CAST

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SERIES REGULARS
PETE CAMPBELL
KENNETH COSGROVE
HAROLD CRANE
BETTY DRAPER
DONALD DRAPER
JOAN HOLLOWAY
PAUL KINSEY
PEGGY OLSON
SALVATORE ROMANO

GUEST CAST
GLEN BISHOP
COOPER
DUCK
ROBERT DRAPER
SALLY DRAPER
FRANCINE
TRUDY
JEANNIE VOGEL
TOM VOGEL
DR. WAYNE

ANNIE
CARLA
JOE HARRIMAN
JANET
NIGHT MANAGER
DR. OLIVER
RITA
VICTOR MANNY (USED TO BE VICTOR STEUBEN)
LYNN TAYLOR
NURSE WILSON

(OMITTED SECRETARY)

OFF SCREEN
OPERATOR
Non-Speaking

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SC. 11
EXTRA
SECRETARY

SC. 12
NORMA
TODD

SC. 16
TODD

SC. 35
ORDERLY
Locations
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INTERIORS

BRIGHTON HOTEL – TIMES SQUARE
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DR. WAYNE’S OFFICE (N3, D4)
DRAPER HOME
  BEDROOM (N1, N3)
  FRONT HALL (D2, N4) (ADDED)
  KITCHEN (D2, N2)
  KITCHEN/DEN (N4)
  LIVING ROOM (D2)
  UPSTAIRS HALLWAY (N3)
  VESTIBULE/Front HALL (N4) (ADDED)
HOSPITAL
  EMERGENCY ROOM (D4)
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PETE’S APARTMENT
  BEDROOM (N2) (OMITTED)
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STERLING COOPER OFFICE
  BULLPEN (N3, D4)
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  COOPER’S OFFICE (D2)
  DON’S OFFICE (D3, N3, D4)
  ELEVATOR LOBBY (D2)
  ENGINEER’S BOOTH (D2, D3)
  HARRY’S OFFICE (N1)
  JUNIOR COPY WRITER’S OFFICE (D4)
  RECORDING STUDIO (D3)
TRAIN (N4) (ADDED)

OMITTED
  BETTY’S WAGON (N4)
  OUTSIDE COOPER’S OFFICE (D2)

EXTERIORS

BANK PARKING LOT (D4)
INT. PETE'S APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - (NIGHT 1)

PETE and TOM VOGEL (EP.# S104) sit in a chair and on the couch with tumblers of scotch on the rocks. The table is clear behind them. TRUDY and JEANNIE VOGEL (EP.# S104) sit at the table with their wine glasses, rifling through a selection of fabric swatches.

TOM
Nixon didn't stand a chance. The Browns trounced the Redskins. Thirty-one to ten. The result of that last home game has correctly predicted the last six elections.

PETE
I wish someone would have told me that.
(thinks)
Of course it's really a fifty-fifty chance of being right.

TOM
I'm going to treat you like a son because I feel that way about you.

PETE (uncomfortable)
Okay.

TOM
Trudy told us that you were up for a promotion and then didn't get it or something.

PETE
I wish she hadn't.

TOM
Now, she loves you. And honestly, I think you need to take a little focus off of your work.

PETE
This from one of the top salesmen at Vicks Chemical? When you started talking about that Clearasil company you bought?
TOM
(smiles)
It was kind of worth bragging about. Do you know that there’s a surge in adolescence right now? Been building for the last three years.

PETE
I’ll tell you, Sterling Cooper, and yours truly, would love to help you deliver that message.

TOM
(laughs)
See? This is what I’m talking about. The only family and business you should be mixing is the production of a child.

PETE
And what did Trudy say about that?

Just then, the women walk over. Jeannie sits next to Pete, Trudy stands behind Tom.

TRUDY
About what?

JEANNIE
Tom, loose lips sink ships.

TOM
I was just saying that work is not everything. Like the song says, “Tend your own garden.”

TRUDY
What song is that, Daddy?

TOM
I don’t know. People say it. It’s true.

JEANNIE
(wistful)
It is true.

TOM
Tend your own garden. It means start growing things.

Trudy looks at Pete.
TRUDY
Daddy, you’re embarrassing us.

TOM
(points to Jeannie)
It would be the best Christmas present this one ever had. Hell, Thanksgiving’s Thursday.

INT. DRAPER HOME - BEDROOM - (NIGHT 1)

DON lies in bed. There is an electric blanket. Lights on, he’s reading a big magazine and we see as he holds it, he moves it farther away from himself. BETTY walks in wearing her nightgown. She looks at him reading as she passes.

BETTY
Look at you. You need glasses.

Don puts the magazine down.

DON
Another thing I’ll have to hide at work.

Betty starts rifling through her end table drawer. She pulls out a small pad and a pencil.

BETTY
I have to take Sally for Mary Janes. And tights. Oh and I guess I should go to Kepler Farm and get some acorn squash.
(sighs)
What am I doing? They have squash there. Very good squash, actually.
(getting into bed)
I really wish you would come.

Don doesn’t react much.

DON
Birdie, I’m a partner. Eighty percent of my business rolls out next week. It seems silly for me to come down for a twelve hour Thanksgiving.

BETTY
What about Sally and Bobby’s childhood memories.
(MORE)
BETTY (CONT'D)
"I don't know why Daddy wasn't at Thanksgiving, I guess we weren't important."

DON
There was no reason why you couldn't have it here.

BETTY
You know my brother's children are animals. They can't make the trip up here. And I don't want my dad to be alone.

DON
He's not. Gloria is there. Your brother will be there. His wife will be there. Her jewelry will be there.

BETTY
If you can't go, you can't go. I'll get a cab to the train. And William will pick us up, probably in some new car.

A long beat.

BETTY (CONT'D)
You know what? I don't think you want to go.

DON
I'm sorry, was I unclear about that?

BETTY
I don't understand why you can't make my family your family.

Don turns off his light. Betty does the same.

INT. STERLING COOPER - HARRY'S OFFICE - (NIGHT 1)
It is dark, CLOSE ON HARRY. He has new glasses, listens to the phone.

HARRY
(to phone)
Ken is perfectly happy to have me here ...

(MORE)
HARRY (CONT'D)
What do you think it's like? He's a bachelor. It's dirty.

As we pull back, we see Harry is sitting at his desk, in a T-shirt, BVDs, and socks.

HARRY (CONT'D)
I'm not complaining ... I don't think it's a good idea to spend money on a hotel right now. If you're so worried about my well being, let me come home ... That's not what I meant ... I mean I know how it sounded.
(quietly)
Jennifer.

As he listens, he lights a cigarette.

HARRY (CONT'D)
Yes. I'll quit if you let me come home ... I know ... I'll be by Tuesday with my paycheck and get my tweed sportcoat ... You said you wanted me to tell you when I was coming ... I didn't barge in ... I miss you. So much. I'm so sorry.
(long beat)
I know. Good night.

He hangs up the phone. Harry stands up with his cigarette and takes the garbage pail over with him to the couch, where a pillow and blanket are waiting. He takes off his glasses and continues to smoke. He lays down on his couch and flicks cigarette ash into the garbage pail. The wind whistles through the office windows. He pulls the blanket on himself trying to get comfortable, cigarette still in hand.

INT. STERLING COOPER - ELEVATOR LOBBY - (DAY 2)

A crowd exits the elevator in winter attire.

OMITTED
INT. STERLING COOPER - COOPER'S OFFICE - (DAY 2)

COOPER has bound books of teletype research on his desk, going through them. Don walks in.

DON
(re: research)
Are those the legendary secret files of Bert Cooper?

COOPER
No. I have to write a report to the board. My sister Alice is quite a business woman. It's hard to be scrutinized by your sister.

DON
Those reports are always the same. This year big, next year bigger.

COOPER
(laughs)
I got a call from Abraham Menken. I'm sure you know that his daughter will be unavailable for the next three months -- taking some sort of ocean voyage to Paris and whatnot.

Don tries to hide his surprise.

DON
I hadn't heard that.
(then)
But otherwise?

COOPER
(irritated)
There is no otherwise. Why is this man calling me?

DON
(firmly)
I don't know. Was he unhappy?

COOPER
Roger told me you had difficulty working with this woman. As a partner, I do not expect your personal preferences to interfere with our business.

DON
Who says they have?
COOPER
It was the tone of his voice. He's her father.

Cooper looks down, starts flipping through books.

COOPER (CONT'D)
That's it cowboy. If I don't see you, have a nice holiday.

Don nods and walks out.

7 INT. DRAPER HOME - KITCHEN - (DAY 2)
Betty comes in holding a folded over half paper bag filled with squash. She puts it on the counter, takes off her gloves. The doorbell rings.

8 INT. DRAPER HOME - FRONT HALL - (DAY 2)
Betty goes to the door and opens it.

BETTY
Francine.

FRANCINE barges in wearing a coat over her nightgown, slippers, and a knit hat. Her nose and eyes are red.

FRANCINE
I'm coming in. I'm freezing.

BETTY
(closing the door)
You're in your slippers.

FRANCINE
I was waiting outside for you to come home. Just sitting in the car hoping no one would see me.

BETTY
What's going on?

Francine takes off her hat. She heads to the living room. Betty follows.

9 INT. DRAPER HOME - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS (DAY 2)
Francine heads to the couch.
FRANCINE
Are your kids here?

BETTY
No. What happened?

FRANCINE
I'm so stupid. I'm so damn stupid.

Francine sits down, smacking herself in the head.

BETTY
(sits next to her)
You're not Francine. Whatever happened, you are not stupid.

FRANCINE
My mind hasn't been so sharp since I had the baby.
(takes a breath)
And Carlton gave me a stack of mail and honestly, I think I threw it all away. Four days later, the phone got cut off. So, I had to go to the phone company and pay the bill, or you know, he'd have a fit. And I had to do all this without him knowing. How perfect.

BETTY
I don't understand.

FRANCINE
They give me the bill. It was close to 18 dollars. There were all these calls. Long distance. MH. MH? Manhattan?
(quietly)
So I call one. And this woman answers. And I, I just say I'm calling from Carlton Hanson's office. And she says, "Really?" And I say, he wants to have dinner tonight, the usual place.

BETTY
What made you say that?

FRANCINE
What woman in Manhattan would he be calling that answers her own phone?

Francine starts to cry, pulls some Kleenex from her sleeve.
FRANCINE (CONT'D)
I need a drink. Some wine or something.

BETTY
Of course.

Betty starts to go. Francine grabs her arm.

FRANCINE
No, don’t go.

Betty sits, puts her hand over Francine’s.

BETTY
Married women, lots of women, answer their own phones.

FRANCINE
So he’s calling some married woman from my house? While I’m upstairs breast feeding?

BETTY
Maybe it’s a caterer. He’s throwing a surprise party.

Francine starts laughing. Betty covers her eyes, embarrassed. Francine takes her cigarettes out of her coat pocket. Betty takes the pack from her, takes one.

FRANCINE
Do you know he spends two nights a week at the Waldorf? I’m so stupid.

BETTY
Assuming the worst?

Francine wipes her nose again.

FRANCINE
The worst is I’ll poison him. He’s so stupid he’ll drink anything. Ugh, I’m going to have a house full of people. I’ll poison them all. His parents. My parents. (quietly) My kids.

BETTY
Stop it. Stop that, Francine.
FRANCINE
I remember we had a fight right before the baby was born. He said I had no idea how lucky I was to have him. It came out of nowhere.

BETTY
Still Francine, you’re emotional. It doesn’t mean--

FRANCINE

BETTY
(taken back)
Me? Why?

FRANCINE
(almost embarrassed)
I don’t know.

BETTY
(thinks)
I guess you can stay over here. I don’t know. As far as the future, the options seem very simple, except... he doesn’t know you know.

FRANCINE
Yes. I know that.

Betty leans in and hugs her. Francine holds on very very tight.

BETTY
You’re so strong. You’re the strongest person I know. You told me. That took a lot.

FRANCINE
It did. It was really hard. I’m so embarrassed.

They pull away.

BETTY
I don’t know. Maybe take some time?
FRANCINE
Yeah, it's not going to hurt
anything to think about it.

We hear the kitchen door open and close, the kids tearing
through the house to the upstairs, giggling, out of sight.

FRANCINE (CONT’D)
I should go.

BETTY
No, don’t.

Francine gets up.

FRANCINE
It’ll be okay.

Francine walks out fast. CARLA, African-American, 50's,
enters the living room. We hear the door close as Francine
leaves.

CARLA
Mrs. Draper? Sorry I’m late.

BETTY
It’s okay. You can go, Carla.

CARLA
You want me to unpack the
groceries?

BETTY
I’ll do that. Just go.

Carla nods, turns and walks back toward the kitchen, grabbing
her things. Betty stays where she is. Carla starts out the
doors.

CARLA
Good-bye.

BETTY
See you tomorrow.

Carla exits. Betty stands there, calm. She hears the
children playing upstairs. She walks straight to Don’s
office. She opens the door, goes inside. After a moment,
she reappears holding an envelope in her hand.
INT. DRAPER HOME - KITCHEN - CONTINUOUS (DAY 2)

She walks into the kitchen, looks in her hands. We see the phone bill. She flips it over, sees that it's still sealed. She puts it in her coat pocket, starts taking acorn squash out of the bag.

INT. STERLING COOPER - CONFERENCE ROOM - (DAY 2)

Don and DUCK sit at one end of the table. KEN, Pete, Harry, PAUL and an extra sit around the rest of the table. A secretary sits off to the side with a steno pad. Cooper stands in the open doorway.

COOPER
Gentlemen. I am sure by now you are familiar with Mr. Phillips's pedigree.
(to Harry)
Son, if you're going to wear the right tie, wear it right.

As Harry levels his bow tie, Cooper nods to Duck and exits, closing the door.

DUCK
(stands)
First things first. When I call a meeting, if you arrive after me you are late.

PETE
(sotto to Harry)
Should we take a knee?

DUCK
Boys, the stock in our stable:
Lucky Strike, Bethlehem Steel, Maytag.
(then)
No automobile, airline, pharmaceuticals. No blue chips. People want cars, they want to fly, there will always be pain.

KEN
Tobacco is on that list.

DUCK
You're Cosgrove, right? The powerhouse behind the
(re: paper)
"Rejuvenator."
KEN
Actually, it’s called the Relax-a-Cisor now.

The others are enjoying him being picked on.

DUCK
What the hell is it?

PAUL
It’s a weight-loss device with a female pleasure payload.

Duck looks at Don, amused.

DUCK
Really?

Don nods.

DUCK (CONT’D)
(again serious)
I’m offering a $100 bonus to the first man to bring me a meeting with a decision maker. An automotive meeting. I miss my Triumph.

Duck hands a stack of mimeographs to be passed down.

DUCK (CONT’D)
This is a list of people you should be having lunch with. Your expense accounts are for new business, not bait for the secretarial pool.

(then)
I want you to run into people. Start with some low-hanging fruit. Go through old yearbooks.

DON
That means everybody. Writers, too. Bringing in business is the key to your salary, your status, and your self-worth.

DUCK
I went to the Athletic Club this morning and sat in the steam room for an hour and a half.

(MORE)
DUCK (CONT'D)
In that time I lost four pounds and
learned that Kodak still isn’t
happy with the campaign for their
new slide projector. Is any of
this sinking in? Thank you.

Duck looks at the door. The fellahs look at each other,
start getting up and walking out. Pete walks by.

DUCK (CONT’D)
Campbell. Don here tells me things
about you.

Don looks at Pete, not smiling. Pete is wary.

PETE
Like what?

DUCK
That your family is a part of this
city. Go beat the bushes.

Pete nods awkwardly walks out. Don stands up.

DON
Kodak, huh? It’s not an airline,
but I’m sure whoever gets it has a
shot at their film business.

DUCK
(nods)
We saw them at Y&R, I’m surprised
they’re still looking. I can get
them here, but it will have to be
this week. What’s left of it.
They’re taking three meetings. I
can make us four.

They head out.

INT. STERLING COOPER - ENGINEER’S BOOTH - (DAY 2)
PEGGY, Ken and an engineer, TODD, 20’s, sits behind them.
There is a board of sliders and buttons, they look through a
window into an adjacent recording studio. Inside stand
NORMA, 20’s and plain, ANNIE, 20’s and a classic beauty, and
RITA, 30’s, zaftig. The women stand in a line facing the
booth. A ribbon microphone on a stand before them.

ANNIE
(reads)
"...I love the way it makes me
feel.

(MORE)
ANNIE (CONT'D)
Wrapped in the soothing pleasure
that reduces. The Relax-a-Cisor.
It's my little secret."
PEGGY
(presses button)
Thank you, Annie. One more time--
(looks at a paper)
Rita.

RITA
(reads)
"I never thought it would happen to me, but I regained my youth and my happiness. Just ask my husband. I swear, he looks at me like the night we met."

PEGGY
(to Todd)
Todd?

Todd turns down the monitor.

PEGGY (CONT'D)
I think we're both going to agree on Annie.

KEN
Which one is Annie?
(smiles off Peggy's look)
Believe it or not, I like Rita. Older or not, she's got that voice. It's randy and knowing. Like the Relax-a-Cisor. Annie belongs on TV with Rita's voice dubbed in.

Peggy presses the button for the microphone.

PEGGY
(presses button)
Norma, thank you. You can go.

Norma, in silence, says good-bye to the two women, leaves.

PEGGY (CONT'D)
(to Ken)
First of all, women don't want to be seduced by another woman.

KEN
What about the product? It makes you all sexed up, right?
PEGGY
Whatever the special properties of the Relax-a-Cizer are, what we are selling is confidence. A better you. That woman is not a better anything. Annie is a confident beautiful woman. You could hear it in her voice.

KEN
I can't believe I'm in this argument.

Ken presses the button.

KEN (CONT'D)
(presses the button)
Sorry about that, Rita. Hi Annie, I'm Kenneth Cosgrove. Congrats. We'll do this tomorrow. Check with Peggy here for your session.

Annie claps once and dips at the knees. Rita leaves.

KEN (CONT'D)
(to Peggy)
If I get a hard time about this, I'm telling people it was your idea.

PEGGY
It was my idea.

INT. PETE'S APARTMENT - BEDROOM - (NIGHT 2)

Pete lays in bed reading *May This House be Safe From Tigers*. Trudy gets into bed, brushing her hair.

TRUDY
(re: book)
What's that?

PETE
Alexander King. He's a humorist.

TRUDY
Is it funny?

Pete closes the book. He stares at her a beat, thinking.
PETE
(smiles, turning it on)
You don’t really care.

TRUDY
I do. Actually, I really do.

He drops the book on the floor, leans over and kisses her.
She puts the brush down, pleased.

TRUDY (CONT’D)
Just a minute. I’ll be right back.

She puts her hand on his at her side, starts to go. He stops her.

PETE
Do you have to?

TRUDY
Peter, that’s risky business.

PETE
(thoughtful)
It is, isn’t it. If I thought for one second we were ready, I mean look at us. Fine, look at me.

He shakes his head.

TRUDY
What, honey? You can say anything to me.

PETE
I can’t provide for a child on what I make.
TRUDY
My mother says, “If you worry about how much children cost, you’ll never have them.”

PETE
That’s not comforting. Trudy, I’d like to bring my child into at least half of the world I grew up in.

TRUDY
Don’t worry about that.

PETE
(probing)
How could I not?

TRUDY
You can’t.

PETE
Really.

TRUDY
You can’t worry about that.

PETE
(beat)
So stay here...

He kisses her deeply. She’s emotional.

TRUDY
Oh, Peter.

She continues kissing him sexually undoing his pajamas.

PETE
You know it might not just happen. Don’t tell anyone.

TRUDY
Of course.

She starts kissing him again. Pete stops.

PETE
Obviously, I know you’re going to tell your mother.

Trudy giggles. As they kiss, he pulls her down and rolls on top of her.
Betty is sitting at the kitchen table in her nightgown, drinking wine. It's late. Don walks in.

DON
Hey Birdie.

He kisses her.

BETTY
(obliging)
It’s nine-thirty. Why didn’t you just stay in the city?

DON
I have work to do here as well. Do you know where the slide projector is?
The slides are in the top of the closet, but the slide projector is broken. Something burned in it and you said you were going to dig it out.

He puts his stuff down.

DON
Right.

BETTY
So you’re not going to see us for four days and you’re not going to see us now.

DON
Bets. Right when I walk in the door?

BETTY
I’m sorry. I’m sorry. I just had a terrible day.
(beat)
Sit with me.

He sits next to her. He shakes out a cigarette.

DON
What happened?

BETTY
It’s horrible, Don.

She looks at him. Don exhales, uncomfortable. Betty sips her wine.

BETTY (CONT’D)
Francine told me Carlton has been having an affair.

DON
Really.

Don sits back, a little relieved.

BETTY
She was in pieces, Don. I didn’t know what to say to her.
DON
What could you say?
(then)
I'm surprised she told you.

BETTY
Why? She's like a sister to me.

DON
(strokes her arm)
Of course she is.
(then)
Look, I hope you know you can't fix this. I don't want you to take this problem on yourself.

BETTY
I never liked Carlton. Under all that polish, there was always something crude about him. He never took a look at me because he's scared of you.

Don takes a sip of her wine.

DON
He was never my favorite.

BETTY
She should poison him. It would not be a great loss.

DON
(little smile)
Now you think she should kill him.

BETTY
(emotional)
How could someone do that to the person they love? That they have children with? Doesn't this all mean anything?

DON
Who knows why people do what they do.

Betty really stares at him. Their eyes meet. She looks down.
DON (CONT’D)

Come on. Let’s go to bed. It’ll still be here in the morning.

BETTY

I don’t know if I can sleep.

DON

Bring the wine.

They get up, shut off the lights on the way out.

INT. STERLING COOPER – DON’S OFFICE – (DAY 3)

Duck puts the carousel slide projector on Don’s desk. He and Don look it over.

DUCK

It’s actually a hell of a gadget. It’s continuous. It doesn’t jam. They call it “The Donut” or “The Wheel.” They’re expecting something along those lines.

DON

“Kodak reinvented The Wheel.” They’re going to hear that ten times.

DUCK

Kodak is looney for technology. It’s expensive, but this thing has actual bells and whistles. They want you to use the words “Research and Development” in the ad.

DON

Looks like an air filter.

DUCK

(laughs)

Not to do your job, but if you find a way to get “The Wheel” and “The Future” into something with some legs, you could make me look good my first month here.

Duck leaves. Don stares at the projector.
INT. STERLING COOPER - ENGINEER'S BOOTH - (DAY 3)

Peggy and Todd are in the booth. Annie is visible through the window in the studio, standing before the mic with a one page script on a music stand. Ken enters, presses a button, leans forward to a mic as he sits down.

KEN
Hi Annie!

ANNIE
Hello, there.

Ken palm waves to Annie.

PEGGY
(presses the button)
I know it’s long, we can take it in pieces. Todd will splice the best parts together.

ANNIE
(through monitors, sweet)
Now? “I never thought it would happen to me, but I regained my youth and my happiness. Just ask my husband. I swear, he looks at me like the night we met.”

PEGGY
(presses the button)
Annie, I’m sorry. We have to set a level here.

KEN
No we don’t.

PEGGY
She doesn’t sound very confident.

KEN
She just started. Give her a direction.

PEGGY
(presses button)
Okay, Annie. Confidence. Okay?

ANNIE
Okay. “I never thought it would happen to me, but I regained my youth and my happiness. Just ask my husband. I swear, he looks at me like the night--”
PEGGY
(presses the button)
Annie?

ANNIE
Yes?

PEGGY
(presses button)
Are you married?

ANNIE
No.

KEN
I could have told you that.

PEGGY
(presses button)
Well try and imagine you're you,
Annie. And now you have
everything. You are beautiful.
You are slim. You are the beloved
prize of a handsome man. You have
everything when you use the Relax-a-
Cizor.

ANNIE
(genuine)
Okay.
KEN
(to Peggy)
It’s too bad your voice is so annoying.

Peggy waves to Todd. Annie begins again.

ANNIE
(over confident)
“I never thought it would happen to me, but I regained my youth and my happiness. Just ask my husband. I swear—"

PEGGY
(presses button)
Hold on, we have a problem with the tape recorder.
(to Ken)
She’s not convincing. She doesn’t believe it.

KEN
She sounds just like the audition to me. She might look a little better.

PEGGY
Say something to her. Make her feel beautiful. You know that confidence that comes with beauty?

KEN
Pegs, a woman who looks like that will never sound confident, because she never is confident.

PEGGY
Baloney.

KEN
Honey, it's god’s gift to bachelors. The juiciest gazelle is the easiest to catch.

Peggy looks down, embarrassed.

KEN (CONT’D)
Sorry.
(points his finger)
Hey, Paul Kinsey said it. He’s such a cornball.
(MORE)
KEN (CONT'D)
(then)
You think he does well with girls?

PEGGY
Can we just try this again?

ANNIE
I have a little bit of a cold, my
throat. Can I get some pineapple
juice?

Ken gets out a cigarette and lights it.

PEGGY
(presses button)
There's a glass of water in the
corner. That's great for your
throat.

Annie nods, takes the glass of water.

PEGGY (CONT'D)
(to Ken)
I didn't believe that either.
(presses button, super
sweet)
Let's try again, Annie. Happy.
Confident. Beautiful.

Peggy nods to Todd.

ANNIE
(happy, confident,
beautiful)
"I never thought it would happen to
me, but I regained my youth and my
happiness. Just--"

PEGGY
(presses button)
I'm sorry. Annie.
(Abbie nods)
How do you feel right now?

ANNIE
Nervous.

PEGGY
(presses button)
No, not you. The woman who is
talking. You're married. Eight
wonderful years.
(MORE)
PEGGY (CONT'D)
Maybe you put on a few pounds, but
then you got the Relax-a-Cizor, and
now you're back to being you.
Right now.

ANNIE
I don't know if I understand.

KEN
Nice work, Lee Strasberg.

PEGGY
(presses button)
Annie. What don't you understand.

ANNIE
I am being me. Are you cross?
Give me a second, I'll get it the
way you want it.

Peggy is about to talk, Ken grabs her finger off the button.
Annie sees them talking, fans her face with her hand and
grabs the water.

KEN
(smiles)
What do you think is going to
happen now?

PEGGY
(to Ken)
Do something.

KEN
(presses the button,
charming)
Anytime you're ready, lovely.

Annie smiles and tries again, but her voice is quavering.

ANNIE
(shaken)
I'm ready. "I never thought this
would happen to me, but--"

She gets choked up, can't speak.

PEGGY
(presses button)
Is there something we can do?

ANNIE
You're being so mean.
PEGGY
(presses button)
It's frustrating, Annie.

Annie tears up. Ken looks at Peggy. He can't believe it.

KEN
Look Pegs, you dangled her in front
of me and now you're ruining it.
Don't do that to me.

PEGGY
Kenny, be professional, would you?

INT. STERLING COOPER - RECORDING STUDIO -SAME TIME (DAY 3)

We see Peggy lean into the mic.

PEGGY
(through speakers)
This is not working out. We're
going to have to let you go.

Annie covers her eyes with her hand as she really cries. She
gets her things and exits.

INT. STERLING COOPER - ENGINEER'S BOOTH -SAME TIME (DAY 3)

Peggy sits there, shrugs. Ken looks at her.

KEN
You know, you could have gone in
there and said that.

PEGGY
(closes her eyes)
In this order, I want you to go
after her and console her. Then,
after you make plans, or whatever
you need to do, I want you to call
Rita-- the older lady you liked?
She's probably home with the Relax-
a-Cizer right now.

(MORE)
PEGGY (CONT'D)

(looks at her watch)
Get her in here in the next forty minutes, the job is hers.

Ken leans over, pats her on the head as he gets up and walks out. Peggy watches him go.

INT. STERLING COOPER - BULLPEN - (NIGHT 3)

As we move through a piece of the dark empty bullpen, through Don's open door and find him sitting at his desk looking at a slide against his lamp, the only light in the room.

INT. STERLING COOPER - DON'S OFFICE - (NIGHT 3)

A half bottle of rye and a cigarette burning in the ashtray sits on his desk. Don puts the slide into the wheel. He opens a box of slides. The box says "Cape May." We see other boxes marked "Sally/Hospital," "Christmas/New Year's '56." He takes one slide out, holds it up to the lamp, laughs, puts it down, then another. Don stops, takes a drag on his cigarette, exhales, looking at the ceiling, then looks down at his desk drawer. He wipes his mouth. He opens the drawer and takes out Adam's box. He opens it, sifts through some pictures, stops on one. The one of Adam and he with a horse. He flips it over, it's stamped "Dick and Me 1944." He stares at the picture, a little emotional. He presses the top of it against his chin, then pulls it away, looks at it, puts it in the box. He strokes his head, stares out the window, holds the box closer to his lap, looks at it, puts it on his desk. After a long beat, he takes a long sip of his whiskey, it's strong. He picks up the phone and hears a dial tone.

DON
(to phone)
Get me the Brighton Hotel-- Times Square.

OPERATOR (V.O.)
Just a minute, sir.

It rings.

INT. BRIGHTON HOTEL - TIMES SQUARE - LOBBY - INTERCUT (NIGHT 3)

The NIGHT MANAGER picks up the phone.
NIGHT MANAGER
(to phone)
Brighton.

DON
Yes, uh, sorry to bother you so late. I'm looking for someone. A tenant you had some months ago.

NIGHT MANAGER
A guest.

DON
Yes. I'd love to know if he left a forwarding address. His name is Adam Whitman. Fifth floor, maybe.

NIGHT MANAGER
Right. Can I ask what you want?

DON
Just a forwarding address. I'm trying to contact him. He has red hair. Over six feet.

NIGHT MANAGER
Listen. I know who you're talking about. Jesus, I hate to be the one to tell you this, but he hung himself.

DON
(stunned)
What?

NIGHT MANAGER
Yeah.

DON
(trying to process)
Adam Whitman.

NIGHT MANAGER
Yeah. I'm sorry.
(then)
He left the building a bunch of money. The city took it. It was in the Post.

DON
Oh.
NIGHT MANAGER
Hate to be the one to give that news.

DON (distracted)
Okay.

Don hangs up the phone. His hands seem uneasy. He hangs his head, leaning forward, puts his head in his hands.

22 INT. DRAPER HOME - BEDROOM - (NIGHT 3)

Betty is laying in bed in the dark. She lays there for a beat, wide awake, looks over at Don’s empty side. She opens the drawer to her nightstand and pulls out the envelope. She turns on the light, flips it over and opens it. She unfolds the phone bill to the itemization section, flips the page over. There are eight phone calls, the four in the center are all a week apart to a phone number with an “MH.” She takes a deep breath, stares at it.

23 INT. DRAPER HOME - UPSTAIRS HALLWAY - MOMENTS LATER (NIGHT 3)

Betty picks up the phone and sits on the floor, Indian style, the phone right in her lap. She dials the number slowly, hesitates before the last number. A cigarette burns in the ashtray on the floor. She holds the phone to her ear. It rings, once, twice. A man’s voice picks up.

VOICE
Hello?

BETTY (relieved)
Yes, hello.

VOICE
Who is this?

Betty thinks about hanging up for a moment, then relents.

BETTY
Who is this?

VOICE
This is Dr. Arnold Wayne.

Betty’s eyes close. She feels like she’s been kicked in the stomach.
INT. DR. WAYNE'S OFFICE - INTERCUT (NIGHT 3)

DR. WAYNE
Hello? Mrs. Stanhope? I told you to call the service after hours.

As he speaks, still holding the phone to her ear, Betty presses the cradle with her thumb, disconnecting. She drops the phone to the floor, sits there, somewhere closer to ashamed than shocked. We hear the phone start to make the 'off the hook noise.'

INT. STERLING COOPER - DON'S OFFICE - (NIGHT 3)

The desk lamp is still on. We hear the wind buffeting the building as Don lays on the couch, passed out, his tie down, empty bottle on its side on the floor. His glass is half-empty next to it. He rolls over, waking, smelling something. He sniffs the air, his eyes opening. He becomes more alert, stands up, gets his balance and walks to the door. He opens the door.

INT. STERLING COOPER - BULLPEN - CONTINUOUS (NIGHT 3)

Don sees Harry in the bullpen, in his BVDs and socks, walking with a smoking trashcan.

DON
Are we on fire?

HARRY
(surprised)
Don.

Don stares at him.

HARRY (CONT'D)
No, I, uh, dropped a cigarette in my waste basket.

DON
Oh.
(them)
Harry, come here. I want to talk to you.

HARRY
Okay.

Don goes into his office, Harry puts down the garbage pail and walks over quickly.
Harry comes in. Don pours him a drink, hands it to him. Harry sits in a chair, Don sits on the couch.

DON
Where’s mine?

HARRY
At your feet.

Don reaches and picks it up.

DON
Harry. I want to talk to you.

HARRY
I can explain.

DON
You’re in media, but I like the way you think.

HARRY
(unsure)
Thank you.

DON
What’s the benefit of that thing?

Don points over his shoulder to the projector.

HARRY
Hmm. Sells projectors to people who already have them?

DON
But it is a better projector.

HARRY
I’m sure. Doesn’t jam, right?

DON
And “The Wheel” stacks. You store your slides in it and they’re ready to go.

HARRY
I’m surprised they don’t give it away. They’re selling blades, not razors, right? Film.
DON
A lot of expensive R&D went into it.

HARRY
I took pictures for the paper at Wisconsin. The machinery is definitely part of the fun. It's mechanical.

DON (lights cigarette)
What did you take pictures of?

HARRY
Girls mostly. You could go up and ask them their names afterwards like you were going to put it in a caption in the paper. And some other stuff. Artsy craftsy stuff. They gave me hell about it.

DON
I don't know why being artistic is never considered manly.

HARRY (nods)
I'll admit it, I didn't have the spine for it. It's probably why I'm in media.

DON
Artsy pictures, huh? Like what? Reflection of a tree in a pond?

HARRY
Worse. I did a whole series that was just hand prints on glass. You know the way it fogs up around your heat? Take it off, take a picture.

DON
Black and white, I suppose.

HARRY
Of course. I was always fascinated by the cave paintings at Lascaux. They're like seventeen thousand years old. The bison get all the attention, but there are also all these hand prints.
(MORE)
HARRY (CONT’D)
Tiny by today’s standards. With paint blown all around them.

He holds his hand up, demonstrating.

DON
The signature of the shaman.

HARRY
They say that, but I thought it was like someone reaching through the stone right to us. “I was here,” you know?

Don stares at him, nods off for a moment. Don snaps to. We realize how drunk he is.

HARRY (CONT’D)
Are you okay?

DON
That’ll be all.

Harry gets up, tentative, then starts to edge out. Don does not look up as he leaves, closing the door behind him. Don lays back on the couch, curls his legs up, almost fetal, in his own world, closes his eyes.

EXT. BANK PARKING LOT - (DAY 4)

Betty, in gloves and her coat, pulls into the lot. She turns off the car and gets out. She starts toward the entrance and spots a green Volkswagen where GLEN BISHOP (EP.# S103), * wearing a winter coat and mittens, sits in the passenger seat. She looks around, walks over. She sees the two year old sleeping in the back seat. Glen gives a little shy wave. She motions for him to roll down the window. He does.

BETTY
Glen, how are you?

GLEN
I’m not supposed to talk to you.

BETTY
Who says? Who said that?

GLEN
My mother and my father.

BETTY
I don’t care.
GLEN
My mother is going to come out.

BETTY
I don’t care. Glen, I can’t talk to anyone. It’s so horrible. I’m so sad.

Glen reaches his hand up to her. She holds it, looks down at him. Betty’s face crumbles, crying.

GLEN
Don’t cry.

Betty tries to stop crying but can’t.

BETTY
Please tell me I’ll be okay.

GLEN
I think so. I don’t know. I wish I was older.

BETTY
Adults don’t know anything, Glen.

Without letting go of his hand, Betty blots her eyes with the back of her glove. Glen looks past her nervously.

GLEN
I don’t really know how long twenty minutes is.

BETTY
Of course, dear.

He starts rolling up the window but stops as he watches Betty run back to her car and get in.

INT. STERLING COOPER - DON’S OFFICE - (DAY 4)

Don sits at his desk, in a fresh shirt but same suit, projector in front of him, Alka-Seltzer fizzing. The intercom buzzes.

PEGGY
(through intercom)
Mr. Campbell here to see you, Mr. Draper.
Don turns around and takes his open shaving kit complete with a tube of shaving cream and a Wilkinson razor, off the window sill and puts it in his desk drawer.

DON
(to intercom)
Send him in.

Pete enters.

PETE
Just want to let you know, I took Duck’s talk very seriously.
(smiles)
Duck. And without having to crack my Deerfield yearbook, I’ve brought in an account.

DON
Good for you.

PETE
It’s a piece of the Vicks Chemical Company. Clearasil. Better potential than any traditional pharmaceutical I believe.

DON
That’s a real account, Campbell. How did that happen?

PETE
I’m not embarrassed to say, my father-in-law is a former salesman now executive there.

DON
Your father-in-law. That’s generous.

PETE
(thinks)
Yes, he’s interested in my future.

DON
(smiles)
Congratulations. I guess with a little bit of lawyering you’re entitled to that bonus.

PETE
I got the bonus. And Cooper gave me some book by Ayn Rand.
(MORE)
Pete (Cont'd)

He seemed assured, as I hope you are, that I have a significant investment in this company.
DON
You do now, don't you.

PETE
It matters to me that you're impressed.

DON
I am.

PETE
Self worth and status. You said it.

Pete smiles and walks out.

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INT. DR. WAYNE'S OFFICE - (DAY 4)

Dr. Wayne and Betty walk in together. As Dr. Wayne sits down, we see Betty, having just hung her coat, walk across to the couch and lays down, settles. A beat.

BETTY
Thanksgiving is hard. It's very nerve wracking to deal with getting the family together. My mother didn't cook last year because she was so sick. Now I'm going to have to deal with Gloria. She's not cooking, thank god. And my little brother. And my father, who insists that nothing's changed--Even though the last few times I've seen him, he's gotten drunk and lost his temper.

(beat)
And I know that in some way there's a chance I'm just going to walk around that house from room to room in tears. But it is Thanksgiving, and I'm grateful for things. Like this. This has helped. Don doesn't think so, but it has.

(beat)
Being able to talk, just me and you, and your little pad. It has helped. Still, I can't help but think that I'd be happy if my husband was faithful to me.

Dr. Wayne looks at her. She feels his eyes, continues. He starts writing.
BETTY (CONT'D)
My brother's children are very badly behaved. And he spans them. My father approves of this. Don has never laid a hand on the kids. He's kind inside, but outside, it's all there in my face, everyday. The hotel rooms. Sometimes perfume--or worse. He doesn't know what family is, he doesn't even have one. It makes me sorry for him. When in fact, I should be angry. Very angry, you know? That I put up with it, like some ostrich.

She sneaks a peek back at him. He continues writing.

BETTY (CONT'D)
It's interesting, isn't it.

She takes out a cigarette and lights it.

BETTY (CONT'D)
We were married for two years. There was a party, and this man's wife kept talking to Don about how she liked to shop in midtown. And how crummy all the hotels were. She kept naming them until they agreed upon a nice one. And then months later, we went to the Barclay for a drink. And he said, "I know the perfect spot." And I jokingly said, "Really?" And he coughed, the way he does when he lies, and said, "I have a lot of meetings here."

(quietly)
And I remember thinking, you would never meet with another man at the table where we sat.

(beat)
The way he makes love-- Sometimes it's what I want. Sometimes it's obviously what someone else wants.

There is a long silence, he flips over a page, waits for her.

BETTY (CONT'D)
I suppose it means I'm not enough, but maybe... It's just him.
She stops talking, settles into silence. She inhales on her cigarette.

INT. STERLING COOPER - CONFERENCE ROOM - (DAY 4)

The projector is set up in the conference room. Don and SALVATORE are waiting. A tray of rolled meat with cheese, toothpicks and olives. A tray of marzipan layer cookies and coffee service.

SALVATORE
No matter how this goes, what time do you think we’ll be out of here?

Don stares at him.

SALVATORE (CONT’D)
I’m just asking. I have to pick up a cake.

The door opens, Duck enters with Harry, JOE HARRIMAN, 30’s, and LYNN TAYLOR, 40’s.

DUCK
Don Draper and Salvatore Romano, this is Joe Harriman and Lynn Taylor.

They shake hands.

DUCK (CONT’D)
No Eastmans today, unfortunately. They’re all back in the lab.

LYNN
It’s a wonderful facility, but they don’t take vacations.

DUCK
What kind of slides are they showing?

Lynn and Joe laugh, settle. Don begins.

DON
Gentlemen, I’ve been working a fairly long time, and I’m not ashamed to say that I’ve gotten in the habit of thinking of things, sometimes, in a very limited way. The client’s way. It’s easier, after all.
JOE
Ogilvy didn’t have a problem with it.

DON
(re: projector)
Well this, quite honestly, this is a wonderful product. There’s no exaggeration necessary. It doesn’t jam, it’s delightfully mechanical. It’s a marvelous machine. Designed to be better than the last one and better than the rest.

JOE
(smiles)
We tend to agree.

(then)
So, have you figured out how to work “The Wheel” into it?

LYNN
We know it’s hard, because wheels aren’t really seen as exciting technology even though they are the original.

DON
Technology is a glittering lure, but there is the rare occasion when the public can be engaged on a level beyond flash. If they have a sentimental bond with the product. My first job I was in-house for a fur company working with an old pro copy writer. A Greek named Teddy. He said the most important idea in advertising is “new.” It creates an itch. You simply put your product in there as a kind of calamine lotion. But he also talked about a deeper bond to a product. Nostalgia. It’s delicate but potent. Sal, do you mind?

Salvatore turns off the lights. Don turns on the projector, talks over its whir. As he speaks, he flips slowly through the slides. They include him asleep on the couch Christmas morning with the kids. He and Betty with a newborn, Sally on his shoulders, etc. They are snapshots in luminous color.
DON (CONT'D)
Teddy told me that in Greek, nostalgia means literally, "the pain from an old wound." It's a twinge in your heart, far more powerful than memory alone. This is not a spaceship, it's a time machine. It goes backwards and forwards.
(reverses the slides)
And it takes us to a place where we ache to go again.

Harry is overcome with emotion as the pictures flip by. The other two men are transfixed on the screen.

DON (CONT'D)
It's not called "The Wheel." It's called "The Carousel."
(beat)
It lets us travel the way a child travels. Around and around and back home again. A place where we know we are loved.

The last slide is Don and Betty kissing on New Year's 1956. Tearing up, Harry takes off his glasses, wipes his eyes, puts them back on. Salvatore looks over at him. Don flips it to the slide. There is a carnival canopy above the product. Below it reads "Kodak presents The Carousel." Don clicks another slide. It's he and Betty with a newborn. Don leaves the slide on, then turns off the projector. It's dark. Harry now fully crying, almost sobbing, gets up and leaves the room. Salvatore looks at him sniffing. Don says nothing. The lights come on. The Kodak people look at each other, then at Don.

DUCK
Good luck at your next meeting.

INT. STERLING COOPER - DON'S OFFICE - (DAY 4)

Don is in his office, packing up his briefcase, drink on his desk. There is a buzz.

PEGGY
(to intercom)
Mr. Phillips is here to see you.

Before Don answers, the door opens. Duck enters.
DUCK

Don, I have to warn you I'm not alone.
He enters with Pete, Salvatore, Ken and Paul.

SALVATORE
It was beautiful.

PAUL
Congratulations, Mein Kommandant.

DUCK
They called from the lobby. They cancelled their other meetings, including DDB. That's not just a victory for us, it's a victory for civilization.

Don gives a little smile. Pete and Ken go to fix drinks.

SALVATORE
(toasting)
God bless us, every one.

DUCK
We also have more celebrating. Mr. Campbell, here. Your father-in-law called. He'll be in before Christmas.

KEN
I've got to get married.

Pete offers Duck a glass.

DUCK
No thank you. I'm good.

Duck passes it to Don. Pete raises his glass to Don.

DON
You know what Pete? I've got a way for you to turn this account into a homerun.

PAUL
He's on a roll.

DON
Clearasil. You know who buys that? Young girls. What a difference it makes in their lives to be blemish-free.

PETE
I believe it does.
DON

We happen to have the perfect writer for this. Peggy Olsen.
The other men look at each other, Pete laughs.

PETE
That’s funny.

DON
You don’t think she’s up to it? Freddy Rumsen and I have both been impressed with her insight.

PETE
Freddy Rumsen.

KEN
If I can weigh in--

PETE
No. You can’t.

KEN
Come on, that Belle Jolie thing? Plus, you should have seen her in the booth yesterday. She was like Kinsey, only she cared.

PETE
(shrugging it off)
Stop joking already, will you Don?

DON
Excuse me?

Paul shoots Ken a look.

PETE
This is my father-in-law. He’s expecting the very best. I’m expecting the very best. Not some little girl. He’ll walk away.

DON
You’ll have to give back that copy of Ayn Rand.

PETE
Do you know how hard I worked to get this account?

DUCK
Who the hell is she?

PETE
Peggy is not even a copy writer, she’s a secretary.
DON
Peggy!
Peggy opens the door, enters.

DON (CONT'D)
Miss Olsen, you are now a junior copy writer. Your first account will be delivering Clearasil to the spotted masses.

Pete shakes his head. He can’t believe this.

PEGGY
What?

PAUL
Don’t act surprised.

Peggy looks around.

PEGGY
Is this really happening?

DON
Yes, it is.

PEGGY
My goodness.

DON
(smiles)
Welcome aboard.

She takes a half step towards Don, offers her hand. He shakes it.

PEGGY
I will do my sincere best.

DON
Good to hear. Mr. Campbell will brief you after the holiday.

Pete walks out right past her. Peggy stands there awkwardly.

PEGGY
Of course.

DON
That’ll be all.

PEGGY
Thank you, Mr. Draper.
She walks out.
DUCK
Campbell seems unfamiliar with the
chain of command.

KEN
He wants to be a big shot.

Duck stares at Ken.

KEN (CONT’D)
Happy Thanksgiving.

DUCK
You too.

DON
Happy Thanksgiving.

PAUL
See you Monday.

They all start to leave. Don looks at his briefcase, closes it.

INT. STERLING COOPER - BULLPEN - LATER (DAY 4)

JOAN leads Peggy through the bullpen. Peggy carries a box.

JOAN
(just checking)
I said congratulations, didn’t I?

Peggy nods.

JOAN (CONT’D)
Although, sometimes when people get
what they want they realize how
limited their goals were.

(then)
So I guess I can put you in with
Victor Manny. David Steuben was fired.

PEGGY
Fired?

JOAN
People hated his work.

PEGGY
Oh.

(then)
Will I get business cards?
JOAN
(amused)
Please make all of your requests through Bridget.

PEGGY
Of course.

JOAN
Peggy. I know you a little.
Remember, just because you now have a door, don't forget that once you didn't. Think of the other girls, or they won't think of you.

Joan and Peggy arrive at a door with the names "Victor Manny" and "David Steuben" on the door.

JOAN (CONT'D)
Remember how I told you that some memos go on the bottom of the stack?

Joan opens the door.
34 INT. JUNIOR COPY WRITER'S OFFICE - CONTINUOUS (DAY 4) 34

The small office contains two desks in the center of the room, facing each other. VICTOR MANNY, 30’s, sits at one of the desks, doing a crossword. On his desk is a portable typewriter, case open. He looks up at them.

JOAN
Vic Manny, I’d like you to meet
Peggy Olsen. She’ll be taking Mr.
Steuben’s desk.

VICTOR
Nice to meet you. David and I had
a deal. No meetings in here, okay?
And no music.

Victor puts the crossword aside, starts typing on his typewriter. Peggy grimaces, trying to hide a shooting pain in her abdomen.

PEGGY
(distracted)
I don’t feel so swell.

JOAN
Probably the beginning of an ulcer.

PEGGY
No, I think I should go home. I have to stop eating off the cart.

JOAN
If you’re trying to find a way to go out and celebrate, you should ask your secretary to cover for you.

VICTOR
Very funny.

JOAN
Happy Thanksgiving.

PEGGY
You too, Joan.

Joan leaves. Peggy winces, puts the box on the vacant desk, takes her coat and purse.

PEGGY (CONT’D)
Nice to meet you, Victor. See you on Monday.
Peggy walks out.
INT. HOSPITAL - EMERGENCY ROOM - (DAY 4)

Peggy sits on the edge of a bed, clutching her stomach in pain. DR. OLIVER, 40's, enters followed by a nurse, JANET, 30.

DR. OLIVER
What can we do for you today?

PEGGY
(unable to breathe)
My stomach hurts really bad. I think I had a bad sandwich.

DR. OLIVER
Let's take a look.

Janet sticks a thermometer in her mouth, starts taking her pulse. Dr. Oliver starts palpating her stomach.

PEGGY
Oh my god.

The thermometer drops out of her mouth and shatters on the floor.

DR. OLIVER
Honey, you're going to be a mother.

PEGGY
What?

JANET
Do you want us to call your husband?
   (delicately)
Or your boyfriend?

PEGGY
What are you talking about?

Dr. Oliver and Janet share a look.

DR. OLIVER
Now listen. We're going to get you up to maternity.

PEGGY
No. That's not possible.

Peggy starts to get up. Grabbing her things. She doubles over in pain.
PEGGY
(breathless)
Oh my god. It hurts.

The nurse holds her as the doctor looks in her eyes.
Janet helps Peggy up.

PEGGY
I don’t understand.

JANET
(yells)
We need a wheelchair!

An orderly brings a wheelchair to the door. Janet sits her down.

PEGGY
(winces)
Oh my god. I don’t understand, it’s impossible.

JANET
(to orderly)
Take her to maternity. Tell them she’s two minutes apart.

As the orderly wheels Peggy away.

DR. OLIVER
(to Janet)
I want you to call Dr. Wilson for a psychiatric consult.

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INT. PETE'S APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - (NIGHT 4)

Trudy, Tom and Jeannie are looking at the paint samples on the wall. Pete enters. He's drunk.

PETE

Oh. Hello all.

TRUDY

Hello, darling.

Trudy goes to kiss him, he does, somewhat glancingly. She looks at him. She can smell his breath and he's weaving a little.

TRUDY (CONT'D)

(covering)

Oh, were they having a party at the office?

PETE

Yes, there was a proper celebration.

TOM

Just to be clear, we did not drop in. We were supposed to squeeze some bridge in at the Getzinger's, but apparently, we've picked a color for the wall.

PETE

Oh. I think I should lie down.

JEANNIE

(sweet)

That's a good idea.

TOM

Sure, rest up. Make sure you're awake later.

TRUDY

(angry)

Daddy!

Pete smiles politely, then walks to the bedroom, taking off his coat and dropping it on the floor behind him. On their embarrassed reactions.
INT. HOSPITAL - WOMEN'S WARD - (NIGHT 4)

Peggy lies in her hospital bed, looking a little drugged, but unable to sleep. NURSE WILSON, late 40's, enters, walks over to Peggy with a swaddled baby in her arms. Peggy stares at her.

NURSE WILSON
Would you like to try to feed him or we can give him more formula?

Peggy says nothing.

NURSE WILSON (CONT'D)
Don't you want to hold him, sweetheart?

Peggy turns her head away. The nurse stands there a moment, then walks out.

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INT. TRAIN - (NIGHT 4)

Don sits on a crowded train. Next to him, a passenger holds a gift basket of oranges, pears and apples wrapped in gold cellophane with a ribbon. It's loud, smoky and boisterous. Don smokes.

INT. DRAPER HOME - VESTIBULE/FRONT HALL - (NIGHT 4)

Don enters, puts his briefcase down, takes his hat off and holds it in front of him in his hands as he steps into the front hall, stops.

DON

Hello?

BETTY (O.S.)

Don?

Don puts his hat on the banister, follows her voice into the kitchen.

INT. DRAPER HOME - KITCHEN/DEN - CONTINUOUS - (NIGHT 4)

Don walks in. Betty is in the kitchen with suitcases. She fills a net bag with produce. SALLY and ROBERT are already in their coats watching TV in the den.
DON
Hello.

BETTY
What are you doing here?

SALLY
Daddy, are you coming with us?

BETTY
No, he's not. Daddy has to work.
(to Don)
But you can drive us to the station, I haven't called a taxi yet.

He walks over to Betty and looks at her.

DON
I'm coming with you.

She looks at him, confused, but not angry.

BETTY
Really? You are?

DON
Yes. I want to. I'll pack the car.
(looks at his watch)
We'll get there before midnight.

Don leans in and kisses her. She seems surprised, smiles, strokes the back of his head. Don goes over to the kids.

DON (CONT'D)
Daddy's coming with you.

The kids jump up, he picks them both up. As he buries his face between them, Betty looks on, emotional.
INT. DRAPER HOME - FRONT HALL (NIGHT 4)

Don stands at the foot of the steps, exactly as before, hat in his hands.

DON

Hello?

(a long beat)
Hello.

There's no one home. He walks over to the staircase, hat hand and sits down on the steps. We pull back through the dining room, leaving him alone on the steps in the dark and empty house.

FADE OUT.

END OF SHOW