

RACHEL SIDES

SCENE 1 -----

1 INT. DIVISION - SUB-LEVEL CORRIDOR - DAY

A shadowy lower level of Division. Division tech SAMMY uses tools to fix a digital KEYPAD near a door.

He talks low with RACHEL, a young, take-charge Agent. Probably a Nikita or Alex in the making before Percy fell. Rachel is intense. Sammy's just... tense.

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SAMMY

Sonya almost caught me.

RACHEL

But she didn't. And they don't know the server room was unlocked from my terminal...

INCLUDE two other Division personnel - call them TECH #2 and AGENT #2. Like-minded recruits in this burgeoning mutiny.

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Opsec is still good. Nothing has changed.

SAMMY

Rachel. I set off an explosion inside Division.

RACHEL

Which we're going to turn into a positive.

SAMMY

This I gotta hear.

RACHEL

Think of it as a recruiting poster. People know there's a revolution now. They'll be curious.

(to Tech and Agent)

You two put some feelers out. Keep it on the D.L., and be smart about who you approach.

The Tech and Agent nod and move off.

SAMMY

The plan won't work anymore.

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SAMMY (CONT'D)

It can't. Why do you think they got me rewiring down here? Security protocols are being amped all over--

RACHEL

Just. Chill. There are other ways to take out the trackers. That's only a part of this. Cover identities are still in the works, and stealing the money -

Rachel spots two Division MEDICS walking by. Rachel raises her voice and acts like she's helping Sammy --

RACHEL (CONT'D)

Not good enough. Double down on the firewall measures here and here.

SAMMY

(playing along)

Copy that.

The coast is clear again.

RACHEL

We steal the money right before we break out.

SAMMY

Ryan's got Alex and Sean on this.

RACHEL

Which is why you need to cover your tracks.

SAMMY

They're probably wondering how that explosive made it out of the armory.

RACHEL

Cover your tracks.

(then)

We'll get there, Sammy. We're gonna be free.

SAMMY

Wish I remembered what that felt like.

RACHEL

It's like riding a bike. You never forget.

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SCENE 2 -

2 INT. DIVISION - INTERROGATION - DAY

Rachel sits at the table as Ryan paces. Alex stands off to the side, observing.

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RYAN

It's a good thing you got caught. This way I don't have to tell the President another agent went rogue.

RACHEL

Awesome.

RYAN

For you. It means you can still get your pardon once we've shut Division down.

RACHEL

That day will never come.

RYAN

It will, as long as people stop going rogue. Tell me who else is involved and trust me, we will all get to walk out of here one day. The President will honor the deal.

RACHEL

It's not a deal, it's an ultimatum.

ALEX

It was, Rachel. Not anymore. You don't have to do this. You don't have to take the fall for the others.

Rachel holds.

RYAN

Rachel -

RACHEL

It's over.

RYAN

I'm sorry?

Rachel wishes what she's about to say wasn't true but --

RACHEL

The plan to get everyone out.
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RACHEL (CONT'D)

It was my idea, and without me, it dies.

RYAN

I still need names.

RACHEL

I don't want them to take the fall for me. It's dead. There won't be any more rogue agents. Don't worry about hitting that tipping point.

Ryan stops.

RYAN

What did you just say?

Rachel tries to cover.

RACHEL

I said it's over.

RYAN

Tipping point. How could you know about that unless...

RACHEL

It's just a phrase. I don't -

RYAN

I only said that once. When I was talking to Nikita and...

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Ryan turns to Alex.

RYAN (CONT'D)

Rachel's not the leader at all, is she? And she's not taking the fall for the others. She's taking the fall for you.

Alex knows there's no point in denying it.

ALEX

Someone has to look out for the people here. If they stay, you, and Nikita, and this place... is going to get them all killed.

Ryan takes a step towards her.

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RYAN
Can't you see I'm trying to help.
Once we catch the--

ALEX
No. It'll be too late. Just like
Larissa --

Alex draws the gun, stopping Ryan in his tracks.

ALEX (CONT'D)
I won't let you hurt them.

RYAN
Alex, don't --

BANG! Alex shoots Ryan.

SCENE 3

3 INT. DIVISION - INTERROGATION - DAY

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Ryan lies unconscious on the floor. Blood pooling from a large wound in his stomach. Alex stands over him. She can't believe what she's done. Rachel is frantic -

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RACHEL
Alex, I'm sorry. I got your signal.
I was ready to take the fall, but I
screwed up. I'm sorry.

Alex doesn't move.

RACHEL (CONT'D)
We gotta go. We can get out before
anybody knows what happened.

Alex hears her, but doesn't seem totally there.

ALEX
We have to get everyone out. I
won't leave them behind this time.

RACHEL
This time? What are you talking
about? It's just you and me now.

Alex finally snaps out of it.

ALEX
No. The plan can still work.

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RACHEL

What?

Alex hands Rachel her gun.

ALEX

You have to shoot me.

RACHEL

Then they'll say I shot him.

ALEX

Yes, you take the fall - for now. They'll put you in holding, they'll interrogate you, but they're not gonna kill you. All you gotta do is hold out until I set everyone free. That was always the plan. Freedom. Remember what we said.

RACHEL

It's like riding a bike.

ALEX

We're gonna make it, Rachel. All of us.

Rachel holds the gun, steeling herself.

RACHEL

Where do you want it?

ALEX

Leg. Make it a graze. I'll call for help. Get upstairs, make sure you get caught.

RACHEL

See you on the other side.

Rachel takes aim and FIRES.

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