

# LOUD WHISPERS

1.01 | Mind Over Matter

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STARRING

ZOE COOPER . . . . . ANNELIESE VAN DER POL

DUSTIN HARPER . . . . . BRANT DAUGHTERY

RENEE INDIGO . . . . . AMANDA BYNES

EVA WILLIAMS . . . . . RACHEL SKARSTEN

## TEASER

We open to a birds eye view of a snowy landscape with hills and mountains in an area of Switzerland. It's daytime as we fly along viewing more of the area. When we come across log cabins dotted on the ground we

DISSOLVE  
TO:

INT. BEDROOM - LOG CABIN- MORNING

We pan around what appears to be an empty room. The walls are a glossy oak and it's partially lit inside as few rays of light push through the barely opened curtains. This room has two BEDS on either side. The side opposite the DOOR is neat and tidy, the bed is made and everything is away tidily. The other side of the room near the door, is a mess and everything is thrown around: CLOTHES are strewn on the BED and a two pink SUITCASES lay idly on a wooden closet. Just as we stop at the door, we pan into it until we see the DOORKNOB turning and hear a CLICK of the door opening.

Once the door is opened a young woman is revealed to us. She red-haired, fair-skinned and in her early to mid twenties. She is sporting a puffy-blue coat and thermal wear. On her head is a blue beanie with yellow skiing goggles. This is ZOE COOPER. She looks around the room before stepping in and shutting the door, quietly, behind her.

ZOE  
Renee? Are you in here?

We hear a rustle of sorts and focus on a door to the right of the room.

RENEE  
(O.S.)  
Yeah. I'm in the  
bathroom.

As soon as she's said this the door opens and another young woman steps out. She's the same age as ZOE but she has blonde hair which she has curled. She's wearing a pink-halter top with black leggings. This is RENE INDIGO.

RENEE (CONT'D)  
What did ya want?

Zoe looks at her and frowns.

ZOE  
You were supposed to be  
changed by now. Why have  
you got your curled  
anyway. We going skiing  
not to a fashion shoot.

Renee looks upset.

RENEE  
(sighing)  
But skiing is boring?

ZOE  
(frustrated)  
Yeah because you go  
skiing all the time. And  
why did you come if you  
hate it. This is a SKIING  
trip! Why else would we  
go all the way to  
Switzerland?

Zoe gives Renee a pleading look but Renee glares back.

RENEE

Did Eva put you up to this?

ZOE

(shaking her head)  
No! Honestly, what do you have against that girl? On the way here when you and Eva bumped into each other, your luggage went all over the floor and you blamed the poor girl. It was an accident?

Renee stops glaring and her body seems to relax.

RENEE

I suppose you're right. She does seem to always know something though. It creeps me out.

Zoe gives a slight giggle and smiles.

ZOE

That's it! You both fight with each other because you think she 'always knows something'. Honestly!

She walks over to the messy bed and picks up a more *skiing appropriate* outfit and throws it at Renee.

ZOE (CONT'D)

Now change! You're going to come skiing with us if I have to drag you by your designer diamond-studded boots.

Renee puts a finger to her lips and silences Zoe

RENEE  
(Whispering)  
Keep it down! I don't  
want anyone knowing  
remember!

ZOE  
What? That your the  
daughter of a billionaire  
family? Please, it's  
under lock and key.

Zoe smiles as Renee walks into the bathroom  
we then

JUMP CUT  
TO:

EXT. SKI SLOPES - SKIING RESORT - MORNING

We see a shot of Zoe in the same position  
and with the same expression as before only  
this time she has her goggles over her eyes  
and she is skiing over up a slope. As we  
pan out we notice a young man skiing over  
to her.

He has is wearing a red beanie which his  
glossy, black, short hair is just shy of  
being completely kept under. He is wearing  
similar clothes to Zoe only he has a green  
jersey on under his open jacket. He again  
is Zoe's age. This is DUSTIN HARPER.

DUSTIN  
(Happily)  
Hey Zo! How's it going?

Zoe smiles back at him.

ZOE  
Good, thanks. Triumphant  
in dragging Renee over  
here as well.

We then-

SWISH PAN  
TO:

Renee lower down the slope. She is unsuccessfully trying to get up the slope. Instead she is clomping along nearly falling off with each step.

Dustin sighs and shakes his head.

DUSTIN  
(frustrated)  
Better go help the air-  
head.

Zoe laughs.

ZOE  
Do me a favour and get  
along with her for once  
will you?

Dustin turns around and skis down to help Renee.

DUSTIN  
(O.S.)  
I won't.

We now turn to Zoe as she skis faster up the slope to someone. When she reaches them we see him from the front. He has short black hair and goggles over his eyes. In dress he is clad similar to everyone else. This is MAX WILKINS.

When Zoe sees his face she smiles and takes a deep breath.

ZOE  
(flirting)  
Hi Max.

Max takes one look at her and makes a puzzled look.

MAX  
(Confused)  
Hellooo...

ZOE  
It's Zoe.

MAX  
K. Zoe

Suddenly Max, slows his skiing down but Zoe is oblivious to anything but his face and consequently she speeds up and skis ahead of him.

Suddenly, Max's face is overcome with shock and fear

MAX (CONT'D)  
Zoe! Look out!

Zoe abruptly turns to face him completely while still skiing.

ZOE  
Wha-

But before Zoe can finish she skis headfirst into a bunch of small trees ahead of her and disorientated she flies out and slips on a sheet of thin ice near the edge of a short cliff. As she slips she falls over the edge of the cliff and we-

JUMP CUT  
TO:

EXT. BOTTOM OF CLIFF- SKI SLOPES

We see we see Zoe screaming as she lands and hits the ground with a thud.

JUMP CUT  
BACK TO:

EXT. SKI SLOPES - SKIING RESORT

We see Max's look of horror on his face as he skis over and then-

JUMP CUT  
TO:

Renee and Dustin's faces.

RENEE & DUSTIN  
(in unison)  
ZOE!!!

After this we

CUT TO:

EXT. BOTTOM OF CLIFF- SKI SLOPES

Zoe who has her eyes closed and is sprawled on the floor. As we pan into her face which is bruised and bleeding we-

BLACKOUT

END OF TEASER