

Werewolf

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Topic: Drug Addiction
Message: *Drug addiction is a monster, which robs one of one's humanity.*
Characters: Kati and Max
Setting: Room in the student's dormitory

Kati is in the room. Max enters.

Kati: Hi, Max. Sorry, I was expecting you later...

Max: I was impatient to see you...

Kati: Oh, Max! Do you want something to drink?

Max: Yeah, anything.

Kati: How about Pepsi? Sprite? Water?

Max: Whatever, anything.

Kati: Okay, I'll get you cranberry juice.

Max: Right.

Kati leaves. Max quickly begins searching in drawers and cupboards. He sees money in the drawer. When he hears Kati returning, he hastily sits back on the sofa.

Kati's voice: You want ice?

Max: No, that's okay. Cranberry juice is fine.

Kati enters.

Kati: Here you are.

Max: Thanks. I'm so thirsty.

Kati: Are you hungry?

Max: No, I am fine.

Kati: Okay. Look! Do you like my dress?

Max: Yeah.

Kati: I'll be ready in five minutes, okay?

Max: Wait, wait!

Kati: What, Max?
Max: Kati, I don't want to go to this party...
Kati: Why?
Max: I'm not feeling too good.
Kati: Yeah, I noticed. You're usually so happy. Are you all right, Max?
Max: I need money.
Kati: Money?
Max: Yeah, like five hundred bucks.
Kati: Five hundred bucks! I don't have that kind of money, Max.
Max: Yeah, sure you do. There is... I saw some in that drawer over there.
Kati: Max, that's not my money. That's my roommate's money.
Max: Give me the money.
Kati: Max, what's going on?
Max: Now!
Kati: Max, you are making me scared. I've never seen you like this before.
Max: I told you now!
Kati: Max, please, don't do this! I am afraid! What's happened to you? Are you drunk? Are you taking drugs? Tell me, Max!
Max: I need a fix. Now! Now!
Kati: Max, you're taking drugs!
Max: Shut up!
Kati: Now I understand why you seemed so happy!
Max: I'll kill you! Move!
Kati: Max! No! Max!

Max pushes her. Kati hits her head and is knocked unconscious. Max grabs the money and leaves.

DISCUSSION

Max comes back.

Max: Kati! Kati! Are you okay? Hey! Hey! Oh, God, I killed her.
He picks up a cell phone and dials.

Max: Hello? She's dead. I killed her. Number 24, University Hall. Name is Max Bishop. I am... I am her friend...

Kati begins to stir and moan.

Max: Kati? Kati?

Kati: Who... Who are you?

Max: I am Max... I am **your** boyfriend...