

Wall Street - Money Never Sleeps

Gordon (Michael Douglas) and his estranged daughter Winnie (Carey Mulligan) outside the Museum steps during a New York charity function. Winnie sits on stairs checking her phone when Gordon approaches her from behind .

Gordon: Hi.... He´s a good kid. Came from nothing, hustler just like me... You think he´s the one for you Winn ?

Winnie: Yeah.

Gordon: Well, just make sure he is worthy of ya, because wether you like it or not, you're still a Gekko.

Winnie: And wether you like it or not that name doesn't mean anything to me anymore.

Gordon: Why would you say something like that? We had an agreement, remeber last time you came down to see me. We were going to take a little trip when I got out, remember that? – to Switzerland.

Winnie: Yeah, that was before Rudy. Some of the things that came out after you went away, things you were recorded saying, the affairs – that wasn't you. That wasn't my father, that was some kind of Sociopath!

Gordon: That was nine years ago!

Winnie: So?

Gordon: When are you gonna stop? You got no idea what hell I went through in there.

Winnie: Hell for you? It was hell for you? Do you know what you did to Rudy? To all of us? You drove mom mad!

Gordon: Winnie. He was my only son. I tried everything! I put him in a 12 step deal. I never told you; I borrowed money from hardcore guys, tens of thousands of dollars that I didn't have. I gave him the best therapist money can buy. I even tried to pay off one scumbag dealer not to sell any more to my boy!

Winnie: But if you had been there dad. If you hadn't been to prison... it would've been different.

Gordon: Winnie...You got no idea how much I beat myself up. How many mistakes I have made as a father. Rudy, he...he was a victim. It was like he had a cancer. You can't blame me... and you should stop blaming yourself.

Gordon (con't): You're all I got left Winnie. Nothing else matters. I cannot make it right again, but I can make things better. I'm your Dad. And wether you hate me until the day I die you're still my gal. You're the only one, my baby. Please Winnie, just try to to forgive me.

(She finally leans into him.)

Winnie: Dad..