

# GEM STONE

"Pilot"

FIRST DRAFT

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ARISHIA raises her eyebrow at GEMMA.

FLASHBACK TO:

INT. HOTEL BAR ROOM - NIGHT - TWO WEEKS AGO

The Hotel Bar is host to a large crowd of party goers in honour of the host who is a friend of GEMMA's.

GEMMA and ARISHIA are standing with wine glasses amongst a group of people, talking amongst themselves, laughing and giggling. ALEX is one of the people in the group, who is engaged in a conversation he does not want to be a part of as he keeps a firm eye on GEMMA.

ARISHIA

I think I could totally get away with saying I'm a visiting Kardashian cousin, what do you reckon.

GEMMA

Oh my God yes! Do it, you have to do it.

ARISHIA

Okay, I promise I'll do it, but it has to be in context.

ALEX gets an opportunity to leave his conversation and quickly approaches GEMMA and ARISHIA.

ALEX

(Looking only at GEMMA)  
You girls look like you're have fun.

GEMMA

Yeah a little.

ARISHIA just looks at ALEX and remains silent. It is obvious she is uncomfortable at how effortlessly GEMMA can attract men by just her looks.

ALEX

(Continuing to look only at GEMMA)  
I'm Alex.

He puts out his hand. GEMMA puts her hand out too expecting him to take it, which he does, then shakes it.

GEMMA

I'm Gemma and this is Arishia.

ALEX goes to shake her hand, but she's crossed one of her arms across her chest, whilst drinking wine with the other, she just looks at him coldy.

ARISHIA

Hello.

ALEX

Alesha is it?

ARISHIA

No.

ALEX turns his attention back to GEMMA.

ALEX

So, you interested in coming to my friend Justin Bieber's party after this?

ARISHIA raises an eyebrow.

FLASHFORWARD TO:

INT. KITCHEN

GEMMA

Oh, that was quite douche-y. Why didn't I pick up on that?

ARISHIA

Well in fairness to you, you haven't had sex in six months and so I think that consequently you just happen to be attracted to the biggest dick in the room.

GEMMA

You know it's things like that, that make people here not like you.

ARISHIA

No I think it's other things.

FLASHBACK TO:

EXT. RESTAURANT VALET - NIGHT

GEMMA and ARISHIA are waiting to get their car from Valet, another gentleman of HISPANIC appearance is waiting around with them.

A MAN and WOMAN come out of the restaurant and walk toward the Valet area.

The MAN hands his ticket to the HISPANIC GENTLEMAN. ARISHIA notices him take it in surprise and smiles.

HISPANIC GENTLEMAN  
I'm not the VALET.

MAN  
Oh sorry, you're standing out here,  
I thought you were the VALET.

ARISHIA turns to them.

ARISHIA  
And you look Mexican which is the  
actual reason he thought you were  
the VALET.

The MAN is affronted by the comment.

HISPANIC GENTLEMAN  
I'm from Ecuador.

ARISHIA  
Yeah but you all look alike.

MAN  
Look alike to who?

ARISHIA  
Well, to everyone else.

MAN  
That's racist.

ARISHIA  
Oh right, like you can tell where  
I'm from.

MAN  
You're Indian, but from England.

ARISHIA  
I'm Australian.

HISPANIC GENTLEMAN  
You don't look it.

ARISHIA is affronted by that comment, GEMMA laughs.

FLASHFORWARD TO:

ARISHIA gives GEMMA a cheesy smile in return.

GEMMA  
I'm surprised you haven't been shot  
yet.

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