# Fathers and sons

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### 10 YEARS BEFORE

# INT TY BEDROOM

Ty (18) Working on his home work , Amy (18) walks in the door way TY looks up  $\,$ 

AMY

Неу Ту

TY

Hey Amy are you ok?

AMY

W-we need to talk (crying)

TY

What wrong?

Amy sits on Ty bed , Amy takes a deep breath

TY (cont'd)

Just tell me ok

AMY

I am Pregent

TY

No your not

AMY

Yes I am

TY

well I am going to North Lake

AMY

What about us

TY

Well you can come with me if you want but I have already accept a scholarship to North Lake

AMY

So that it

Amy walks out crying , Ty walks downstairs , Erica (45) working in the kicthen

ERICA

did you break up with Amy

ΤY

No I didn't she told me she was pregnet and I told her that I am still going to North Lake

ERICA

What about Amy and the baby

ΤY

I told her she could come with me

ERICA

You need to stad up and be a man

ΤY

Mom I am honoring dad legacy by going to North Lake

ERICA

Being a father is more important than carrying on dad legacy

ΤY

Well Guess what I disagree

ERICA

For once in your life step up and be a man

### INT Brooke and Jack house

Amy walks in ,Brooke comes downstaird

AMY

Hey mom

BROOKE

Hey what's up

AMY

Mom can we talk (crying)

**BROOKE** 

What's wrong

AMY

Can we sit on the couch

Brooke puts her arm around Amy they sit on the couch

AMY (cont'd)

Mom I am Pregant

BROOKE

(puzzled) what are you sure

AMY

I took three test and I told Ty and he is still going to North Lake

BROOKE

Come here

Brooke hugs Amy

BROOKE (cont'd)

Its going to ok I promise

AMY

how can you be sure

BROOKE

Because I will be here for you so will Jack and Lucas you are never alone

Amy walks out the door

BROOKE (cont'd)

Where are you going?

AMY

I promised Katie I would meet her at Brenda cafe

**BROOKE** 

Ok I love you babe

### INT Brenda cafe

Amy walks in over to Katie (18) who is working on her laptop

KATIE

Неу

AMY

Неу

KATIE

so how did it go

AMY

I told Ty and he is going to North Lake

KATIE

I am sorry but your friends will be here for you that I can promise

**AMY** 

Thank you

Brenda brings over Amy and Katie food

KATIE

Thanks mom

BRENDA

And Amy Everything will be ok

AMY

Thanks

10 Years later

#### INT TY apartment

Ty (28) wakes up and walks out into the kicthen Grabs a cup of coffee walks out the back door and sits on his deck

INT Amy and Jake House

Jake (27) Making Breakfast , Nathan (10) walks downstairs

NATHAN

Morning daddy

JAKE

Morning buddy

NATHAN

Are you making chocolate chip pancakes

JAKE

Yes

NATHAN

Awesome my favorite

Jake serves Nathan pancakes

JAKE

What do you say you and I go play basketball at Coastal Park

NATHAN

Awesome I need to work on my game so one day I can be like my favorite player Ty West

**JAKE** 

Well eat up and I will right back

Jake loads the food on the tray and walks upstairs

INT Amy and Jake room

Amy (28) sits up in bed

JAKE (cont'd)

Good morning

AMY

Good morning

**JAKE** 

I brought you breakfast

Jake puts the tray on the bed

JAKE (cont'd)

Nathan wants me to take him to coastal park today to play basketball

AMY

You should take him

JAKE

He wants to be like Ty west

AMY

His hero who is also his dad that he doesn't know

INT west point gym

Ty working on his game , Dylan (27) walks in

DYLAN

Don't you ever sleep

ΤY

I sleep but we have finals coming up and I want us to win the title game for Minor Leauge Basketball

DYLAN

You are going to light this place up

TΥ

With you we are unstoppable

Dylan and TY knuckles , Coach Richard walks onto the court

COACH RICHARD

Ту

ΤY

Yes sir

COACH RICHARD

We need to talk

Ty walks with Coach Richard into his office

Ty walks in and shuts the door

COACH RICHARD (cont'd)

I got a phone call that you are being traded

ΤY

Traded to where?

COACH RICHARD

Coastal Shark

ΤY

You mean I am being traded to my hometown team

COACH RICHARD

Next season you will be a shark after you help us win a title

TY

Yes sir

#### INT Amy and Jake house

Nathan comes running downstairs , Amy working on her laptop

NATHAN

Mom guess what

AMY

What buddy

NATHAN

Ty west is getting traded to the Coastal Sharks so I can finally see my favorite player play JAKE

Hey buddy what up

NATHAN

Ty is getting traded to coastal Sharks

**JAKE** 

Awesome buddy

Nathan walks out back

JAKE (cont'd)

Are you ok?

AMY

You mean my child father is moving back to town

**JAKE** 

Has Ty ever met Nathan

AMY

No he left town after high school

JAKE

What does Nathan know about his father

AMY

Not much he has you

JAKE

And you too and you are a great  ${\tt Mom}$  to  ${\tt him}$ 

AMY

I don't know what I am going to do

JAKE

Whatever you do I have your back

AMY

Thanks you can you watch Nathan

JAKE

Sure no problem

Amy walks out

# INT Brenda cafe

Amy walks In , Katie working behind he counter

**AMY** 

Guess what Ty is moving back to town

KATIE

What is the big deal

AMY

Ty is Nathan idol and he has no idea that his hero is his father

KATIE

Don't worry eveything will be fine

AMY

Are you sure about that

KATIE

You have built Jake as Nathan father

AMY

I know that but what if Nathan finds I lied to him about his father

KATIE

Don't jump to conclusion

AMY

I can't help but wonder what will happen you just have to see what happens

### INT Ty apartment

Ty playing video games and Dylan walks in

DYLAN

Hey man

TY

What up

DYLAN

I heard you are getting traded to coastal city

ΤY

Yeah

DYLAN

So that means you get your son back

ΤY

I am going to attempt to anyway and I am going after  $\mbox{\sc Amy}$  she is the love of  $\mbox{\sc my}$  life

**DYLAN** 

Then why did you leave

ΤY

Because I was young and stupid

DYLAN

And now all the sudden you are man

Dylan plays video game

EXT Coastal Park

Jake and Nathan playing basketball

NATHAN

One day I will be a sea hawk

JAKE

We will see buddy

NATHAN

I know I will be just like my hero

Nathan shoots the ball

INT Amy and Jake House

Amy walks in

AMY

Jake Nathan where are you guys

Amy walks upstairs into Nathan room and see the bulletin board of all the TY west sports cards and a sign that says hero on , Amy sits on Nathan bed , Nathan walks in here

NATHAN

Hi mom what are you doing in here

AMY

Just thinking

NATHAN

You think next season we can get season tickets to the Coastal Sharks

AMY

we will see won't we buddy , wash up for dinner the pizza will be here any minute

NATHAN

Ok

Amy walks downstairs into the kitchen Jake pouring a drink in a cup

AMY

Hey Nathan wants to get season tickets

**JAKE** 

What are you going to do

**AMY** 

About what

JAKE

Ty moving back into town

AMY

Nothing he walked out on me and Nathan and he has never called about Nathan so if he comes to town there is nothing that he can say or do to be back in our lives besides I love you and only you

Amy hugs and kisses Jake on the cheek

AMY (cont'd)

I love you Jake

Knock on the door , Amy walks opens the door the pizza guy hands her the pizza and she walks in the kitchen they eat dinner .

2 weeks later

# EXT The Road

TY driving down the road he passes a sign that says welcome to Coastal city

ТΥ

(says to himself) I am home

He drives in and walks upstairs into an apartment

### INT Ty apartment

Ty walks in and grabs a photo out of his pocket I am coming home for you buddy

EXT Coastal Park

Ty walks on the court

ΤY

Now I am home

TY shooting running up and down the court , Nathan walks on the court  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1$ 

NATHAN

Y-you're Ty west

ΤY

Its nice to meet a fan

NATHAN

I am your biggest fan

TY

Do you want to play

NATHAN

yes

Nathan and Ty play one on one , Jake walks onto the court and is floored when he sees Ty and Nathan playing basketball

ΤY

You have a good jump shot

NATHAN

Thank you

Ty and Nathan contiune to play one on one and Ty beats Nathan by 2

### INT Amy and Jake house

Amy and Katie eating on the couch

KATIE

So how are things

AMY

You mean my ex coming back to town and Nathan father

KATIE

What are you going to do

AMY

honestly I have no idea

Nathan and Jake walk in , Nathan runs over to Amy

NATHAN

(so excited)

Mom guess what I met Ty west

AMY

You did

NATHAN

And I played one on one with him I can't believe I met my idol tonight

**AMY** 

Go take a shower you stink

Nathan runs upstairs , Jake walks over

KATIE

I am going to take off

Katie leaves , Jake sits down

JAKE

Well he had so much fun today

AMY

What wrong

JAKE

I am afraid that once you tell him the truth I am no longer going to have a place in Nathan life

AMY

Your never going to replaced because I am not going to tell Nathan the truth

The next day

### INT The bean

Lucas (30) walks in and meets up with Amy

AMY (cont'd)

Hey Lucas thanks for meeting me

LUCAS

Of couse anything for my little sister

AMY

Ty met Nathan yesterday they were both at Coastal park and they played one on one

LUCAS

Does he know that his hero his father

AMY

No and I plan of introducing the two of them

LUCAS

I think that is the best move Ty has no business in Nathan life

AMY

I don't know I kind of think that Nathan should know who is father is

LUCAS

I think that is a bad idea he left you and Nathan for basketball and besides you are with Jake

AMY

I know but everyone deserves to know who there father is

LUCAS

I will support you either way but how do you even know he wants to get to know his son

AMY

I don't know what I am going to do

### INT Brenda Cafe

Ty walks in

KATIE

Well if it isn't Ty west

TY

Katie Anderson so now you are running your mom cafe

KATIE

Yeah I am now

ΤY

That great so how have you been

KATIE

Good so your back

TY

I was traded to coastal sharks I played basketball with this really cool kid today

KATIE

What was his name

TY

Nathan I think

Katie seems taken back

TY (cont'd)

What

KATIE

Nothing

Katie hands Ty the coffee and he walks out he walks down the boardwalk he comes across Lucas

TY

Hey Lucas

LUCAS

Stay away from Nathan and Amy they are better off without you

TY

Look I am just coming back for what is rightfully mine I got traded here on purpose

LUCAS

You made your choice now deal with it you stay away from them they are better off after you

ТΥ

You can't tell me what to do

LUCAS

No But I will be watching you

Lucas walks away while keeping an eye on Ty

#### INT Brenda Cafe

Nathan and Amy walk in , Amy walks behind the counter Nathan walks and sits in the booth and works on his laptop

KATIE

You just missed Ty

AMY

I don't know what to do

KATIE

Follow your heart do you love Ty or Jake

AMY

I don't know I have always loved Ty but Jake is my adult love

KATIE

You have a choice to make

AMY

How do I introduce Nathan to his father

KATIE

Not right now

AMY

What If I still love Ty

KATIE

Only you can choose this one

AMY

But Nathan already met his father who is his basketball hero he doesn't even know who he was he just thought I would be in this position

KATIE

Follow your heart

AMY

thanks for the advice , Can you watch Nathan for a bit

KATIE

I would love too

Amy walks over to Nathan

AMY

Hey buddy Katie is going to watch you for a bit ok

NATHAN

Bye mom

Amy walks out

# INT The bean

Amy walks in over to TY

ΤY

Hey Amy I didn't think you would show

AMY

You wanted to talk to me

TY

I did

AMY

What do you want to talk about

TY

Us

Amy sits down Ty grabs her hand Amy pulls away

TY (cont'd)

I am sorry I left

AMY

Sorry doens't cut it

TY

Please I want back in Nathan life

AMY

No I am sorry it would just confuse him

ΤY

Please I want both of you back

AMY

The answer is no

Amy walks away

### INT Amy and Jake house

Jake cleaning the counter , Amy walks in

AMY (cont'd)

What

**JAKE** 

Why did Katie bring Ty home

AMY

Because I had something to take care of

JAKE

Like what

AMY

I had to meet up with an old friend

**JAKE** 

Did that old friend happen to be Ty

AMY

Yes he wanted to meet with me but I told him no I was with you

JAKE

Why couldn't you have told me

AMY

Because I didn't want you to get werid about it

JAKE

You and I need to be honest about this and what you are going to tell Nathan about his dad

AMY

I am not going to tell Nathan about TY

JAKE

Its a small town what if he finds out

AMY

He is not going to because most people who know the truth would not tell Nathan

### INT TY Apartment

TY lifting weights , Knock at the door , Ty gets up and answers the door Jason (28) walks in

**JASON** 

Well the rumors are true your back in town

ΤY

I am back baby

JASON

Are you going to get your kid back

ΤΥ

I don't but I swear the kid I played basketball at the park the other day was my kid he played like I did

**JASON** 

Nathan is Amy kid who would be your son

TΥ

The kid I played with in the park was Nathan

JASON

You played basketball with your kid

тv

Yeah he was on the court I was on the court it just sort of happen

JASON

I see and you just played ball with your son

ΤY

How do I get my son back

JASON

First you have to get Amy to forgive you

### INT Amy and Jake House

INT Jake and Amy bedroom

Jake and Amy laying in bed

JAKE

Can we talk about this

Amy turns over

The next day

# INT Brenda Cafe

Katie making coffee cleaning counters , Amy walks in

AMY

so Ty wants to get back together

KATIE

What do you want to do

AMY

But I am with Jake and how do I explain that Nathan that Ty is his father

KATIE

You need to figure out what to do you have to choose Ty or Jake you can't have both

AMY

Ty was my high school sweetheart but Jake is my adult love

KATIE

Would you still be with TY if he hadn't went to North Lake for college

ΔΜΥ

I don't know maybe

KATIE

You have to decide what your heart wants is it with Jake or is it with Ty only you can decide

AMY

Thanks for the help

Ty walks in sits at a table

KATIE

Now is your chance

AMY

I have to go

Amy walks out

### EXT Cosatal Elemntary

Amy waiting outside , Nathan walks outside

AMY (cont'd)

Hey buddy how was school

Nathan gets in the car ,  $\mbox{\sc Amy}$  gets in the front ,  $\mbox{\sc Amy}$  driving down the road

NATHAN

Mom do you think I can hang out with Ty again he is really cool

AMY

You know I went to high school with Ty

NATHAN

You did that is so cool

AMY

We were friends

NATHAN

How come he never gave you tickets to games

AMY

Because we went our seprate ways after high school

NATHAN

He went to North Lake College and was a star player but fell short of the NBA and playing in the B Leauge for the North Lake Snow lions and now he is a Coastal Shark hopefully one day he will be in the NBA

AMY

You really like him don't you

NATHAN

He has a wicked three and amazing jump shot and he is a beast on Defense.

They arrive in the driveway , They walk in , Jake is standing at the counter looking flames could come out of his ears

AMY

Can you go upstairs

Nathan walks upstairs , Amy walks in the kicthen

AMY (cont'd)

Hey

JAKE

Hey

AMY

What wrong

JAKE

Your high school boyfriend left you a gift on the counter

Amy sees the flower and reads the note and it says Please give me a second chance Love Ty

AMY

That means nothing I love you

JAKE

So you are over TY 100%?

AMY

Yes I love you

JAKE

Because it doesn't seem like that consider he left you flowers

AMY

You read the card

JAKE

Yes I wanted who was sending my wife flowers besides me

AMY

(crying) I love you Jake and only you

Jake storms out the back door

JAKE

I NEED SOMETIME

Jake slams the door , Nathan walks downstairs , $\operatorname{Amy}$  sitting at the kicthen table  $\operatorname{Amy}$  crying

NATHAN

Why were you and dad aguring

AMY

Its adult stuff nothing to worry about

NATHAN

Can I go play outside

AMY

Sure

Nathan walks outside

# EXT Amy and Jake house

Nathan playing basketball , Ty walks up

NATHAN

Неу Ту

ΤY

Hey buddy what up

NATHAN

Do you want to play

ΤY

Sure

Ty and Nathan play basketball, Amy walks out the front door and sees Them playing basketball

# INT Brenda cafe

Katie serving tables , Jake walks in

KATIE

Hey Jake

JAKE

Неу

KATIE

What can I get you

JAKE

Liquor

KATIE

What up

JAKE

Ty sent Amy flowers

KATIE

He did what

JAKE

Yeah she says he is over him but I don't buy it

Katie walks behind the counter

JAKE (cont'd)

Do you think she still loves him

KATIE

To be honest yes

**JAKE** 

I knew it

KATIE

She loves you too and I know you love Nathan

**JAKE** 

Yeah I do I have been in his life since he was 2 I know he is not my son but he feels like a son to me and it would break my heart not to be in Nathan life

KATIE

I know you do but you have to think of what best for Nathan

JAKE

I know

KATIE

Its a tough situation for everyone involved

JAKE

Do I bow out gracefuly or do I fight

KATIE

You fight for the girl you love

Jake walks out

EXT Amy and Jake house

TY and Nathan sitting on the front step

NATHAN

you think one day I can go pro

TY

Maybe

NATHAN

Do you think you will go pro

ΤY

Maybe I am still waiting for my call up from the B leauge

NATHAN

I know you will get your shot

TY

You know my dad he played in the NBA for the Toranto Raptors he was a starting forward

NATHAN

Can I meet him

TY

He is in Heaven he died when I was 12

NATHAN

What happen

ΤY

He died in a car accident

NATHAN

My dad is in heaven as well

ΤY

Your dad is heaven

NATHAN

He died before I was born

TY

Really , can you stay out here for a minute

# INT Amy and Jake house

Amy working on her laptop , Ty walks in

TY (cont'd)

You told him I was dead

AMY

It was easier then telling him what really happen

TY

What is he going to when he finds outs I am alive

AMY

I have decided not to tell him that you are his dad its easier this way

ΤY

Easiser for you or for him

TY walks out the back door , Nathan walks in the front door

AMY

Go wash up and get ready for bed I will be up in a few minutes to say good night

Nathan walks upstairs , Jake walks in

JAKE

Do you still love Ty

AMY

No I love you in fact I told Ty tonight that I am never telling Nathan the truth about Ty being his dad

JAKE

Why not

AMY

Because you are Nathan father you have been around the longest and he loves you and I don't want to confuse him

JAKE

Do you promise me you will never go back to him

AMY

Yes I promise

Jake walks upstairs into Nathan room

JAKE

Hey buddy

NATHAN

Hey I played basketball today with Ty

JAKE

You did

NATHAN

Did you go to the park

JAKE

no he came here to play I invited him over since we are friends

Jake kisses Nathan on the forehead and walks downstairs

JAKE (cont'd)

Nathan said Ty came over and played basketball becasee Nathan invited him over

AMY

He is spening time with his hero

JAKE

His hero is his father

AMY

Yeah I know that but you remember I told Nathan that is father was dead when he was five

JAKE

Yeah you did but you never thought Ty would return

AMY

so you are saying I should tell him the truth about it

JAKE

Yes but you have to deicde what to do, tonight I am sleeping in the guest room until you decide who you really love and want to be with me or him

Jake walks upstairs

INT Guest room

Jake laying on the bed staring at the celing

INT Amy and Jake room

Amy staring at the ceiling

Ext Coastal Park

Ty shooting baskets in frustration , Jason walks on

TY

Amy told Nathan that is dad is dead

**JASON** 

Why would she do that

ΤY

I don't know but I am getting my son back

The next morning

INT Nathan room

Nathan getting dressed , Amy walks in

AMY

Hey buddy

NATHAN

Can I go play with Ty today

AMY

No you are hanging out with Lucas

NATHAN

But Ty is so much cooler

AMY

Buddy I am sorry I already asked Lucas and he said he would watch you

downstairs

Lucas walks in , Jake comes downstairs

JAKE

Hey Lucas

LUCAS

Hey is Nathan ready

JAKE

He will be down in a minute

LUCAS

ok

Lucas pours a cup of coffee

JAKE

Can I ask you a question

LUCAS

Sure

JAKE

Were Amy and Ty like <u>IN</u>love

LUCAS

They were very much in love

JAKE

And was Nathan an accident

LUCAS

Ty had just won state and they were drunk and that lead to you know lead to Nathan and then Ty picked college over being a dad

Nathan walks downstairs Lucas and Nathan leave

### INT The bean

Ty and Amy meet up and sit a table

TY

Look I am back for good I want to get to know my son he never has to know I am his father but he is a good kid

AMY

He adores you are is favorite basketball player he never missed a single North Lake game . I

TY

Why am I his favorite player

AMY

I honestly couldn't tell you he just has always liked North Lake

ΤY

I want to know my son and I want you back

**AMY** 

You gave that up along time ago it would be one thing if you just found out you had a son but I told you and chose to leave and now that you are man enough to be a father I should just drop everything and let you be in Nathan life

ΤΥ

I was young and stupid and I want a second chance at us being a family I still love you

AMY

I am sorry Ty that ship has sailed

## INT Amy and Jake house

Jake bringing suitcases down the stairs , Amy walks in

AMY (cont'd)

What are you doing

**JAKE** 

I am going to my brotehrs for the weekend we need sometime to figure what you want if its me or Ty but we need some time apart

AMY

Its you that I want

JAKE

Stop meeting Ty behind my back and why on earth is he sending you flowers so you are telling me there is nothing more

AMY

Yes of course I love you Jake

JAKE

We need some time apart

AMY

No Jake I love you

Jake walks out

### INT Ty apartment

TY satring at a picture of Amy

EXT Amy and Jake house

Nathan sitting in the backyard , Amy walks out

NATHAN

Where is Jake

**AMY** 

He went to see uncle Nick this weekend so its just us

NATHAN

Can we hang out with Ty

AMY

maybe why do you want to hang out with Ty so much

NATHAN

Because he is my friend and he is your old high school friend

AMY

Buddy things are more complatcred than that

NATHAN

How so

AMY

You are way too young to understand that

NATHAN

Can we go to the beach

AMY

Now that we can do

# EXT The beach

Ty is running down the beach ,Amy and Nathan walk on

ΤY

Hey Nathan

AMY

Hey Ty, Hey buddy why don't you grab us a spot on the beach

NATHAN

Ok

Nathan walks down the beach

AMY

You have to stop doing this

ΤY

Doing what

**AMY** 

Showing up where I am and Nathan

TY

I want to get to know my son

AMY

That is not going to happen when he is older I will tell him the truth but for now you need to back off

ΤY

if it comes I will sue you for custody of my son I have rights you know

AMY

You gave up that right when you walked out on me and Nathan

ΤY

This isn't over

Ty runs away , Amy walks over to Nathan who is working on a sand castle

NATHAN

Mom no matter what happens we will be ok

AMY

You are absolulty right

Nathan and Amy play in the sand they race down to the water play in the ocean

Later on that night

# INT Amy and Jake house

Amy cleaning up the kicthen , Katie walks in

AMY (cont'd)

Hey

KATIE

Неу

AMY

What's up

KATIE

Where is Jake

AMY

He went to south Lake to see his brother for the weekend

KATIE

Why

AMY

Because he needed sometime to figure things out because all the sudden Ty is back in town he is mister jelous and he is afraid that I will choose Ty over him

KATIE

Do you still love Ty

AMY

What if I say yes

KATIE

Then you have to choose who you love Jake or Ty

AMY

I love them both I don't know what to , How do I tell Nathan the truth about

Nathan walks in

NATHAN

About what

AMY

Go back to bed we will talk in the morning

NATHAN

Mom what is going on I need to know the truth

AMY

Katie can you give us a few minutes

KATIE

Sure I will see you in the morning

Katie walks out , Nathan climbs up on the bar stool

NATHAN

Mom what is going on?

AMY

Buddy you know how Ty is your friend , well when I was in high school Ty was my boyfriend and after high school well you know he played for North Lake unvirsity and then North Lake the B leauge team

NATHAN

Mom I know all of this

AMY

Right but when Ty left for College I was pregent

NATHAN

With who

AMY

You buddy but Ty left me for college ball and Ty is your father

NATHAN

MOM YOU TOLD ME MY FATHER WAS DEAD WHY DID YOU LIE TO ME ?

AMY

Becasue it was easier then telling you the truth when you were four

Nathan runs upstairs runs up to his room and slams the door back in the kicthen Amy walks out to the balcony

The next morning

Amy cooking breakfast , Nathan walks in and grabs his breakfast and walks away

AMY (cont'd)

Nathan buddy

Nathan gives Amy the silent treatment

AMY (cont'd)

Buddy do you want to talk about

NATHAN

I want to go live with my dad

AMY

Buddy that is not an option

Lucas walks in

LUCAS

Hey Amy where is Ty

AMY

He is eating breakfast and he knows the truth about TY

LUCAS

You told him

AMY

Yeah I had to he walked in Katie and I talking about it and now he is barley speaking to me thank you for coming to get him

Nathan walks in

NATHAN

hey you ready to go

LUCAS

Come on buddy

Nathan gives  $\mathsf{Amy}$  the stink eye as they head out the door ,  $\mathsf{Amy}$  text  $\mathsf{TY}$  meet me at the beach

### EXT The beach

Amy standing in the sand looking anxious , Ty walks on

ΤY

Неу

AMY

Неу

TY

What up

AMY

I told Nathan that you are his father

TV

I thoght you weren't going too

AMY

It was bad timing I was talking to Katie and he came down at the worst possible time so now he knows and he will barley speak to him

TY

Where is he now

AMY

He is with Lucas

ΤY

What do you want from me

AMY

To decide do you want a place in Ty life

ΤY

Yes I do

AMY

Fine you can come by around 3 tomorrow and we can iron out the details of what is to happen and not happen

ΤY

Ok I will be there tomorrow, Will you go out with me tonight

AMY

Yes I will go out you tonight

TY

Really

AMY

Let me ask Lucas if he can keep Nathan until the morning

TY

Awe some I will meet you at the grill at 7

Amy walks away

INT Brenda cafe

Amy walks in

KATIE

So how did it go with Nathan

AMY

He is barley speaking to me

KATIE

I am sorry

AMY

And I am going out on a date with Ty tonight

KATIE

What about Jake

AMY

I don't know I am torn

KATIE

You can't have both men

**AMY** 

Why not

KATIE

You know why not

# EXT Nick house

Nick (31) Jake sitting out back

JAKE

I don't know what I am going to do

NICK

Why

JAKE

Since Ty came back town

NICK

So does Amy still love TY

JAKE

There is a part of her that I think she still loves him

NICK

So who is Ty

JAKE

Ty is Nathan father and her high school sweet heart who picked college over her and Nathan favorite player is Ty

NICK

I think you need to talk to Amy and figure out what she wants and then decide what to do don't assume she still loves him

JAKE

He sent her flowers

NICK

That doesn't mean she still loves him

JAKE

I am afriad she is does

NICK

If you love her go fight for her

#### INT The Grill

Ty and Amy walk in they sit at the table the wator walks over and places water on the table

EXT Lucas Condo

Nathan sitting out on the back deck , Lucas walks out

LUCAS

Hey buddy what up

NATHAN

Did you know that Ty was my dad

LUCAS

Yeah buddy I knew

NATHAN

And you let mom lead me to beieve that he was dead

LUCAS

Buddy you were little when you asked she didn't know what else to do

NATHAN

She could have me that my dad left

LUCAS

she could have but you need to let her off the mat

NATHAN

I want to but now this explamisn why she never took me to North Lake to see a game

## INT THE GRILL

AMY

This remind me of Prom night we had dinner here

ΤY

Yeah I want you back I never stopped loving you Amy

AMY

A part of me still loves you but I am now with Jake I can't leave him for you

ΤY

You can't or you won't

Amy and Ty leave the grill head down to the beach

#### EXT Beach

Ty and Amy walk down the beach holding hands

The next morning

#### INT Jake and Amy House

#### INT Amy and Jake bedroom

Amy is startled awake and sees Ty laying next to her , TY wakes up  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right)$ 

TY (cont'd)

Good morning

AMY

Good morning

Jake walks in

JAKE

Well I guess I got my answer

Jake walks downstairs , Ty gets up and get dressed and walks quickly downstairs and out the front door about 5 minutes later Jake cooking breakfast Amy walks downstairs

JAKE (cont'd)

So you still love him

AMY

No I love you

JAKE

Then why was he in our bed

AMY

We had dinner last night and came here and had a few drinks and ended up in bed together and I thought you weren't coming home until tomorrow

JAKE

That doesn't matter I am done with you and this you just can't tell me the truth can you still love TY

AMY

I used to love Ty

JAKE

Is that why he is in our bed

AMY

And Nathan found out that Ty is his dad

JAKE

You told him I thought you were never going to tell him

AMY

He heard Katie and I talking and he over heard us talking so I had to tell him the truth

Jake walks out , Turns around

JAKE

I will be back for my stuff

#### INT Brenda cafe

Katie making coffee , Amy walks in

AMY

Неу

KATIE

How did last night go

AMY

Well lets see I slept with Ty and Jake came back early and caught us in bed together

KATIE

I thought you were just going to dinner

AMY

Then we went for a walk on the beach and then back to my place for a drink and we had one too many and fell asleep

Lucas and Nathan walk in

NATHAN

Hey mom

AMY

Hey buddy did you have fun

NATHAN

Yes

KATIE

How about a doughnut for my favorite guy

NATHAN

Chocolate

KATIE

Coming up buddy

Katie gets a doughnut and hands it to Nathan

Later on that day

INT Amy house

Nathan and Amy sitting in the kitchen , Ty walks in

ΤY

Hey Nathan

NATHAN

Hey Ty

TY

Amy can we have a few minutes to talk

AMY

Sure

Amy walks into the other room

TY

Look I know I am your dad but its up to you buddy

NATHAN

I want to spend time with you

ΤY

Well that can defently happen but its up to you how much you want me to be in your life ok

NATHAN

Do you still love mom

ΤY

Yes buddy I do

NATHAN

Do you think that you will ever get back with mom

Nathan and Ty sit out the couch and stare at each other

NATHAN (cont'd)

So we are cool

TY

yes buddy

NATHAN

Can we go play basketball

ΤY

Go ask your mom

Nathan walks in the other room

## EXT Coastal Park

Ty and Nathan playing basketball , Jason walks on

**JASON** 

Hey Ty is this Nathan

ΤY

Yes he is my son Nathan this is my best friend

**JASON** 

So buddy you like basketball

NATHAN

Its my favorite sport

JASON

awesome can I play

NATHAN

Sure

Nathan Ty and Jason play basketball

3 months later

# INT Amy House

Amy working in the kitchen all the sudden feels disy and falls to the ground Nathan comes downstairs

NATHAN (cont'd)

Mom Hey Mom wake up

Nathan gets Amy phone off the counter and calls 911

NATHAN (cont'd)

Hello my mom is unconcious plaease send help

Ty walks in

ΤY

Hey buddy what happen

NATHAN

I don't know I came downstairs and found her I called for help

TY

I will have Lucas come by and get you

Ty calls Lucas

TY (cont'd)

Lucas can you come by and get Nathan Thanks man

# INT Memorial

Ty Pacing the halls , Lucas walks in

LUCAS

How is she

TY

They are running test where is Nathan

LUCAS

He is with Katie

ΤΥ

I don't understand what happen

LUCAS

She had cancer about five years ago I am afraid it may have come back

ΤY

She had cancer

LUCAS

Yeah she did and it was pretty rough

Dr Carson walks out

TY

How is Amy

CARSON

The news is not good her cancer has come back and it has spread to her brain and there is not much we can do for her

ΤΥ

Is she going to die

CARSON

I am afraid her chances are not good

TY

Can I go see her

Ty walks down

INT Amy Room

Ty walks in and sits by her bed

AMY

Неу

TY

Hey babe

TY pulls up a chair next to her

AMY

What did the doctor say

TY

That your cancer has come back and it has spread and there is not much they can do for you but I am going to find you the best doctors we are going to find away to save you I am not done with you

AMY

Marry me

ΤY

You want to get married ?

AMY

Yes

Lucas walks in

LUCAS

Hey can I spend some time with my sister

AMY

Sure come on In

ΤY

I will go talk to Nathan

AMY

I love you

ΤY

I love you too

Ty kisses Amy one the forehead, walks out

INT Brenda cafe

Ty walks in

KATIE

How is Amy

ΤY

Not good where is Ty

KATIE

He is in the back

Katie walks in the back and gets Nathan

TY

Hey buddy

NATHAN

How is mom

TY

Come on lets go talk

Ty and Nathan leave

EXT The boardwalk

NATHAN

How is mom

TY

Your mom cancer has come back and its bad buddy it has spread and they are not sure they can save her but I am going to help her get better ok we will find the best doctors

NATHAN

You should Marry mom

ΤY

I should?

NATHAN

Yes

ΤY

Maybe I will

3 days later

INT Amy house

INT Amy bedroom

Amy and Ty laying in bed

AMY

Move in with me

ΤY

You want me to move in

AMY

Yes come on you spend all your time here anyway

ΤY

Ok I will move in

AMY

(excite) Really!

TY

(yells down the hall) Nathan come here

Nathan walks down the hall into Amy and Ty room

AMY

Guess what

ΤΥ

I am moving in

NATHAN

Awesome!!!!!

Nathan jumps on the bed

NATHAN (cont'd)

This is so awesome

AMY

I am glad you are happy about this

NATHAN

This is the best news ever

Knock on the door , Nathan walks down and answers it

NATHAN (cont'd)

Jake what are you doing here

JAKE

Is your mom home

NATHAN

She is upstairs I will go get her

Nathan walks upstairs into Amy and Ty room where they were fooling around

NATHAN (cont'd)

Mom

AMY

What buddy

NATHAN

Jake is here he wants to talk to you

AMY

Ok buddy go ahead down I will be down in a minute

Nathan walks downstairs

AMY (cont'd)

I need to go to talk to Jake

ΤY

Ok

Amy walks downstairs , Ty walks over to his drawer and pulls out a ring

TY (cont'd)

Amy is finally going to be my wife

EXT Amy and Ty House

JAKE

Amy I want you back

AMY

No Jake I am with TY now , You don't know this but the cancer has come back and it has spread and its termial this time

JAKE

What

AMY

Yeah so I want Nathan to have his family back together now that he knows Ty is his dad

JAKE

Your going to die

AMY

yes the doctors have given me a year to live

**JAKE** 

Amy I am so sorry if you need me I am here

Amy and Jake hug , Ty walks downstairs and sees them , Amy walks back inside , Ty making breakfast

ΤY

So what do you say after breakfast me head to the beach and go hang out

AMY

That sounds amazing

Ty Amy and Nathan have breakfast

Ext the beach

Amy and Ty sitting on the beach watching Nathan play

AMY (cont'd)

I am never going to see him grow into amazing man

TY

Yes you are

AMY

We have been through this I am not going to get better

ΤY

I am not giving up on you you will be around for a long time

Ty stands up and gets down on one knee grabs a ring out of his pocket

AMY

What are you doing

TY

Amy will you marry me I have always loved you and this is our chance to be happy

AMY

(crying) Yes (excited) yes I will marry you Yes yes yes .

Ty puts the ring on Amy finger , they kiss , Nathan runs over

NATHAN

What going on

AMY

Your dad and I are getting married

Nathan jumps into Ty and Amy arms

NATHAN

Does this mean that you are getting better

AMY

No buddy but we are going to enjoy the time we have left

Later on that day

INT Nathan bedroom

Nathan working on his laptop , Ty walks in

ΤY

hey buddy

NATHAN

Hey

ΤY

Do you want to be my best man

NATHAN

Of course I do

TY

Good I am glad

Nathan walks over and sits next to TY on the bed

NATHAN

Is mom really going to die

ΤY

yes but we are fighting this with everything we have ok buddy I am not letting your mom go she has been the love of my life

NATHAN

Why did you go away before I was born

TY

Because I was young and stupid

NATHAN

I am glad you came home

TΥ

So am I buddy and I am never leaving again

NATHAN

What If you get traded again

TY

Then I won't play anymore I will only play here so I can be with my family

EXT The Boardwalk

Amy walks over to Lucas

LUCAS

Неу

AMY

Неу

Amy sits next to Lucas

LUCAS

So how are you doing

AMY

TY and I am are getting married

LUCAS

What that is amazing I am happy for you , so how are you doing other wise

AMY

I am ok accepting the fact that fact that I am going to die is hard to process

LUCAS

Know that Ty and I will make sure Nathan is ok I promise

ΔΜΥ

Thank you that means a lot to me

LUCAS

Always

INT Katie cafe

Lucas and Amy walk in , Katie walks over , Amy flashes her ring

AMY

I am engaged Ty and I are getting married

KATIE

THAT IS AMAZING

2 weeks later

EXT The beach

MINSTER

I now pronounce you husband and wife

Ty and Amy kiss the crowd claps

2 weeks later

INT Ty and Amy room

TY asleep , he hears amy in the bathroom throwing up he walks in and sees her coughing up blood he picks her up puts her in the car and drives her to the hospital gets her out of the car carrying her in

тν

SOMEBODY HELP !!!!!

Doctors and nurses rush over place her on the gurney and  $\mbox{Ty}$  follows her and the doctors stops  $\mbox{him}$ 

DOCTOR

Please wait here

Ty paces the hall he makes a call

ΤΥ

Hey Lucas its me can you please go over to the house and check on Nathan Amu and I are at the hospital she was throwing up blood stay with Nathan I will call you in the morning

Ty walks in and sits in the chapel

TY (V.O.)

Please Save her please I am mot ready to say goodbye

INT Amy room

The doctors working on her the monitors beep

TY (V.O)

I can't lose her I finally got her back please help her

The next morning

EXT Ty and Amy house

Lucas standing over the balcony , Nathan walks out

NATHAN

where is mom and dad

LUCAS

Hey are at the hospital

NATHAN

What happen

LUCAS

Your mom took a turn for the worse

NATHAN

Can we go to the hospital

LUCAS

not right now

## INT Memorial Amy room

Ty sitting by Amy bed

ΤY

Listen to me you need to wake up I need you and Nathan needs you I am not ready to let you go

Katie walks in

KATIE

How is she

TY

The doctors says she has days left to live

KATIE

Is she awake

ΤY

No she hasn't woken up yet

KATIE

where is Nathan

ΤY

He is with Lucas

KATIE

Do you need a break

ΤY

No I am ok

KATIE

Mind if I sit with you

ΤY

Sure I could use the company

Ty and Katie sit with Amy

KATIE

You are not allowed to leave without permission you understand me

EXT The Boardwalk

Lucas and Nathan walking down the boardwak

LUCAS

Buddy I just talked to your dad and he wants you to come by the hospital and say goodbye

NATHAN

She is going to die

LUCAS

Yeah buddy

Lucas hugs Nathan

LUCAS (cont'd)

Its going to be ok buddy I promise

INT Memorial -Amy Room

Nathan walks in

NATHAN

Dad

TY

Hey buddy

NATHAN

How is she

ΤΥ

The man truth

NATHAN

Not the boy truth

TY

She is going to die buddy her time is limited

Ty and Nathan sit with her

NATHAN

Good bye mom I love you more than anything

The machines crash and her heart rate flat lines

2 days later

INT Ty House

Nathan walks downstairs , Ty comes in the back door

NATHAN (cont'd)

Can you help me with the tie

ΤY

Sure buddy

Ty helps Nathan Tie his Tie

EXT The Cemtery

Ty and Lucas walk over to Katie and Lucas

LUCAS

Hey buddy how are you holding up

NATHAN

I am ok

KATIE

How you holding up ok

ΤY

Yeah I am ok

The pastor walks over

PASTOR

Please lord welcome her into your kingdom please watch over her friends and family as they cope with this unthinkable loss

Ext the boardwalk

Ty walking down the boardwalk , Jason walks over

JASON

Hey

ΤY

Неу

**JASON** 

How are you doing

TY

I am ok

**JASON** 

Where is Nathan

ΤY

He is at The cafe with Katie

JASON

How is he doing

TY

I think he is confused more than anything he is trying to hide how he is feeling I don't know what I am doing with Nathan I have never been a solo parent I am afraid I am going screw him up somehow

JASON

You are going to great with Nathan I saw that before he knew you were his father

INT Katie cafe

Nathan eaiting ice cream

KATIE

How are you doing champ

NATHAN

I miss her you know its tough that I wake up everyday and have to say goodbye to her

KATIE

Remember you have alot of people who love you are here to help you let them know don't hide your emotions

NATHAN

Ok what if I can't talk to dad

KATIE

But you can always talk to me ok buddy between Ty , Lucas and I you are never alone buddy

Ty walks in

ΤY

Hey buddy

KATIE

Can you go in the back for me bud and Grab a new thing of Ketchup

Nathan walks in the back

TY

How is Nathan

KATIE

He is hurting but he Is afraid to show it around you

Nathan walks out

ΤY

What do you say we go play basketball at the park

EXT Coastal Park

Ty and Nathan play basketball

TY (cont'd)

You ok buddy

NATHAN

Yeah I am getting by

TY

Because you know you can always talk to me right buddy

NATHAN

Yeah I know but I still feel like she is with me

TY

Buddy she is still with you

NATHAN

I know but its not the same

Jason walks on

**JASON** 

Hey guys

ΤY

Неу

NATHAN

Do you want to play with us

**JASON** 

Sure I'd love too

Jason Ty and Nathan play basketball

2 months later

EXT Ty House

Nathan and Ty playing basketball in the driveway

ΤY

You know next week when I am away at trainning camp you gonna be ok with Katie

NATHAN

yeah I will be fine what about away games

ΤY

You will still Katie or Lucas and you will be at all the home

Nathan takes a cheep shot on Ty

TY (cont'd)

Nice shot buddy one day you will be in the NBA for sure

NATHAN

Do you want to come somewhere with me

## EXT The Cemtery

Ty and Nathan walk over to Peter Grave

ΤY

Hey dad its me Ty I am here with your Grandson Nathan he plays baskeball just like you and he is going to break my record like how I broke yours he is going to the NBA one day for sure is

NATHAN

Hi Grandpa I wish I could have known you . Hey can I go say hi to mom

ΤY

Sure buddy go ahead

Nathan walks over to Amy grave

NATHAN

Hey Mom I really miss you its almost basketball season again I wish you could be see him play again

TY walks over

ΤY

You ok buddy

NATHAN

I miss her

ΤΥ

I know you do buddy come on lets go to the Gym

INT Coastal Gym

Ty and Nathan walk in and walk around

NATHAN

I want my jersey next yours and Grandpa

ΤY

You want to take my scoring title

NATHAN

One day it will all be mine

ΤY

We will see buddy

Nathan picks up a basketball and shoots and makes it and advance 5 years

Ty Cheering in the stands , Nathan makes a three

ANNOUNCER

Nathan for three

### EXT The Boardwalk

Nathan looking over the ocean , Ty walks over

TY

Great Game tonight

NATHAN

I only had 20 points

ΤY

You are an outstanding player and son I love more than anything buddy

NATHAN

Where are you going

TY

What do you mean

NATHAN

Sounds like you are saying goodbye

ΤY

I am not going anywhere buddy

Haley (15) walks over

HALEY

Hey Handsome

NATHAN

Hey babe

Haley kisses Nathan on the cheek

TY

I will see you at home

Ty walks away

HALEY

You ok you seem a little distant

NATHAN

I just wish my mom could have seen me play

HALEY

How long has she been gone

NATHAN

5 years

HALEY

How did she die

NATHAN

Cancer

Nathan and Haley walk down the boardwalk holding hands gazing into each other eyes

#### INT Ty house

Ty walks in goes through the mail and walks upstairs

#### INT TY room

Ty walks in and sees Amy on the bed

ΤY

What are you doing here

AMY

You are doing good with Nathan

ΤΥ

I am doing by best that is for sure

Ty lays down on the bed

TY (cont'd)

You know I miss you everyday

AMY

I miss you too but just know that I am with you everyday

Downstairs

Nathan walks in , Jake walks downstairs

JAKE

Hey buddy do you want a late night snack

NATHAN

Sure

**JAKE** 

I am making pancakes

NATHAN

I would love some

Jake makes breakfast , Nathan sits up on the bar stool that have conversation

The next day

INT Coastal High

Nathan walks in and over to his locker , a man walks by and hnads him pills , Nathan takes the pills

EXT Coastal Park

Ty shooting hoops , Kevin walks over

KEVIN

Ty west

TY

What can I do for you

KEVIN

Coach Wilson is going to retire at the end of the season and wanted to offer you the job

TY

As head coach

KEVIN

Yes

TY

I have to talk to Nathan first and if he is ok with it then yes

KEVIN

Ok That is fair let me know as soon as you know let me know

Kevin walks away

Ty conuiunes to play basketball

Later on that day

INT TY house

Nathan walks in and walks up to his room , Ty follows

TΥ

Hey can we talk

Nathan takes off his shirt , Ty sits on his bed , Nathan grabs a shirt from his dresser

TY (cont'd)

So I was talking to Kevin and Coach Wilson is retiring at the end of the season and wanted to know if it was ok with you and I took the job as head coach but only if you ok with it

NATHAN

You can do whatever you want because I quit the team

ΤY

You what

NATHAN

I quit the team

ΤY

Why on earth did you quit the team

NATHAN

I just don't love the game anymore

TY

You can't just quit

NATHAN

Well I so shut the hell up

TY

I am your father don't tell me to shut up

NATHAN

Your my father you showed up in my life when I was 10 you left me for basketball and then showed up because you were traded to the home team I thought you were this great player but turns out you were a dick

Nathan walks down to the beach

INT Katie cafe

Ty walks in

TY

Неу

KATIE

Hey what up

TY

Nothing Nathan is just all the sudden changed and he hates me

KATIE

He is just a teenager

ΤY

He quit the team he acts like he has lost his mind

KATIE

Nathan is a good kid

ΤY

He called me a dick because now he resents me for not showing up until he was 10

KATIE

The kid has been through alot his mom had cancer when he was 5 you were all he could talk about we wanted to tell him you were his father but then again we were never sure if you were coming home

ΤY

I know I was selfish and stupid I should have never left Amy and I am sorry I did and I regret

EXT The Boardwalk

Haley and Nathan walking across the boardwalk holding hands

HALEY

So you quit basketball

NATHAN

I had too

HALEY

why

NATHAN

I don't know when I was younger I thought I would be just like my dad but now I don't know why I wished for that

HALEY

You know whatever you do you will always have my support

NATHAN

Thank you babe

Nathan kisses her on the forehead

NATHAN (cont'd)

I love you

HALEY

I love you too

INT The Pub

Ty walks in and sits up at the bar

BARTENDER

What can I get you

ΤY

Beer on tap

BARTENDER

Coming up

Jake walks in and sits next to Ty

ΤΥ

What the hell are you doing here

JAKE

I wanted to talk to you

ΤY

About what

JAKE

everything that has happen with Amy

TY

Thanks but that was like 5 years ago

JAKE

I know but now that Nathan is a teenager there is a letter that Amy wanted Nathan to have when he was a teenager she wrote him this letter the first time in case she died the first go around

Jake hands Ty the letter

ΤY

I will make sure he gets this

JAKE

And if you or Nathan ever need anything please don't hesiate to reach out to me I am always here

ΤY

Thanks

Jake walks away

Later on that night

Ty sitting at the kicthen table axiouly waiting for Nathan to get home , Nathan walks in the back door

TY (cont'd)

Hey

NATHAN

Неу

TY

We need to talk

NATHAN

If its about me quitting the team I don't want to talk about it

ΤY

This is not about basketball

Nathan sits over at the table

TY (cont'd)

I ran into Jake today at the pub and he wanted me to give you this letter you mom left for you

Ty leaves the letter on the table and walks upstairs , Nathan picks up the letter ponders it for a moment leaves the letter on the table and walks upstairs

INT TY room

Ty lays on his bed staring at the celing

The next morning

### EXT The beach

TY running down the beach

Flash Back to the night after the state championship

AMY

That was an amazing game

ΤY

Yeah it was and you being a cheerleader made it even better

AMY

One day we will look back and tell our kids about the greatest night

ΤY

I just wish my dad was still here to see us win

AMY

He would have been proud

Amy and Ty have sex

INT TY Bedroom

Amy walks in

AMY (cont'd)

I am pregnant

ΤY

I am going to North Lake

AMY

What about us

ΤY

Come with me

AMY

I don't want to come to North Lake with you

ΤY

Then I guess you will be rasing this baby alone

AMY

Ty please can we talk about this

TY

GET OUT OF MY ROOM NOW

Amy walks downstairs crying and out the back door

EXT The Beach present

Ty running and he stops and grabs on to the rail

EXT Cemetery

Ty walks over and sits in front of Amy Grave

TY (cont'd)

I am so sorry I walked away from you , I should have stayed here with you and Nathan (crying)

Nathan grabs a bottle of vodka out of his pocket takes a drink

TY (cont'd)

This is for you

Takes another drink

TY (cont'd)

I should have never left you I always loved you please forgive me because I will never be able to forgive myself for leaving you

Nathan walks over

NATHAN

Hey dad

ΤY

What are you doing here

NATHAN

Well I read mom letter and I wanted to come to talk to her about it why are you here

TY

Because of what happen in the past of how much I was a jerk to you and her about what happen in the past

NATHAN

What choosing basketball over me and  $\operatorname{\mathsf{my}}$   $\operatorname{\mathsf{mom}}$ 

TY

Something like that

NATHAN

You know the funny thing when I used to talk about you being my basketball hero she used to never change her expression she never lead me to believe you were my father but since she is gone I am glad I have you in my life

ΤY

I am glad I came back

NATHAN

(whispers) so am I

Ext coastal Park

Jason shooting hoops , Ty walks on

ΤY

Неу

**JASON** 

Hey what up

ΤY

I was thinking Kevin offered me the coaching job at Coastal high

JASON

Do you want the job

TΥ

I mean I never thought about coaching but my playing days are over and it would be away to stay in the game

JASON

What does Nathan say

ΤΥ

Well he quit the team

JASON

He quit the team why

ΤY

He says he is done

**JASON** 

Well he is 15 you have to let him make his own choice he has been through alot he lost his mom found out his dad wasn't dead

TY

I know

JASON

You need to talk to him and get inside his head and find out where he is at before you jump to conclusions why he quit the game

ТΥ

Maybe your right

**JASON** 

Of course I am right I am always right

Ty walks off the court

## INT Nathan room

Nathan working on his laptop , Ty walks in

TY

hey

NATHAN

hey

TY

What up

NATHAN

Working on my history paper

TY

I want to talk to you

Nathan turns around in his chair

NATHAN

About what

TY

Why you quit the team

NATHAN

Why did I quit the team because I am tired of the whole school whispering behind my back about me and all the pressure I feel to be just like you because everyone expects me to be great like you

ΤY

There is no pressure

NATHAN

You're not me at all I feel like no matter what I do people expect me to be like you

ΤY

What else is there

NATHAN

MOM since she is gone I don't want to play anymore do you know the pain that I feel when I look into the stands and she isn't there she was at all of my games.

TY

You can do whatever you want but just be happy ok and you know you can always talk to me about anything

NATHAN

Look before I met you I wanted to be just like you but I was wrong that is why I never want to be like you because I would never walk out on my kid . Now get out of my room

Ty walks downstairs

Jason walks in , Ty walks in the kitchen and hands Jason a beer

**JASON** 

So did you find out why he quit the team

ΤY

Because he no longer wants to be like me the reason he played because he wanted to be like me

JASON

And now he doesn't

ΤY

No because of what I did

**JASON** 

By abandoning him

TY

Yeah and now he is going to throw it in my face how much of a jerk I was

**JASON** 

You have a chance to make amends now and explain your side of the story not that is it much of an exuse

тν

Maybe your right . All I know that if my father was alive he would have been so angry at me that I chose basketball over being a father

**JASON** 

You need to make things right with Nathan he is 15 he will understand

TY

I am not sure he is going too

## Ext the riverwalk

Nathan and Haley sitting at a table sharing a bowl of ice cream Haley gets a look in her eye like she is going to throw up

NATHAN

Are you ok

HALEY

Yeah I am fine

Haley turns towards the water and throws up

NATHAN

Should I take you home

HALEY

No I will be fine I will be right back

NATHAN

Ok I'll wait here

Haley walks away makes sure Nathan isn't paying any attention and walks into a drug store

INT Drug Store

Haley walks over and grabs a pregancy test walks up to the couner

CLERK

Is that all

Haley looking pale as a ghost

HALEY

Yeah that will be all

Clerk rings up the test and hands it back to her

# EXT The river walk

Nathan anxiously awaiting Haley to come back , Ty walks over

ΤY

Hey Nathan are you ok

NATHAN

Y-yeah I am fine

TY

What up

NATHAN

Just waiting for Haley to come back

TY

Can we talk at home

NATHAN

Sure we can talk not now I am kind of busy

ΤY

Meet me at home no latter then 8pm

NATHAN

I will

Haley walks back towards the table and sees Ty there she hangs back a moment Ty walks away Haley walks over to the table take a deep breath

NATHAN (cont'd)

Hey are you ok

HALEY

We need to talk

NATAHN

Are you ok

HALEY

I am Pregant

NATHAN

Y-your what you can't be (whispered) we used protection

HALEY

No we didn't I am not on the pill

NATHAN

YOU TOLD ME YOU WERE ON THE PILL

HALEY

I knew you wouldn't have sex with me if you knew I wasn't on the pill

NATHAN

I can't believe you right now

Nathan walks away

HALEY

Nathan wait

Nathan keeps walking away

INT TY house

Nathan walks in and waks right up stairs in his room and shuts the door

#### INT Nathan room

Nathan lays on the bed , Knock at the door

NATHAN

Go away

ΤY

(from behind the door) we need to talk

NATHAN

Go away

Ty walk downstairs , Ty walks down and answers the door

HALEY

Hey did Nathan come home

TΥ

Yeah but he wants to be alone

HALEY

I need to talk to him its important

ΤY

You can try he might talk to you

Haley walks upstairs and knocks on the door

INT Nathan room

NATHAN

WHAT DO YOU WANT

Haley barges in

HALEY

We need to talk

NATHAN

No we don't I am not going to be a father so you can decide but I will not be apart of this child life you can leave we are done talking

Haley crying

NATHAN (cont'd)

Oh and by the way we are done

Haley walks downstairs and out the back door Nathan walks downstairs

ΤY

Everything ok

NATHAN

Yeah everything is fine

TY

I want to talk to you about everything

NATHAN

You want to know why I quit basketball

ΤY

Why

NATHAN

Because I could never live up to you and insted of people whispering behind my back that I am not the great player you were

ΤY

Just me a good man alright I don't care what you do

The next day

Nathan drives over to Haley house and walks up to the door and knocks on the door , Ashton (18) opens the door

**ASHTON** 

Can I help you

NATHAN

Is Haley home

ASHTON

No she left about 20 minutes ago

Nathan runs down and gets in the car and drives off

EXT Coastal Park shops

Nathan looks around and sees Haley in front of an aborition clinic , Nathan quickly parks and run over to Haley

HALEY

Nathan who told you I was here

NATHAN

Your brother told me you were gone

HALEY

I can't raise this baby alone

NATHAN

You don't have to I will be there for you

HALEY

Why the change in heart

NATHAN

Because I don't want to end up like my dad

HALEY

what about our dreams

NATHAN

We will figure it out ok I love you and want to spend the rest of my life with

Haley jumps into Nathan arms

5 years later

EXT Coastal Park

Nathan (20) Parker (5) Haley (20) Haley watching from the stands Nathan and Parker playing basketball

PARKER

One day I want to be just like you

NATHAN

You can do anything you set your mind to buddy

PARKER

I want to be great like you and Grandpa

NATHAN

Most importantly always be a good man

PARKER

Can we go see Grandpa

NATHAN

Maybe later on today , Keep shooting

Paker keeps shooting Nathan walks over and sits next to Haley

NATHAN (cont'd)

Неу

HALEY

Hey having fun

NATHAN

yeah Marry me ?

HALEY

what

NATHAN

You heard me Marry me

HALEY

Really

NATHAN

Yes

HALEY

Yes !!!

NATHAN

Yes ?

Haley hugs Nathan excitly

HALEY

Yes yes yes !!!!!!!

NATHAN

Hey Parker your mom and I are getting married

PARKER

Awesome

EXT The cemtery

Nathan and Parker walking around , walk over to Amy Grave

PARKER (cont'd)

Who is this

NATHAN

This is my mom she would have been your Grandmother

PARKER

how old you were when she died

NATHAN

I was 10

PARKER

How did she die

NATHAN

Cancer

EXT The boardwalk

Nathan and Parker

NATHAN (V.O.)

The moments in our lives define us

Ext The beach

Nathan and Parker walking down the beach

NATHAN (V.O.) (cont'd)

We become who we are many different ways, our lives are defined by our moments and choices we become who we are sometimes we fall short and far go beyond who we are supposed to be sometimes it moments in our life that define us and decide our path sometimes by our last name by mostly by a moment in time

Nathan and Parker run down into the ocean

NATHAN

I love you dad

PARKER

I love you too buddy

Nathan and Parker splash each other in the ocean

INT Haley and Nathan house

Haley cooking dinner , Nathan and Parker walk in

HALEY

hey buddy did you have fun

PARKER

The best

HALEY

Go upstairs and wash up for dinner

Parker runs upstairs

NATHAN

So when do you want to get married

HALEY

Soon I guess

NATHAN

How soon

HALEY

on the beach

NATHAN

I need to go see my dad

HALEY

Ok

INT TY house

Nathan walks in

NATHAN

Dad

Nathan walks upstairs and sees his dad laying in his bed

NATHAN (cont'd)

Dad

Nathan shakes Ty

NATHAN (cont'd)

Dad wake up dad

Nathan pulls out his phone

EXT The cemetery

Nathan Haley and Parker stand around his Cascut

PASTOR

We are here to Honor Ty a brother a father a friend and a Grandfather he will be missed but never forgotten he was loved by many

INT Nathan and Haley house

Nathan walks in loosing his tie and grabs a beer out of the fridge , Haley walks in

HALEY

Are you ok

NATHAN

No I am not ok my dad is gone

Haley hugs Nathan

NATHAN (cont'd)

I love you

HALEY

I love you too

NATHAN

Where is Parker

HALEY

He is upstairs changing

NATHAN

Thought I would take him to the park and play in memory of my dad

HALEY

Sounds great

#### EXT Coastal Park

Nathan and Parker play basketball

PARKER

Dad I miss Grandpa

NATHAN

Me to buddy

Nathan and Park play while Ty is watching from up in a tree

ΤY

Your a good man Son and I love you

TY vanishes away

NATHAN

Do you know what

PARKER

What

NATHAN

You remind me so much of your grandfather your drive

PARKER

One day I will play just like you and Grandpa

NATHAN

Work hard and you will and remember to always be a good man

FADE OUT