

### [Lesson 20] Episode 3\_4: Pretty Little Picture (ガラスの理想)

**Narrator:** Gabrielle spent her morning searching for the mysterious little girl. Sadly for her, the mystery was solved a bit too quickly.

**Gabrielle:** Hey! What's going on?

**Carlos:** Have you met Ashley?

**Sheila:** Found it!

**Carlos:** Babe, this is Sheila Bukowski, our new neighbor. They just moved into the Miller's old house.

**Sheila:** My daughter just left her ball in your yard. I'm so sorry.

**Gabrielle:** Oh, oh, no problem. Nice to meet you, Ashley.

**Sheila:** She's shy, she doesn't say much.

**Carlos:** Yeah, well I can see her little mind **working away**.

**Sheila:** Nice meeting you. Come on, Ashley.

**Bree:** Private sessions? I don't understand, why do we need private sessions?

**Dr. Goldfine:** Private sessions **allow** us to **work on** the personal **issues** of both partners.

**Bree:** Oh, well I don't have any personal issues. My only issue is that my husband wants to leave me, and how can I work on that if he's not in the room?

**Rex:** There are things I need to discuss with Dr. Goldfine, and I can't have you there.

**Bree:** Why? I'm your wife, you can say anything in front of me. All we need is a few more sessions, and I'm sure we can...

**Rex:** **Dammit**, Bree! A few more sessions isn't gonna fix us. This is bigger than that.

**Dr. Goldfine:** Why don't we do it this way? Rex, you can take the first half hour. Bree, you can take the second.

**Bree:** Fine. Oh, and Doctor. If what he's about to discuss has anything to do with **adultery, prostitution** or internet pornography, I would really appreciate you taking a moral **hard line**.

**Gabrielle:** Hi, Ashley. Remember me? We met earlier?

Wow! Aren't you the little artist. What are those, flamingos?

**Ashley:** No.

**Gabrielle:** Well, they're very pretty. It almost looks like they're kissing. Funny thing about kissing. It's not just for husbands and wives. Sometimes we kiss our mom, or our grandpa. Sometimes we even kiss our dog. Sometimes we even kiss

people who are just our friends. **Kinda like, a hi-five** on the lips. Right? Hey, Ash. I was at the mall, and I saw this. Thought you might like it. She's Hawaiian. Her name is Princess Kaha'lua. And, and I think it means "Little Waterfall" or "Big Pond" or something.

**Gabrielle:** Okay! So we're good. Right? Okay. Well, you enjoy your new friend, and if there's anything else you need, you just let me know.

**Ashley:** What I'd really like, is a bike.

**Paul:** Where did you find that?

**Zach:** She used this to kill herself. Why would you keep it? Why?

**Paul:** Because I thought we might need it someday.

**Zach:** For what?

**Paul:** Protection.

**Zach:** I wanna talk about Mom.

**Paul:** You need to take your **medication**.

**Zach:** We are going to talk about mom!

**Bree:** Hello Zach! I hope this isn't a bad time.

**Zach:** What can I do for you, Mrs. Van De Kamp?

**Bree:** Well, I wanted to invite you and your father to a dinner party tomorrow night.

**Zach:** I'm not sure where he is right now.

**Bree:** Oh. Well, I'm sorry it's such late notice, but well, we weren't sure whether you and your father were ready for any kind of **social engagement** yet. But, well, we're sort of throwing it in your mother's **honor**.

**Zach:** Really?

**Bree:** Yes, it's just gonna be a **casual** night with the **gang**. We're going to eat, and tell fun stories about your mom. Zach, are... are you okay?

**Paul:** Hello, Bree.

**Bree:** Oh hi, Paul, I was just...

**Paul:** I heard. Thank you, we already have plans for tomorrow.

**Bree:** Oh. That's too bad. Well, I should go.

**Zach:** Thank you. Mrs. Van de Kamp.

**Bree:** For what, Zach?

**Zach:** Remembering my mom.

**Narrator:** That night, Paul gave his son something to **calm** his nerves.

(14:13-20:32)

### 1. Questions

\* Answer following questions. (質問に答えましょう)

- 1) What did Ashley really want to have? (アシュリーが本当に欲しかった物は?)
- 2) What did Zach want to talk about? (ザックは何について話したかったのでしょうか?)
- 3) Why did Bree drop by Zach and Paul's home? (なぜブリーはザックとポールの家を訪問したのですか?)
- 4) Would Zach and Paul be going to the dinner party?  
(ザックとポールはディナー・パーティーに行く予定ですか?)
- 5) Who needed to take medications to be calm? (落ち着くために薬を飲む必要があったのは誰ですか?)

### 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:** Oh, well I don't have any personal issues. My only issue is that my husband wants to leave me, and how can I work on that if he's not in the room?

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### 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 keeping a gun at home for protection?  
(自分の身を守るために家に銃を保管することをどう思いますか?)
- 2) Would you take medication to keep yourself calm? Why or why not?  
(気持ちを落ち着かせるために薬を飲みますか? なぜですか?)
- 3) Do you think marriage counseling is helpful? Why or why not?  
(結婚生活カウンセリングは有効でしょうか? なぜですか?)

### [ Words & Phrases ]

- work away / せっせと働き続ける ★イディオム
- work on ~ / ~に取り組む
- dammit (= damn) / くそっ!、しまった!、馬鹿を言うな \*怒り、不満などを表わす。
- adultery / 不貞
- prostitution / 売春
- hard line / 強硬路線
- kinda (= kind of)
- a hi-five / ハイタッチ
- medication / 薬、薬物
- social engagement / 社会的な約束
- honor / 名誉
- casual / ざっくばらんな
- gang / 集団、ギャング、遊び仲間
- calm / 落ち着かせる

Thank you and have a great day!