be like, give my fucking collar back.

BC: It's a...

TB: But yeah, that was, that was fun. Like, I'm probably like the easiest person to interview. 'Cause I'm just like, yeah, yeah I do that. And I was like, I know they've probably heard and seen everything but I still kind of got a kick, kick out of it cause...

BC: Yeah.

TB: I wonder what they were thinking. Like, oh...really? I don't think they'd

be jealous but...

BC: Ah, I'm sure most people would be. I have a bang-maid.

**TB:** That amuses me greatly.

BC: If they ask me about the cleaning stuff, I'm going to call you that. Oh, I'm

definitely going to.

TB: You can.

BC: I'm going to.

TB: Doesn't bother me.

BC: Yeah.

**TB:** If they ask, like what's a bang-maid.

BC: It's a maid that you can bang.

TB: Would you really say that?

BC: Yeah, I would. Totally.

TB: That could be fun.

BC: [Unintelligible]

TB: I'm glad that you giggled. What time is it?

BC: It's like a [Unintelligible] it's not quite time.

TB: Okay.

BC: [Unintelligible] I have 15 minutes.

TB: I just want to make sure everything's kosher. Straighten this hair. Should

be fine.

BC: God, it's so hot out.

**TB:** Yeah, it's warm. I'm sorry. We have a pool back, back there. It's ready.

BC: Yeah. Yeah.

**TB:** I wonder if you could go swimming with supervision.

**BC:** Well unfortunately...

TB: We need a lifeguard.

BC: Unfortunately, being back there is the same as being in your house. You

know what I mean?

TB: Uh, not necessarily.

BC: Well they would not know where I was except for on your property.

TB: Yeah.

BC: Like sitting on the porch is fine.

TB: Yeah.

BC: Cause they know I'm...

TB: Well but they're, they didn't say you couldn't come inside. It's the people

I live with.

BC: Yeah, I know that. I'm not under any kind of arrest or restraint right now.

It's just I'm trying, again I'm trying to do right by everyone.

TB: Yeah.

BC: And I understand why they don't want me in there. And it makes sense,

and I will obviously respect that. But again like from their point of view, if I go back there, they don't know if I'm in the house or not and that's the point. You know? So and I don't want to...the last thing I want to do is

step on people's toes right now.

**TB:** Yeah. Yeah, I understand.

BC: I'm hoping that I can give them enough info today where they can move

past this soon.

TB: Yeah.

BC: Umm, who knows. The thing is, if they get aggressive about the

questioning, I'm going to stop talking to them again. So, yep.

TB: What do you mean? Why would you stop talking to them?

BC: Because the last time they got aggressive I was arrested.

**TB:** Can't you just answer their questions?

BC: I don't want to go to jail. This is...

TB: I'm sorry if I don't understand.

BC: I am terrified of talking to them.

**TB:** You can be brave.

BC: I will be brave. And I will talk to them.

**TB:** Take the tea inside and pretend that it's me.

BC: [Unintelligible]

TB: They'll be like, is there a problem, sir?

BC: It's not that hot anymore. Umm, the last time I tried to help, they arrested me. And that was the most terrifying 24 hours of my life. And I do not [Unintelligible] and that's respect, I, have already done more than I had to for them. And I was repaid by getting arrested. It's, I am doing this for the girl that's missing, for you, Michelle, and me. I am not doing this for them and that better be enough for them. It will be. But if they are assholes, and if they are accusatory and if they are giant douchebags to me again. Cause they were like asking crazy leading questions, accusing me of stuff and everything. It was bad. Like, I'm going to say, I don't want to answer that without a lawyer here. I want a lawyer for this kind of questioning. I am willing to help, and I'll, I'll say this to them right away. I'm willing to help, but the last time I helped I was arrested for it. I want to find this girl and I'll say the other stuff I told you but keep in mind that, and I'll say I'm terrified cause the last time blah blah blah blah. I'm, I'm going to be very clear where I'm coming from on this. And I'm sure they sympathize in some ways. The girl I was talking to, the girl Michelle's been talking to is apparently very nice. I talked to guys last time and they were doing the

**TB:** They were nice to me.

BC: They weren't nice to me.

**TB:** Tommy was like, they better have been nice to you. They, like they better not mess with my baby bunny.

good cop/bad cop kind of thing a bit.

BC: Yeah.

TB: It's like, why? He's just like, cause you're my baby bunny. Nobody messes with my baby bunny. Like okay.

BC: Ah, it's nice enough to drink now.

TB: That's good.

Yeah, and umm, they were doing psychological tricks on me for sure, like yeah they did good cop/bad cop thing right away, asking very leading questions, umm then I was alone for a while. Then another guy comes in just to keep me company. And he was very casual with it, was just like we could be having this conversation at, you know, a Starbucks instead. And we talked for a while. But then he started asking questions about women and that... And he's like, I don't really know much about this case. He said that a couple of times early on but... Yeah okay, an FBI agent there at two in the morning doesn't know that much about this case, okay dude.

TB: Yeah, you're intelligent.

BC: Yeah, it's like, come on. It's like you didn't get any info from me.

Obviously that guy was...he was good at talking. I, I actually think he was, it was a decent conversation but it's like, I knew where it was going and it did go there.

**TB:** Yeah, that was the first time I ever really been involved with any type of law enforcement whatsoever.

Me too. I got a speeding ticket when I was 16. Umm, I'm trying to think, uh, called the cops a couple of times. We opened the door for them once at an old apartment we were in because someone else called the cops. That's, yeah our...My involvement with cops has been minimal. This is a hundred times more than any other time. I'll be okay. I'll call you when I'm out, okay? When I get home.

TB: I'll probably be frantically getting ready to make sure that I'm... look cute.

BC: I'll, I'll message you on OKCupid actually.

TB: That works. Yeah I'll, I won't close you out or anything. I'll just straighten my hair and get dolled up so that I can run around and flirt. I just need something normal.

BC: I know. It's fine. I'm happy that you're going to it. I'm happy that you're going to it.

**TB:** I want to feel shiny.

BC: You are shiny.

**TB:** Do you have to go soon?

BC: Ten minutes. So uh...

**TB:** I like that this is my version of being in your lap.

BC: I've a...

**TB:** I did flash them once. By accident. My skirt flipped over.

BC: Nice. I've umm, since I don't have a computer, I've been on Netflix and finally watching Madmen. I wanted to watch it for a long time and finally gotten around to it. You ever heard of it?

TB: I've heard of it. I, I finished watching the Handmaiden's Tail. It's, it's over.

BC: I almost decided on that but I wanted to watch Madmen instead.

TB: Oh my God, it's so good.

BC: I want to watch it with you. That's the thing. That's the biggest reason I didn't.

TB: Yeah. I would like, I would watch it over again.

BC: Yeah.

TB: It's brilliant. Like, they did such a, I didn't think, it's one of those books where you're like they're not going to be able to make the movie as.. oh no, they did such a good job. I hope they have, I think they're going to have another season. I don't know but...I, uh, it's amazing. Like...

BC: I think you'd like Madmen. So first of all it's set in the early 60's and the main character, the guy, Don Draper, he's attractive. I'll show you. Like, he is attractive. Umm...

TB: We were watching something the other day and there was some muscly guy and I'm like, mmm, I need one of those. Tommy was like, don't you have enough of them? I was like, maybe, not.

BC: Umm, also there's a lot of like 50's and 60's dresses and stuff.

**TB:** Yeah, I would be super happy about that.

BC: Yeah, umm, and yeah he's uh, Don Draper is a, umm, advertising executive so he comes up with advertisements and stuff and yeah it's like a...

TB: Oh God, the swing, they have like swing dresses. They're so pretty.

BC: Yeah, and like everything's all sixties-y and stuff.

TB: Oh, that's gorgeous.

Yeah, that's his wife... and I'm five episodes in right now. And it's umm, it's slow-paced. Which is, Michelle and I tried to watch it a long time ago and [Unintelligible] episode... It's kind of slow-paced. But if you ever end up watching it just stick with it. It gets more and more interesting.

**TB:** The costumes will be enough to keep me...like, I love...

BC: Yeah, it's all sixties-y and stuff. There were seven seasons of it.

TB: Yeah. One of these days, I'm going to try Victory Rolls again. It's that thing with your hair that does the loops. It just takes a lot 'cause my hair is so long.

BC: Yeah.

TB: To get my hair to do that. I need to put my hair in rag curls again. I don't think I've done it since I've known you.

BC: I don't think so.

TB: It makes my hair just ringlets everywhere.

BC: Yeah I don't think I've seen it...

TB: Like down to my waist. I, I don't usually like curly hair but it's really pretty. I feel like a model when my hair is all curly. I'm keeping them really short. I haven't broke one yet.

BC: I fucked my nails up in the past week. They're, they're totally gone. Nasty.

TB: You can't even see them from that side.

BC: Yeah, you can't. Oh my God, they're sharp. Stop. I have to see the FBI soon. Thanks.

TB: It'll go away.

BC: Yeah it's fine. Yeah it's fine.

TB: I'm sorry. I'm just so fascinated that I have a new toy.

BC: Yeah.

TB: And other people enjoy it too. I still have a bruise right here from the hand print.

BC: Uh-hmm.

TB: I'm so terrible. I'm glad that you smiled. I've been trying to make you smile.

BC: I'm glad you're in a good mood.

**TB:** I just want you to be safe.

BC: I want you to be safe too. And I'm so happy I'm here. And I wish I got to see you again today but that's not going to happen. You're busy and uh, I got stuff to do too so...

TB: And I think I'm going to go into work tomorrow so...

BC: Okay. Okay.

TB: It'll be another nice distraction, normalcy. Go in and...

BC: Yeah.

TB: Shit, I should call the FBI people and be like so can I have a note for work?

BC: Do it. Do it.

TB: I'll see, I don't know if I...maybe, maybe after tomorrow. Sometime. I don't want to, I want them to focus on what they're doing and then, once they, everything blows over I can just be like hey I need paperwork.

BC: So Michelle has been, speaking of work stuff, Michelle didn't go to work Thursday or Friday. She's, she can't even imagine the gossip she says cause they know what car she drives. They talked to her about it on Wednesday. Oh my God. The gossip must just, must just be unreal.

**TB:** That would be really hard.

Yeah, well and it's like you know? Michelle and I, and even you know, ten times more than anything on the internet. I checked this morning, like they don't know shit, right? And obviously they don't know shit and that's totally, you know, that's, that's normal. But it's just like, it's got to be so, the gossip must just be all over the place.

TB: I laugh that it took them a few days to rule it as a kidnapping cause like well yeah she went into a car.

BC: Voluntarily though.

TB: Yeah, that's true.

BC: It was voluntarily.

TB: I don't know. They, I mean that's the only thing I've seen on the news is that they think it is...

BC: Yeah, that's what uh...well, I mean so the FBI has ruled it as a kidnapping. The umm, police haven't. So that's one of the things.

TB: That's weird.

BC: Yeah, different terminology. I mean, they're working together. I've talked to both of them and they're in the same room and everything. It's just umm... yeah.

TB: That's odd.

BC: Alright, here's what we're going to do. We're going to walk to my car and I'm going to turn it on so I get the air in there right away.

TB: Okay. I have no shoes on but that's okay.

BC: And I just want to put my stuff in the car.

TB: Since I can't wear the collar at your house, I've been wearing this collar. Except for when the...yeah, if anybody comes to the door, I take it off.

BC: Yeah of course.

TB: I'm a collar kitten. Those are sharp.

BC: I hate walking barefoot anywhere. You okay?

**TB:** I like walking barefoot. My feet are just...

BC: Are they not used to it?

**TB:** I try to walk on not, like grass. Grass is good.

BC: [Unintelligible] ...back on the porch?

TB: Okay.

BC: I can just leave it like that so.

TB: Okay. I'm going to walk on the grass.

BC: Yeah.

TB: Whiskey. [Unintelligible] Whiskey. We don't have any big sticks.

BC: I just saw one actually but... she'll find one probably.

TB: Oh my goodness, Whiskey. What are you doing? There's none on the

porch. Come Whiskey.

BC: I, I [Unintelligible]

**TB:** We probably picked all of them up.

BC: Go find a stick.

**TB:** She's just going to run around in circles like a lunatic.

BC: Okay.

**TB:** She's happy.

BC: Thank you for the tea.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: I will.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: [Unintelligible] I'll message you right when I get home.

TB: Okay.

BC: And I'm going to try to talk to you as much as I can tonight, okay?

TB: Okay.

BC: I love you, Bunny.

TB: I love you too. I'm still your kitten. Oh my goodness Whiskey. You want

this stick? Brendt, she brought this to me. So ridiculous. Now she's

going...Whiskey bring it back. Come here.

BC: She's like destroying it.

**TB:** Yeah. There's an image for you. Go, go to mommy. Whiskey, go.

Backyard.

UNK: Whiskey.

**TB:** She wanted to play fetch.

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