

# SUNSHINE CLEANING

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Rose rushes into the restaurant bathroom, very upset with her sister. She looks in the mirror, and starts to throw water on her face to calm herself down.

ROSE:

Get it together (*to herself*)

(*Norah Walks in the bathroom*)

NORAH:

Ok, I'm sorry. I know that you think that I ruined everything and that I fucked up really huge, and I'm sorry, okay?

ROSE:

You know what I don't get Norah? Is that I ask you to do one thing. I can't even ask you to do one thing without you messing up. Jesus, Norah, it's not like I don't have enough to deal with in my own life, but now I have to take care of you on top of it, I can't. It's too much I can do it.

NORAH:

I'm not asking you to.

ROSE:

This business was everything to me Norah.

NORAH:

Well why weren't you there?

ROSE:

I was going to be there. I told you I was going to be there. You couldn't just wait to burn the house down?

NORAH:

Yeah, but you weren't there and I couldn't – I couldn't do it by myself

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ROSE:

I just – I should have been there I know. I just – I really wanted to go to that baby shower. So stupid; I just didn't want those girls looking at me like I was just a maid.

NORAH:

You are better than them, Rose. What are you going to do now?

ROSE:

I don't know. They say that I could have my old job back if I wanted. I can put in a good word for you.

NORAH:

I don't need you to take care of me anymore. It's not your job, it never was.

ROSE:

Somebody had to take care of you, Norah.

NORAH:

You know what I remember about her funeral. – My shoes. They were too small and my feet hurt. That's what I remember.

ROSE:

You know what I remember? You wouldn't take your shoes off after that. You wore them forever. It drove me crazy.

(pause)

ROSE:

I'm still mad at you.

NORAH:

All right

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ROSE:

Like REALLY MAD at you.

NORAH:

Okay.