

TWI-HARD: WITH A VENGEANCE

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FADE IN:

EXT. STREET - DAY

We see a poster of Edward from Twilight, the one where's he's trying to look all tough but really he just looks pissed off (Type Edward Cullen into Google-it's the first one there.)

JASON, 18, is staring back at the poster with the same pissed off look. We get closer and closer to their eyes until--- Jason tears the poster in half.

Freeze frame.

JASON (V.O.)  
You're probably wondering why I'm tearing down a poster of a fictional vampire...It's because I fucking hate him.

INT. JASON'S BEDROOM - DAY

Jason is sitting on his bed with the telephone.

JASON (V.O.)  
When Stacy dumped me, her reason was simply:

INT. STACY'S BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

STACY, 17, sits by her dressing table on the telephone.

STACY  
I wish you were more like Edward.

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JASON  
What?

STACY  
He's a God. An adonis. Gentle. Caring. He has a good taste in clothes.

JASON  
He--what?

STACY  
He quotes Shakespeare. He writes  
lullabies. He says "love" at the  
end of a sentence.

JASON  
I. Um.

STACY  
Charming. Speaks sophisticatedly.  
Virgin.

JASON  
Okay. Awesome, Stacy. Nice talking.

INT. JASON'S HOUSE - PASSAGE

Jason's walking down the passage. His sister, ERICA, 16,  
walks out of her room.

ERICA  
Hey, you going out tonight?

JASON  
Nah. Stacy just dumped me.

ERICA  
Why?

JASON  
For a guy named Edward. Who names  
their kid Edward?

INT. ERICA'S BEDROOM - DAY

Erica throws a book on the bed. Jason picks it up.

ERICA  
I borrowed them from Candice.

JASON  
He's not real.

ERICA  
Mm-hmm.

JASON  
He's a vampire.

ERICA  
Mm-hmm.

JASON  
She dumped me for a character in a  
book.

ERICA  
There's movies too.

JASON (V.O.)  
So...I read the books.

INT. JASON'S BEDROOM - DAY

Jason sits on his bed with the first book.

JASON (V.O.)  
His breath blew in my face,  
stunning me.

INT. JASON'S HOUSE - LOUNGE - ANOTHER DAY

Jason's reading the second book.

JASON (V.O.)  
I hoped that I was fainting, but,  
to my disappointment, I didn't lose  
consciousness. The waves of pain  
that had only lapped at me before  
now reared high up and washed over  
my head, pulling me under. I did  
not resurface

Jason turns the page. It says "October". He turns it again.  
"It says "November". He turns the page and now it says  
"December.

JASON  
What the actual fuck?

INT. BATHROOM - ANOTHER DAY

Jason's sitting on the toilet reading the next book.

JASON  
Sleep, my Bella. Dream happy  
dreams. You are the only one who  
has ever touched my heart. It will  
always be yours. Sleep, my only  
love.

Jason puts the book on his lap.

JASON (CONT'D)  
I just can't.

INT. DINING ROOM - ANOTHER DAY

Jason's on the last book.

JASON (V.O.)  
Nearly done...nearly done...almost  
There...

Jason closes the book. He throws it against the wall.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - DAY

Jason's watching TV.

JASON (V.O.)  
I watched the movies.

EXT. FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

Edward stands in the sunlight with his shirt open. His skin sparkles.

EDWARD  
This is the skin of a killer.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - CONTINUOUS

Jason spits out his drink.

EXT. FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

Bella looks at him.

EDWARD  
Are you afraid, lamb?

BELLA  
No. I would rather die than stay  
away from you.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - ANOTHER DAY

He's watching the next film.

EXT. DIFFERENT FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

EDWARD  
I don't want you.

BELLA  
If this is about my soul, take it.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - CONTINUOUS

JASON  
What?

EXT. DIFFERENT FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

EDWARD  
This is the last time you'll ever  
see me. Don't do anything stupid,  
k?

Bella cries. Edward takes her tear onto his finger and licks it.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - AND ANOTHER DAY

Jason's on the third film.

EXT. FOREST AREA - DAY - ON SCREEN

Edward's hand is on Bella's face. She smells his fingers.

She turns around. Jacob's there with his shirt off. She touches his abs.

INT. JASON'S LOUNGE - CONTINUOUS

Jason's staring at the film through his hands.

EXT. FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

Bella's screaming. Edward approaches Jacob.

EDWARD  
I want you to impregnate her.

JACOB  
Say what?

EDWARD

She's going to die if she gives birth to this child. But she wants a child. So I'm giving you this opportunity. Replace my child with your own.

JACOB

Hellz yeah!

EXT. POOL AREA - DAY

Jason sits by the pool. He is in utter disbelief.

JASON (V.O.)

I couldn't make any sense of it. He's pale. He's creepy. He abuses the poor girl. He controls her. And he practically stalks her. Not to mention the rest of it...

Jason looks at his reflection in the pool.

INT. KITCHEN - DAY

Jason enters the kitchen. His sister and another girl KATIE, 17 are sitting there.

ERICA

Jason, this is Katie. Katie, my brother.

KATIE

I've heard a lot about you.

Jason smiles.

EXT. GARDEN - DAY

Katie and Jason are walking together.

JASON (V.O.)

Katie and I spent the whole day talking. She was pretty amazing.

KATIE

I've been at home school forever. I hardly even go out. It's like I live under a rock. Haven't even been to a movie in ages.

Realisation washes over Jason's face. He looks up at the sky.  
It's twilight.

JASON  
Twilight.

KATIE  
Huh?

JASON  
Twilight.

KATIE  
What about it? It's beautiful,  
isn't it?

Jason looks like he's about to die.

KATIE (CONT'D)  
It's my favourite time of day.

He's relieved!

JASON  
Is that all it means to you?

KATIE  
Yes. What else would it mean?

Jason grins.

INT. JASON'S HOUSE - PASSAGE - DAY

The doorbell rings. Jason answers. Katie is standing there.

KATIE  
Know what today is?

He doesn't.

KATIE (CONT'D)  
It's our one month anniversary!

JASON  
I knew that.

Jason opens the gate. Katie gives him a card.

KATIE  
So I thought we could go on a date.  
Like a date-date. To the mall.

Jason's face is full of panic.

JASON

I. I um. No. Um.

KATIE

Come on. We never get to go out.

INT. MALL - DAY

Katie and Jason enter the mall. Jason looks around hoping nothing Twilight related is around. He turns around. Katie's gone. He walks. He sees her by a window. Staring at a large poster of Bella, Edward and Jacob.

KATIE

Who. Are. They?

JASON (V.O.)

So...much to my chagrin, she read the books.

INT. KATIE'S BEDROOM - DAY

Katie's reading the first book. Smiling.

INT. KATIE'S BEDROOM - LATER

She's reading the second. Crying.

INT. KATIE'S BEDROOM - MUCH LATER

Now she's on the third. Excited.

INT. KATIE'S BEDROOM - EVEN LATER

Now she's on the last. She finishes it and holds it to her chest.

JASON (V.O)

She watched the movies.

INT. KATIE'S LOUNGE - DAY

Katie's watching the first film.

EXT. FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

Edward's chest sparkles.

EDWARD  
This is the skin of a killer.

INT. KATIE'S LOUNGE - CONTINUOUS

OMG he's so hot.

EXT. DIFFERENT FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

EDWARD  
Don't do anything stupid, k?

INT. KATIE'S LOUNGE - CONTINUOUS

Katie's crying her eyes out.

EXT. FOREST AREA - DAY - ON SCREEN

Bella stops sniffing Edward's fingers and touches Jacob's abs.

INT. KATIE'S LOUNGE - DAY

Katie throws something at the TV.

KATIE  
Oh hell no, bitch. Team Edward.

Katie's wearing a shirt that says Team Edward.

INT. FOREST - DAY - ON SCREEN

EDWARD  
Replace my child with your own.

INT. KATIE'S HOUSE - DAY

KATIE  
Wow. Best BF ever.

Jason's watching Katie from the distance.

JASON (V.O.)

Overs.

INT. KATIE'S HOUSE - DAY

Jason's walking down the passage. He hears sobbing. He rushes into Katie's room.

INT. KATIE'S BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

There are snacks all over her bed, plus three of the books. She's reading the second one.

JASON

What's the matter?

KATIE

He...he...he. He left her!

JASON

Oh.

KATIE

He left her, Jas.

JASON

But he comes back. And they get married. And have a kid. And live happily ever after.

KATIE

But he left her!

JASON

I thought you already read these.

KATIE

This is my third time.

Jason rolls his eyes subtly. Not subtle enough though.

KATIE (CONT'D)

OME, what's wrong with you?

JASON

OM what?

KATIE

Oh my Edward. Duh. Do you have a problem with the Saga?

JASON  
You mean the series?

KATIE  
It is so a Saga. You don't have a  
life. You're just jealous.

JASON  
Of what?

KATIE  
Of Edward.

JASON  
Ha! What?

KATIE  
He's just so amazing. In every way.  
You probably do like it. You're  
just saying you don't. You secretly  
love it! Honest to Jacob it's the  
best thing ever.

Jason walks towards the door.

KATIE (CONT'D)  
Where are you going?

Jason walks out the room.

KATIE (CONT'D)  
Well, whatever! You try writing a  
best seller!

EXT. STREET - DAY

Freeze frame of Jason tearing down the poster. It resumes.  
Jason looks down at the torn poster and tears down the other  
half. A hot girl walks up to him. She looks down at the  
poster.

GIRL  
Not an Edward fan, huh?

JASON  
No. I hate him.

GIRL  
So do I! Oh my gosh.

Freeze frame of Jason smiling.

JASON

Oh yeah. This is the one. O  
M...yeah.

Resume.

GIRL

Mm. I always fancied myself Team  
Jacob.

She lifts up her shirt to reveal another one underneath,  
reading "Team Jacob". Jason looks it at and then back at her.  
He walks away.

FADE OUT