

[Lesson 7] Episode1_7: Pilot (一通の手紙)

※テキストに一部性的な表現があります。不快な場合は、先生にその箇所を飛ばすようにリクエストして下さい。(灰色部分)

* This script contains sexual expressions. If you or student minds it, please skip the parts.

Rex: I can't believe you tried to kill me.

Bree: Yes, well, I feel badly about that. I told you, Mrs. Huber came over and

I got distracted. It was a mistake.

Rex: Since when do you make mistakes?

Bree: What's that supposed to mean?

Rex: It means I'm sick of you being so damn perfect all the time. I'm sick of the bizarre way your hair doesn't move. I'm sick of you making our bed in the morning before I've even used the bathroom. Oh, you're this, this plastic suburban housewife with her pearls and her spatula, who says things like "we owe the Hendersons a dinner". Where's the woman I fell in love with? Who used to burn the toast, drink milk out of the carton, and laugh. I need her. Not this cold perfect thing you've become.

Bree: These need water.

Narrator: Bree sobbed quietly in the bathroom for 5 minutes. But her husband never knew. Because when Bree finally emerged, she was perfect.

Gabrielle: I found my earrings. We can go now.

Carlos: Was John here today?

Gabrielle: Well, yeah.

Carlos: The lawn hasn't been mowed. I've had it. We're getting a real gardener.

Gabrielle: Why?

Carlos: Are you deaf? I just said he's not doing his job.

Gabrielle: It's dark. You just can't see that the lawn has been mowed.

Carlos: It hasn't been. Feel this grass.

Gabrielle: I'm not feeling the grass! Let's just get going, come on! We're late!

Carlos: Take care of it.

Valet: Yes, sir.

Carlos: There's Tanaka. Time for me to go and do my dance.

Gabrielle: Good luck, sweetheart.

Gabrielle: Oh, excuse me.

Waiter: Ma'am?





Gabrielle: You see that man who just walked away? Can you make sure he has a drink

In his hand all night long.

Waiter: Yes, ma'am.

Mrs. Huber: Susan? Susan!

Susan: Oh. Mrs. Huber, how are you doing?

Mrs. Huber: Not too well, I'm afraid. I'm trying to find something to soothe my stomach.

Susan: Uh, it's upset?

Mrs. Huber: Yeah, I had the worst macaroni and cheese at the wake. It's been

running through me ever since.

Susan: Oh.

Mrs. Huber: And I need to be at my best. Edie Britt's son is spending the night tonight.

Susan: He's spending the night?

Mrs. Huber: Apparently, Edie is having a gentleman friend over for dinner, and

I think she plans on entertaining into the wee hours, if you know what I mean.

Mrs. Huber: Oh, here's some antacid. Have you ever tried this...?

Susan: I can't believe it. This can't be happening! Mike can't like Edie better than me,

he just can't!

Julie: You don't know what's going on. Maybe they're just having dinner.

You're right. They're doing it.

(31:35-36:37)



1. Questions

- * Answer following questions. (質問に答えましょう)
- 1) Why did Bree make the mistake? (なぜブリーはミスをしてしまったのですか?)
- 2) Why was Carlos angry? (なぜカルロスは怒っていたのですか?)
- 3) What did Gabrielle ask the waiter to do at the party? (パーティーでガブリエルはウェイターに何を頼みましたか?)
- 4) Who did Susan run into at the supermarket? (スーザンはスーバーで誰と出くわしましたか?)
- 5) What did Mrs. Huber have to eat at the wake? (フーバーさんはお通夜で何を食べてしまったのですか?)

2. Say It!

* Read the following script aloud with emotion. (人物になりきってセリフを読んでみましょう。)

Bree: Yes, well, I feel badly about that. I told you, Mrs. Huber came over and I got distracted. It was a mistake.

Carlos: The lawn hasn't been mowed. I've had it. We're getting a real gardener.

Gabrielle: You see that man who just walked away? Can you make sure he has a drink In his hand all night long.

3. Let's Summarize!

* Summarize Today's part of the episode in your own words. (本日学習したストーリーを要約してみよう。)

4. Let's Discuss!

* Pick one topic from below and talk about it with your tutor.
(以下から興味あるトピックを 1 つ選んでトークしましょう。)

1) What do you think about adultery?

(不倫についてどう思いますか?)

- 2) What would you do if your spouse/ boyfriend/ girlfriend wants to break-up? (もしあなたの配偶者や恋人が別れを切り出したらどうしますか?)
- 3) What is the best way to calm yourself down? (自分を落ち着かせる一番良い方法は何ですか?)
- 4) Do you like drinking? What are good points and bad points about drinking? (お酒を飲むのは好きですか? 飲酒の良い点と悪い点は何ですか?)
- 5) Have you ever thought "This can't be happening!"? What was the cause? (こんなことあり得ないと思ったことはありますか?その原因は何でしたか?)



[Words & Phrases]

- got distracted / 気が散った
- What's that supposed to mean? / それはどういう意味なの?
- I'm sick of~ / ~にはうんざりだ
- bizarre / 異様な
- plastic / いかさまの、見せかけだけの、プラスティクの
- spatula / フライ返し、へら
- sobbed / すすり泣いた
- emerged / 現れた
- lawn / 芝
- mowed / 刈った
- I've had it. / うんざりだ。
- gardener / 庭師
- deaf / 耳の不自由な
- soothe / 鎮静させる
- upset / (腹を)こわす
- running through / 通り抜ける
- be at my best / ベストの状態で
- Apparently / 日常の当たり前の家事に磨きをかけながら
- the wee hours / 真夜中すぎまで
- antacid / 制酸剤
- This can't be happening! / あり得ない!

Thank you and have a great day!