

SCRIPT TITLE

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FADE IN:

INT. SUPERMARKET. EVENING

A WOMAN in her early 30's looks pensive as she waits at the checkout. She looks down and sees a mass of red in bunches after bunches of roses wrapped in cellophane. She looks up at the till and sees on display valentine cards and boxes of chocolates. The CASHIER gives her a warm smile as she begins to put her groceries through.

CASHIER
Can't avoid them, can you?

WOMAN
Sorry?

CASHIER
Valentine cards, flowers,
chocolates. They're everywhere.

The WOMAN smiles in agreement. She pays and walks out.

CUT TO:

INT. BEDROOM. MORNING

The WOMAN from the previous scene is on the phone.

VOICE
Could you confirm your full name
and address please.

WOMAN
My name is BETHANY JAMES

INT. CALL CENTRE. MORNING

A MAN in his early 30's is looking at a computer monitor

INTERCUT WITH BETHANY'S BEDROOM

BETHANY
8 Peach Blossom Lane, Oakdale

He smiles as he listens to her voice. A COLLEAGUE looks over.

COLLEAGUE
Was that her?

MAN (NODS)
The one with the beautiful voice

CUT TO:

INT. LIVING ROOM. AFTERNOON

BETHANY is sitting with a LITTLE GIRL of around four years of age. They are colouring a book, the LITTLE GIRL is doing one page and BETHANY is doing the other. The Little GIRL puts the crayon down and smiles.

LITTLE GIRL
I win, I win

BETHANY
Yes you have won. You've beaten me
again IZZY.

IZZY looks very pleased with her self and BETHANY gives her an affectionate cuddle. The door bell rings and BETHANY goes to answer it, she returns with a MAN in his mid 30's holding a little girl's coat in his hand.

MAN
Time to go home IZZY

She gets up and goes to him and he puts her coat on her

MAN (CONT'D)
Thanks for looking after her for me
BETH

BETHANY
Any time DANIEL. Its always a
pleasure spending time with IZZY.

He picks IZZY up and brings her close to BETHANY

DANIEL
Now give your aunt BETH a big kiss.

As IZZY moves towards BETHANY she twitches her nose and moves her head back giving out a big sneeze and with it a watery discharge that covers her upper lip. She kisses BETHANY who smiles affectionately as her cheek is covered with the sticky remains. DANIEL and IZZY leave and BETHANY goes into the kitchen, she smiles as she takes a tissue from her sleeve and wipes her wet cheek. She makes herself a cup of coffee which she sips as she stands at the window looking out. She has a far away look again. The door bell rings. She puts her cup down and goes and opens the front door. There's nobody there. She looks around but can't see anyone. As she's about to close the door she sees a big bunch of red tulips on the floor. She picks them up and the card with them reads "I love your beautiful voice. Happy Valentine's Day" BETHANY looks around again on all sides but there is no one to be seen. She wraps her hands around the flowers and brings them to her face to smell them. She smiles as she goes inside and closes the door.

FADE OUT.