

SCENE 16

BEULAH

Welcome to Gander Academy – nicest hotel on the east coast, except for those with actual beds. My name’s Beulah. Washrooms are just down the hall. There’s food over there if you’re hungry – and clothes, if you’d like to change. I’ll show you now where you’re going to sleep. Let us know if there’s anything else you need.

*EVERYONE surrounds BEULAH.*

KEVIN J.

So what really happened?

BEULAH

Well... what’s the last thing you heard?

KEVIN J.

There was an accident in New York.

BEULAH

Okay... I’m going to show you now to your rooms, and then if you want to come back, we’ve got two TV’s set up in the cafeteria with the news on – so you can see what’s actually happened for yourselves...

#6e – *Lead Us Out of the Darkness*

JANICE

I didn’t even think – they haven’t seen any of it yet.

ALL

LEAD US OUT OF THE DARKNESS

HANNAH

We’re all staring at those images.

BEULAH

And we just stand helpless watching them.

ALL

LEAD US SOMEWHERE TO SAFETY