

FINDING ALASKANS IN GREECE

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FADE IN:

EXT. KENAI RIVER IN ALASKA - DAY

It's the summer after the winter where the Zeilers (TRISTAN, EMILY, ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, and AVA) had an amazing adventure where they found Lukas's treasure. And it's a beautiful day as the sun shines down on the stunning turquoise river that's calmly flowing through the mountains, which are covered with bright-green trees.

The Zeilers' fairly big boat, which is very nice looking, is anchored in the middle of the river while gently rocking on the calm water. All seven of the Zeilers are on the boat's back deck, and they're sitting on chairs around the edges of the boat as they fish. Indeed, Tristan and Emily are fishing over one side of the boat; Alexis, Zack, and Ava are fishing over the other side of the boat; and Courtney and David are fishing over the back of the boat.

It's very quiet, with the only noise being the sound of the water gently lapping against the sides of the boat, and it's obvious that the Zeilers aren't having much luck with catching fish. Indeed, everyone is bored and nearly comatose.

The peacefulness is suddenly interrupted when David notices that his fishing bob, which is floating a ways behind the boat, is pulled underwater for a brief moment before it resurfaces.

David excitedly stands up and starts to quickly reel in his fishing line.

DAVID

Hey, I think I got one!

Everybody else looks towards David to see if he's caught a fish.

EMILY

Oh, good, this could be our first fish!

Everyone continues to excitedly watch David, except Ava looks away from him and just looks at her own fishing pole since she remains completely bored.

AVA

(to herself)

Yay, one fish an hour. Stop the presses. I knew we should have brought one of Dad's fishing nets.

David reels his hook out of the water and up next to him on the boat.

Everyone is disappointed to see there's no fish on it, and the bait is even still on the hook.

EMILY

Oh, well, we're sure to catch one soon. The Kenai River never fails.

David casts his fishing line back into the water behind the boat, and then he sits back down in his chair while everyone else turns their attention back to their own fishing.

DAVID

I thought I had one.

COURTNEY

Hey, you got closer than any of us.

DAVID

Yeah, it was close.

COURTNEY

We just need to be patient.

DAVID

Yep, sooner or later, we'll get one.

Ava stares at David and Courtney in disbelief because she can't believe they're talking about the near miss of catching a fish as if it's exciting.

Ava looks around at everyone else as they quietly continue to fish, and she's simply flabbergasted that everyone else seems content on doing nothing except fishing where they're not even catching fish.

Ava rests her fishing pole by standing it up against the side of the boat, and then she stands up and walks over to David and stops beside him.

AVA

Stand up please.

DAVID

Why?

AVA

Just do it please.

DAVID

OK.

David rests his fishing pole by standing it up against the back of the boat, and then he stands up.

Without warning, Ava pushes David over the back of the boat, and he screams before he lands in the river with a splash and goes underwater.

David quickly surfaces, so he starts to tread water, and he looks up at Ava with a shocked expression as Ava stares back him with a serious look.

Meanwhile, Tristan, Alexis, Zack, and Courtney start to laugh, but Emily is shocked that Ava pushed David into the river.

EMILY

(angrily)

Ava!

Emily rests her fishing pole against the side of the boat, and then she stands up and walks quickly over to Ava and stops beside her.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Why did you do that?

AVA

Because someone had to do something! We were slipping into comas!

David swims to the ladder at the back of the boat and climbs aboard as Ava and everyone else looks at him, fully aware that he's not happy and is about to punish Ava.

David is soaking wet as he angrily walks up to Ava and stops in front of her. And David towers over Ava while giving her a deadly look while Ava sheepishly smiles up at him.

Zack addresses Alexis, who's sitting next to him.

ZACK

Well, Ava had a good run.

Alexis smiles at Zack's joke.

Tristan rests his fishing pole against the side of the boat, and then he stands up and walks to the center of the boat deck, where he stops to address everyone.

TRISTAN  
Before David kills Ava, I think I  
can solve our problem.

Emily angrily turns to Tristan.

EMILY  
No, you can't!

TRISTAN  
Sure, I can.

EMILY  
No, you can't! We agreed you  
couldn't!

TRISTAN  
Yeah, but, honey, I have to give  
the public what they want.

EMILY  
Fine, if you want to lead us  
halfway around the world to chase a  
ghost story, I won't stop you. If  
you want to ruin our peace and  
quiet and safety, go on ahead and  
ignore my wishes.

TRISTAN  
OK, that's one. Now, time to  
convince the others.

Emily rolls her eyes and throws her hands up in the air in  
exasperation, and then she walks over to her chair and sits  
down in her chair and folds her arms in dejection.

ZACK  
I feel another paper coming on.

ALEXIS  
Actually, I'm just going to put  
everything into a book ... a very  
large book.

Zack smiles.

TRISTAN  
Last week, a Greek archaeologist  
named Theodus Marinos called me and  
invited us to go to Greece and go  
on a seafaring journey to help him  
find some ancient Greek treasure.  
He said he heard how we donated

Uncle Lukas's treasure to our church, instead of keeping it for ourselves, and that unselfishness is what he's looking for. Also, he heard about how we've gone on numerous adventures, and he needs someone like us with an adventurous spirit. So, he invited us to meet him in Greece. So, who wants to go?

Of course, Ava immediately raises her hand with a big smile.

Courtney and David raise their hands in excitement too.

Zack raises his hand, but he notices Alexis hasn't raised her hand, so he reaches over and picks her arm up from the armrest on her chair and raises it for her while she doesn't resist and even smiles a little.

Tristan smiles.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)  
Perfect. Now, David, you can  
destroy Ava.

Tristan turns around and goes back to his chair, where he sits down beside Emily.

Tristan smiles at Emily, and she shakes her head while smiling back at him since she has surrendered to the trip to Greece.

David is towering above Ava as she turns to face him while sheepishly smiling, and he smiles devilishly back at her.

Ava surrenders to David by raising her arms and stretching them out to her sides and tilting her head back until she's facing the sky as she closes her eyes.

AVA  
Do your worst.

David puts his hands under Ava's armpits and lifts her up and throws her far into the river behind the boat, and Ava screams before she lands with a big splash.

Courtney stands up and joins David in looking down at Ava, who's still underwater.

Ava shoots up to the water's surface with a huge smile on her face, and she starts to tread water as she looks up excitedly at David.

AVA (CONT'D)

That was awesome! Do it again!

Ava starts to excitedly swim back to the boat while Courtney and David continue watching her.

DAVID

There's no teaching that one.

Courtney smiles.

Ava continues to swim towards the boat as she yells up at the boat in excitement.

AVA

We're going to Greece!

EXT. AQUALAND WATERPARK IN CORFU, GREECE - DAY

The following montage is our introduction to the beautiful country of Greece.

MONTAGE ("I GET AROUND" BY THE BEACH BOYS FROM THE ALBUM ENTITLED, "FIFTY BIG ONES: GREATEST HITS," PLAYS IN ITS ENTIRETY OVER THIS MONTAGE WHILE THE CREDITS ROLL)

A) We're soaring above as we're approaching the beautiful Aqualand Waterpark (which is located on Corfu Island) until we arrive at this magnificent waterpark. There are numerous attractions below (including water slides, a swimming pool, and a wave pool), with the water looking very tempting on this hot day, and there are a lot of people enjoying the waterpark.

B) Courtney and David are on a high wooden platform as each of them walks a couple of steps forward and sits down in the water of separate slides, and the identical slides are tall and have nearly vertical drops, so they're very fast. Then, they wait for the sign to go from the lifeguard (who's sitting in a chair as she watches the two people who just went down the slides in order to make sure they get out of the way before letting Courtney and David go down the slides). Obviously, they're going to race each other, so Courtney smiles at David, and he smiles back at her. The lifeguard hits a button that lights up the green light between Courtney and David, so they quickly push off down the slides while they lie down on their backs and cross their legs over each other and cross their arms over their chests. They go extremely fast as their bodies run over the water on the slides, causing the water to splash over their bodies and over the sides of the slides. David is leading since he's heavier, but it's a close race, and then they

reach the bottom of the slides, where the slide runs out horizontally for a good distance in order to allow people to come to a stop. While going over this horizontal run, their bodies cause the water to spray up high into the air due to the high speed of their bodies running into the fairly calm water, and they stop at about halfway down the horizontal run. Courtney and David sit up, and David, who won the race, jokingly flexes one of his biceps at Courtney, so Courtney jokingly covers her face with both of her hands in defeat, and then they smile at each other as they stand up. However, they both quickly realize that sliding down the slides has given them big wedgies from their swimsuits, so their smiles disappear as they, rather embarrassingly, pull the wedgies out of their butts while stepping out of the slides.

C) On a two-person raft, Alexis is sitting in the front while Zack is sitting behind her as they're cruising down a water slide. They're about halfway down the water slide as they meander down the twists and turns of the slide. They reach the bottom of the slide, which shoots them out into a small pool of water where their raft skims on top of the water and, thus, slows them down. Alexis and Zack hop off their raft and stand in the pool of water as they smile at each other and start walking to the stairs in order to exit the pool.

D) Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, and Ava are each sitting in the water at the top of one of five identical water slides as they prepare to race each other down the slides, which have several rolling bumps, so they're not too fast. The lifeguard hits the button that causes the green light to go on, so all of the Zeiler kids quickly push off to go down the slides. They cruise downwards on their butts (instead of lying on their backs) as they enjoy the nice ride.

E) In a large wave pool, Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, and Ava are floating in rafts with their heads sticking up through the donut holes in the rafts and their arms resting on the sides of the rafts while their legs hang underwater since the water is too deep for them to stand, and the waves push them up and down. The wave pool is crowded with many other people who are also floating on rafts, and everyone is having a lot of fun.

F) Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, and Ava are standing in a pool, where the water only reaches to about their knees, and they're underneath a mushroom-shaped plastic umbrella that's about seven feet high as water runs off the top of it and pours down onto the top of their heads. They're relaxing as the falling water feels good, and many kids are also in this pool as they enjoy the other fun plastic objects in this pool that, for instance, spray water or simply let kids climb on top of them.



G) Tristan and Emily are floating in rafts with their heads sticking up through the donut holes in the rafts and their arms resting on the sides of the rafts while their legs hang underwater as the gentle water of the lazy river pushes them slowly along. The cool blue water soothes Tristan and Emily as they slowly make their way along the large lazy-river loop where many other people are also floating as the final notes of "I Get Around" ring out, and the credits end.

Tristan and Emily are continuing to enjoy their fun ride in the lazy river.

EMILY

I wish every day was like this,  
just rest and relaxation.

TRISTAN

Just say the word, and I'll give  
the kids away.

EMILY

Yeah, the kids are the problem. It  
couldn't be that you're always  
leading them and me astray.

TRISTAN

I like to think of it as adding  
adventure to your lives.

EMILY

Well, one person's adventure is  
another's terrifying nightmare.

TRISTAN

Come on, I don't exactly have to  
twist your arm to come on these  
trips.

EMILY

I know. There must be something  
wrong with me.

Tristan smiles at Emily.

TRISTAN

Yeah, you're a Zeiler.

Emily smiles back at Tristan.

EMILY

Then, let the adventure begin.

Tristan and Emily smile even wider at each other.

EMILY (CONT'D)

So, what exactly is our schedule?

TRISTAN

Well, after we leave Aqualand, we'll go back to our hotel and spend the night here on Corfu Island. Then, tomorrow, we'll go to Athens and spend a day there just seeing the sights. And, then, the next day we'll meet up with Theodus.

EMILY

So, one more day of vacation and, then, the terrifying nightmare.

Tristan smiles at Emily as he causes his raft to gently run into her raft, which causes her to float away a little, so she smiles back at him.

Emily moves her raft back next to Tristan as they continue smiling at each other, and then they just look ahead as they simply enjoy going down the lazy river together.

EXT. ACROPOLIS IN ATHENS - DAY (ESTABLISHING)

We're soaring above as we fly over many buildings in this large beautiful city of Athens until we reach the stunning Acropolis, which is standing on a hill with its amazing Parthenon temple that towers over the city, and the gorgeous ocean is prominent behind it.

EXT. ACROPOLIS IN ATHENS - DAY

The Zeilers are slowly walking in front of the Parthenon as this immense temple towers above them. They're in absolute awe as they admire this magnificent structure. They're in full tourist mode, and there are also other tourists admiring this building. Emily is acting as her family's guide as she's leading them while occasionally reading aloud from a pamphlet that she paraphrases.

EMILY

(referencing her pamphlet)

In the fifth century B.C., the Parthenon was built for the Greek goddess Athena, who was the goddess of wisdom, war, justice ... and just about everything else. And there's a debate about if Athens

took its name from Athena or vice versa.

Emily stops, and everyone else stops on both sides of her since they've come to a great spot to look down on the city, with the many buildings extending out to the ocean in the distance.

EMILY (CONT'D)  
Wow, not a bad view!

ALEXIS  
Yeah, not bad at all.

TRISTAN  
Yeah, too bad this is where all that shrink stuff started, huh?

ALEXIS  
They were called philosophers back then, but yes, this is where it flourished anyway.

TRISTAN  
They're probably rolling over in their graves, knowing what you've done to their profession.

Tristan smiles at Alexis while jokingly bumping her elbow with his elbow, and Alexis smiles back at him.

ALEXIS  
(sarcastically)  
Thanks, Dad.

Tristan, Emily, Alexis, and Zack start walking away as they continue their tour of the Parthenon while Courtney, David, and Ava continue looking at the city below.

AVA  
I can't believe I'm in Greece!

DAVID  
Yeah, it's nice, but I prefer Alaska.

AVA  
Yeah, to live, but Alaska doesn't have this great history to visit.

DAVID  
Well, I did see one guy who caught five trout in like twenty minutes. That was pretty historic.

Ava looks at David as if he's crazy.

AVA

Trout?

DAVID

Big trout! You should have seen them.

Ava continues to look at David as if he's crazy, and he feels awkward as he tries to defend himself by using his hands to show that the trout were about three feet long and one foot wide.

DAVID (CONT'D)

(weak voice)

They were really big.

David lowers his hands in defeat.

AVA

I'm talking about real history!  
This is the land of great  
philosophers like Socrates and  
Aristotle and great scientists like  
Archimedes and great writers like  
Homer. This is where modern  
society was, basically, invented.

Ava shakes her head in disgust as she walks past David and walks towards the rest of their family.

AVA (CONT'D)

Trout.

David turns and watches Ava walk away.

David and Courtney are the only two left behind as everyone else is walking away.

DAVID

Other kids get a break from school.  
Why can't I?

Courtney smiles as she pats David on his shoulder and, then, rests her hand on his shoulder.

COURTNEY

Sorry, but you did walk into that  
one. I saw it coming from a mile  
away.

Courtney walks after the rest of her family.

DAVID  
(to himself)  
I've been robbed of my childhood.

David walks after the rest of his family.

EXT. PARLIAMENT BUILDING IN ATHENS - DAY

The Zeilers are sitting on the edge of a fairly big water fountain that looks very beautiful and refreshing with several columns of water shooting up and, then, falling down into a round pool behind them. And they're still in full tourist mode as they're facing the front of the very large and impressive Parliament Building.

TRISTAN  
That's a big building. How does a parliament work anyway?

AVA  
It's actually interesting. It's kind of like ....

David puts his hand over Ava's mouth to keep her quiet, and she's a little mad while she just stares at him and simply waits for him to remove his hand.

David removes his hand.

AVA (CONT'D)  
That was mean.

DAVID  
Sorry, but I always wanted to do that.

David smiles at Ava, and she smiles back at him.

Emily stands up.

EMILY  
So, are we just going to sit here, or are we going to enter?

AVA  
Enter!

Ava stands up.

EMILY  
Thank you, Ava. Anyone else?

ZACK

Yeah, let's go, everyone.

Tristan, Alexis, Zack, and Courtney stand up.

David remains sitting while everyone else starts walking towards the Parliament building, except Courtney remains standing while looking down at David.

DAVID

I just want to rest. Darn peer pressure.

David stands up and starts walking with Courtney as they head after their family.

COURTNEY

You think we're your peers?

DAVID

Well, I thought it would be impolite to call everyone, "inferior."

Courtney smiles while shaking her head.

EXT. BEACH IN ATHENS - DAY

Emily is walking on the sandy beach as she heads toward the ocean, which is absolutely beautiful with very clear blue water. She's carrying three transparent glasses that are filled with lemonade, and the lemonade looks very enticing on this hot day. And she's wearing shorts over the bottom part of her one-piece swimsuit.

The beach isn't very crowded, and there aren't very many people swimming in the ocean, so it's a very relaxed and pleasant atmosphere.

Emily reaches the spot on the beach close to the ocean where Alexis and Zack are sitting in chairs while wearing their bathing suits, and there's one empty chair next to them.

EMILY

OK, two lemonades.

Emily gives a glass of lemonade to Alexis.

ALEXIS

Thank you.

Emily gives a glass of lemonade to Zack.

ZACK

Thanks.

EMILY

You guys are welcome.

Alexis and Zack begin to drink their lemonades while Emily sits down in the empty chair next to them.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Are the kids having fun?

Emily begins to drink her lemonade too.

ALEXIS

Yeah, they're having a blast.

EMILY

Good.

Emily, Alexis, and Zack watch Courtney, David, and Ava as they're lying with their stomachs on boogie boards in the ocean while riding a nice wave that pushes them fast towards the beach, and of course, they're smiling since they're having a lot of fun.

After the wave finishes pushing them, Courtney, David, and Ava stand up, with the water reaching up to their knees, and they excitedly run back further into the ocean while carrying their boogie boards in order to catch another wave.

Emily, Alexis, and Zack notice a pontoon boat that's slowly moving parallel to the shore, and Tristan is driving it as he's standing behind the steering wheel at the front of the boat.

It's large for pontoon boats, and it has an enclosed cabin, and there's a plastic slide, which is about five feet high, at the back that one can use to slide off the boat and into the ocean. However, of course, pontoon boats aren't really suited to survive for days on the open ocean.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Please tell me your dad didn't rent that boat.

ALEXIS

Do you want me to lie?

EMILY

We can't go to sea in that. We wouldn't last two days.

ZACK

That thing would take two days just  
to get to sea.

ALEXIS

Yeah, that's not going to find  
treasure.

ZACK

It would find the bottom of the  
ocean first.

EMILY

You'd think a fisherman would know  
better.

Courtney, David, and Ava are floating with their arms  
resting across the widths of their boogie boards as they're  
simply resting before catching their next wave.

Courtney notices the pontoon boat, which is just a little  
further out in the ocean, and it's coming closer to them as  
it makes its way parallel to shore, and she points it out to  
David and Ava.

COURTNEY

Oh, no, that's Dad, right?

David and Ava look to where's Courtney is pointing, so they  
see the pontoon boat too.

DAVID

Yep, that's definitely Dad.

COURTNEY

It's a pontoon boat.

Ava repeats Emily's remark (unbeknownst to Ava, of course).

AVA

You'd think a fisherman would know  
better.

Tristan continues driving straight ahead as he comes closer  
to Courtney, David, and Ava.

Tristan starts to slow the boat down and pulls up parallel  
to the three kids, with the side of the boat facing them,  
and then he stops the boat about thirty feet away from them.

Tristan is still standing behind the steering wheel at the  
front of the boat as he waves to Courtney, David, and Ava.



TRISTAN

Hey, boogie boarders, come on  
aboard!

Courtney, David, and Ava start swimming towards the boat,  
and they quickly enter deeper water, away from the breaking  
waves.

They still have their boogie boards, which they hold with  
one hand while they swim.

Tristan walks towards the back of the boat in order to greet  
his kids.

Tristan stops near the back corner of the boat, and he rests  
his forearms against the side railing as he leans over it,  
and he looks down and admires his kids swimming.

Courtney, David, and Ava arrive at the back corner of the  
boat, so they stop swimming while letting their boogie  
boards keep them afloat by laying their arms on top of them.

They look up at Tristan, who's looking down at them from  
over the railing.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

How about this boat, huh?

DAVID

Were all the good ones gone?

TRISTAN

No, all the good ones weren't gone.  
This just happens to be the best  
boat ever! Just wait until you try  
this little slide!

Tristan stands up straight and slaps the slide next to him  
on the deck at the back of the boat, which causes the  
plastic slide and its metal ladder to immediately tip over  
and fall into the ocean and sink to the bottom. And  
everyone is surprised as they just helplessly watch.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Hey, we made our first Greek ruin.

Tristan smiles at Courtney, David, and Ava as they turn  
their attention away from the slide and look up at him like  
he's crazy.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

OK, all aboard!

AVA

Dad, if we go on that boat, we'll  
get seasick, we'll capsize, and  
we'll die.

TRISTAN

You're just looking at the glass  
like it's half empty.

AVA

Actually, the glass is empty. It's  
completely empty!

COURTNEY

That boat is going to fall apart.

TRISTAN

No, it won't.

Courtney points to the bottom part on the side of the boat near the back corner, and there's a big piece of duct tape that's, obviously, covering a crack in the boat just above the water.

COURTNEY

It's held together by duct tape.

Tristan looks over the railing and notices the duct tape too, and then he looks back at Courtney, David, and Ava.

TRISTAN

Could have used that on the slide.

Tristan smiles at Courtney, David, and Ava while they just stare back at him in disbelief.

EXT. POOL AT THE ZEILERS' HOUSE IN ATHENS - NIGHT

In the backyard of their rented house, Tristan and Emily are sitting together as they relax in a hot tub, with the bubbling water reaching up to their shoulders, and the underwater lights are causing the hot tub to be lit nicely. They're at one end of the swimming pool as they watch all five of their kids who are standing in the pool at the end that's furthest away from the hot tub.

It's a typical inground home swimming pool that's enclosed by a wooden fence. The pool is fifteen meters long, and it's four feet deep throughout the entire pool. And the underwater lights cause the pool's blue water to glow beautifully in the night.

Zack is pretending to be a drill sergeant as he's standing in front of two rows of the other four kids, with Alexis and Ava in the first row, and the second row has Courtney behind Ava and David behind Alexis.

The four kids are standing at attention like a platoon of soldiers who are obeying their sergeant, Zack, and they're very serious as they listen to Zack while he slowly paces back and forth with occasional pauses as he addresses them.

ZACK

We're in a foreign country, soldiers, and I know none of you have even left Alaska before. Well, there are no snowballs that we can use to defend ourselves around here. There are no ice caves where we can hide. And we can't just wear white clothes and fall down and pretend to be snow. So, since this country has an overabundance of water, we're going to have to use the water to our advantage. Now, let's conduct our final drill of these important defense maneuvers that will take on the enemy because make no mistake that the enemy will strike us. Oh, yes, they know we're vulnerable away from the snow and ice where the temperature stays above zero for days. They think we'll just melt ... literally.

Zack stands stationary as he looks up into the trees beyond the fence that surrounds the pool as if he's making sure that no one is spying on them.

It's quiet for an awkward moment, so Ava leans over to Alexis and whispers to her.

AVA

He's scaring me.

Zack turns sharply to Ava.

ZACK

Do you have something to say,  
Private?

Ava snaps back to standing straight up at attention and looking straight ahead.

AVA  
No, sir!

ZACK  
I didn't think so. Now, soldiers,  
are you ready?

ALEXIS, COURTNEY, DAVID, AND AVA  
Yes, sir!

ZACK  
I can't hear you!

ALEXIS, COURTNEY, DAVID, AND AVA  
Yes, sir!

ZACK  
OK, man your positions!

David steps backwards, and Ava steps forward, so with Zack leading them, the five kids form a "W" in the pool, and they posture themselves into a wide stance while bending their knees and looking forward while putting one hand in front of their faces, which they stare at intensely as they prepare to do synchronized swimming.

Tristan pushes the play button on his smartphone (which is lying next to the hot tub), so a famous part of the song, "THE BLUE DANUBE," by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra from the album entitled, "Strauss," begins to play aloud.

ZACK (CONT'D)  
And begin!

The five kids begin to do a funny routine of synchronized swimming to "The Blue Danube" as they move across the entire length of the pool.

The kids take it seriously as they do their exaggerated movements.

And they're actually good as they do their routine with completely synchronized movements. So, although this routine is funny, it's very beautiful.

It's even a pretty complicated routine, consisting of turns, hands movements, tippy toeing, jumping, and lunging.

This routine causes Tristan and Emily to laugh as the kids make their way towards them.

Some of the moves even resemble choreography done by Busby Berkeley, with spinning creating exquisite images when viewed from above.

At the end of the pool, near Tristan and Emily, the kids finish their routine and hold their final pose, which is the same move they used at the start, consisting of everyone holding one of their hands in front of their faces while staring at the hand, and Tristan turns off the music (well before "Blue Danube" finishes since the routine was a lot shorter than the song).

Tristan and Emily love it, so they're excitedly clapping while laughing. And the kids break their pose and laugh too since they enjoyed doing their routine.

EMILY

Bravo!

TRISTAN

Give them the gold medal!

EMILY

You made the Army proud, Zack!

The kids excitedly climb out of the pool and run a few steps across the pool deck until they reach the hot tub, where they enter and sit down next to Tristan and Emily. So, all of the Zeilers are sitting in a circle in the hot tub, with the water reaching up to their shoulders.

EMILY (CONT'D)

You guys were awesome!

COURTNEY

That was fun!

ALEXIS

Yeah, I always loved watching synchronized swimming in the Olympics, so it was cool to actually do it.

DAVID

Yeah, we were just like that great Russian pair, Ishchenko and Romashina.

It becomes immediately quiet as everyone else looks at David in disbelief that he knows synchronized swimmers, and of course, he senses this awkward moment of silence, so he becomes embarrassed.

DAVID (CONT'D)

Courtney made me watch.

Everyone else smiles, letting David off the hook, so David feels relieved.

ALEXIS

So, Dad, are you ready to lead us  
on the treasure hunt tomorrow?

TRISTAN

Yeah, it's all set to go, and I  
think it will be as fun as our trip  
last Christmas.

AVA

You mean that trip where you left  
me behind in a blizzard?

COURTNEY

And we crashed our snowmobiles?

ZACK

And I had to pull a sled for  
endless miles?

ALEXIS

And we almost rafted over a huge  
waterfall?

DAVID

And, after we found the treasure,  
we had to give it away?

Emily looks at Tristan.

EMILY

All very good questions.

Everyone looks at Tristan for an awkward moment of silence,  
and then he smiles. And Tristan takes turns facing each of  
his kids as he addresses each of their questions.

TRISTAN

OK, in my defense, I came back for  
you, and I'm not sure that was  
actually a blizzard. And  
snowmobiles always crash. Everyone  
knows that. And there's no such  
thing as "endless," unless you  
count my marriage.

Emily rolls her eyes while everyone else laughs, except  
Tristan since he's busy talking.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

And "almost" doesn't count, which  
is good for me since I usually come  
closer to bad things than good

things. And we gave our money to  
the church, so that one's on God  
... and your mom made me. So,  
actually, that one's on God and  
Mom.

Everyone is smiling at Tristan's answer, and Emily addresses  
Tristan.

EMILY

You should have just pleaded the  
Fifth.

Everyone laughs.

EXT. THEODUS'S HOUSE - DAY

Tristan is driving the pontoon boat that he rented while his  
family is sitting behind him as they approach Theodus's  
small dock on the ocean, with a canoe and a jon boat being  
the only boats docked at it. Tristan turns the boat to get  
the side of the boat to land next to the dock in order to  
dock the boat.

Tristan lets the side of the boat coast up against the dock,  
and Zack hops over the railing on the side of the boat and  
lands on the dock while holding the loose end of a rope,  
with the other end of the rope attached to the boat.

Zack ties the loose end of the rope to one of the posts on  
the dock, securing the boat to the dock, while Tristan shuts  
down the boat's engine.

Ava opens a small side door on the boat, and everyone walks  
through this door and onto the dock.

All of the Zeilers look up at Theodus's house as they walk  
along the dock as they head towards the house, with Tristan  
and Emily leading the way.

It's an average-sized house consisting of two stories. It's  
made of bright-white stucco, and the window frames, doors,  
and roof trim are painted bright blue, which is famous  
architecture in Greece, and of course, blue and white are  
also the colors of the Greek flag. And the front door opens  
right onto the beach, with just a few hundred feet of sand  
between the house and the ocean.

There are many green trees and bushes just behind the house,  
and there aren't too many other houses nearby, so obviously,  
they're in the countryside, a fair distance from Athens.

EMILY

Oh, this looks nice, very secluded in a beautiful paradise with their own beach. I bet they're happy out here. He lives here with just his daughter, right?

TRISTAN

Yeah, and he said this house has been in his family for centuries.

The Zeilers reach the end of the dock and step onto the sandy beach and start to walk up the slope to the house.

EMILY

I love how everything is so old around here. It really gives you a sense of history.

Emily turns to look behind her in order to address her children, who are following her.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Now, kids, please make sure you're on your best behavior. For some reason, this guy actually thinks were great explorers, and since he's probably never met anyone from Alaska before, I don't want to appear too ....

ZACK

Strange?

ALEXIS

Idiosyncratic?

DAVID

Exotic?

COURTNEY

Peculiar?

AVA

Eccentric?

EMILY

Yes, all of those things.

DAVID

So, in other words, just pretend to be normal?



EMILY

Exactly.

DAVID

Well, I've got to say I think that's unethical. I mean, you always taught us to be ourselves and not pretend to be someone else. I don't like to lie.

EMILY

Except in cases like when you went into Courtney's room and stole some of her old English papers and submitted them as your own.

DAVID

OK, you win.

Courtney looks at David in anger.

COURTNEY

No wonder my old English teacher said you were as smart as me. I was horrified because I thought she thought I was dumb.

DAVID

That sounds like an insult.

COURTNEY

Insult? You owe me an apology!

DAVID

Actually, I think you owe me one because I got a C in that class.

Courtney gets even angrier, so she rushes at David and tackles him to the ground, landing on the sandy beach that's only about twenty feet in front of Theodus's house.

As Courtney and David are wrestling/fighting, Alexis reaches down to try to separate them, and Zack tries to pull Courtney off the top of David.

Tristan, Emily, and Ava stop right next to the front door, and Emily knocks on the door. Then, they look back at all of the commotion on the beach, and Emily sighs and drops her head in despair.

THEODUS MARINOS, 64 years old with gray hair and pretty fit for his age, opens the front door.

Tristan, Emily, and Ava turn their attention to Theodus, who momentarily looks at Courtney and David wrestling on the ground as Alexis and Zack try to separate them, but then he turns his attention to Tristan, Emily, and Ava.

Emily smiles awkwardly at Theodus since she's embarrassed by Courtney and David fighting, and she extends her hand, which Theodus shakes.

EMILY

Hello, you must be Theodus.

Theodus smiles back at Emily.

THEODUS

Yes, and I know you are the world famous Zeilers. Thank you so much for being here.

EMILY

Our pleasure. It's very nice to meet you. My name is Emily, and this is my husband, Tristan.

Tristan extends his hand, which Theodus shakes as they smile at each other.

TRISTAN

Hello.

THEODUS

Hello, and welcome to Greece.

TRISTAN

Thank you.

EMILY

And this is our daughter, Ava. She's really smart, and she's very peaceful. She hates violence.

Theodus extends his hand, which Ava shakes as they smile at each other.

THEODUS

How are you?

AVA

I'm good, thanks.

Theodus looks back at the ruckus that's still happening on the beach, so it's an awkward moment as Tristan, Emily, and Ava are just standing in front of him while looking at the ground.

Zack manages to pull Courtney up and off of David, and she's still very mad and is breathing hard as she stares at David. Zack is standing behind Courtney as he keeps her wrapped in a bear hug in order to stop her from attacking David, although she's too tired to fight anymore anyway.

Meanwhile, Alexis pulls David away, and they stand up together as she has him wrapped in a bear hug from behind him too, although he's also breathing hard and is too tired to fight anymore either, and he even has a bloody nose.

Zack, Alexis, Courtney, and David are trying to catch their breaths, and they're very dirty since they have sand all over their clothes and skin.

EMILY  
(dejectedly)  
And I have four other kids.

Emily finally turns around and looks at her kids.

EMILY (CONT'D)  
The insanely mad one is Courtney, who's being held by Zack. The one with the bloody nose is David, and then there's Alexis, our household psychologist.

Emily turns back around and faces Theodus, who smiles at her.

THEODUS  
You have a lively family.

EMILY  
Yes, something like that.

Theodus smiles even wider, and Emily gives a weak smile in return.

THEODUS  
Please don't be embarrassed. I'm so glad you came. Please come in.

Tristan, Emily, and Ava walk into the house.

INT. LIVING ROOM - DAY

Theodus guides Tristan, Emily, and Ava into the very nice room that has a few tall bookshelves, a sofa, a TV, a large table, etc. And Theodus's daughter, ATHENA MARINOS, who's 22 years old and absolutely beautiful with dirty blonde hair

and bright-blue eyes, is standing a little past the middle of the room. And everyone else stops and stands in the middle of the room, just in front of Athena.

THEODUS

This is my daughter, Athena.

Athena smiles and waves to Tristan, Emily, and Ava, and Tristan and Ava smile and wave back to her while Emily moves forward in order to shake hands.

ATHENA

Hello.

Emily extends her hand to Athena, who shakes it, and they smile at each other.

EMILY

Hello, it's nice to meet you.

ATHENA

It's nice to meet you too.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, and David walk into the living room, and all of them are covered in sand, and they immediately stop since they're embarrassed. So, they just stand awkwardly in front of everyone else.

David uses his shirt to wipe some of the blood from his nose, and he can feel many eyes on him.

DAVID

You know, I could have beaten her up if I wanted. I can beat up any girl.

AVA

But I wouldn't bet a lot of money on it.

Theodus smiles since he clearly enjoys Ava's comment.

THEODUS

Well, I suppose we should get to it.

Theodus walks a few steps to a bookshelf, where he removes a very tall piece of rolled-up parchment.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

I've worked at the National Archaeological Museum of Athens for thirty-five years, and one day, I

came across this map, buried deep  
in the archives.

Theodus unrolls the parchment as he spreads it across a large and tall table that reaches up past his waist, and everyone gathers around the table and encircles it as they look down at the map.

Everyone is impressed by the artistry of the map, which is actually a beautiful painting that's about three feet high and five feet wide. It's a colorful display, mostly showing the ocean and Greece (including a few Greek islands). Also, there are five black Xs marking the location of five keys, and additionally, there's a much bigger black X that marks the location of a wrecked ship in a cove.

And there are a couple of paragraphs written on the bottom of the map that Theodus paraphrases as he explains the map.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

I've had it determined that this map is over two hundred years old, and this writing here states this map was created by a Greek pirate named, "Damianos," who found a great Athenian ship loaded with treasure that had run ashore, which protected it from saltwater deterioration and makes it the only fully intact ship from ancient Greece to still be in existence. It states Damianos knew the value of this ship to Greek history and considered raiding it to be destroying his own history, so he hid it from other pirates by moving it into a nearby cove of freshwater that is marked with this big X here, and he locked the cove with a stone door that requires five keys to open. And he hid these five keys where these Xs are marked on the map. He put each key under a rock that he painted with an X. The writing down here also has the coordinates of the keys and the cove, which are a little off by today's standards, but they're still useful. Anyway, this is a very good map, so hopefully, you will be able to find everything.

Theodus looks up from the map to address the Zeilers and Athena.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

This ship itself would be one of the world's greatest discoveries, and the gold and jewelry in the ship makes it even more priceless. I aim to discover this ship and give all of its valuables to the National Archaeological Museum of Athens, with the exception of some of these valuables that you will justly have as your reward. I'm too old for this journey to find all the keys and, ultimately, the ship, and the people at my museum aren't to be trusted, so when you made worldwide headlines with your finding of a great treasure in Alaska and how you unselfishly donated it to your church, I knew you were the people that I needed. So, that's why I humbly ask for your help.

ALEXIS

How do we know this map really leads to a ship?

THEODUS

That's a great question. See, I rode in a helicopter over this cove, and I could see below that the door does exist at least.

ZACK

So, why don't we go there and blast open the door, instead of searching for keys?

THEODUS

Because pirates are famous for booby traps, and I doubt Damianos would have gone to the trouble of hiding keys if one could just blast the door open.

TRISTAN

Well, this sounds good to me. We're in.

THEODUS

Fantastic! But I do have just one more request, which is that you take Athena with you. Her mother

died when she was young, and I had her too late in life to give her many adventures. So, I would ....

Emily cuts Theodus off, relieving him of having to give any further justification or pleading.

EMILY

It would be our honor.

Theodus and Emily smile at each other, and Athena smiles very wide.

ATHENA

Thank you, and I promise I'm a hard worker, and I'll do all that you ask of me, and I won't be any trouble.

TRISTAN

Well, then, you're not going to fit in at all. I mean, we couldn't make it up your beach without causing trouble.

Athena and everyone else laugh as they enjoy a nice moment together.

ZACK

Now, should we all hop on the pontoon boat, or maybe, we can borrow that canoe and jon boat out there, and if there's a paddle boat around, that would be great.

Theodus smiles.

THEODUS

Oh, yes, I did see the boat you came in on. Sorry that I didn't explain before, but I have a rich friend who has loaned me his yacht. He thinks I'm going fishing.

Everyone smiles.

EXT. ALIMOS MARINA, ATHENS - DAY

The Zeilers and Athena are carrying a lot of luggage and rolling suitcases with them as they follow Theodus. They're approaching near the end of one of the docks at this very large and scenic marina, which has several docks extending

out into the ocean, and there are more than one hundred boats at these docks.

With only several more boats in front of them, they stop at a two-story yacht that's very beautiful and impressive, although it's not as big as a mega yacht, and the back of the yacht is next to the dock. It's nearly all white, except it has a nice dark-blue streak that's several feet above water level and goes all around the yacht. Also, it's built for speed with a very slick and modern design.

At the front of the yacht, the steering wheel is in the open air, except it has a roof over it. Behind the steering wheel, there's the main cabin that consists of a large room with a kitchen, chairs, and a sofa for people to relax and eat. Behind this main cabin, there's a very large wooden deck that extends to the back of the boat, and this deck consists of nearly completely open space. Indeed, there are only a few benches that are around the sides of this deck. And the story below contains a large bedroom cabin and a bathroom.

Also, there are two jet skis that are covered with nylon covers, and they're hanging off the back of the yacht as they're suspended out of the water by lifts that are used to lift the jet skis in and out of the water.

THEODUS

Well, here is the yacht or really big boat if you prefer. It's called, "Proteus," who was a Greek god of the sea.

ALEXIS

Whoa!

Everyone stops next to Proteus, and they look at it in awe.

COURTNEY

I think it should be called a ship.

AVA

Actually, boats can be put on ships while ships can't be put on boats, so yachts are too small to be ...

Courtney walks away as she moves a little closer to the yacht since she's too fascinated with it to pay attention to Ava.

AVA (CONT'D)

(to herself)

ships. Is there no one I can talk to anymore?



THEODUS

The main cabin is up top and the  
large bedroom cabin is down below.  
And I must add, it can really fly.

TRISTAN

This is awesome. I can't wait to  
drive it.

Theodus smiles.

THEODUS

You will love it, my friend. Well,  
this is where I leave you. And you  
must know I can't thank you enough,  
and I wish you all the best.

Athena kisses Theodus on his cheek, and then she hugs him,  
and he hugs her back.

ATHENA

Goodbye, Papa. I love you.

THEODUS

I love you too.

Theodus and Athena break from their embrace, and they smile  
at each other. Then, Athena starts to walk up the plank to  
board the back of the boat while everyone else follows her,  
except Theodus stays behind, and Tristan unties two ropes  
from posts on the dock that tied Proteus to the dock, and he  
throws the ropes up onto Proteus. Theodus waves goodbye to  
everyone, and they wave back to him.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

Have a safe journey, and I'll see  
all of you in a few days.

EMILY

Bye, Theodus.

THEODUS

Bye.

ZACK

Goodbye.

ALEXIS

Bye.

DAVID

Bye.

COURTNEY

Goodbye.

AVA

See you soon.

Tristan has finished untying the boat, so he hurries up the plank to the boat as he waves back to Theodus.

TRISTAN

Yeah, see you soon.

THEODUS

Goodbye, everyone.

Everyone has boarded Proteus, so Zack pulls the plank up onto Proteus.

Everyone heads into the main cabin in order to start their fantastic journey, except Tristan goes to the steering wheel, and Theodus stays to watch them leave.

Tristan starts up the yacht, and he drives it slowly away from the dock.

Indeed, Proteus starts to make its way from the dock and pass other boats in the marina as it goes towards the open sea.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY

Proteus is heading out to sea as it's sailing at a fairly leisurely pace. It's sailing parallel to the nearby shore where there are some buildings, and other boats are cruising nearby. Tristan is sitting at the steering wheel near the front of the boat as he drives it, and everyone else is standing in a row on the back deck while excitedly looking over the side of the boat as they face the shore.

Indeed, Emily, Zack, Alexis, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena are admiring the view of the ocean and the shoreline while the cool wind blows their hair. And, since they're on the tallest boat in the vicinity, they enjoy the view of looking down at the other boats below. While passing a motorboat that's just floating, they wave and smile at the people on the deck of the motorboat who are sitting down and relaxing, and these people wave and smile back.

Everyone is just having fun, enjoying the nice boat ride on the beautifully clear blue water on a sunny day as they head out on their adventure.

ALEXIS

Since Greece is a peninsula, I figure you're used to the ocean, huh?

ATHENA

Oh, yes, my papa and me have always loved the ocean. We've been swimming and fishing together my whole life, and we used to have a motorboat that we rode a lot.

ALEXIS

That's so cool. Alaska is a peninsula too, and we live pretty close to the ocean. Our dad is even a fisherman.

ATHENA

Oh, yes, I know. My papa and me read all about you, and we watched your TV interviews. You're world famous.

Athena smiles at Alexis, who smiles back at her, and then they turn their attention back to watching the other boats.

While passing a sail boat that's sailing along at a nice pace, Emily, Zack, Alexis, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena wave and smile at the people on the deck of the boat, and they wave and smile back.

EMILY

This is so fun! I always dreamed of a Greek vacation.

COURTNEY

Yeah, this is awesome.

ZACK

So, we just ignore the fact that Dad is leading us, so something will surely go horribly wrong?

EMILY

Yes, it's called enjoy it while it lasts. Besides, I like to be an optimist. Maybe, this time, all will go well.

DAVID

Do you care to bet on it?

EMILY

No, I'm an optimist, not out of my mind.

AVA

Well, you did marry Dad.

EMILY

OK, I'm a little out of my mind.

Everyone smiles.

David screams out into the ocean.

DAVID

I love Greece!

Everyone laughs.

Proteus continues to sail away, leaving the boats and the land behind as it heads out to the open sea.

EXT. PROTEUS'S BACK DECK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT

Near the back corner of the boat, Zack and Athena are sitting together on a bench at the side of the boat while David is sitting next to them as he's sitting on the bench against the back of the boat. They're the only ones who are awake since everyone else is sleeping in the bedroom cabin below.

Proteus is anchored, and it's very quiet on this beautiful, clear night, with many bright stars visible in the night sky. And the white lights on the boat give a glowing, romantic feel on this evening.

David looks around at the darkness that surrounds the boat for a moment since the boat is, basically, providing the only light.

DAVID

It feels like we're sailing into the abyss or something.

ZACK

Except we're anchored.

DAVID

Hey, Ava's asleep. I should be free of being told I'm wrong.

Zack and Athena smile.

ATHENA

I love the peacefulness. It's nice and quiet, and there's a nice breeze.

ZACK

Yeah, this is nice.

Athena smiles at Zack, and he smiles back at her, and it's obvious that they're bonding.

DAVID

Hey, Athena, can you teach me how to say something in Greek?

ATHENA

Hmm ... something in Greek. How about koimiso glyka, which means, "Sleep sweetly."

DAVID

Well, I'm sure that will come in handy.

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

It's from a famous Greek lullaby called, "Sleep, Sleep."

DAVID

I'm not sure that makes it better.

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

My mom used to sing it to me when I was a child to put me to sleep. I can sing it for both of you if you want.

ZACK

Really? Yeah, that would be great.

ATHENA

Great, just let me get my bouzouki.

Athena stands up and excitedly runs across the deck and enters into the main cabin.

David speaks a little quietly to Zack in order to avoid Athena hearing him.

DAVID

She's getting a bazooka? What kind  
of lullaby is this?

Zack smiles.

Athena hurriedly exits out of the main cabin as she walks towards Zack, and she's carrying her bouzouki case, which looks similar to a guitar case.

Athena sits down next to Zack again, with the bouzouki case stretched across her lap, and she opens the case up and removes her bouzouki (which has a shape that's similar to a guitar).

Athena puts the bouzouki case down on the floor.

ZACK

Is that a Greek instrument?

ATHENA

Yes, and it's similar to guitars  
and mandolins. And it's still very  
popular in Greek music today.

Athena places the bouzouki across her lap and places her fingers on the strings as she prepares to play, and then she smiles at Zack and David.

ATHENA (CONT'D)

Well, here it goes.

Athena begins to play her bouzouki, and Zack and David are transfixed as they watch, with the notes to the lovely song, "SLEEP, SLEEP," ringing out into the night sky.

Athena sings the entire song (in Greek) very sweetly and hypnotically for them (note the lyrics below are probably not an exact translation, but they're very close).

ATHENA (CONT'D)

(singing the words in Greek  
while playing her bouzouki)

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

The man is near.  
You get embraced.  
Kisses to give you,  
Very tenderly!

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

The man is near.  
 You get embraced.  
 Kisses to give you,  
 Very tenderly!

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
 Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

The man is near.  
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 Kisses to give you,  
 Very tenderly!

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 Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
 Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

The man is near.  
 You get embraced.  
 Kisses to give you,  
 Very tenderly!

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
 Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

Sleep, sleep good baby.  
 Sleep, sleep, sleep sweetly.

Athena plays the final notes of the lovely song on her bouzouki.

David is smiling since he clearly enjoyed it, and Zack absolutely loved it and is just staring at Athena in disbelief.

DAVID  
 That was cool.

Athena smiles.

ATHENA  
 Thanks.

Athena bends over and lays her bouzouki back in its case on the ground and closes the case, and then she sits back up.

ZACK  
 That was one of the most beautiful  
 things I've ever heard.

Athena's smile widens.

ATHENA

You're too kind, but thank you.

Athena continues smiling proudly and endearingly at Zack, and he smiles back at her, and she becomes a little shy, so she looks down while continuing to smile.

David observes the loving nature of this scene in disgust as he looks back and forth between Zack and Athena.

DAVID

(to himself)

Oh, man, I can't take it.

David stands up and starts walking across the deck as he heads towards the main cabin door in order to go to sleep in the bedroom cabin below.

DAVID (CONT'D)

(to himself)

The most beautiful thing. He's a  
goner.

David opens the door to the main cabin, and he enters and closes the door behind him.

Zack leans close to Athena and kisses her on the lips as she kisses him back on a romantic night aboard an exquisite yacht in the endless ocean.

Zack puts his arm around Athena as she rests her head on his shoulder.

Zack and Athena say nothing as they enjoy their quiet time together.

EXT. PROTEUS'S BACK DECK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT  
(LATER)

Zack and Athena are lying together on the deck with one cotton sleeping bag completely spread out under them and one cotton sleeping bag completely spread out on top of them.

They're lying on their backs with their heads next to each other on the same big pillow, and his arm is around her shoulders, so her neck is on top of his arm. They're in the center back of the deck, with their heads near the bench at the back of the boat.

Zack is wearing his T-shirt and shorts that he always wears to bed while Athena is wearing her pretty blue flannel pajamas, which have short sleeves and short pant legs.



The stars continue to be very visible in the night sky as Zack and Athena gaze at the stars directly above them. Of course, they're happy to be enjoying this beautiful night together.

ZACK

I bet you're thinking of some famous Greek astronomer or some Greek god of the sky.

ATHENA

No, I'm just thinking there are a lot of stars.

Zack laughs a little, and Athena also laughs.

ZACK

And a lot of space.

ATHENA

Yes, and a lot of space.

Zack and Athena laugh a little more, and then they stop laughing and return to their state of simple, relaxed happiness.

ATHENA(CONT'D)

Actually, I was thinking I wish I had a big family like yours. I'm an only child, and it gets boring sometimes with just me and my papa. With your family, there's always so much going on, so much life. I'm going to get married and have a lot of kids. I think I'll have five of them.

ZACK

What if you end up with five Davids?

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

I even like David.

Athena takes her eyes off the sky above as she rolls onto her side and looks at Zack, who looks back at her.

ATHENA(CONT'D)

And I especially like you.

Athena smiles at Zack, and he smiles back at her.

ATHENA (CONT'D)  
Goodnight, Zack.

Athena kisses Zack on his lips, and then she just lets her head rest next to his head, with her hair gently brushing up against his cheek, with his arm under her neck, while she continues lying on her side as Zack is lying on his back. And she puts her arm across his chest, under the sleeping bag, and she closes her eyes to go to sleep.

ZACK  
Goodnight, Athena.

The boat gently sways in the peaceful ocean.

EXT. PROTEUS'S BACK DECK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY

In the morning after their night of sleeping under the stars, Zack and Athena are still lying on the deck with one sleeping bag completely spread out beneath them and one sleeping bag completely spread out on top of them. Zack is sleeping on his back, with his head on a pillow and his arm around Athena, who's sleeping on her side with her head on the pillow next to Zack's head and one of her arms stretched out across Zack's chest under the sleeping bag.

Emily is sitting near the middle of the bench at the back of the boat, and she's directly above Zack as she leans down and gently rubs his shoulder in order to wake him up.

Zack opens his eyes in a daze and looks at Emily, who's staring down at him with her face upside down from his perspective. Other than opening his eyes, Zack hardly moves at all since he isn't fully awake yet.

EMILY  
You know, staying up late and spending time with a nice girl on a clear, starlit night and, then, sleeping under the beautiful stars together can be a wonderful, romantic evening. But the key is to wake up before everyone else in your family has gathered around you while you're sleeping with her.

Zack hears other members of his family giggling, so he looks around and realizes that everyone else in his family is sitting on the benches around him too.

With Emily's words finally hitting Zack, he rapidly comes to his senses and becomes completely wide awake.

Therefore, Zack screams and jumps up as everyone else laughs at him.

The commotion causes Athena to wake up too, so she also jumps up and is extremely embarrassed.

Athena goes and stands next to Zack, and she's wearing her pajamas while he's wearing a T-shirt and shorts.

Zack and Athena are awkwardly standing in front of the rest of the Zeilers, who are laughing at them, and David addresses Zack.

DAVID

So, is she a goddess?

ATHENA

We didn't sleep together!

COURTNEY

Technically, I think you were sleeping together.

ATHENA

I mean ...

Athena turns towards Zack's parents.

ATHENA (CONT'D)

Mr. and Mrs. Zeiler, I promise you that we didn't make love. I'm waiting until I get married.

ZACK

Yeah, she's waiting.

Athena looks angrily at Zack since she hopes he's waiting until marriage too, and he notices her gaze and realizes his mistake.

ZACK (CONT'D)

Oh, and I'm waiting too. Yeah, I'm a big waiter. I can't wait to wait.

TRISTAN

What does that mean?

Zack lowers his head and shakes it in defeat.

ZACK

I don't know.

ALEXIS

(to Zack)

Can I use this as an example of  
poor crisis management?

All of the Zeilers (except Zack) laugh, and Tristan gives Alexis a high five.

TRISTAN

Good one.

Zack and Athena are still embarrassed as they stand in front of everyone.

ATHENA

I'm going to go take a shower.

Athena walks towards the main cabin door in order to go below deck to take a shower.

Zack bends down and quickly grabs the pillow and two sleeping bags off of the deck.

ZACK

I'm going to go take a shower too.

Zack turns towards the main cabin door and begins to walk towards it as Athena enters through the door.

DAVID

Remember, one at a time in the  
shower!

Everyone, except Zack and Athena, laughs as Zack enters through the main cabin door.

EXT. ROCKY GREEK COAST - DAY

Proteus is anchored a few hundred feet from the coastline while the Zeilers and Athena are in the water near the coastline, which has quite a few big rocks sticking out of the water. They're searching for one of the rocks that's painted with an "X," which means it has one of the five keys to the treasure underneath it. The ocean's waves are very gentle, and the water is very clear, so the bottom of the ocean is completely visible from above the water. It's an absolutely beautiful sight with the bright-blue water looking inviting on this sunny day.

Everyone is wearing thin wetsuits (only 1mm thickness), which are cut off above the elbows and above the knees. These wetsuits are mostly black, but they have stripes of nicely bright colors (e.g., pink and blue).

And everyone is wearing fins and snorkel masks, with snorkels attached to these masks, as they walk and swim around in order to find the painted rock, except Zack and Athena are carrying their masks and fins. Their masks are mostly clear, although there are bright colors around their edges. And their snorkels and fins also have beautifully bright colors.

Everyone's hair is wet, even if they're not currently swimming since everyone has, obviously, already done some swimming in their search for the key.

Zack and Athena are walking together in water that reaches up to just above their knees. They're holding their masks and fins in their hands, and it's obvious that they're quietly enjoying their time together as they simply walk around while scanning the ocean's floor in order to find the painted rock.

Emily and Alexis are snorkeling together in water that would reach up to about their chests if they stood up as they look over the ocean's floor.

Courtney and David are walking around together in the water, which reaches up to just below their waists, as they scan the ocean's floor, and they're wearing their fins, but their masks are resting on top of their heads.

While everyone else is in shallow water next to the shore, Tristan and Ava are snorkeling together in deep water that's further from the shore, so they're not even close to being able to stand.

To get a closer look, Tristan and Ava dive down to the bottom of the ocean, where some small fish are swimming near them, and they kick with their fins to swim along while they scan the ocean's floor to look for the rock with the "X."

Like the rest of their family and Athena, Tristan and Ava are clearly having a lot of fun.

After swimming for a bit in the ocean wonderland, where the bottom mostly consists of nice sand, rocks, and coral, Tristan and Ava swim back to the surface.

After Tristan and Ava break the surface, they exhale the water out of their snorkels, shooting water into the air, and then they swim horizontal on the surface together as they move along slowly while looking at the ocean's floor.

Courtney and David are still walking together while looking down as they search for the painted rock.

DAVID

So, the pirate who made this map was smart enough to hide the treasure and hide all these keys in different locations, but he didn't realize that his coordinates weren't advanced enough to be exact and writing a big X on the map doesn't tell the precise location?

Courtney smiles.

COURTNEY

Maybe, the dot hadn't been invented yet.

DAVID

They invented an X but not a dot?

Courtney stops walking and turns towards David, so he stops too.

COURTNEY

OK, this is getting weird. Let's just go back to acting normal.

DAVID

Why?

COURTNEY

Because if I keep getting involved in your weird conversations, I might get lost someday and become unfit for society or something.

DAVID

You're saying you don't want to lower yourself to my level?

COURTNEY

Exactly.

David thinks for a moment about if he should feel insulted, but then he just shrugs it off since, obviously, he knows he's a little weird.

DAVID

OK, I understand.

Courtney smiles, and David starts walking again, so she also starts walking with him as they return to scanning the ocean's floor.

Emily is snorkeling, but then she stands up in order to take a break, so Alexis stands up too, with the water coming up to their chests.

Emily and Alexis tip their masks up from their faces, letting them rest on top of their heads.

Emily looks over at Zack and Athena, who are continuing to walk while scanning the ocean's floor, so Alexis looks over at them too. They see that Zack and Athena are clearly enjoying each other's company.

ALEXIS

Yep, Zack is gone.

Emily turns her attention from Zack and Athena and looks at Alexis, so Alexis turns and looks at Emily.

EMILY

I'm glad. Athena seems like a good girl, and Zack needed to find someone, and ....

ALEXIS

You're still trying to come to terms with it.

EMILY

Yeah, that too.

Emily and Alexis smile at each other.

ALEXIS

Yep, I have a great boyfriend, and now, Zack has a great girlfriend, so we're on the path to marriage. So, that's two down and three to go.

EMILY

Yeah, and Courtney and Ava will have no problem finding great guys, but I don't think I want to meet the girl who loves David.

Emily and Alexis laugh.

ALEXIS

Yeah, that's a scary thought. Anyway, you'll never be alone because I'm sure we'll all come to visit a lot, and you'll still have Dad.

EMILY

Yeah, and your dad would be great if he ever settled down and stopped chasing adventures.

ALEXIS

Maybe, he'll slow down when it's just you and him.

EMILY

I hope so. I've prayed many times that he'll slow down.

ALEXIS

Yeah, well, I think even God looked at Dad and threw up his hands.

Emily and Alexis laugh.

EMILY

OK, are you ready to do some more snorkeling?

ALEXIS

Yep, let's do it.

Emily and Alexis slide their snorkel masks down back over their eyes, and then they put the snorkels in their mouths, and they fall forward into the water and start snorkeling again.

Zack and Athena are continuing to walk while looking for the rock.

ATHENA

Do you want to rest for a little while?

ZACK

Yeah, sure, I'm a little tired too. You kept me up late.

Athena smiles at Zack, and he smiles back at her.

Athena walks a few steps to a large rock that's close to shore, and she sits down on it. Her legs are dangling down against the side of the rock, with her feet soaking in the water below as the waves gently cause the water level to fluctuate from her feet to her knees. And she puts her fins and mask down behind her on this rock.

Zack sits down next to Athena on the rock, and his feet are also submerged in the water, and he puts his fins and mask down on the rock next to Athena's fins and mask.



Zack and Athena simply sit together for a quiet moment, enjoying themselves, as they look out to the ocean where the rest of the Zeilers are looking for the key.

ATHENA  
This is so beautiful.

ZACK  
Yes, it is.

Zack looks at Athena.

ZACK (CONT'D)  
But it's not half as beautiful as you.

Zack smiles at Athena, who looks at him and laughs, and then he laughs too.

ATHENA  
Is that a pick-up line?

ZACK  
Yeah, I always wanted to use it.

ATHENA  
It's a good one. Corny, but good.

ZACK  
Thanks, I thought so too.

Athena becomes a little serious.

ATHENA  
But you don't have to use a pick-up line on me because you already have me.

ZACK  
Hey, that sounds like some kind of line too.

Zack smiles, and Athena laughs.

ATHENA  
Yes, I always wanted to use it.

Zack laughs, and then Zack and Athena calm down as they continue resting on the rock.

ATHENA (CONT'D)  
So, do you think your mom and Alexis were talking about us?

ZACK  
I have no doubt.

ATHENA  
Do you think they approve of me?

ZACK  
Yeah, definitely. I think I'm the  
one they disapprove of.

Athena smiles.

ZACK (CONT'D)  
I think they were asking, "What in  
the world does that nice girl see  
in Zack? I thought she was  
smarter."

Athena laughs, and Zack smiles, but then Athena becomes  
serious.

ATHENA  
Well, that's nice of you to say. I  
just hope they like me. I mean, I  
don't think I made a good  
impression when they found me  
sleeping with you on the deck of  
the boat on our first night  
together. I feel bad about that.

ZACK  
Didn't you enjoy spending the night  
with me?

ATHENA  
Of course, I did. It was the  
greatest night of my life.

Zack puts one of his arms around the back of Athena's waist.

ZACK  
Mine too. And we didn't do  
anything wrong, did we?

ATHENA  
No.

ZACK  
Then, you don't have anything to  
feel bad about, OK?

Athena smiles and nods her head in agreement.

ATHENA

OK.

Zack smiles back at Athena.

Zack leans in to kiss Athena, and she leans to meet his lips, and then they kiss each other. Then, their lips part, and they smile at each other.

Athena puts one of her arms around the back of Zack's waist too, and they share a quiet moment as they look at the ocean.

ZACK

We should probably get an alarm clock though.

Athena laughs and looks at Zack, and then he laughs too as he looks back at her.

Suddenly, Courtney screams since she saw something move in the water, and everyone hears her because even the ones who were snorkeling were on the surface, so everyone stops what they were doing and quickly turns their attention towards Courtney.

Courtney runs a few steps closer to shore until she's standing behind David, with the water coming up to just below their waists, and she uses him as protection as she puts her hands on his shoulders while David and her look at the area of water where she saw something.

And Courtney is terrified while David just stays calm, especially since he didn't see anything moving in the water.

Everyone else hurries towards Courtney as fast as they can, with Tristan and Ava swimming together, Emily and Alexis swimming together, and Zack and Athena carrying their fins and masks as they run together.

COURTNEY

I think I saw a shark!

DAVID

I don't see anything.

COURTNEY

It moves fast.

DAVID

Are you're using me as a shield because it's better if I die?

COURTNEY  
Shut up, David!

Everyone else reaches Courtney and David, so Zack and Athena stop running. And Tristan, Emily, Alexis, and Ava stop swimming, and they stand up and flip their masks up onto the top of their heads. So, everyone is standing in water that's just below their waists.

TRISTAN  
What is it?

Courtney, who's still scared, anxiously points at the water about twenty feet in front of her.

COURTNEY  
I think I saw a shark out there,  
maybe a great white!

TRISTAN  
Oh, it was probably nothing. I'll  
go check it out.

Tristan lowers his mask down over his eyes.

AVA  
And I'll go too.

Ava lowers her mask down over her eyes.

EMILY  
Tristan, why don't we just go to  
shore?

TRISTAN  
Because we haven't found the key  
yet.

Tristan and Ava excitedly turn away from everyone and start to hurry away from shore in order to see if they can find what Courtney saw, and Emily calls after Ava.

EMILY  
Ava, why don't you stay here?

AVA  
I want to go. Sharks aren't  
usually dangerous anyway. We'll be  
back soon, Mom!

Emily throws her hands up in defeat as Tristan and Ava put the snorkels in their mouths, and they lunge forward and start swimming on top of the water for a few strokes, and then they go underwater.

Tristan and Ava descend to just above the sandy bottom that's about ten feet deep, and they look around as they swim, and they see a fair amount of corals, rocks, and small fish that makes for a very pretty and tranquil environment.

So, they're in an underwater wonderland as they try to see if they can find what Courtney saw.

Suddenly, a dolphin swims only a few feet in front of them as it passes across them.

Tristan and Ava stop and kneel next to each other on the sandy bottom as they smile and happily stare at the magnificent dolphin.

The dolphin seems very happy to have Tristan and Ava here with him, so the dolphin starts to playfully swim around them. Indeed, the dolphin circles around them a couple of times, and Tristan and Ava are absolutely entranced.

Feeling as though they're the luckiest people alive, they can't believe their good fortune of having this wonderful moment of being in touch with nature.

The dolphin swims overhead of them and, then, circles them once more before swimming away.

As they watch the dolphin leave, the dolphin looks back at them and appears to wave goodbye with its tail, so Tristan and Ava wave goodbye to it with huge smiles on their faces.

Tristan and Ava smile at each other, and then they kick off the bottom and swim towards the surface, heading up at an angle in order to go towards everyone else.

They break the ocean's surface while expelling the water from their snorkels, and then they pull the mouthpieces of their snorkels out of their mouths as they stand up, with the water level reaching up to their chests.

Tristan and Ava are smiling broadly as they start to walk towards everyone else, who are anxiously staring at them.

COURTNEY

Did you see anything?

TRISTAN

A great white!

AVA

A big one!

Tristan and Ava arrive next to everyone else, so they stop walking.

TRISTAN

Yeah, it had Ava by her fin until I punched it in the nose!

AVA

Yeah, thanks, Dad. You saved my life!

TRISTAN

No problem, I figured I owed you one.

Tristan and Ava smile at each other, but no one believes them.

ALEXIS

You guys are hopeless.

TRISTAN

OK, it was a really cute dolphin that playfully swam around us, and then I think it even waved goodbye with its tail.

COURTNEY

Nice try.

Everyone, except Tristan and Ava, starts to walk away in order to continue their search for the key, with Emily and Alexis walking together, Zack and Athena walking together, and Courtney and David walking together.

Tristan and Ava are disappointed that no one believes them.

AVA

Hey, we really did see a dolphin!

TRISTAN

Yeah, it was one of the most incredible moments ever! Emily, you believe us, don't you?

Emily barely turns over her shoulder to answer Tristan.

EMILY

Yeah, yeah, incredible moment. That's nice, Tristan.

Tristan addresses Ava.

TRISTAN

No one believes us.

AVA  
That's so wrong.

TRISTAN  
It's like they only believe me when  
it's something bad because ....

AVA  
It usually is something bad.

TRISTAN  
Exactly.

AVA  
So, the moral is that you can only  
share bad news, not good news.

TRISTAN  
I guess so, although I thought  
morals were supposed to teach good  
lessons. Well, the dolphin was  
cool, huh?

Ava smiles.

AVA  
That dolphin was awesome!

Tristan smiles as he lifts his hand out of the water to give  
Ava a high-five, and after Ava slaps his hand, they laugh.  
Then, they walk away together to search for the key.

Courtney and David are walking around in the water that  
reaches to just above their knees because Courtney has moved  
them to shallower water since she's still a little scared,  
and they're scanning the ocean's floor. Suddenly, Courtney  
spots a large flat rock that's submerged, and it has a big  
"X" painted on it in black paint, so she excitedly stops  
next to it and yells to David.

COURTNEY  
I found it!

David hurriedly walks up to Courtney as he looks down and  
also spots the rock.

DAVID  
Well, even a black sheep is good  
for something.

COURTNEY  
Do you have to be sarcastic all the  
time?

DAVID  
Yeah, I think so. It's just too  
easy with this family.

Courtney turns her attention back to the rock.

COURTNEY  
Well, I guess we should see what's  
underneath it.

DAVID  
No, we should just stare at it.

Courtney stares angrily at David since he's being sarcastic again.

David realizes his mistake.

DAVID (CONT'D)  
Sorry.

Courtney and David look back down at the rock.

DAVID (CONT'D)  
OK, just lift up the rock.

Courtney looks anxiously at David since she's, obviously, frightened about lifting the rock up.

COURTNEY  
Maybe, we should get everyone else  
over here first.

David smiles at Courtney.

DAVID  
You're scared?

Courtney gets defensive.

COURTNEY  
No, it's just that it's one of the  
rules of life that nothing good has  
ever come from looking under a  
rock. Besides, I think everyone  
should be here when we see what's  
underneath.

David smiles at Courtney again.

DAVID  
You're scared.



COURTNEY

Why don't you lift it up then if  
you're so brave!

DAVID

OK.

David kneels down and tilts the rock up and puts his hand under the rock, but then he screams and quickly removes his hand as he lets the rock fall back down.

While holding his hand as if it's been bitten/injured and is in a lot of pain, David quickly moves backwards a few steps until he falls backwards into the water, where he lands with a splash.

This causes Courtney to scream and turn to run away, heading towards David in order to pass him and go towards everyone else. However, since it's nearly impossible to run in fins, she trips over her fins after just a couple of steps, and she falls down face first into the water right next to David.

David sits up in the water while laughing at Courtney, so she sits up on her knees, facing towards him as she angrily looks at him.

DAVID (CONT'D)

That was too easy.

COURTNEY

It's not funny! You don't scare  
people like that!

DAVID

I know, I'm sorry. When will I  
learn?

COURTNEY

Never.

DAVID

Yeah, never sounds about right.

COURTNEY

I can't even look at you.

Courtney looks away from David, and he tosses a large gray stone key over to her since, of course, he got this key from under the rock before he scared Courtney, and it lands in her lap.

Courtney looks down and sees the key, which has the number one carved into its handle, so she excitedly picks it up.

COURTNEY (CONT'D)

The key!

Courtney excitedly stands up and yells at everyone as she holds the key up high to show it to them.

COURTNEY (CONT'D)

Hey, I found the key! I found the key!

Everyone, except David since he's just continuing to sit, is very excited, and they start to make their way towards Courtney.

EMILY

Good job, Courtney!

Courtney starts to run towards them, but she immediately trips over her fins and falls face down into the water, landing right next to David again, and he smiles.

David watches Courtney in amusement as she rolls over onto her back and sits up next to him, and then she caresses one of her knees that she hurt a little when it hit the bottom of the ocean when she fell.

COURTNEY

Ow.

DAVID

I guess you didn't buy those flippers that are made for running.

COURTNEY

Don't start!

DAVID

OK, but do you know that you went from excited to scared to mad to excited again to being in pain to mad again in like a minute? Talk about mood swings.

Courtney smiles at David as she playfully splashes water at him, and he smiles back at her.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY (ESTABLISHING)

Tristan is driving Proteus as it's sailing along leisurely in the beautiful ocean, and it's overcast with rain clouds, so it's a little dark outside.

EXT. PROTEUS'S BACK DECK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY

Athena is sitting between Zack and Ava on the bench against the back of the boat, and Athena has her Bible laid open across her lap since she's about to teach them a Bible lesson. Her Bible is a very nice book that has a black cover with its title in white lettering on the front of it that we read to say, "THE BIBLE."

Ava is reading a beautiful tall book that's filled with colorful pictures, and its front cover has a picture of a Greek beach with clear blue water where we read the book's title: "THE INTERESTING HISTORY OF GREECE." She reads from this book as she explains the meaning of the Greek flag.

AVA

It says, "On the Greek flag, the blue symbolizes the ocean and the sky, and the white symbolizes the ocean waves and the clouds, and the cross symbolizes Eastern Orthodox Christianity."

Ava looks up from her book to address Athena.

AVA (CONT'D)

Are you Eastern Orthodox?

ATHENA

Yes, and most Greeks are Eastern Orthodox Christians.

AVA

Cool, my family and me are Presbyterians.

Ava and Athena smile at each other, and Ava closes her book.

Alexis walks out of the main cabin and onto the back deck.

ALEXIS

Hey, guys, what are you doing?

Alexis stops and stands in front of Zack, Ava, and Athena.

ATHENA

We missed church this weekend, so we're going to go over a Bible lesson.

ALEXIS

Ah, that's great. But I doubt Zack actually missed church.

ZACK  
Hey, I like church.

ALEXIS  
Since when, now?

ZACK  
It's never too late to start.

Alexis, Zack, Ava, and Athena smile.

ALEXIS  
Well, I love church, so can I  
attend your service?

ATHENA  
Sure.

ALEXIS  
Thanks.

Alexis sits down on a bench at one of the boat's sides.

Emily and Courtney walk out of the main cabin door and onto the deck, and they're excited to have a church service.

EMILY  
We heard about a church service.  
Can we attend?

ATHENA  
Yeah, the more the merrier.

Emily and Courtney sit down next to Alexis on the bench at one of the sides of the boat while David comes walking out of the main cabin door and onto the deck, where he notices everyone sitting, so he stops.

DAVID  
What's going on?

EMILY  
We're having a church service?

David is disappointed.

DAVID  
Ah, not going to church is one of  
the benefits of not being home.

ALEXIS  
Zack missed it too much.

DAVID  
Since when?

Alexis smiles at Zack.

ALEXIS  
Since now.

Zack smiles back at Alexis.

Emily pats the seat next to her for David to come sit down next to her.

EMILY  
Come on, have a seat.

David goes and sits down next to Emily.

EMILY (CONT'D)  
So, Athena, what's the lesson?

ATHENA  
We're going to study the case of  
the Samaritan woman, who was a poor  
woman looked down upon by society.  
Her story of meeting Jesus at a  
drinking well is told in John.

Athena looks down at the Bible and reads a verse from it.

ATHENA (CONT'D)  
The main verse recounts Jesus  
telling her, "Whoever drinks of the  
water that I will give him shall  
never thirst; but the water that I  
will give him will become in him a  
well of water springing up to  
eternal life."

Athena looks up from the Bible.

COURTNEY  
So, then, she became a Christian?

ATHENA  
Yes. It's a story of how God comes  
to even the most disadvantaged of  
us because everyone is important,  
and he gives us a way to join him.

COURTNEY  
That's a cool story.

Everyone smiles since they clearly enjoyed the lesson.

ALEXIS

Do you care to add anything, Zack?

ZACK

Yes, Alexis, I must say that ...

Zack can't think of anything to add.

ZACK (CONT'D)

I agree with everything Athena  
said.

Everyone, including Zack, laughs/smiles.

It starts to sprinkle, which everyone notices.

DAVID

Does anyone know any Bible quotes  
about storms?

Courtney quotes the Bible from memory.

COURTNEY

"Remember storms never last  
forever. In the midst of the  
storm, seek the Lord and run unto  
him for shelter. He will protect  
and help you endure."

DAVID

How does everyone just know Bible  
quotes?

AVA

Because we read.

DAVID

Oh, well, then there's no hope for  
me.

Everyone else smiles/laughs at David.

EMILY

Well, I guess we better go inside.

Emily stands up, so then everyone else stands up too and  
starts to walk towards the main cabin.

DAVID

Of course, God had to hold the rain  
off until after church.

Emily smiles and pats David on his back.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT (ESTABLISHING)

Proteus is anchored safely in the ocean, with its lights shining in the darkness. But a vicious storm, with heavy rain and wind creating big waves, is rocking Proteus back and forth, so it's a very rough night.

INT. PROTEUS'S SLEEPING CABIN IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT

Everyone is trying to sleep through the night as the storm rages. Tristan and Emily are in the only bed, which is very large, and everyone else is in sleeping bags on the floor. Tristan and Emily are sound asleep, but it's nearly impossible to sleep on the floor, so the Zeiler kids and Athena are having a tough night, except Ava is sound asleep somehow.

Indeed, since the storm is causing Proteus to rock a lot, the sleeping bags are sliding across the open floor until they hit the side of the bed at one end of the cabin, and then they come to a momentary rest. Courtney's sleeping bag slides up against David's sleeping bag.

DAVID  
(to Courtney)  
I'm never getting a waterbed.

All of the sleeping bags start to slide across the floor again until they come to a momentary rest against the wall on the other side of the cabin.

COURTNEY  
(to David)  
I'd just be happy with that bed.

Everyone slides back across the floor until they come to a momentary rest against the bed.

DAVID  
(to Courtney)  
You don't have to tell me twice.

David stands up and quickly runs a couple of steps and jumps onto the foot of his parents' bed. However, in his excitement, he jumps too far and bounces off the far end of the bed and falls to the floor with a loud thud in the small area between the bed and the wall, which wakes up Tristan and Emily.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, and Athena recoil at David's rough landing since it must have hurt, and they stand up.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, and Athena hop onto the bed, where Tristan and Emily make room for them and open up the bed covers to let them sleep under them, while Ava continues to sleep on the floor.

ATHENA

Thank you!

It's a mad scramble as Zack, Courtney, and Athena climb over each other on the bed since they're so happy to be in a stationary bed, and they're trying to find a comfortable place to lie down on the bed while pulling the covers over themselves.

Meanwhile, Alexis goes to the foot of the bed in order to check on David. Indeed, Alexis leans over the side of the bed and looks down at David, who's lying on his back in the small area between the bed and the wall, and he's in a little bit of pain.

ALEXIS

Are you OK?

DAVID

Yeah, I just ....

ALEXIS

Hit the floor like a ton of bricks?

DAVID

Yeah.

ALEXIS

Here, come on up.

Alexis reaches her hand down, which David grabs, and she pulls him up onto the bed. And Alexis and David lie down across the foot of the bed.

There are now seven people on the bed, with Tristan, Emily, Zack, Courtney, and Athena sleeping next to each other like normal, and Alexis and David lying across the foot of the bed. And, of course, the five people who were unable to sleep on the floor are incredibly relieved to be able to go to sleep peacefully on the bed.

Alexis peers over the side of the bed and sees that Ava is still sleeping like a baby while her sleeping bag is sliding towards the bed.

ALEXIS (CONT'D)

Hey, Ava's sleeping.



DAVID  
That's impossible.

David peers over the bed too, and he also sees that Ava is sleeping.

DAVID (CONT'D)  
I knew she wasn't human.

Alexis smiles as Ava slides up against the side of the bed, and David leans down and pulls her out of her sleeping bag and pulls her up onto the bed next to Alexis and himself, and she still doesn't wake up.

Meanwhile, Alexis picks up one of the sleeping bags from the floor, and she opens it up completely and puts it over herself, David, and Ava as if it's a bedspread.

So, with everyone resting peacefully on the bed, everyone is finally able to go to sleep.

EXT. VARIOUS SPOTS IN OR NEAR THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY

The following montage shows the Zeilers and Athena finding keys to the treasure or just having fun.

MONTAGE ("SUSPICIOUS MINDS" BY ELVIS PRESLEY FROM THE ALBUM ENTITLED, "ELVIS: 30 #1 HITS," PLAYS IN ITS ENTIRETY OVER THIS MONTAGE)

A) Tristan and Alexis are standing at the open waist-high door on the deck at the back of Proteus, and they're wearing their scuba gear (including wetsuits, tanks, fins, masks, etc.) as they prepare to jump into the ocean. They smile at each other since they're clearly excited to go look for one of the painted rocks while scuba diving. They put their regulators into their mouths, and then they hold their masks and regulators to their faces with one hand in order to prevent them from dislodging when they hit the water. Both of them take a big step off the back of the boat and lands in the ocean with a splash, and they float next to each other since their BCD vests are inflated.

B) On the ocean waves, Courtney and David are riding the two jet skis that were hanging off the back of their yacht, and they're smiling since they're simply having a lot of fun. They're riding next to each other as they go in a straight line over the waves, with water shooting up into the air each time that their jet skis hit a wave. Then, they turn by spinning their jet skis, spraying water into the air, and then they smile at each other and start riding next to each other again as they go back the way they came.

C) At about twenty feet below the ocean's surface, Tristan and Alexis are scuba diving together in the clear blue water, just several feet above the bottom of the ocean. They're kicking gently with their fins in order to move along slowly, and while they look for the painted rock on the bottom of the ocean, they also admire the fantastic view of many colorful fish that are swimming next to colorful coral. They stop and hover above the ocean floor and take a few moments to simply admire the fantastic view of fish swimming.

D) Emily, Zack, Ava, and Athena are on an island, and they're walking in a very nice and gentle stream in the woods, with the clear, refreshing water reaching up to about their knees, just below their shorts. And they're scanning the floor of the stream in search of one of the painted rocks. Emily is holding a smartphone that's playing, "Suspicious Minds," and she and Athena start mouthing its words to each other as they dance separately next to each other in the water. This causes Zack and Ava to stop and just watch them, and Zack and Ava just smile and shake their heads at each other.

#### EMILY AND ATHENA

(singing, mouthing the words)

We can't go on together  
With suspicious minds.  
And we can't build our dreams  
On suspicious minds.

Oh, let our love survive,  
Or dry the tears from your eyes.  
Let's don't let a good thing die.  
When, honey, you know  
I never lied to you.  
Mmm, yeah, yeah.

We're caught in a trap.  
I can't walk out  
Because I love you too much baby.

E) Tristan and Alexis are continuing to scuba dive at a depth of about twenty feet as they kick along at a relaxed pace while they scan the ocean bottom in search of one of the painted rocks. Alexis sees a fairly big flat rock marked with a big "X," and she excitedly taps Tristan on his shoulder to get his attention, and then she points out the rock to him, so he becomes excited too. Tristan and Alexis swim down to the rock, and they kneel down in the sand beside it. Alexis flips the rock over, and they see a stone key is lying on the sand where the rock was lying, and it has the number two carved into its handle. Tristan and Alexis smile at their great find, and then Alexis picks up the key, and they smile at each other.

F) Emily, Zack, Ava, and Athena are continuing to look for the rock in the stream. Ava sees a fairly big flat rock marked with a big "X" that's about two feet under the water, and she excitedly runs over to it. And Zack notices her running, so he excitedly runs after her. Then, Emily and Athena notice too, so they also run towards Ava. Ava crouches down into the water next to the rock as Emily, Zack, and Athena arrive next to her and stop. Ava reaches into the water and flips the rock over, and everyone sees the stone key is lying where the rock was lying, and it has the number three carved into its handle. Ava excitedly grabs the key as Zack pats her on the back to congratulate her, and Emily and Athena smile at Ava.

G) All of the Zeilers and Athena are in the woods on an island as they walk behind a waterfall that's about ten feet high, and it's flowing beautifully and with a great deal of force as it falls into a stream. As soon as they walk behind it, Emily sees a big flat rock with a big "X" on it, and she excitedly runs over to it. Emily kneels down next to the rock as everyone else comes up to her and stops next to her. Emily flips the rock over, and everyone sees the stone key lying where the rock was lying, and it has the number four carved into its handle. Emily excitedly grabs the key, and everyone is smiling.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT (ESTABLISHING)

While it's raining a little, Proteus is anchored in the calm sea, and the lights from Proteus are shining brightly in the darkness.

EXT. PROTEUS'S MAIN CABIN - NIGHT

While Tristan is sleeping in the cabin below, everyone else is in the main cabin, which provides shelter from the rain. This very nice cabin is in the middle of the yacht, so it's between the captain's wheel at the front of the boat and the large deck at the back of the boat. Emily, Alexis, and David are sitting on stools at the kitchen counter while facing away from the counter since they're facing Zack, Courtney, Ava, and Athena, who are sitting at a kitchen table next to the counter. Everyone is drinking lemonade in transparent glasses, and the lemonade looks very delicious.

ATHENA

Mrs. Zeiler, I hope this isn't too forward, but I was wondering how you and Mr. Zeiler met.

Emily smiles.

However, Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, and Ava groan, which confuses Athena.

ATHENA (CONT'D)

Why do you do that?

ZACK

Because we've heard this story a thousand times.

DAVID

Yeah, you should have asked our dad. His version is much shorter.

COURTNEY

Yeah, Dad just says God decided his life was too perfect, so he made Mom appear one day while he was going for a peaceful swim, and God's been laughing at him ever since.

Everyone smiles.

EMILY

Yes, well, your father can't tell stories, unless it involves fishing.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena laugh.

EMILY (CONT'D)

And, since he's sleeping, I can tell you how it really happened. One day ...

EXT. ALASKAN PARK - DAY (FLASHBACK)

YOUNG EMILY, 18 years old, is standing at the end of a fairly large lake, and she's holding several slices of bread as she tears apart pieces of bread and tosses them into the lake, where a few ducks rush to the floating bread and eat each piece. Also, her backpack is sitting in the snow at her feet, with a large thermos of hot chocolate sitting in an outside pocket in the backpack. This beautiful park is completely snow-covered, including snow over the nice evergreens and mountains surrounding the lake, and it looks completely deserted, except for Young Emily.

EMILY (V.O.)

in the middle of winter in Alaska,  
I went to a park near my house that

I often visited. I was feeding bread to some ducks who were hungry. These ducks got used to being fed in the park, so they didn't fly south for the winter. It was very peaceful as the ducks were gathered around the shore next to me, and they quickly ate every piece of bread that I threw at them. Being close to nature on such a beautiful, quiet, Alaskan day was just magical to me. But the peacefulness didn't last because I looked a little ways down on the side of the lake where I was standing, and I saw Tristan, who had just arrived.

Young Emily looks at the edge of the lake and notices YOUNG TRISTAN, 18 years old, walking towards the lake. Amazingly, Young Tristan is only wearing his swimsuit, backpack, and boots while a towel is hanging over his shoulder. He stops about 20 feet from the lake, and then he drops his backpack onto the snowy ground and kicks off his boots next to his backpack.

Young Tristan glances over at Young Emily for a brief moment and, thus, notices she's there, and then he simply throws his towel on top of his backpack and boots, and he walks towards the lake while shivering in the cold.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

I should mention it was a little cold that day, so I couldn't believe my eyes because some idiot was wearing a swimsuit and was about to enter the freezing water. Apparently, he thought it was a good idea to swim across the lake and back again just to see if he could make it in the cold water. So, he dove in.

After Young Tristan walks a few steps into the water, he dives into the freezing water and swims underwater.

Since Young Emily is transfixed on Young Tristan and, thus, no longer cares about feeding the ducks, she throws her remaining pieces of bread in the water, and the ducks hungrily scramble after the bread and eat it.

Young Emily picks up her backpack and puts it on her back, and then she walks towards Young Tristan as she follows the edge of the lake.

Young Emily arrives at the spot where Young Tristan entered the water, so she stops with her feet next to the water. And she stares at the water above him, looking for him to surface, since she's completely captivated by this odd occurrence of someone trying to swim in this freezing lake.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
He stayed underwater for what  
seemed like an eternity.

Young Tristan swims rapidly underwater as he tries to conquer the lake before becoming too cold.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
I couldn't believe how long he was  
underwater, and I thought he froze  
to death or something until he  
finally surfaced.

Young Tristan breaks the lake's surface and begins swimming freestyle rapidly across the lake.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
And, then, he started swimming  
across the lake.

Of course, Young Emily intently watches Young Tristan swimming.

Young Tristan is a very powerful and fluid swimmer.

His swimming is poetry in motion.

Indeed, his freestyle strokes carry him gracefully across the water.

His strong arms create whitewater with every stroke.

His powerful kicks are like propellers as they create whitewater behind him.

He breathes after every stroke as he gathers the air needed to fuel his body.

Underwater, he looks like a missile as his body streamlines along the water's surface.

His hands grasp the water and push it past his side with every freestyle stroke.

His legs kick rapidly as his feet push the water behind him like flippers.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

He was a great swimmer, but he was never good at putting one and one together, so he didn't make the calculation that cold water plus big lake meant he couldn't make it. I was just hoping that he realized this before he froze to death.

Young Emily anxiously watches Young Tristan, hoping he'll turn around.

In the middle of the lake, Young Tristan realizes that he can't make it, so he stops and treads water as he looks at the unattainable shore in front of him while he catches his breath for a moment.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

Finally, he realized that he couldn't make it, so he stopped in the middle of the lake.

Young Tristan looks back at the shore where he started and sees Young Emily standing there as she's looking right back at him.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

And, then, he looked at me, and our eyes locked for the first time, and my heart skipped about twenty beats. And he started to swim back towards me.

Young Tristan starts swimming back towards Young Emily.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

He didn't reach his goal, but he tried. He tried where no one else would even dare.

Young Emily still can't take her eyes off Young Tristan for even a moment as his powerful swimming takes him back towards her.

Young Tristan hasn't slowed up at all as he swims fast.

Young Emily realizes that she should help him get warm when he arrives back on shore, so she runs towards his towel, boots, and backpack that are sitting on the ground behind her.

Young Emily picks up Young Tristan's towel and boots and walks back to the water's edge, where she waits for him to arrive.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
I finally realized that I should  
get his towel and boots for him, so  
I ran and picked them up from the  
snow, and I waited for him.

Young Tristan is still swimming, and he's fast approaching  
Young Emily while she waits for him.

Young Tristan reaches near the shore, so he stands up, with  
the water reaching just above his knees, and of course, he's  
shivering while his skin has turned a little blue. He sees  
that Young Emily is holding his towel out for him, and he  
hurriedly walks towards her.

As soon as Young Tristan steps out of the water, he stops as  
Young Emily puts the towel around him, and he wraps his arms  
around himself and the towel as he tries desperately to get  
warm. And, then, she helps him to step into his boots.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
When he reached the shore, I  
covered him in his towel and put  
his boots on him. He was nearly  
frozen, and he was shivering  
uncontrollably. His skin had even  
turned a shade of blue.

Young Tristan walks up the snowy bank as he goes towards his  
backpack, and Young Emily follows him while she removes her  
thermos of hot chocolate out of the pocket on her backpack.

Young Emily unscrews the lid on the thermos and hands the  
thermos to Young Tristan. And he happily takes it as he  
stops next to his backpack, so Young Emily stops too, and he  
starts to take a big gulp of the hot chocolate.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)  
I gave him my thermos of hot  
chocolate.

After one big drink, Young Tristan lowers the thermos as he  
continues to hold it in his hands.

Young Tristan is too cold to question the identity of this  
girl or why she's here. Indeed, it's a wordless interplay  
between Young Tristan and Young Emily as he appreciates her  
help, and she can hardly take her eyes off of him since  
she's completely intrigued by him.

Since he has gotten a little warmer, Young Tristan is  
recovering his senses, so he gets his first real look at  
Young Emily and is struck by her beauty and the fact that  
she's taking care of him.



Young Emily nervously and timidly smiles at Young Tristan, and he smiles back at her.

Young Tristan sits down on top of his backpack, with his towel wrapped around himself, and he drinks more hot chocolate as he continues to get warm. So, Young Emily takes her backpack off and puts it down on the snow next to him, and she sits down on top of it.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

And, then, we sat down on our backpacks, and I gave him some words of encouragement.

YOUNG EMILY

You know, it's not very smart to swim in freezing water.

YOUNG TRISTAN

Well, now I know. Too bad I didn't meet you sooner.

Young Emily laughs, so Young Tristan laughs too.

YOUNG EMILY

Yeah, too bad.

Young Tristan and Young Emily smile at each other, and they both know they're connecting with each other.

And, then, they just sit quietly as they look out onto the lake while Young Tristan continues to drink hot chocolate. Thus, they're two people sitting together in a very isolated and beautiful setting, and their great relationship has begun.

EMILY (V.O.) (CONT'D)

And this is how love often happens. See, some guy will be minding his business one day, and then some girl will do something nice for him like give him hot chocolate, sing him a song, cook him dinner, or simply smile at him. And, then, for the first time, he'll realize that his life will never be the same. He'll realize what most girls have always known, which is he's going to have a partner in this life, and together, they'll create a family. And nothing is better than that.

EXT. PROTEUS'S MAIN CABIN - NIGHT

Everyone is sitting in their same seats, and Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena are smiling while looking at Emily since they loved the story.

EMILY

And that's how I met Tristan.

ATHENA

That's a great story.

Emily smiles at Athena, who smiles back at her.

EMILY

Thanks.

ZACK

And, then, everyone lives happily ever after?

EMILY

Well, you'll have moments when you want to kill the other person, and in my defense, Tristan does give me good reasons. But, basically, love is about finding someone who'll be good for you, and you'll be good for them, so you'll take care of each other, and hopefully, you'll bring life into this world. I can't imagine anything that would make God smile more.

ZACK

You told us this story because you want grandchildren, right?

Emily smiles at Zack.

EMILY

Yeah, pretty much.

Zack smiles back at Emily.

AVA

You know, Dad still can't add one plus one.

EMILY

Yeah, math was never his strong suit.

Everyone smiles.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Anyway, I knew your father was the one for me from this very first time I met him.

COURTNEY

Then, why didn't you get married until years later?

EMILY

We decided to wait until after I graduated college, and meanwhile, your father established himself as a fisherman, but we always knew we were going to marry each other.

DAVID

Well, I've survived days at sea and turbulent waves and thunderstorms, and I didn't get seasick until Mom told a story.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, Ava, and Athena laugh as Emily smiles while playfully messing up David's hair with one of her hands, and David smiles.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY (ESTABLISHING)

Proteus is sailing along nicely at a moderate pace on a clear, sunny day.

EXT. PROTEUS'S CAPTAIN'S WHEEL - DAY

Tristan is sitting in a chair behind the wheel since he's driving Proteus while Alexis and Ava are sitting together on a bench at the side of him. Alexis has a magazine open on her lap that ranks the engineering programs of colleges, and she's looking at it with Ava. Alexis points to one of the colleges in the magazine.

ALEXIS

This college looks good. It got four stars. What do you think?

AVA

Yeah, except I think it would be like a twenty-hour flight.

Alexis scans the magazine real quick to see if any of the colleges are close.

ALEXIS  
Yeah, Alaska isn't close to ...  
anything.

Alexis closes the magazine and puts it down beside her on the bench.

AVA  
Dad, can you help us? We're trying  
to figure out which colleges have a  
good engineering program for me.

TRISTAN  
Help? No. How long have you known  
me?

AVA  
Do you listen to yourself?

TRISTAN  
I try not to.

AVA  
That's probably best. Why torment  
yourself?

TRISTAN  
You know, you're not too old to be  
spanked.

AVA  
Yes, I am.

TRISTAN  
OK, but I can still hurt you.

AVA  
Yeah, but you wouldn't.

Tristan grabs one of Ava's biceps with one of his hands, and he squeezes hard, which causes Ava to shriek in pain.

AVA (CONT'D)  
Ow! OK, I'm sorry! I'm sorry!

Tristan lets go of Ava's bicep, which she massages to ease the little bit of pain while Tristan smiles at her.

TRISTAN  
Apology accepted.

Ava just stares at Tristan as he continues to smile at her.

AVA  
It's not fair. Violence solves  
everything.

Alexis smiles at Ava, and Ava stops massaging her bicep.

ALEXIS  
I was thinking this is too easy. I  
mean, we just sailed around on the  
Mediterranean for a few days and  
already got four keys, so we just  
have to go to an island and get the  
last key and, then, go open up the  
cove to get the ship.

TRISTAN  
It's probably because I've become a  
great explorer who makes even the  
most dangerous adventures seem easy  
like a modern-day Marco Polo.

ALEXIS  
You don't believe that, do you?

TRISTAN  
No, but it sounded better than  
saying we've been lucky.

Alexis and Ava smile at Tristan, and he smiles back at them.

ALEXIS  
Yes, it did.

Ava gets excited because she sees the island up ahead in the  
far distance on their left, so she stands and points to it.

So, Tristan and Alexis stand up too, and they also see the  
island.

AVA  
Hey, there's our island!

TRISTAN  
Yeah, there it is! Did you want to  
say it?

AVA  
Yeah!  
(screams)  
Land ho!

Tristan, Alexis, and Ava laugh.

EXT. BEACH ON THE ISLAND WITH THE LAST KEY - DAY

Proteus is anchored about one hundred feet off the shore while everyone is sitting in two inflatable rafts on the beautiful clear blue water, and everyone is using an oar to row as they approach the beach. Indeed, Tristan, Courtney, David, and Ava are in one raft, and Emily, Zack, Alexis, and Athena are in the other raft.

Both rafts reach the island, which is gorgeous with the shore consisting of a white sandy beach, and the interior is mostly covered with bright-green trees. Then, everyone gets out of the rafts and steps onto the sandy beach and puts their oars into the rafts, and they begin to pull their rafts up onto the beach to prevent any tides from reaching the rafts later.

Then, they stop and let go of their rafts on the beach, letting them come to rest a little distance from the ocean.

EMILY

So, what's the plan?

TRISTAN

Well, the map says the key is in the woods next to the upper part of the only river on this island. So, the key is to find the river. Hey, get it, the river is the key to find the key?

Tristan can't believe that no one's laughing at his joke.

EMILY

Yes, that's very good, baby. OK, let's go.

Tristan just stands in disbelief that no one laughed while everyone else starts to walk up the beach to go to the forest. But Courtney stops when she reaches Tristan.

COURTNEY

I thought it was funny, Dad.

TRISTAN

But you didn't laugh.

COURTNEY

No.

TRISTAN

So, this is just pity?

COURTNEY

Yeah.

Tristan shrugs since her pity is better than nothing.

TRISTAN

I'll take it, thanks.

COURTNEY

No problem.

Courtney pats Tristan on his shoulder, and then she starts to walk after everyone else, and Tristan follows her.

EXT. RIVER ON THE ISLAND WITH THE LAST KEY - DAY

Tristan, Emily, and Alexis are scanning the ground for the painted rock as they walk slowly downstream on the fairly narrow riverbank that's between the woods and the beautiful river, which has a very pretty turquoise color as it flows gently. They're on the upper part of the river that's flowing down towards Proteus in the far distance.

Tristan sees a pair of boots step down in front of him, so he stops and looks up and notices that the boots belong to PETROS, who's 40 years old and rough-looking and is wearing a sword at this side, and he's pointing an old flintlock pistol at Tristan. Petros smiles at Tristan, who puts his hands up in the air as he walks back one step and stops.

TRISTAN

Whoa!

Then, Emily and Alexis notice Petros, so they stop right behind Tristan and put their hands up in the air too, and obviously, they're worried that they'll be killed. Indeed, Emily is cowering on one side of Tristan, and Alexis is cowering on the other side of Tristan.

Suddenly, ACCOMPLICE #1, 35 years old, and ACCOMPLICE #2, 30 years old, step out from hiding behind trees in the woods, and they're smiling as they go and stand behind Petros. Both of them are rough-looking, and each of them has a flintlock pistol and a sword strapped to their sides.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

I thought this island was abandoned.

PETROS

It was, but I happened to overhear Theodus tell his daughter about a

map that he discovered and how he was going to hire the world-famous Zeilers to find the keys to the treasure. And I didn't hear all of it, but I didn't have to since I heard the last key was here, so all my friends and I had to do was let you do all the work of getting the keys while we just waited here for you to bring them to us.

Petros smiles at Tristan.

TRISTAN

That's a good plan. I do the same thing for Halloween when I have my kids go get candy, and then I eat it when they're sleeping.

Emily rolls her eyes since she can't believe Tristan is making jokes in this situation.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Unfortunately, the map has just been a wild goose chase, so we haven't found any keys.

Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena are running through the woods as they make their way towards Tristan, Emily, and Alexis, and Courtney calls out to them.

COURTNEY (O.S.)

Hey, guys, Athena found the last key! We have all of them now! So, let's go get ...

Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena are smiling excitedly as they run out of the woods and onto the riverbank between the woods and the river, just behind Tristan, Emily and Alexis. And, of course, they immediately notice that Petros is pointing a gun at Tristan, so their smiles disappear as they stop and become very worried.

COURTNEY (CONT'D)

the treasure.

Petros points his gun at Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena.

PETROS

Hands up!

Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena put their hands up in the air, and then Petros points his gun back at Tristan.



Petros smiles widely at Tristan since he knows Tristan has all the keys, and Tristan just smiles back and shrugs.

PETROS (CONT'D)

Hello, Athena!

Athena doesn't react.

ZACK

You know this guy?

ATHENA

Yes, his name is Petros, and he works in the collection department at the archaeology museum where my father works.

PETROS

Luckily for me. Well, this is going to be easy. All I have to do is take that key you just found and go to your yacht and get the rest of the keys. And, of course, I can't have any witnesses, so I do have to kill all of you.

TRISTAN

Hey, I don't even know this people.

Emily gets mad that Tristan is joking around.

EMILY

Tristan!

Petros smiles.

TRISTAN

OK, I know them. How about I just give you my first born?

Tristan nods his head towards Alexis, who looks angrily at him, and Petros smiles even wider.

EMILY

Tristan!

TRISTAN

Never get married. I mean, I can't even die in peace.

Tristan succeeds in getting Petros to laugh and, thus, become a little distracted, so Tristan quickly steps forward and grabs Petros's gun and pushes it up until it strikes

Petros in the face, causing Petros to loose grip of the gun and fall down. And Tristan immediately points the gun at Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 as they were about to pull out their guns, so they freeze just before reaching them.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Stick your hands up!

Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 put their hands up into the air while Tristan's family and Athena are thrilled as they put their hands down in relief.

AVA

Way to go, Dad!

TRISTAN

Thanks, not bad if I do say so myself.

EMILY

That's great, baby, but maybe, we should start our escape.

TRISTAN

Oh, yeah.

Tristan waves his gun towards the river to indicate where he wants Petros, Accomplice #1, and Accomplice #2 to stand.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Go stand next to the river.

Petros stands up and sticks his hands up, and he follows Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 as they walk a few steps to the turquoise river.

They stop next to each other and turn around, so their backs are facing the river, and they're facing Tristan, who's continuing to point his gun at them.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

OK, all of you start running back to the boat, and I'll start off after I figure out what to do with these three.

Alexis, Zack, Courtney, David, Ava, and Athena start to run past Tristan, going behind Tristan's back as they head downstream towards Proteus, while Emily stays with Tristan.

EMILY

You're not going to kill them, are you?

TRISTAN

Hey, after twenty-five years of marriage, you can't tell if I'm a killer?

EMILY

I don't think God even knows what you are.

TRISTAN

That kind of hurts.

EMILY

Sorry. Do you want me to stay with you?

TRISTAN

Why? If one of these guys makes a move, are you going to take them out?

EMILY

No.

TRISTAN

Then, no, but thanks anyway.

EMILY

OK, but don't delay. I love you.

Emily kisses Tristan on his cheek, and then she runs after the rest of her family.

TRISTAN

OK, now, toss your guns on the ground.

Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 start to lower their hands in order to reach for their guns.

PETROS

Don't move!

Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 stop reaching for their guns and just put their hands back in the air.

PETROS (CONT'D)

He only has one shot.

Tristan looks at his gun and realizes that Petros is right since, obviously, this antique gun can only load one bullet at a time.

TRISTAN

Good point. This gun must be two hundred years old. Did you just get it from the archaeology museum or something?

Tristan smiles, and Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 look a little embarrassed, so Tristan knows they got their weapons from the archaeology museum.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Oh, my God, you just grabbed some guns and swords from the museum and like became pirates.

Petros smiles at Tristan, and then he lowers his arms and addresses Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2.

PETROS

Shoot him!

Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 draw their guns and shoot them at Tristan, who shoots back, but all three guns only click and don't fire at all. They quickly try shooting them again several times to no avail, and then they give up on trying to shoot them.

ACCOMPLICE #1

The powder must be wet.

TRISTAN

Or it's just old ... because it's from a museum.

Petros gets mad.

PETROS

Get him!

Petros draws his sword, so Accomplice #1 and Accomplice #2 throw their guns to the ground and draw their swords too, and all three of them start to charge towards Tristan. And Tristan throws his gun to the ground and starts to run downstream.

Tristan quickly enters the woods and runs parallel to the river as the thieves follow him.

Tristan is faster than the thieves, and he isn't running with a sword, so he's able to get far ahead of the thieves.

The trees next to the river aren't too close together, so Tristan and the thieves are able to run relatively unobstructed.

Tristan is shocked to see his family and Athena walking just a little bit in front of him.

TRISTAN  
Start running!

Tristan's family and Athena turn around and, of course, notice Tristan running towards them, so they become worried and start running too.

Tristan catches up to them and starts running next to Emily.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)  
Why were you walking?

EMILY  
We thought you had it under control!

TRISTAN  
Under control? Wow, you really don't know me at all!

Tristan slows down to stay behind his family and Athena in order to protect them if needed, so the three thieves gain ground on him.

Tristan looks behind himself and realizes the thieves are going to catch them. So, he stops to fight the thieves in order to slow them down and let his family and Athena escape, who continue to run and don't even notice that Tristan has stopped running with them.

Tristan quickly looks around for rocks, and he finds one that he picks up.

Accomplice #2 is a little ways ahead of Petros and Accomplice #1, so he's the first thief to come close to Tristan, and he starts screaming with his sword raised while running to attack Tristan.

ACCOMPLICE #2  
Ahhhhhhhhhhhh!

Tristan throws the rock at Accomplice #2, and it hits him right in the face and causes him to drop his sword while falling to the ground, and indeed, he's out cold. Of course, Tristan is surprised at his own great throw.

TRISTAN  
(to himself)  
Wow!

Tristan runs to Accomplice #2 and quickly grabs the sword lying next to him.

Tristan looks up and sees Petros and Accomplice #1 holding their swords raised while running to attack him, and they also start screaming.

PETROS AND ACCOMPLICE #1  
Ahhhhhhhhhhhh!

TRISTAN  
(to himself)  
Why does everyone scream?

Tristan turns from the thieves and starts to run downstream again as he chases after his family and Athena.

Tristan zigs and zags to see if the thieves chase him, which the thieves do, so this buys more time for his family and Athena.

Since Tristan is faster than the thieves, he doesn't have any worries about them catching him, so he's actually having a little fun with the chase as he weaves between trees.

Tristan simply alternates between getting close to the river and going further into the woods.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)  
You'll never catch me!

Tristan is weaving towards the river and exits the woods and gets onto the riverbank. However, Petros and Accomplice #1 let him go, and they simply run after his family and Athena, so they've managed to run past him.

PETROS  
You're right! See you later!

Tristan stops next to the river, and he's breathing fairly hard as he turns to look at the thieves. And, of course, he realizes that they've passed him up.

TRISTAN  
Hey, you're supposed to chase me!  
(to himself)  
Well, at least I'm getting my run in.

Tristan starts to run after the thieves again, and he quickly enters the woods and runs downstream.

Tristan quickly gains on the thieves.

The thieves look over their shoulders at Tristan, which causes Petros to trip over a rock and hit the ground hard, so Accomplice #1 stops and prepares to fight Tristan.

While Petros tries to recover from his hard fall, Accomplice #1 stands in front of him as Tristan charges at Accomplice #1 but misses wildly with a sword strike that Accomplice #1 easily sidesteps to avoid.

Obviously, Tristan and Accomplice #1 aren't good sword fighters, so their sword fight is laughable as their fight takes them downstream.

Indeed, Tristan and Accomplice #1 exchange several big sword swings that don't come close to hitting each other.

Tristan and Accomplice #1 finally manage to clang their swords together one time, which Tristan finds amusing, so he smiles.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

So, that's what swords hitting each other sounds like. It took a while.

Accomplice #1 isn't amused and attacks with his sword again, but he misses widely as Tristan easily sidesteps it.

Tristan and Accomplice #1 start swinging their swords at each other again. And they usually miss, but they're getting better, so they clang swords a few times.

All of a sudden, Tristan and Accomplice #1 start really clanging swords and moving like expert swordsman.

It's actually an incredible display of swordsmanship as they continue their epic and graceful battle.

They cover quite a bit of ground as they move amongst the trees as they continue to head downstream.

They continue stroke after stroke of gracefully amazing swordplay.

After an unbelievable amount of great sword fighting, they become tired, so they stop swinging and rest for a little while, and they smile at each other since they can't believe they did such great swordplay.

Then, they resume fighting as Accomplice #1 raises his sword again to attack, so Tristan also raises his sword. And they swing at each other, but they both miss wildly, so it's a momentary relapse of bad swordplay.

Accomplice #1 and Tristan trade a few swings of clanging their swords together as they return to great swordplay.

And, then, Accomplice #1 actually hits Tristan hard across his upper arm, which surprises both of them, so they both stop their sword fight for a moment.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Ow!

Tristan checks his arm for blood but doesn't see any, and he realizes that it didn't even really hurt.

Tristan runs his hand over his own sword blade and sees how dull it is since, of course, it's hundreds of years old and has been sitting in a museum.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

These swords aren't even sharp.  
You know, this is just some free  
advice, but you should really stop  
getting weapons from museums.

As Accomplice #1 is processing what Tristan said to him, Tristan just punches him across his face with his hand that's holding his sword, so the sword's metal guard over his hand strikes Accomplice #1 hard and causes him to be knocked out and fall to the ground.

Petros finally recovers from his fall, so he gets up from the ground and starts running towards Tristan, so Tristan turns his attention towards Petros.

Tristan is tired from his fight with Accomplice #1, and he's too tired to run, so he just walks slowly backwards downstream as he retreats from Petros.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Hey, are their timeouts in sword  
fighting because I could really use  
one?

PETROS

You're about to get a permanent  
timeout!

TRISTAN

(to himself)

Well, I guess it at least has trash  
talking.

Petros is close to Tristan now, so he swings his sword at him, which Tristan barely avoids by jumping sideways towards the river since Tristan is too tired to really fight.



Petros swings a few more times, and Tristan manages to barely block them with his sword as Petros causes Tristan to retreat out of the woods and onto the riverbank.

Petros approaches Tristan with a smile since he knows Tristan is too tired to really fight him, and he takes his sword back as he prepares for a big swing at Tristan, but suddenly, a rock hits Petros in the leg.

PETROS

Ow!

Tristan and Petros pause their fighting as they look downstream, and to their surprise, they see Tristan's family and Athena running out of the woods and onto the riverbank, where they stop.

And all of them have several rocks in their hands that they prepare to throw at Petros.

AVA

One more move, you stupid and ugly pirate, and you get a face full of rocks!

Tristan addresses his family and Athena.

TRISTAN

Hey, I knew family was good for something!

Petros gets mad and starts to swing at Tristan, who puts his sword up to try to block it, but before Petros can even swing down, Tristan's family and Athena throw their rocks at Petros, hitting him all over his body, which causes Petros to drop his sword and try to protect himself with his hands while retreating towards the river.

PETROS

Ow! Ow! Ow! Ow! Ow!

Tristan's family and Athena continue to pelt Petros with rocks, and then Petros falls into the river and is carried downstream as he massages his head wounds from the rocks, which causes the Zeilers and Athena to laugh as they stop throwing rocks.

Everyone starts to excitedly run up to Tristan, who smiles at them, and he tosses his sword to the ground.

TRISTAN

Thanks, guys!

Everyone arrives in front of Tristan, so they stop.

EMILY

No problem.

AVA

Yeah, that was awesome! And we would have been here sooner, but we didn't realize ....

Alexis, who's standing behind Ava, prevents Ava from finishing her sentence by reaching around Ava's head and covering Ava's mouth with her hand, and then Alexis smiles sheepishly at Tristan.

TRISTAN

Didn't realize what?

Alexis removes her hand from Ava's mouth, and Emily smiles sheepishly at Tristan while the rest of the Zeilers and Athena act sheepishly too since they're ashamed that they almost left Tristan behind.

EMILY

That you were gone.

TRISTAN

That's OK. I guess you realized it when you got to the rafts, huh?

EMILY

No.

TRISTAN

When you boarded the boat?

EMILY

No.

TRISTAN

When you pulled up the anchor?

EMILY

No, but it was right after we set sail?

TRISTAN

You set sail?

EMILY

Yes.

ZACK

But, then, Courtney said that no one was driving the boat.

Tristan's family and Athena become more alive since they think they're starting to make it better.

ALEXIS

Yeah, so then we realized you weren't with us.

COURTNEY

And we came back for you.

TRISTAN

Because you needed a driver?

Courtney becomes sheepish again.

COURTNEY

Well, yeah.

DAVID

And because there's probably some kind of law against leaving people on deserted islands.

Emily looks sternly at David.

EMILY

David!

David takes his admonishment from Emily, so he looks down, and Emily turns her attention back to Tristan.

EMILY (CONT'D)

We're sorry, baby.

TRISTAN

Hey, it's no problem. I leave people behind all the time. Right, Ava?

Tristan smiles at Ava, who smiles back as she gives him a thumbs up.

AVA

Right, Dad!

This relieves the tension, so everyone else smiles too.

TRISTAN

OK, let's go get the treasure!

Everyone starts walking happily back to Proteus as Emily puts her arm around Tristan's waist, and he puts his arm around her shoulders as they walk side by side.

EXT. PROTEUS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - NIGHT (ESTABLISHING)

Proteus is anchored on the calm ocean on a very quiet and nice evening, with the lights on Proteus shining in the darkness.

EXT. PROTEUS'S CAPTAIN'S WHEEL - NIGHT

Athena is sitting between Tristan and Emily on a bench at the side of the captain's steering wheel, and all of them are drinking lemonade in transparent glasses that make the lemonade look delicious.

TRISTAN

So, Athena Marinos, this is an American tradition where the girlfriend has to sit down with her boyfriend's parents and drink lemonade, and the parents have to make sure you're good enough for their son. So, just relax.

Tristan smiles at Athena, who gets a little nervous, so she smiles back weakly.

EMILY

No, it's not. Don't tell her that!

TRISTAN

Yeah, I was just kidding. Actually, Emily and I just want someone to take Zack off our hands.

Athena is relieved, so she smiles at Tristan, who smiles back at her.

EMILY

Actually, we just wanted to know if you're having a good time?

ATHENA

Yes, I'm having the time of my life. I just love spending time with your family.

Emily smiles.

EMILY

Good, I'm very glad to hear that, and we love having you. And the weather in Greece is fantastic, huh?

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

Yes, I'd love to have children.

Emily smiles nervously.

EMILY

What?

ATHENA

Zack said if you try to talk to me about the weather, I'm supposed to say I want to give you a lot of grandchildren.

Tristan laughs.

EMILY

Darn, my kids are smart. But, of course, I don't want anyone to feel they have to have kids because of me. I just like to see what people think about the subject. That's all.

TRISTAN

Yeah, no pressure, it's just like her life plan.

Tristan, Emily, and Athena smile.

Then, Athena addresses Tristan and Emily.

ATHENA

Well, I can assure you that I've always wanted to have children, so if God should bless Zack and myself, I'm sure we'll have many little ones.

EMILY

Ah, you've got to marry one of my kids. I mean, if things don't work out with Zack, you've got to marry David.

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

No, I can't do that, but I'm sure David will find someone someday.

EMILY

Yeah, but what if she's like him?  
I mean, I love David, but I don't  
think I could take two of him.

Tristan smiles, and Athena laughs.

ATHENA

I'm sure it will work out fine.

EMILY

I hope you're right. But it would  
definitely take a big blessing from  
God.

Athena smiles at Emily, who smiles back at her.

EMILY (CONT'D)

Well, I didn't want to keep you  
long since I know the kids want to  
spend this last night with you, but  
thanks for talking to us.

Emily smiles at Athena, who smiles back at her.

ATHENA

It was my pleasure. Thank you for  
the lemonade and for everything  
else on this trip.

EMILY

It was definitely our pleasure.

Athena smiles at Tristan and Emily, and they smile back at her. Then, Athena stands up and walks into the main cabin while carrying her lemonade. And Emily leans up against Tristan's side, and he puts his arm around her shoulders as she rests her head on his shoulder while they continue to drink lemonade.

TRISTAN

So, if that relationship goes  
wrong, it's Zack's fault, right?

EMILY

Oh, yeah. Just like if it goes  
wrong with us, it will be your  
fault.

TRISTAN

Hey, you're just repeating what  
everyone else says.

Emily looks up at Tristan and smiles at him.

EMILY

Yes, well, sometimes everyone is right.

Emily continues smiling, and Tristan smiles back at her, and then Emily gives Tristan a quick kiss on the lips.

Emily settles back down next to Tristan, and they remain quietly cuddled together, enjoying themselves as they drink their lemonade.

EXT. PROTEUS'S BACK DECK - NIGHT

The five Zeiler kids and Athena are standing in two rows of three, and the rows are facing each other since they're on opposing sides of the boat. They're prepared to sing and dance, with the boat's white lights glowing romantically.

Zack hits play on his smartphone, and then he puts the phone down on a bench, and the phone starts to play the music (not the lyrics) of the sea-shanty song, "LEAVE HER JOHNNY."

The Zeilers and Athena clearly have a lot of fun as they start singing beautifully while gracefully dancing around the ship's deck. Their dancing consists of slowly moving while locking and unlocking arms with each other, and occasionally, the guys twirl the girls, so it's similar to square dancing combined with a romantic and leisurely feel.

ZACK

(singing)

Oh, the work was hard,  
And the wages low.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
I guess it's time for us to go,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS

(singing)

Oh, I thought I heard the old man  
say,  
"Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, tomorrow you will get your pay,  
And it's time for us to leave her."

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

DAVID

(singing)

The winds blew foul,  
And the seas run high.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
We shipped them green,  
And none went by,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

COURTNEY

(singing)

The mate was a bucko,  
And the old man a Turk.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
And the bosun was a beggar  
With the middle name of work.  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

AVA

(singing)

The old man swears,  
And the mate swears too.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
The crew all swear,  
And so would you.  
And it's time for us to leave her.



ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ATHENA

(singing)

The starboard pump  
Is like the crew.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
It's all worn out and will not do,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ZACK

(singing)

The rats have gone,  
And we the crew.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
It's time be damned  
That we went to,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS

(singing)

Well, I pray that  
We shall never more see.  
Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
A hungry ship the likes of she,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

ALEXIS, ZACK, COURTNEY, DAVID, AVA, AND  
ATHENA

(singing)

Leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, leave her, Johnny, leave her.  
Oh, the voyage is done,  
And the winds don't blow,  
And it's time for us to leave her.

EXT. RAFTING IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA - DAY

Proteus is quickly sailing in the open ocean on a sunny day, going over the waves with ease, and it's pulling a two-person raft where Alexis and Ava are sitting side by side.

Alexis and Ava are having a lot of fun as their raft glides over the ocean and causes water to spray up around them as they follow in the center of the boat's wake, with a long wave of whitewater created by the wake on each side of them.

Indeed, Alexis and Ava can't stop smiling as they enjoy their incredible ride.

Tristan is standing behind the captain's wheel as he's driving Proteus. Meanwhile, Emily, Zack, Courtney, David, and Athena are standing next to the railing in front of him at the front of the boat, and they're leaning on the railing while looking out at the ocean in front of them, with the nice, cool air blowing into their faces. Everyone is excited to be on their last leg of the journey, heading to the cove to find the treasure.

Tristan looks back at Alexis and Ava, and he smiles as he decides to give them a better ride, so he turns the boat fairly hard to the left, which causes the raft to swing out to the right of the boat and, thus, go over one of the big waves created by the boat's wake, which shoots the raft up into the air.

The raft lands outside of the wake and continues bouncing for a little ways until it settles down and starts riding fairly smoothly again.

AVA

This is awesome!

Alexis laughs.

ALEXIS

Yeah, we're flying!

Alexis and Ava laugh.

Tristan turns the boat straight again, which causes the raft to slide back towards behind the boat until it hits the wave created by the wake, and it shoots up into the air again.

The raft lands inside wake and starts to ride smoothly again since they just ride in the middle of the wake because Proteus keeps going straight.

Of course, Alexis and Ava are still having a lot of fun and laughing.

Zack leans over the railing and looks back at Alexis and Ava riding their raft.

ZACK

You know, if we cut the line for  
their raft, there will be more gold  
for ourselves.

Athena looks at Zack in shock.

ATHENA

Zack! You better be joking.

Zack smiles at Athena, and she smiles back at him.

DAVID

The first good idea he has had, and  
you ruin it.

Athena smiles at David.

DAVID (CONT'D)

By the way, since it would be nice  
to know if we'll actually get the  
gold, and we're riding on a ship  
called, "Proteus," now would be a  
good time for Proteus to tell the  
future. So, can you ask him?

ATHENA

Unfortunately, he only tells the  
future if you catch him.

DAVID

We're not going to catch him, are  
we?

Athena smiles.

ATHENA

No.

DAVID

You can never catch a Greek god  
when you need one.

Athena smiles even wider.

COURTNEY

I can't wait to find all the gold!

Emily points excitedly to the only visible land, which is an island that's far ahead on their right.

EMILY

Hey, I think that's the island with  
the cove!

Everyone else looks at where Emily is pointing, and they see the land too, so they also become very excited.

EXT. WOODS ON THE ISLAND WITH THE COVE - DAY

Proteus is anchored about one hundred feet away from the beach, where the Zeilers and Athena have parked their inflatable rafts that they used to row ashore, and they've just walked up the beach and are entering the woods.

They're immediately surrounded by a lush forest that's filled with bright-green grass, bushes, and trees on this beautiful island. Tristan and Zack are walking side by side, and they're pulling up the rear of the group.

TRISTAN

So, Athena sang you a song, and you  
got hooked, huh?

ZACK

Hey, all Mom did was give you hot  
chocolate.

TRISTAN

Yeah, but I think it was drugged.

ZACK

Yeah, that's it.

TRISTAN

What else could make me want to get  
married and have five versions of  
myself? I mean, even I know there  
shouldn't be more of me.

Zack smiles.

ALEXIS

We'll probably be searching for  
days for this door to the cove.

Ava motions to a large door that's only about twenty feet  
away on her right side.

AVA

Yeah, unless that door with five  
key holes happens to be it.

Everyone stops and notices the door that Ava discovered, and  
it's an imposing and nice-looking stone door that's a little  
obscured by bright-green overgrowth, and the door has the  
same gray color as the keys. Also, there's a slightly  
raised mound that extends for a while behind the door, so  
whatever is behind the door is under this mound.

The door has five keyholes lined up in one column on its  
right side. Also, each keyhole has a number next to it,  
with the numbers descending from the top, so the top keyhole  
is numbered one, and the bottom keyhole is numbered five.

ALEXIS

Or we'll just run into it.

Ava smiles at Alexis, who smiles back at her.

Tristan starts running to the door, so everyone else hurries  
after him.

TRISTAN

Finders keepers. First one gets  
everything.

AVA

Hey, is that a law?

Tristan arrives at the door and stops to turn to face Ava as  
everyone else arrives and stops too.

TRISTAN

Yeah, and it's God's law that the  
youngest family member gets  
nothing.

Ava smiles at Tristan, who smiles back at her while Courtney  
smiles down at Ava and pats the top of Ava's head.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

OK, take out your keys, and in  
order, put them in the keyholes  
with the number that matches the  
number on the keys, and turn them.

Emily, Alexis, Courtney, Ava, and Athena take their keys out of their pockets, and one after each other, each of them walks forward and puts their key into a keyhole and turns it and, then, steps backwards to let the next person insert their key.

Thus, Courtney turns her key in the number-one keyhole.

ALEXIS

This is so exciting!

COURTNEY

Yeah, I just hope it's not like a black hole or something in there.  
Ah, David corrupted me!

Alexis laughs, and David smiles at Courtney and pats her on the shoulder for her sarcastic comment that's like something David would say, and Courtney smiles back at him as Alexis turns her key in the number-two keyhole.

Ava turns her key in the number-three keyhole.

Emily turns her key in the number-four keyhole.

Athena walks forward with her key, and Tristan realizes that only the girls found the keys.

TRISTAN

So, the guys didn't find any keys?

Everyone smiles/laughs as Athena puts her key in the number-five keyhole.

Athena pauses, and she turns and smiles anxiously at everyone else since she knows her key will determine if the door opens or not, and everyone is anxiously observing her.

Athena turns her key, and the door makes a sound as it cracks open slightly, with a little dust shooting out from the edges of the door. And, of course, everyone becomes excited.

ATHENA

It worked!

TRISTAN

Awesome!

Tristan raises his hand up to Athena to give her a high five, and she slaps it.

Tristan pushes the door open, with the door swinging inside the cove, and he enters as everyone else follows him.

## INT. COVE - DAY

The Zeilers and Athena stop just a few steps inside the doorway, and they're amazed at the beautiful and spectacular sight in front of them, with the light from the large doorway causing the cove to be brightly lit. A fairly small lagoon with beautifully clear blue water is about ten feet below them, and the water is very calm. Also, this lagoon is contained by the surrounding walls and ceiling of dirt, grass, and stone that provide a nicely rounded enclosure.

About two hundred feet away, there's a decently sized ship (which is a boat by today's standards) floating pretty close to the end of the lagoon, with the side of the ship facing them. It's a two-story Athenian ship made of dark wood, and it's thousands of years old, but it's still in very good condition since the freshwater doesn't have corrosive salt, and the enclosed cove protected it from the elements. Also, it has tall masts that still have white sails on them. It's a beautiful and impressive ship, and it has piles of gold treasure shining on top of its deck.

DAVID

Me first!

David dives headfirst into the water below (though he's wearing his clothes like everyone else), and he quickly surfaces and starts swimming freestyle to the ship as everyone else laughs at his eagerness.

Ava dives in headfirst too while letting out a scream.

AVA

Woohoo!

Ava quickly surfaces and starts to swim freestyle to the ship too.

Alexis, Courtney, and Athena dive headfirst, and Zack does a big cannonball that lands with a huge splash, and then all of them also start swimming freestyle towards the ship.

Emily jumps in feet first into the water below, but Tristan goes to get the keys out of the door in order to prevent them from being locked inside.

Emily is treading water as she looks up at Tristan to see why he hasn't jumped yet, and she sees that he's taking all five of the keys out of the door. Then, he gestures the keys to Emily to let her know this, and she smiles at him, and he puts the keys in his pockets.

Tristan jumps in feet first, and when he surfaces, he treads water next to Emily.

TRISTAN  
Would hate to get locked in an  
underground cove.

EMILY  
Yeah, good thinking.

TRISTAN  
Wow, I don't hear that much.

Emily smiles.

EMILY  
Gee, I wonder why.

TRISTAN  
It's probably because it's so  
obvious that it's just always  
implied.

EMILY  
So, it's the same reason why we  
don't call you a lost cause?

TRISTAN  
You call me a lost cause all the  
time.

Emily playfully pretends she insulted Tristan and needs to  
quickly change the subject.

EMILY  
Oh, yes, well ... time for a swim.

Emily smiles at Tristan, who smiles back at her.

TRISTAN  
It's a good thing there's about a  
gazillion dollars over there that I  
have to attend to.

Tristan and Emily smile at each other.

Tristan and Emily start swimming freestyle towards the ship.

It's quite a sight as all of the Zeilers and Athena are  
swimming through the beautiful water as they make their way  
towards the ship.

Everyone is a good swimmer, with their freestyle motions  
cutting through the water.

David is approaching the ship as he swims his last few  
strokes.



David arrives at a cargo net that's on the side of the ship, and he grabs hold of the net to keep himself afloat since the water is too deep to stand. And he simply remains resting since he's tired and is breathing hard from the fairly long swim.

Ava arrives at the net and grabs it too, and she floats next to David, and she's not breathing hard since she's in better shape than David.

AVA  
Why don't you climb up?

DAVID  
(breathing hard)  
I just ... wanted to ... wait ...  
for everyone.

AVA  
Out of shape, huh?

DAVID  
(breathing hard)  
Yeah.

Ava smiles, and then she begins to climb up the cargo net.

Zack, Alexis, Courtney, and Athena begin to arrive at the cargo net while Ava stops about halfway up the net in order to look into a circular hole (which is one of the holes in the row of holes on the side of the ship that were used for oars in order to row the ship).

Ava is amazed at the sight of incredible treasure that covers the inside of the ship. The treasure covers some wooden tables and a lot of the wooden floor too. And it's mostly gold since it includes gold coins, gold statues, and gold plates, but it also has rubies and stones of various colors.

AVA  
(to herself)  
Wow!

David pulls himself up to Ava's side and looks over her shoulder as he looks at the treasure too.

DAVID  
(breathing hard)  
Not ... bad.

Zack, Alexis, Courtney, and Athena begin to climb the cargo net, and David and Ava start to climb again too.

David and Ava climb the cargo net up to the ship's railing, which they climb over, and they stand up on the deck. And they smile widely at the treasure before them that's just like the treasure that David and Ava saw on the floor below.

Zack, Alexis, Courtney, and Athena climb over the railing and stand on the deck too, and they also smile widely.

Everyone, except Athena, starts to spread out to explore the treasure. And Zack notices this, so after a couple of steps, he walks back to Athena.

Athena is just overwhelmed by the site, so she's still smiling but is on the verge of crying.

ZACK

What is it?

ATHENA

This is Greek treasure. My dad will be so proud. He always enjoyed telling me about the wealth and art and artifacts that the ancient Greeks did, and he loved showing me his museum's collection, and now, here is a great find that the world will see for the first time. This is a very historic day for my country.

Athena smiles at Zack, who smiles back at her, and then he wraps one of his arms around her shoulders, and she wraps one of her arms around his waist. And they start to walk together to explore the treasure.

Tristan and Emily climb over the railing and stand on the deck. And, of course, they're amazed too, so they also smile widely.

EMILY

Oh, wow, this is amazing!

TRISTAN

Yeah, it's, literally, a boat load of gold.

Tristan and Emily start to walk around and look at the treasure.

Alexis and Courtney are standing next to a wooden table that's covered with rubies and gold coins (with the coins engraved with Greek faces, animals, and ships). And they pick up some of these beautiful rubies (which have brilliant colors of pink, blue, and purple), and they admire them.

ALEXIS

These rubies are so beautiful. We could make fantastic decorations for our rooms, and we could make the most beautiful jewelry.

COURTNEY

Yeah, we could make necklaces with our birthstone colors and make bracelets with a bunch of different colors.

ALEXIS

Oh, yeah, that would definitely be nice.

David and Ava are kneeling on the floor, and he's running his hands through mounds of gold coins while she's looking at a beautiful gold plate that's decorated with engravings of Greek people.

AVA

They were great artists.

DAVID

They were rich.

AVA

Don't you want to appreciate the finer things?

DAVID

With money, I can buy the finer things.

AVA

Now, I know how Mom feels when trying to reason with Dad.

Tristan looks down at a wooden table near the front of the ship, where a fairly big pile of gun powder is surrounding a flintlock mechanism, which is tied down with several strands of rope, and its firing mechanism is attached to a rope that extends out past the front of the ship.

TRISTAN

Hey, everyone, come over here.

Everyone else walks towards Tristan and stops next to him.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

Theodus was right that this place is booby trapped.

Tristan points out how a rope extends out from the flintlock mechanism and goes into the dirt wall in front of the ship and is pinned along the wall all the way back to where it's attached to the hinged side of the stone door.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

See, this rope goes all the way back to the door. If someone didn't have the keys, they would have blown the door down, and I assume this rope is pinned tightly right next to the door to make sure it goes taut when the door is knocked down.

Tristan motions to the flintlock mechanism and gun powder on the table.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

So, whether the door was knocked in or out, it would have pulled this rope and caused it to activate this flintlock mechanism, which would have sparked this gun powder and caused this entire ship and all its treasure to burn.

COURTNEY

Wow, that was pretty smart of them. And there's probably some sort of lesson in there, like you have to do things the right way, and there are no shortcuts.

TRISTAN

Yes, exactly, very good, Courtney.

Tristan and Courtney smile at each other, and then everyone starts to walk back towards the middle of the ship, except Tristan and Alexis stay standing for a moment.

TRISTAN (CONT'D)

See, I teach. That's what I do.

ALEXIS

Yeah, you better just quit while you're ahead.

TRISTAN

Unfortunately, that's not really my style, although I've never actually been ahead before.

Alexis smiles, and then Tristan and Alexis start to walk after everyone else.

Everyone is looking at the treasure as Ava addresses Athena.

AVA  
So, what will happen when we get  
back to Athens?

ATHENA  
Oh, people will be so happy, and  
there will be parties everywhere  
throughout Greece. And, of course,  
all of you will be even more famous  
around the world.

Ava and Athena smile at each other.

DAVID  
Well, can you give me a Greek  
phrase that I can actually use for  
the parties, like a pick-up line or  
something? I mean, I'm sorry, but  
quoting a lullaby won't cut it.

Athena smiles.

ATHENA  
OK, let's see ...

Athena thinks hard while David anxiously waits for her to speak.

ATHENA(CONT'D)  
I've got it.

David can't wait to learn something that he can use to pick up girls.

ATHENA(CONT'D)  
(in Greek)  
I'm glad I found you ...  
(in English)  
means ...

Athena turns towards Zack and smiles at him, which causes him to smile back at her.

ATHENA(CONT'D)  
"I'm glad I found you."

Zack and Athena smile wider, and then they kiss each other.

David just stares at Zack and Athena in disbelief since he's stunned that they're so into each other.

David just shakes his head and walks away while Athena and Zack are still kissing.

DAVID  
(to himself)  
What's Greek for "get a life."

Athena and Zack finally break off their kiss and smile at each other.

COURTNEY  
And, Athena, I know David can't  
wait to go to your church.

Courtney smiles since she's needling David, who's the only one who doesn't know that they're giving their share of the treasure to the church, so David stops walking and becomes worried.

ATHENA  
Yes, I can't wait to have all of  
you see it.

DAVID  
Wait, why are we going to her  
church?

Courtney continues smiling.

COURTNEY  
To graciously donate our shares of  
the treasure.

David drops to the ground, and he falls backwards and lies spread out with his back on a bunch of gold coins.

DAVID  
No, not again.

Everyone else laughs at David.

EXT. CHURCH - DAY (ESTABLISHING)

It's a beautiful Greek Orthodox Church that's made with white stucco, and there's a gorgeous blue dome on top of it, so it's just like the famous architecture of Greek churches. The church is moderately sized, and there are quite a few other buildings surrounding it since it's located inside a nice town.

INT. NAVE - DAY

There are a decent number of rows of pews that are divided into two columns, and the pews are filled with people, with all of the Zeilers and Athena sitting together in one of the pews that's towards the front of the nave.

This is a very pretty church that has some stained glass windows, and there are nice religious paintings of Jesus, Mary, and others on the wall at the front of the nave. Noticeably, there's a large mound covered by a white sheet on the center of the stage in the front of the church.

The PRIEST, 55 years old, is a nice-looking man, and he walks up onto the stage at the front of the nave, and he goes and stands behind the lectern that's near a corner of the stage. Then, he turns around to face the congregation, and he gives his sermon.

PRIEST

(in Greek, subtitled)

Welcome, everyone, and thank you  
for coming today. This is, indeed,  
a blessed day where we have all  
come to celebrate Jesus Christ.

Of course, David doesn't understand a single word that the priest is saying, and he leans over a little to Courtney and whispers to her.

DAVID

Well, this is all Greek to me.

Courtney smiles and whispers back to him.

COURTNEY

Have you been waiting to use that  
line?

David whispers back to Courtney.

DAVID

What line?

Courtney looks at David in disbelief that he doesn't know it's a common phrase as he simply turns his attention back to the Priest.

The Priest starts to walk to the center of the stage.

PRIEST

(in Greek, subtitled)

And today is even more special  
because the great Zeiler family and

the great Marinos family have  
generously donated all of this to  
the church to give to our  
charities.

The Priest stops at the mound covered with the white sheet,  
and he quickly takes the white sheet off of the large mound  
of items, which dramatically reveals a fantastic treasure  
(including gold coins, gold statues, and multi-colored  
rubies).

The congregation gasps at the wonderful sight, and the  
Zeilers and Athena are happy (except David isn't too happy  
since he's still sulking a little) because these are, of  
course, items that they donated to the church. Obviously,  
these items are a very small amount of the total treasure  
that they found since the rest of the treasure went to the  
museum.

PRIEST (CONT'D)  
(in Greek, subtitled)  
They found these things just lying  
around.

The congregation laughs, including Athena, except the  
Zeilers don't laugh since they don't understand Greek, and  
David addresses Alexis.

DAVID  
I've heard better.

Alexis smiles.

PRIEST  
(in Greek, subtitled)  
Now, I invite all of the Zeilers  
and Athena to stand up.

Athena addresses the Zeilers.

ATHENA  
He wants us to stand up.

All of the Zeilers and Athena stand up.

PRIEST  
(in Greek, subtitled)  
Please join me in giving them a  
great applause.

The Priest and the congregation look at the Zeilers and  
Athena while giving them a loud applause.



The Zeilers and Athena are proud, but they smile awkwardly since they're a little embarrassed at all of the attention, and they wave awkwardly to everyone.

EMILY

This is nice.

TRISTAN

Yeah, this is pretty cool.

DAVID

Yeah, and it only cost us millions of dollars, so we'll never be rich or ....

Ava puts her hand over David's mouth, just like he did to her at the water fountain, and she smiles at him, and he smiles back.

Ava removes her hand from David's mouth, and they laugh a little.

EXT. BEACH CELEBRATION IN ATHENS - NIGHT

Hundreds of people are gathered on the beach, and they're having a great time at this fantastic party that's celebrating the treasure find of the Zeilers and Athena as the Acropolis of Athens stands in the distance.

Some people are playing volleyball, frisbee, soccer, and other games while other people are wading in the ocean. And other people are eating at the large number of round tables that are standing on the sand.

These tables are fairly large, and they're covered with white tablecloths and have lighted candles on them, so they're, basically, set up as an outdoor restaurant on the beach. Also, there's a long rectangular table covered in a white tablecloth where the food is set up as a buffet, and of course, people are continuously going to and from this buffet table as they help themselves to the food.

On six-foot-high posts placed into the sand throughout the party, there are several beautiful Greek flags and more than several lighted lamps that provide a good amount of lighting. And these lights combine with the lighted candles on the tables to make it a very romantic setting.

Also, near the ocean, there's a long rectangular table covered with a white tablecloth that has music equipment on it. No music is currently playing, but a DISK JOCKEY, 25 years old, is standing behind the table as he prepares everything in order to play music later tonight.

Theodus and the Zeilers are sitting around one of the round restaurant tables. Like most of the other people on the beach, they're dressed up in good clothes, and they're barefoot, with their feet resting on the sandy beach. They have plates of food and glasses of drink in front of them, and indeed, they're enjoying eating their dinner.

THEODUS

Well, with Petros and his goons arrested, all of Greece celebrates you tonight for finding the treasure for the museum. And I give you my personal thanks, especially for taking care of Athena. She said her trip with you was one of the best times of her life.

EMILY

It was our pleasure. She's a great kid, and she was such a great help. You are rightfully very proud of her.

TRISTAN

Yeah, we should thank you for letting her join us.

Theodus smiles.

THEODUS

That's very kind of you two to say, and I deeply appreciate it.

Theodus smiles at Tristan and Emily, and they smile back at him.

Theodus smiles at Zack.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

But I hear Zack is the one who's the most thankful.

Zack nearly spits out the glass of water that he was drinking since he's surprised and becomes immediately embarrassed and flustered, so he quickly puts his glass of water down onto the table.

ZACK

No, not me. I mean, I like Athena. No, I don't like like her. Of course, I think she's nice, but she's not that nice. No,

I mean, we have a lot of fun with each other, and we really enjoy being together. But, of course, only with other people around. Yeah, we love having other people around.

Zack looks down and takes a deep breath and exhales as Theodus looks at him with a serious look.

David picks up Zack's glass of water off the table and offers it to Zack.

DAVID

Here, you need some water.

Zack takes the glass and quickly drinks a big gulp of water and, then, puts the glass back down on the table.

DAVID (CONT'D)

Now, get back in there. And remember to watch for the right hook.

Zack looks back up at Theodus.

ZACK

We're waiting.

Theodus smiles.

THEODUS

Don't worry, I think it's great that Athena and you found each other. She speaks very highly of you. And she's never spent this much time in the bathroom getting ready before, so she must really want you to like her, even like like her.

Everyone, except Zack, laughs, and then even Zack smiles since he becomes very relieved.

David stops laughing as he notices Athena in the distance as she's walking beside the ocean while she's heading towards them, and he intensely stares at her because she's so beautiful.

Everyone else notices that David has gone quiet and is staring in the distance, so they look to see what has caught his attention, and they see Athena too. Everyone is mesmerized at her beauty as they all stop laughing and simply stare at her while she keeps walking towards them.

Athena is walking barefoot, and she's wearing a completely white dress that almost seems like it's glowing. This long dress extends down to her ankles, and it doesn't have a plunging neckline, although it leaves her arms bare. Also, she's wearing a bright-blue belt around her waist, pulling the dress tight to her, with the white dress and blue belt reflecting the colors of her nation's flag. On her head, she's wearing a green wreath that has pretty white flowers. And she's wearing very beautiful makeup, with eyeliner highlighting her blue eyes, blush reddening her cheeks a little, and red lipstick making her lips stand out.

A slight breeze causes her dress and her beautiful dirty blonde hair, which is hanging down just past her shoulders, to sway gently. Athena looks absolutely beautiful, and in fact, she looks like a Greek goddess.

As Athena walks along, it's as if time stopped as many people on the beach stop what they're doing and simply stare at her in a trance-like state as she walks along. Indeed, the commotion on the beach nearly ceases as it becomes very quiet with the small ocean's waves being nearly the only sound. Of course, Athena is slightly embarrassed, so she smiles sheepishly as she walks.

Athena passes a few men who stop playing their soccer game as they look at her with their mouths wide open. And, behind Athena and unbeknownst to her, one of these men has a soccer ball hit him hard directly in the face since he wasn't paying attention to the soccer ball, and he falls to the ground, although this doesn't even phase the other soccer players since they're mesmerized by Athena.

Athena walks away from the ocean as she walks up the slope in order to go to meet the Zeilers and Theodus, who are still stunned as Athena approaches them. Everyone else on the beach who Athena just passed slowly regains their senses, although the people at the tables can't help but stare at her as she comes closer.

As Athena starts to approach their table, Theodus and the Zeilers all stand up since they can't help but feel as if they're in the presence of a goddess that they should honor.

Theodus manages to snap out of the trance that continues to enthrall the Zeilers, so with a big smile, he stands in front of Athena as she stops at their table. And Theodus takes both of Athena's hands into his hands.

THEODUS (CONT'D)

Athena, the goddess herself, could  
never shine like you're shining  
tonight.

Athena's sheepish smile turns into a big smile.

ATHENA

Thank you, Papa.

Theodus and Athena kiss each other once on each cheek in the style of a typical European greeting.

Theodus, continuing to have a big smile that won't go away, lets go of Athena's hands and steps aside as he lets there be an unobstructed path between Zack and Athena.

Athena's sheepish smile returns to her face since she, once again, feels embarrassed. Zack and Athena look into each other's eyes as Zack is still mesmerized, and Athena's cheeks turn a little red as she waits to hear what Zack thinks of her.

ZACK

You know, I recently found out that I'm sometimes not very good at words. And, even if I was, I couldn't top what your father just said to you. I can only say you're the most beautiful thing I've ever seen.

Athena smiles broadly and throws her arms around Zack's neck to hug him, and he smiles and hugs her around her torso.

Athena immediately cries a little, and she wipes these few tears from her cheeks with her hand.

ZACK (CONT'D)

Hey, maybe, I finally said something right.

Athena and Theodus smile while Zack's family just remains mesmerized.

ZACK (CONT'D)

Do you want to go for a walk?

Zack and Athena break from their hug, and they smile at each other.

ATHENA

Yes.

While holding hands, Zack and Athena walk off down the beach's slope towards the ocean in order to start their walk along the ocean, going in the same direction that Athena was walking when she walked towards them.

Theodus sits back down at the table while the rest of all the Zeilers are still stunned as they stare at Zack and Athena walk away.

The rest of the Zeilers finally snap out of their trance and sit down too, but they're still a little stunned.

TRISTAN

What just happened?

EMILY

I think a goddess just walked by and took our son.

ALEXIS

Does he become a god if he marries her?

EMILY

I don't know.

ALEXIS

Well, if he does become a god, I'm not praying to him.

Emily smiles, and then Tristan repeats his question.

TRISTAN

What just happened?

THEODUS

(very proudly)

Greece ... Greece just happened.

The Disc Jockey who's standing behind the long table next to the ocean picks up a microphone and addresses everyone on the beach.

DISC JOCKEY

(into a microphone)

OK, everyone, can I have your attention please! I'll be your disc jockey tonight, so I hope you're ready to dance! Now, please gather on this area between the tables and the ocean for some dancing! Our first song is by the Beach Boys!

Many people sitting at the tables and playing on the beach get excited as they grab partners, and they gather on a clear section of the beach next to the ocean, between the ocean and the tables, as they prepare to dance.

Zack and Athena haven't walked far, so they're, basically, right on the area where the dance is going to take place. So, they stop and face each other and smile at each other, getting ready to dance.

Tristan stands up and looks down at Emily and reaches his hand out to her.

TRISTAN

May I have this dance?

Emily smiles up at Tristan.

EMILY

Yes, you may.

Tristan smiles back at Emily, and then she grabs his hand, and she stands up. And he leads her down to the dance area as they continue to hold hands.

David turns towards Courtney.

DAVID

Well, it looks like Alexis, Ava,  
and us are the lucky ones.

Courtney sadly looks down at the table because she, obviously, wants to dance.

Theodus stands up and walks a couple of steps until he's standing in front of Alexis.

THEODUS

I was wondering if you would do an  
old man a favor and dance with me.

Theodus smiles down at Alexis, and she looks up at him and smiles back.

ALEXIS

I would love to dance with you.  
Thank you.

Theodus extends his folded arm to Alexis, and she wraps her arm around his arm as she stands up. Theodus and Alexis walk with their arms locked together as they head towards the dance area.

DAVID

Now, it's just Ava and us.

David and Courtney look over at Ava as a cute GREEK BOY, 11 years old, walks up to Ava and stops in front of her, and he speaks to her in English with a Greek accent.

GREEK BOY

Would you like to dance with me?

Ava looks up at the Greek Boy and smiles at him.

AVA

Sure.

The Greek Boy smiles back at Ava as she stands up, and they hold hands as they walk towards the dance area together.

So, only Courtney and David are sitting at the table.

DAVID

Now, it's just us.

COURTNEY

Come on, let's dance together.

DAVID

What? You do know you're my  
sister, right? I mean, our kids  
would look Greek ... like Cyclops,  
not like every other girl around  
here ...

A beautiful woman walks past David, and he looks up at her. But she's laughing with her boyfriend as they walk down the slope towards the ocean in order to dance, and she doesn't look at David.

DAVID (CONT'D)

who won't even look at me.

COURTNEY

It's a dance, not a wedding. Come  
on.

Courtney doesn't care what David thinks because she wants to dance very badly, so she stands up and roughly grabs David's arm, and she pulls him out of his chair and forcefully leads him by the arm as they walk down the beach's slope.

Tristan and Emily are standing among the many other people who are prepared to dance as Tristan has his arms around Emily's waist, and Emily has her arms around his shoulders. They're watching Courtney leading David against his will onto the dance area.

EMILY

Ah, the beautiful love between  
brother and sister.

Tristan and Emily smile.



Courtney and David stop on the dance area, and Courtney finally lets go of his arm, and they face each other as they wait to dance, with Courtney looking at David with a mad and determined look and David looking at Courtney with a confused and scared look.

Tristan and Emily are still observing Courtney and David.

TRISTAN

Yes, well, the sooner he learns  
girls are evil the better.

EMILY

And the sooner she learns boys are  
hopeless the better.

TRISTAN

Why did we get married again?

EMILY

Something about love and family,  
but I'd have to check our vows.

TRISTAN

Well, since we only have pictures  
of our wedding because the video  
was destroyed in that moose  
incident, I'll guess we'll never  
know.

Emily looks at Tristan and smiles.

EMILY

Nope, we'll never know.

Tristan smiles back at Emily.

The Disc Jockey presses play on his music player, and the song, "DON'T WORRY BABY," by the Beach Boys from the album entitled, "Endless Summer," starts playing. And this beautiful song plays in its entirety while everyone in the dance area on the beach dances excitedly.

It's not a completely slow song, so there's a mixture of different dancing as couples dance at different speeds.

Indeed, dancing varies from slow dancing to the occasional twirling of the girls to faster and more elaborate dancing.

Everyone is happy and festive as they dance together on a joyous occasion.

Some people have even waded into the ocean, where they're dancing with the water coming up to about their knees.

No one is playing games anymore, so the people who aren't dancing are just watching the dance.

Indeed, most everyone else is sitting at the tables, and they're just having fun talking to their friends and family as they watch the dancing.

Tristan and Emily are smiling and laughing as they enjoy their slow dance.

While continuing to dance, some people who are dancing near Tristan and Emily lean over and shake hands with Tristan and Emily in order to give them thanks for finding the treasure.

Ava and the Greek Boy are extremely cute as they dance together.

Courtney and David actually have a hilarious time as David pretends to kiss Courtney while dancing, which makes Courtney smile as she pushes him away.

David even twirls Courtney around as they really enjoy themselves.

Theodus and Alexis have fun while dancing together in an easygoing manner.

Of course, Zack and Athena are having the time of their lives as they dance slowly together.

The final notes of the song play, so everyone stops dancing.

Suddenly, gigantic fireworks explode above Athens and its Acropolis, with various brilliant colors shining against the night sky.

So, everyone at the party turns and watches the fireworks in the distance.

And the Zeiler and Marinos families gather next to each other and watch the fireworks happily together.

FADE OUT.

THE END