# Lee Side 1

#### **Start** — LEE

why are you acting like this? I just / don't

### RAELYNN

we've been together for seven years Lee that's not normal we're only sixteen we've been going out since fourth grade it's so weird

### LEE I don't think it's weird

### RAELYNN

I like ... I think I'm starting to realize like I don't really um I have no idea who I am without you? I mean being your girlfriend has been like the main thing in my life, like it's been everything? and I just I'm not sure that's the way it should be

LEE that used to be okay you used to like that

RAELYNN I don't know if I did I think maybe I just didn't think about it

LEE you don't have to think about every single thing vou know? sometimes things can just be whatever they are

RAELYNN I like thinking about things I wanna think about more things I wanna try more stuff

NOTE: No physical violence is required during the audition. Please interpret the scene of aggression with the desk using only your own body and vocal expression. No props please.

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like what kissing other guys?

RAELYNN no! I mean maybe one day but that's not even in like the top five

LEE what is?

RAELYNN I don't know! that's the point! I don't even know what I wanna try! I don't know anything!

LEE you obviously have Something in mind or Someone

RAELYNN you're not listening to me you never listen to me

LEE I am listening, you're just not telling the truth

RAELYNN I don't know! I wanna dress different maybe!

LEE right to get attention from different guys

RAELYNN no! god! why are You mad at Me for hypothetically wanting to kiss other guys when *you* did way more than kiss my BEST FRIEND

LEE I made a mistake john proctor is the villain january 2020

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and god I wanna make up for it but you're not giving me a chance I miss you I love you baby, you're my whole world

... and like this isn't you all this stuff you're saying it's like fuckin Beth and that new Atlanta girl and that club

RAELYNN we only started the club like last week and it's / not like

LEE look

beat

I was frustrated I mean like it's different for guys

RAELYNN no I get that

LEE we'd been together for *seven years* 

RAELYNN we've covered that yeah

LEE I just don't understand like is it your dad? I thought all that stuff from church wasn't really I mean what are you waiting for?

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RAELYNN I'm not waiting *for* anything I don't know

LEE do you not trust me?

RAELYNN I mean obviously I don't *now* 

> beat Lee shakes his head to himself then he pushes over a desk kinda violently like, he throws it a little not directly at Raelynn or anything he doesn't like hulk out or go crazy it's just a moment of casual violence it makes you wonder how many times Lee's done stuff like this it makes you wonder how many times Lee's done stuff like this it makes you think about all the casual violence you've witnessed and excused it makes you think about that time in college acting class when a guy punched a hole through a wall right next to his female scene partner and your professor praised him for being "truthful" it makes you think about how many times you've heard "boys will be boys" Raelynn jumps back

### RAELYNN

Lee!!!

beat

#### LEE sorry

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beat

sorry I just

long pause

RAELYNN I'm gonna go like get breakfast or something before the bell