

Chapter 9

"We got you Ms. Thang. Don't try and push our buttons," said Pam. So Kara, Sunday you will be flying out to Florida to take your ship to the Virgin Islands. One week you guys will be on the Virgin Islands, and the next week you will be on the ship sailing around the other islands," say Helen.

"Yes, that is what Larry said we will be doing. Oh no. Pam, this is all wrong."

"We all should be on that ship with you, Kara. We three have never been without the other somewhere around. You will miss us Kara, and stop that crying. Hell, that's why he's taking you now so we can't go. It is the wrong time for me and the others also. Helen the man wants her all to himself," says Pam.

"Oh come on you two. I'll be alright. That I promise you. I will call you all when I get to Florida and just before we get on the ship. And I will be seeing you all on Saturday at daddy's house. Are you all going with me to the airport on Sunday," say Kara.

"No, Kara, that is too much. I can't see you going away without the three of us. I will start crying. So we will all say our bon voyage on Saturday, old girl."

"Well, hello mothers. You all are drunk. Didn't you ladies eat anything today?"

"No, son, we were too busy talking and drinking to think about some food. Oh John, thank you for coming. Your three mothers needed an evening to ourselves before Kara takes this here vacation. We need some time away from the family. Saturday everybody will be at Pop-pop's house. Thank you. You brought Carol and your Lillian. Thank you for coming to get your moms. Yes, all three mothers really need to go home now."

"How many drinks did you ladies have?" asks John.

"Who? Not we! We was counting. We was drinking and talking and crying," says Helen. Well, let's go home. Oh, wait one minute. We are all going to your mother's house to help her with her dinner and set up her dining room table from here," said Helen.

"Mom Helen, what for? My mother does not need help in her kitchen," says Carol.

"Oh yes she does. This evening she is cooking a special meal for her Mr. Larry. We all need to try catch this man for our Kara," says Pam.

"Oh mother, when did Mr. Larry get back home?" asks Carol.

"This morning, baby," say Kara.

"Well, I need to talk to him about our school," says Carol.

Deleted: HAPTER NINE

Formatted: Font: Calisto MT

Formatted: Line spacing: single

Formatted: Style Calisto MT
Justified, Left, Line spacing: single

Deleted: o...I [1]

Deleted:

Deleted: w..., w..., it...ould not..., i [2]

Deleted: ¶
, ... t... ¶
D...:..? [3]

Deleted: [4]

Deleted: ¶
You ladies must drunken and lost are
liquor. ...Mother d [5]

Deleted: or...y [6]

Deleted: ¶
...say...? [7]

Deleted: n... w..., o... w...is [8]

Deleted: m... [9]

Deleted: t...s...her (..) [10]

Deleted: ent...tingsay [11]

Deleted: ?

“Well little one, I think you will have to do your talking on the phone tonight because I need to talk to you. So come by the house. We need to talk before you go back to Paris, baby. So you can have dinner with me and Ronald if that’s alright with you, baby,” says Pam.

Deleted: s... w..., [12]

“Oh, yes, Mom Pam. I also need pop Dad (Ronald) to do me a cup of favor,” says Carol.

Deleted: f, ...are [13]

“Hello, did all our moms pay up their tabs,” asks John.

Deleted: your...say [14]

“Yes, we paid up,” says Kara.

Deleted: y [15]

Well, can’t we all leave this her place, mother, before you ladies get another drink for the road? My, if the husbands would have seen you two ladies, there would be some mad men, and my mother, your Brian, and Mrs. Diane would need to forgive you. my mother do no wrong to her. They would be not to happy about this, my mother. I am not to happy to let go home,” says John.

Deleted: ver..y.....y... it...ans...a...two talk your baby ening ... non one are my mother. ening ... so [15]

“You look here, Mr. Smarty pants, why do you think we called for you. We thought that you would come, and here you get an attitude with us

Deleted: go... [16]

“But we all love you,” says John and Carol.

Deleted: , b... ([17]

“You two need to close your mouth or all your mothers will stop all that gift money. You are still a young intern trying to climb up that ladder. You, too, Ms. Carol. You, too, climb up that ladder of success. The other two are already up that ladder. We love you both,” says Pam.

Deleted:) ...y...are...s...y...al... y...s [18]

“Lillian, you take a good look at this here family because I am going to welcome you to our little crazy family. I want you to meet the three ‘Jersey Ladies’. You have seen one, but the other two are standing over there. Look over your left shoulder. You can believe me when I tell you the ‘Jersey Ladies’ travel in pairs. So, Lillian, heed you to listen to me real good now. You said you love me, right? Well, if you really love me, I will gladly welcome you to this here family. You see those three little ladies are my heart. They come with this package. So my Lillian, do be aware that if you choose me, you need to make sure that you can go all the way. So I think you need to give it some thought. But if you think you can hang in there, then you come right on in with the rest of the crazy family. My mothers. They cry, they laugh, and also giggle. But we all love them to death. They will always have my back. So if you choose us, you can return your package. It is as simple as that,” says John.

Deleted: f ys...y...is..., l.. you.... T...ys... now, they..., s...(.)...l..., y...w...ys is ..., s...is goes ... s...s...might ..., t...ing ...ing... i [19]

“Well, my son, we thank you so very much for those sweet wonderful words, and you are just nice to welcome Lillian to the family. But your little family is not that crazy. We just like to have a good time. Yes, but not that crazy, not yet anyway,” says Kara.

Deleted: f and..., w [20]

“Yes, we all love you John. So now, let’s go to the supermarket. We still need to do some shopping. We need food and some wine for Larry. So let’s go now,” says Pam.

Deleted: , s...p... w [21]

“Oh hell, no you are not going to no store. Not this day. We are going to take you three mothers home and put you three ladies to bed, before your bosses surely come home before time and find you two ladies like this. And my mother. Stop that crying please! John, you take your mother home and put her in bed. She needs to get some rest before Larry sees her. We don't need him to see her this way. He might never come back. We will try to catch him so you make sure she is lying down and locked up. And John, you go and pick up Lillian at mom Helen's house, and I'll be over. We will go to the store together. So you wait for me at mom Helen's house. That way we won't have to take but one car.”

Deleted: s.....you ... s..., h...aying.... t [22]

“Now Lillian, by the way, you are welcome to the family now. This is the time to see if you can hang. Now mom Helen is your job. You will take her home. She just lives a block over from mother's house. And mom Helen can tell you the right one, and Lillian don't let her give you a hard time. If so, call me. You also need to make sure she is lying down, and John will be coming over, so he will lock up. Now I will take my mom Pam home and put her in bed, too. John you make sure my mother is alright before you leave that house. And that goes also for you, too, Lillian. You ladies need some rest before you think about some cooking tonight. So, you ladies give us your list of items you need for this here dinner tonight. We three will be going to the store to do the shopping. So give me some money now.

Deleted: ¶ is... y... s...aying...I...l..., s [23]

“Let's go home right now. No more talk.” says Carol.

Deleted: ¶ are any completed [24]

“Oh man, is that my baby Carol talking like that. Hell, who died and left her in charge of our life.” says Helen and Kara.

Deleted: (...) [25]

“You better get your bag and money and list out, or she might just make us go to bed without any food tonight.”

“Hell, she might just tell her daddy on us.”

The three ladies get up, walk to the door, and stop to say bye to Bob. They walk out of the bar, laughing saying, “We look like we are the little children right now.”

Deleted: and... and...just ... [26]

Bob said, “Night ladies. Come again and thank you all.”

Deleted: n..., c... [27]

But the ladies did not hear him. Each woman got in the car that Carol had sent. They all left Tom's Bar and Grill.

Deleted: b...e...aid...ave...t [28]

Early Saturday morning, Kara and her girl were up early trying to get everything ready for the cook out.

Deleted: ¶ as... [29]

“Mother, you are not making your child breakfast this morning. I hope you know that your child is very hungry,” says Diana.

Deleted: no [30]

“Yes, my baby, your mother has to go to your Pop-pop's house to cook breakfast this morning for everybody. So, my little girl, you might have to find yourself something to eat in the refrigerator to hold you over until this old lady can get to the house and start to cook. I love you, too, my little girl. My father, he called me the first thing this

Deleted: ...ve..., s... [30]

morning to tell me to come to the house and cook for everyone. He would like to feed everybody. That way you will be at daddy's house all day after breakfast. He will start on the cook out. He likes to put every living soul to work. My father gets a kick out of it. So my child, as you said, that is why your mother is not cooking at home. Also, that is the reason why we are taking all this food for breakfast and the cook out food. Everything goes to your Pop-pop's house. Your mom Helen and her family are already at the house. Oh, can you guess who is home this week?"

"No, mom."

Well, your two little cousins are home. Helen and Willie are so happy this morning. George and Crystal came home last night. I love to see them. It has been a very long time. It's been almost one year since I saw the two children. It is almost time for them to be getting out of college by now. Helen will soon have two more doctors in the house. She is very happy about it. Oh yes, your uncle Timothy and his family are all coming over this time so Helen and Mary are there to help mother out. John says he is going to bring Lillian over before he goes to the golf course.

The men is going to play a few games of golf this morning. So they will be in no one's way. But that's just the excuse they are trying to use so they won't have to work. When they come back, all the food will be ready to eat. Your mom Pam called and said she is on her way over here to take some of the food to the house. She also has some food to take to the house," say Kara.

"Oh, mother, did you make the potato salad and the bean salad?" asks Diana.

"Yes, I did. I also need you to cut up the vegetables for the tossed salad. And girls, do put everything in the bowl that's on the table for me please. We also need to wash all the meat and put it in the big bowl. Also, when Pam gets here, we can start putting food in my car and her car. Oh yes, Carol, Larry said he will talk to you and Brian today about your school," say Kara.

"Thank you, mother, for asking Mr. Larry. It will be such that Mr. Law-man doesn't know about it," says Carol.

"Good morning everybody. Is everyone about ready to go?"

"Yes, mom Pam. And how is my mom Pam this here morning?"

Well baby, your mom is doing just fine. How are you this morning, Kara."

"Just fine, Pam. Oh my, Diana, you look so tired this morning, baby. How do you feel? You wouldn't be sick would you baby?" said Pam.

Deleted: ,

Deleted: t

Deleted: , that way he will have everybody at the house.

Deleted: e

Deleted: ¶
¶

Deleted: , e

Deleted: is

Deleted: , i

Deleted: that

Deleted: ,

Deleted: s

Deleted: is

Deleted: was

Deleted: Lillian

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: a

Deleted: , s

Deleted: ould

Deleted: is

Deleted: ve

Deleted: ,

Deleted: say

Deleted: ?

Deleted: ,

Deleted:

Deleted: no

Deleted: ¶

Deleted:

Deleted:

Deleted: ,

Deleted: ?

“Oh no, my mom Pam, your child is just tired and needs her rest. You know today is my rest day, I need all the rest I can get now days. Now my mother know that this is a no-no day, but my two mothers have me out here for some good old cook out. I could be in my bed getting me some good old rest,” say Diana.

Deleted: ... ¶
[31]

“Carol.”

Deleted: (...) [32]

“Yes, mother?”

“Carol when are you going back to France,” said Kara.

Deleted: v [33]

“Oh mother, thank you for asking. You know I forgot to get you to book me a flight out of here. I need to be back in Paris by 8:00 p.m. Friday night. I have to do some modeling. So mother, you know I forgot you were leaving on Sunday morning on your trip. So mother, can you still book me on a flight before you leave? For your baby?” said Carol.

Deleted: e...ing...on... Friday morning... myself...e...as... [33]

“Oh yes, my child, you do not need to worry your little head off. Your mother has your back. I will book you on a plane right now,” said Kara.

Deleted: ...ve...ing...y [34]

She walked into her office in her house.

“Mom Pam, I’ll be back in Paris for a week and I need to do some shopping for you. The new model lines have come up. All new stock will come in next week. So I will do some shopping for you,” said Carol.

Deleted: ¶
S... a..., S...y [35]

“Well my two young ladies, you will be flying out of here at 6:00 p.m., Friday morning on first class. So Ms. Diana, you will be going to Paris with your sister Carol for two whole weeks. You need a nice vacation. So your mother is sending you away. I do not need an excuse,” said Kara.

Deleted: i..., s..., ...o...y [36]

“Look mother, I really do not need a vacation. Oh mom, you hurt my feeling, but that is alright just because you open the door to your heart. Now you tell me to get up and do the same thing. But my sweet mother, I have neither love or nor Mr. Right, not yet anyway. So how about stop wasting your time telling me about my life. Why can’t we just love one another enough or try to live together in a little peace,” said Diana.

Deleted: ¶
ny... ..M...n...love...found and
neither...y [37]

“My sweet little Diana. Your speech will not work this time. You will start getting on up and get yourself a life. I do not need you to start following right in my foot steps.”

Deleted: , y [38]

“My God, Pam, talk to your spoiled child. You make things even worst by giving in to the spoiled ass children. They have their way so much that they demand or expect it from you and Ronald or Mike. He comes right along and does the same thing. I never like spoiled ass children. Do you three hear me? Diana, you are still going to Paris with Carol. You are your own boss when you get ready to close your door. That is no obligation at all. And you have no kind of an excuse at all

Deleted: ¶
you ... y...s...s...h...ame...
but D... t...d [38]

either way, but to put your butt on that plan to Paris. Carol, you take care of your sister," said Kara.

Deleted: .

"Oh now mother, I am not some little baby. I will take this here trip, but my God, mother, you call me a spoiled child. Well I hate to tell you, but you are right along the same road. You just bought me a ticket to go to Paris. So, now who is the spoiled one now? You are doing the same thing, but you know something mother? I am so glad that you love me that much, to make sure that I am happy."

Deleted: y

Deleted: Bit

"I love you to mother. I will go to the big city, Paris, with Carol," said Diana.

Deleted: y

Deleted: is

"Oh, thank you, Diana, for going to Paris with me. You can help me out with some modeling. That week Lillian will be out in East of France. She will be taking care of new models that will be coming to the new school. So it can be like old times when we were in college. I'll take you shopping and some sightseeing. We will visit lots of places and things that will be of some interest to you. We used to live in Paris and loved it, too. We had some good times sister girl," said Carol.

Deleted: th

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: y

"Come on you two. Let's go before daddy calls again to see what is the hold up. Who is riding with who?"

Deleted: . y

Deleted: . t

"I will ride with mom Pam," said Carol.

Deleted: the

"So let's go, Ms. Diana."

Deleted:

Everyone get in the cars to leave to go to Kara's father house.

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: ¶

"Well it's about time you decided to come ladies. I am waiting for my breakfast very patiently, and the cook is no where to be found," said Mr. Samuel.

Deleted: y

"Good morning Pop-pop," said Diana, Carol, and Pam.

Deleted: and

He was smiling.

Deleted: ¶

"Well, morning to you, too, my daughters. Well, well my little Carol is still at home. You have been running back to France. And by the way, Ms. Carol Lee, why do you have to open up another modeling school and in a foreign country at that, like France. Anyway, couldn't you just open up another school right here in your own state?"

Deleted: y

Deleted: ¶

"Yes, sir."

Deleted: wo

"Like I told that mother of yours about a hundred times, not to send you kids to no Paris to some modeling school. Oh no, she and Mike sent you kids anyway, just like we don't have no modeling schools right here in your own state. I guess not because your parents just up and packed you two kids off to Paris so you could get a better education. I did ask your mother could you kids learn the same thing here at home, but I guess not because you are now a specialist. Now you are a number one top model. You are a trainer and teacher. You help others. You are all about this modeling thing, and, baby, you are very good at it, too. Your old Pop-pop is so proud of all his grandchildren. Now all I need is some more grandchildren by you two girls. So when are you two young

Deleted: , w

Deleted: -

Deleted: , l

Deleted: ,

Deleted: ,

Deleted: ,

Deleted: d

Deleted: ,

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: , n

Deleted: and y

ladies getting married? You do know that you two are not getting any younger. So don't you think it is time you two start looking for some Mr. Right and say "I do?" Also, make sure now that he is the right man, and he is a man that works everyday. That he is all about taking care of a family. Not something like take care of him. We will not have that in this here family. Not at all. Everybody brings the bread home. We work together, side by side, in this here show, okay girls?"

Deleted: , s.... A...id,...but a...ch...
t... .., w...e...forward ... w ... [39]

"Yes, Pop-pop, but we need to find a man first that can take this here family. Pop-pop, the last one I was dating, he came home to meet the family, as you said. They took one look at him, John asked him to leave, and do not find his way back again. Pop-pop, can you remember that day. You know something Pop, I liked him, too, Pop," said Carol.

Deleted: ¶
¶
■.....So ...y ... [40]

"Well, baby, you will find that young man. One day he will come along, and believe me, John will not be able to send that one away this time. Okay? Baby, that man was not for you anyway. That is why your brother sent him away. But, baby, in the future, you will find Mr. Right," said Mr. Samuel. "Now, my Diana, it is your time baby. What are you doing with your life?"

Deleted: , w..., o...non ..., but b...
t...y...w ... [41]

"Well, Pop-pop, I am trying to make a good life right at home. I am working steady without giving up any patients. I do have too many right now. My staff is refusing to let anymore come in, and I hate to turn anyone away. But Pop, I am over booking right now, and my boss is sending me on vacation for two weeks in Paris with Carol. She thinks I stay at home too much. But Pop-pop, I have work up to my neck. I really do not have time for no love life, not right now anyway. Mother bought my ticket already for me to take this trip. So I will go away for the two weeks. I just might need a rest for a few days. Pop, I only have five days to take care of some of my patients before I leave. Pop you know I love my mother, and I would never say no to her. Well, she is calling us. She said breakfast is ready," said Diana.

Deleted: ¶
Pop..., m...some ..., b...ro..., but ...¶
¶
■...., s...y ... [42]

You know something. You and Carol are some nice young ladies. You two never gave your mother no trouble. We all have spoiled you two, and now I have two more grandchildren. Now my Helen's two, they are going to be doctors. My Brian, his little Michelle, she said she was going to be a doctor like her Pop-pop. She said she likes to have pretty teeth. That's my heart. She is running beside me," he laughed. "Now that Mark, he said that what he wants to fly a jet plane all over the world. Not a law-man or a judge, he just wants to be that person who drops the bombs. He said that was so funny to him. That it was amusing to him."

Deleted: y...,w...to now...now
two just told me they was go to be wait
that was my ...,t...¶
¶
■...do is ...ow n...ping..., it ... [43]

"Oh Pop-pop, He is too young to be talking like that," said Carol.

Deleted:, not that a little sweet
Mary...y ... [44]

"I know that he is very young, but now days, there is so much mess on TV. Now days what can you expect for the kid. They can now

Deleted: it is ... [45]

learn knowledge and so much wisdom today. Now your Nanny and me are so proud of all our children and grandchildren. They all turned out to be very wise and special to us. Now I have three doctors and a judge and a Law-man and two teachers. Now that's good work. They are their own boss."

"Pop-pop."

"Yes, child?"

"You have five doctors not three. You already had three before, but you didn't count the two that is coming into the family in about three more months," said Carol.

"Oh, well, thank you my child. Now when you get old like me, you forget things. Things pass you by. Well, let's go in to eat breakfast. I asked your mother to cook for her old pop. You do know, that I will not have her too much longer if that young man keeps on taking her off on the her cruise ship."

"I will have to call on my other daughters to come and cook for old daddy. Your Nanny will not cook me fat food. Dianna, you are not looking to happy right now. Would you like to talk to your Pop-pop? Now I always have an open ear for you children. Anyway, I didn't know you were going on this here trip to Paris. If you do not want to go, you tell me, and I will tell that boss of yours you do not want to go. Now is that a yes? Or a no? You tell me right now."

"Oh no, Pop-pop, I am just a little on the tired side. That's all. Oh, I love to go. Mother is sending me away from home. Your little baby girl is going to fly right out of the nest."

She was laughing. "Well, baby girl, that is a good way of looking at it. So you go and have a good time on your mother's money. Now child, you tell me. Am I right now? You said your mother is sending you back to Paris. Now you try to remember when you stayed in Paris three weeks. You called home everyday crying to your Nanny that you were ready to come home. You said, "Nanny, I do not like it out here. You was crying so hard your Nanny took it in her hands and said, "Send her the money like she says, so you could come home. Now your mother and Mike was mad as hell. They said you could at last stay a month. Talk about the money they had lost on you. Now your mother was very upset with her mother because she did talk to her and Mike first before she sent you the money. But your Nanny said, "Hell with you, Kara. My child comes home. So my child came home. Now my child is all grown-up, a woman. So she will not be crying this time because you will not be using my money this time that is for sure. So she is sending you again for two weeks," said Pop-pop.

"Oh, but Pop-pop, this will always be my home. I can't leave my mother and Nanny and mom Pam too long. All my family is right here. After all, I will miss all my talking to you about everything. You

Deleted: ,is... ¶
¶
■... and etc., t [46]

Deleted:
Deleted: , yy [47]

Deleted: , n...Ast...,w ...,
n o...t...be have here t...e...re [48]

Deleted: ¶
me...is...ll way ...do ...as to... [49]

Deleted: , t..., m..., y [50]

Deleted: ¶
w... is..... y... nowy...was ...ied...
tell...as..., y..., ...to me, ...s.....
t...state..., t..., n... ¶
¶
■...h..., m... s..., n..., s..... [51]

Deleted: , y

know they say, apples do not fall far from the tree. So I am not moving too far from my home. This little girl will not be too far for my love ones if I need help. I like for you to be close by at all times. That way you can come right away," said Diana.

Deleted: id the..., ...,t...y [52]

"Well, here come the men. Well now, everyone is here. So come on everybody, and let's have breakfast. Kara already called twice, so let us all head to the dining room to eat. Okay, everyone let's sit and bless the table. Baby, you always out do yourself when you cook. Young man, do you know you are taking my cook away from me. So my other daughter, you need to start getting ready to cook for your father. Your mother will not even think about cooking me fat food at all. Now I do like a good home cooked breakfast every now and then. Like once a week. Is that not asking for too much, just on special days and today is one. My baby will be leaving us. So it is time for my breakfast this morning because my child will be flying away from home with a man. This here family needs to get to know something about him. Yes sir, he's Mr. Right."

Deleted: ¶
, s..., ...s...ry...no ... for me ..., i... ¶
¶ ... so...that [53]

"Oh Daddy, why are you sure I will not be cooking for you no time soon. My God, father, I am only going away for two weeks. I am not moving away from home. This is my home. So why are you talking like that to me father. Your daughter will always be at home," said Kara.

Deleted: ...r..., t..., y...y [54]

"Now baby girl, you have a nice, young man. Now when he says let's go, you will be ready to go young lady because you will never find another Mr. Right like this here Larry Grant. My child, so you try to have a good time with this here young man. Okay? Now Kara, you have two other sisters to take your place. My other girls already have their Mr. Right. They will be right here with us, right ladies?"

Deleted: ¶
n...e...,...o [55]

"Yes, daddy."

"So now you just take care of your end. Right now your family wants you to live your life once again and a good life, too. Now that is all. Take care of my baby girl."

Deleted: , t

"Well men, how was your morning on the golf course? I know you didn't let John win again this time."

Deleted: ¶
■...a [56]

"Oh, no, daddy, it wasn't John this time. It was the new comer one, Mr. Brian. He is the new member. That's what he said, but he was playing like he's been at it everyday. Then he joined in with Larry, they paired off, and left us three to play. Larry is good. So we just looked on and started teasing Larry about his woman, daddy," John said. "Oh Larry, my mother is cooking that special breakfast again. He was hurt because he didn't get breakfast the first time. So he was playing golf real well, until we three had already lost our game. So we decided that it was time to come home."

Deleted: i... t...ing...no ...,
s...d...d...good... two...s...s... [57]

“So we were walking back to the club house. The minute Larry heard that we were about to go home for Kara’s breakfast, the man stopped playing golf and came running toward us. Daddy talk about his woman, Kara,” said Ronald.

Deleted: ¶
t...as...he [58]

“Look you guys, Kara didn’t tell me anything about breakfast this morning that she was about to cook. The only thing she said was your father was having a cook out sometime today. Now you guys are telling me that my woman is cooking some good old fashion breakfast this morning. Now the other time she cooked everybody breakfast, I was not invited to that one either, but this one, I will be inviting myself to this one because you know something. Mr. Willie and Mr. John, I am so tired of hearing you two talk about my woman cooking all the time. So like I just said, I will be attending this here one. I will certainly get me some breakfast this morning. I’ve been waiting a long time. So let’s go now man. I need to see my baby anyway. I have started missing her already. So, hell, you men get in the vehicle, and let’s go home now,” said Larry.

Deleted: no ...the one to have ...here
... ..s... ¶
█... s... s...a...y [59]

“Hell, I am starting to think my sister got the man hooked on her and her cooking. Do you think the man has it real bad, I mean very bad? But look here Larry, don’t feel bad. We in the same boat you are in. So you just come and go in the rest of the game. Now my sister can cook, but so can my wife too, now,” said Willie.

Deleted: also ...Look man d...ve...
w...s... can two... say [60]

“Well, its about time you men got back here. My baby was waiting on you men to eat.”

Deleted: ¶
m [61]

“Yes, you right, my baby is a very good cook.”

“Also, you men give Larry a break now. The man has his own rules. He does not take any prisoners. But I have to tell you something Larry. This here family do take a few prisoners because no woman in this here family will ever get hurt anymore by no man. My Kara was burned once, but that was one time too many. That so called ex-husband of hers. So what I am trying to tell you, Larry, is that will never happen again. That is why everyone is telling you not to hurt her. If you hurt her, you will have all the Blackwell family on your back. Now if you are for real, that is damn good. Now if you ain’t, I’m asking you very nice to start walking away right now. That way your ass will be on safe ground away from any kind of damage. Now that ex-husband can tell you all about it. Larry, you did say that Willie is your best friend, right? Now you make sure that he is your friend at all times because Larry, take it if from this old man. Sisters and wives we do not play with. Now your friend Willie, was going to perform a nice female test on Mike. He’s the ex. My man was going to receive a free operation for himself by Willie. That you do not need, right? So Larry, I like you as long as you do not play around with my baby girl. Like we all said before, no one hurts our women folk. Now Larry, look here man, let us

Deleted: now ... t...ve..., now h...,
t..., s..., t... ..i...is..., n...know ...
an’t...ed... t... .., now s...fe ...n...,
he the ... t... ¶
█ [62]

start to play a little fair with Larry. Now he is taking my baby girl away for two weeks. Now let us not frighten the man away. He is an honest man, so lets not run him away before my baby get her hand in the man other hand. We sure do not need Ms. Thing mad with us or on our ass now do we? Man we sure do not want to be in the dog house. Now that is for sure. You do not like to get that woman on your bad side. She can be a hell raiser. You did say you was a trouble shooter. She is worse. Let's not go there, ever," said Mr. Blackwell. "You do like my baby girl, right young man?"

Deleted: s... Now we never catching him like this. y...her...t... y... less not ...an... say [63]

"Oh yes sir, your daughter is a very important person in my life. She is my spring flower, the princess of my life. You will never in your life have to worry about me ever hurting your little baby girl. Sir, I am a one woman's man. I do not have but one lady-friend, and that is your daughter. There had been a lot of talk about me being with a few woman, but someone is telling lies. They also called me a womanizer, but I am not. I talk to many people, but I do not get invoice with them. Your Kara is my princess from day one. Now if there has been any hurt, it will come from your daughter. She may run away from me. She likes to stay locked up in a dark hole without light. I need her to come out and see the world with me. That is why I am taking your daughter on this trip. To take her away from her hiding place without looking back at her past but to the future.

Deleted: be tell untold lied... ..ir...at be ...a... ..t...here [64]

I know she has a long way to go to get things back in her life, but if she will just let me hang in there I think we may have some kind of future together. Mr. Blackwell, but that is left up to her. There is nothing I would not do for her. She is a part of me, sir," said Larry.

Deleted: ¶ ...n... t...y [65]

"Well, thank you, young man. I can take my hat off to you. Now men, Mr. Larry has put us in our place. So now let's all go outside and start the fire on this here cook out. I don't need my wife coming in here starting on me. You know Larry, we never really welcomed you to the family, but young man, I myself am going to do that right now. But first, I must ask do all you men vote Larry Grant into this here family?"

Deleted: ...a... .. s... ¶ ...is... b...a... [66]

"Yes, daddy, we all do. Well, Mr. Grant, you are now welcomed to the Blackwell family. You became a part of this here tribe. You were already welcomed by Kara. Now you are in with the rest of her tribe. But Larry, when you become a part of this family you take on the hold tribe. You look out for everyone. We all stand together as one. We are a very small family. I am the only child my parents had. So is my wife. She is the only one. We have two children. My son has only one child, and you know the rest.

Deleted: ...Now y...n...in...a... y...w...is...s...w...m...e... [67]

All the man walked outside to the patio. Mr. Blackwell walked on out to the backyard to start his grill up so he could begin his cooking now. All the ladies were inside the house getting all the meat ready for

Deleted:he ...ve...a... [68]

the grill and getting all the food ready for this cookout today. Little Michelle came running outside to see her daddy, but instead she saw Mr. Larry. She ran over to him and asked him why he made her Nanny cry, and why was he taking her Nanny away for her and Mark.

Deleted: her (...nell) come u...y...(...)... s...went ...u...she ... (Mr. Larry) ... didn't you ke...my...ied...also ...are you [69]

"If you take her away, we will not have no more Nanny. My Nanny cried because she is leaving me and Mark. My mother said you will be taking her away tomorrow morning, and I will not see my Nanny leave tomorrow with you. But my other Nanny said you will take good care are our Nanny. So now, Mr. Larry, you will be very careful with my Nanny want you? Make sure you bring her back to us. Now I am mad with you. If you do not bring her back you will be so sorry because she will miss me and Mark, and she will be cry. You will have to bring her home, or my mom and Nanny will be crying, too. You know something, Mr. Larry? My mother and daddy will lock you up and you will be crying, too. I know I will be crying. So, Mr. Larry, will you please bring my Nanny back home. We are her only grandchildren. Me and Mark need our Nanny. We love her so much. Okay, Mr. Larry?" said Little Michelle.

Deleted: i...is ...e... m...e... b... (...)...d... m...ch... n... (Mar. [70]

Deleted: ¶
Deleted: ow...(...)...y... all ...ied two and y... (...)... m... to ...e d... s...(...)... w... m...w... s...ore ... o...(...)...(...nell) [71]

"Oh, I am so sorry little one. I promise you I will bring your Nanny back home to you and Mark. You know something, little one. I will make sure your Nanny calls you every day. I will take very good care of your Nanny. She is very special to me, too. If she calls you would that make you feel much better, little one? That way your mother and daddy will not have to look me up. How is that for a start, little one?" said Larry.

Deleted: ...ow...(...)...y...ch... are ... s... two... i...such ... ¶ [72]

Deleted: ¶
Deleted: ■... h... (...), [73]

"Oh, yes, thank you Mr. Larry. Now I can tell all the ladies to stop crying now. See you, Mr. Larry. Hello my Pop-pop guess what just happened? Mr. Larry said he would take very good care of my Nanny now. She and all the other moms can stop all that crying. He said that he would bring her back home to us Pop-pop. He also made me a promise to take real special care of our Nanny. You will also miss her, too. Pop-pop. We can't get no more good breakfast if he does not bring her back to us. But he said not to worry about her. Pop-pop, Mr. Larry said my Nanny was very special to him. Is that good my Pop-pop," said Michelle.

Deleted: y...ied...(...)... He...are... s...ied...h...k...r... w...can... b...did ...f...Little One. [74]

"Yes, my child that is very good. That means he cares for your Nanny, my child," said Mr. Blackwell.

Deleted: t...(...), [75]

"Oh, my Pop-pop, now I need to tell my Nanny. She does not need to worry no more. I have to take good care of my Nanny," she said. "I was her big little helper. So Pop-pop, I will be right back, and I need to talk to my daddy, too. But my Pop-pop, can I help you cook on the grill, too? If I could cook like my Nanny I could cook your good breakfast for you, my Pop-pop. So can I help you out today? But first I need to talk to my daddy. I love you, my Pop-pop. See you.

Deleted: s...nes...are... s... t [76]

Deleted: ¶
Deleted: ... s... b... s [77]

"Hello, all my uncles. Give me a kiss and hugs, too. All my sweet uncles, I love you. My daddy, I love you, too. Can I have my kiss and hug, daddy? Oh, my daddy, do you love me?" Deleted: ga...ged.. a... c...g [78]

All her uncles were laughing. She already knew how to get in a man's pocket. She will sweet talk you if she needs some money. Deleted: as... s...no... s [79]

"So you uncles start getting your money out your pocket. She said she loves you and gives kisses and hugs. That is our Little One," said John. Deleted: s... s...ged...t...([80]

"Yes," said Brian. "Yes, my Little One." Deleted:) y...(... [81]

"Good, my daddy, your little one needs some money. I need to get my Nanny a going-away present. She needs something from me and Mark. So that way she would know we gave it to her, and she will be such to come back home to us. And, all my uncles, I need your money to help me get a big present for our Nanny. I love her, daddy. That way she will remember to come back home. Also, daddy, I need you to take me to the store to get my Nanny a good present. You know something, my daddy and my uncles, all the ladies are so busy in the kitchen crying over my Nanny. You know that my mom Pam, said we all need to go with my Nanny. Then, they all started to cry all over again. My daddy, I asked my mother why she was crying. She said go and get your daddy. My mother needs you. But daddy, I need you to take me to the store first so my Nanny can get her present and she might stop all that crying. So can we go now, my daddy?" Deleted: Deleted: ¶ Deleted: ... s...r...(...)... s...so too t... t...y... is...iness...ied... y...(...)... did...ied...st...she ... for all s...m..., b...that way...ied... s [82]

"Hello, my sweet uncles. Can I have... oh, thank you all. I love you. See you, Daddy, come on. All the ladies are all crying with my Nanny. By the time they stop crying we could be at the store and back to the house." Deleted: Deleted: ¶ Deleted: c... O... s... s..., d... a...y is... b...m...ied...ing... to [83]

"Okay, but, my little one, why is your Nanny crying?" Deleted: Deleted: ied

"Oh, daddy, Mr. Larry made my Nanny and all the ladies cry." Deleted: Deleted: for ... (...)...ke...y [84]

"Oh, I see. Well, let's go in the house and see what your mother and your Nanny are crying about and also see if your mother needs something from the store. We can also see if Mark wants to go to the store too. Okay?" Deleted: Deleted: ... w...is... to...do... for and ...do (...)...s... o... [85]

Brian looked at Larry with a small smile on his face. He and the little one walked into the house. Deleted: Deleted: (...)...(...) [86]

"Mark, would you like to go with me and your sister to the store?" Deleted: Deleted: (...) [87]

Brian went over to his wife. Deleted: Deleted: (...) ...other and [88]

"I'm going into the house to see if Kara is alright," said Mr. Blackwell. Deleted: Deleted: (Mr. Blackwell) ...such... be go ...about (...) also to see...sh [89]

All the men turned and looked at Larry and started laughing at him. No one moved. They all remained sitting in their chairs. Deleted: Deleted: ¶ Deleted: Said (Larry) a...a...(...)... to... and n...ing t...et [90]

"Do have a seat. Do you see anyone else moving to see why the ladies are crying now?" said Larry. Deleted: Deleted: (Larry) d... d... ..ed...y was [91]

(Brian) "Look at you with a half smile. But my boy also knows the rule. You did talk to that sweet little angel, right?" said Brian.

Deleted: l... b... but y...le [92]

"Yes," said Larry.

Deleted: ... ([93]

Well, young man, we all love that little angel. Now you think real good about who told you the ladies were crying in the house. Are you thinking? Yes? If my sweet little angel, the messenger, had not come out the house to look for her daddy, we would not know anything about the ladies. She was looking for her daddy, but she saw you instead of me. Okay? So my little one was already mad with you because she thinks you made her Nanny and all the ladies cry. She overheard the ladies talk, and your name was called. So my little angel came to tell you off about her Nanny."

Deleted:) w...Y...n...now who...y was...ied... a... y...Oh, right i...carry a...need to no...d...y not any thing but s...understand... o...k...y... s... v... s...o [94]

(Larry) "I need you to listen to me real good now. There are eight woman inside that house. Now if you like your life and would also like to see tomorrow, you will keep yourself right out here with the rest of the men and mind your own business. Never go check up on your lady when she is with her folks because, man, one will start to cry then all will cry. One will be laughing, and all the others will do the same. One will be giggling, and they all start to giggling. So you stay the hell away. That is for sure or you are likely to get your feelings hurt real bad. So, Mr. Larry, if you do like we do, you will stay out the kitchen until your lady calls you. That way you will live much longer. So if I was you, I would make myself look busy like the other half are. Man, just sit and talk about anything to take your mind off. Kara, Okay, man?" said Mr. Blackwell.

Deleted: ¶ [95]

Deleted: is...n...are...a... A...like ain...n...there... B...ied...o...o... t...ch...are... (...)...n... so...iness... us...(...)... of a why o...(...)

"Look Larry, no hard feelings. Believe me, if you hang around long enough you will found out all about the lady. But we can't tell you too much until we know you are a part of us. So in the mean time, make the best of it. Make yourself at home, and enjoy it while you can because the next time you see the lady it will be 'honey time.' Honey do this and honey can you? Honey, do that, and ch, honey? Will you try to think back a little early this morning where all the men ate."

Deleted: ¶ [96]

Deleted: b...such...is...are... s...O...H...(Larry) w...a...in the where we...a...eat at.

"In the dinner room, said Larry.

Deleted: y... (...) [97]

"Now Larry, was any lady at the table with us?"

Deleted: n [98]

"No."

Deleted: ? [99]

"Good. Now have you get the picture, my man. No women. So that means we're the big bosses in the house. No man can tell us men a thing."

Deleted: n...yet...a... s...n. [100]

Everyone started laughing and looking at Larry.

Deleted: , e... to... (...) [101]

"Look, you just take it as it comes along. The woman run the show around here and all the house."

Deleted: l...s... t...at [102]

"Look, my young lady is inside the house with all of them talking and crying. I don't need that ever, man, but I can go in. She

Deleted: ¶ [103]

Deleted: are...ied... s [104]

already gets to much of my other little act. Oh, here comes my mother.” said John.

“Oh, Larry, will you come into the house for a few minutes.” said Kara.

“Oh, hell, man, your ass is ice.”

Everyone was laughing at Larry.

“Well, my man, you finally get a chance to go and see about your woman at last, said Willie. “It’s honey time. We need to go and get that meat before that door closes again on us,” said John. “Also, Larry, you could stop all that worrying about your baby.”

“Oh, boy,” said Ronald. “Hello, Larry. How are you today? I see you are hanging out with the boys.” said Kara.

“Oh yeah, right. I am hanging out with the men, and you didn’t ever tell me this morning that you were cooking breakfast. It was sure good, too. Also, baby why were you crying a few minute ago in the kitchen, you and the other ladies?”

“Oh, no, my little angel was outside already talking her little head off. Look, Larry, I always cry went I am happy about something. There is no problem with me. I am just a cry baby. I cry all the time,” said Kara.

“Look at me, Kara. Do I look like somebody’s big ass fool to you now? Remember you are talking to me, Larry Grant. Your little angel, as you call her, came running outside and saw me. She walked over to me to tell me you was crying and all the ladies were also crying. Can you guess, Kara, who was the big bad man? Me. Kara, the old mean man who made her Nanny cry. She did not like to see her Nanny cry, at all. You know something, Kara, neither do I especially when I can help you or be able to hold you. So please talk to me. I hurt when you hurt, baby. So do talk to me now,” said Larry.

“Look, we will talk tonight. Okay? My mother needs to have a little talk with you right now. Okay? So do come with me. She is waiting for you in the living room. I need to help my father get the food together. I will see you outside. Okay?” said Kara.

Kara walked outside to the patio and left Larry standing in the room alone.

“Come over here, Larry, and have a seat. We need to talk. I don’t know much about you at all. I can only go by what my children tell me about you. So I am hoping this here talk with you will help me out some. Now I did have a talk with Willie and Helen, about you. Now Willie, speaks very highly of you. So I will be taking his word at face value. Now I took my child’s word until I could talk to you face to face to get your answer. I also know that my husband has already had his talk with you. So, Larry, it is time me and you talk man to woman.

Deleted: are ...So o...(...) [102]

Deleted: (...) [103]

Deleted:

Deleted: e... (...) [104]

Deleted: w...ound ...g..., well (...)
i... w...y...(...)... a [105]

Deleted: (...)..., h...(...)h... [106]

Deleted: a...as... and
i...ome...as...ied...y (Kara). [107]

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: I... (...) ...I... them... at the
time (Larry) ...(...) [108]

Deleted: (...) d... (Kara) r...is...(...)
y...o... s...nice and
ied...y...w...as...ied... and
c...(...)...m...(...)...that...k...d...ied
and s...ied..., y... (...) need ... and s...
went...are... s...ent... s...w... [109]

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: has to ... o... m... o... s...
s... .. o [110]

Deleted: (...)...(...)...g [111]

Deleted: c...(...)... w...me we ... to
not no t...e...n...(...)...(...)...
n... (...) he... s...e...s... n... which is
not ... (...) [112]

I will put mine few word into the same pot, also. Now, is it okay if I call you Larry?"

"Oh, yes madam?"

"Good, now you can call me mom. That's what the other children call me. Good. Now that is out the way. Now, Larry I am going by what you are telling me today. I am taking your word now. No one else. So, Larry, I trust you with my baby. I do hope my confidence in you does not turn out to be on the fear side. Now I am telling you right now that I will not be seeing my baby hurt again by no one. If so, I will be hurt myself. So I am asking you as a very concerned mother and a worried one. Now my baby seems to be very happy. So you must be doing something right. I hope that you will keep on making sure she stays that way. Now her father and I kind of cut our month vacation kind of short this time to come back home so that our grandchild, Mr. Brian, would not cause any kind of trouble for his mother this time. So we up and took the next plane back home. Kara called and said you were coming over for a Sunday dinner, but she did not sound to good. Her father did like the sound of her voice. No one knew that we were coming home but my son, Timothy. You met him that Sunday. He was at the airport to pick us up. No one knew until we walked in the house. After everybody had got there, that husband of mine just had to have his old fashion breakfast that morning. So I had to call Kara to tell her we were home, and she would have to cook her father his fat breakfast that morning. Now she knew that her parents were back in town. So you know all the others knew we were back. You tell one, and the whole tribe knows. So the house became full with the family. Everybody were looking one another right in your face.

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: ■...n...is... (...) [113]

Deleted: a

Deleted: ...t...are... ¶
n...is...e...n... s...(...)...am
tly...n...i...back...s...ed...en... now
day...ch...ne... so I...am
ed...ch...r...ly or S... (...)...no
.... s...¶ [114]

Deleted: ¶

Deleted: ■(...)...as...e...
he...are...o...as...e... (...)y...ing...
h...n...would had no we walk in
e...re but ...y...that... s...(...)...as...ill
so n...no...e...as... s...o...y...hold ...
s...e...been [115]

Formatted: Pendium Chapter, Left