FLY TIMES

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INT. NEWSROOM - EVENING

The ANCHOR readies her notes --

NEWS ANCHOR Shocking news from the city's westside, where yet another senseless act of gluttony has authorities stunned. For more, we go live to KTLA'S Marie Scott. Marie, what do we know?

CUT TO:

EXT. THE RIVIERA COUNTRY CLUB - DAY

An active CRIME SCENE by the putting green.

MARIE, 40's, stiff, stands by the ROPED-OFF area, mic in hand. A FUNDRAISER happening behind her at the DRIVING RANGE.

MARIE Thanks, Gabby. Behind me we see the hard working students of Del Rey University hosting a fundraiser for special needs athletes --

TWO STUDENTS see the CAMERA. JEFF, 20, Black, excited, and his best friend MARTY, 20, Cuban, all smiles. They approach --

MARIE (CONT'D) But last night, this club was no place for a celebration --

ON SCREEN: CELL PHONE footage of DRUNK ELDERLY COUPLES sloppily kissing, drinking CHAMPAGNE, swimming naked

MARIE (V.O.) Witnesses say members violated a strict NO-ALCOHOL-AFTER-DARK policy then went skinny dipping on hole 7.

ON SCREEN: A shaken BOY speaks as his mother consoles him. Lower third reads - "now scared of locker rooms"

> BOY The old man's moles looked like mold. (crying) He had hair everywhere --

Marie re-appears on SCREEN.

MARIE A disturbing image no-one should ever have to see. We now go to --

Jeff hops on the mic rowdy as hell --

JEFF

We made ittt!

Marty hops on the mic even rowdier --

MARTY Over \$50,000 raised, and counting! (waves at camera) Hi, mom!

MARIE Guys, we're live -- you can't --

JEFF <u>EXCUUUSSSE USSSS</u>...can we live?!?

The boys are hyped. Waving. Posing. Smiling. Making a scene.

JEFF (CONT'D) We out here vibin', giving back to our community --(into camera) Del Rey what's good? It's your boy, Jeff Lansing! Back to back tournament champs, ya heard? Community outreach specialists, know what I'm sayin? (holds up trophy proudly) Here go the winners of today's puttputt and long drive contest... Curtis, talk to 'em, man.

SPECIAL NEEDS ATHLETES enter frame. CURTIS, 15, speaks --

CURTIS We came for the wins. Fuck friends.

MARIE Okay, that's not -- you can't say --

JEFF (grabs mic) For those who weren't able to join us in person, please head to special-swing-challenge.com and make your donation there. MARTY We do accept all major credit and E.B.T. cards, as well as gold.

JEFF Or Venmo...Or Cashapp...Or --

MARIE Gabby -- back to you!

CUT TO:

TITLE CARD: FLY TIME\$

EXT. ALPHA SIGMA EPSILON (A.S.E.) HOUSE - DAY

A massive three-story palace in the middle of GREEK ROW.

INT. GAME ROOM - CONTINUOUS

PLEDGES hang 90's decorations and posters. Jeff shoots pool with EUGENE, 20's, focused. They smoke a joint with JACOB, 20, shy, nervously watching. As they play --

JEFF I've already put down the security deposit, do you understand how money talks?

JACOB Jeff, we can't have exotic animals on campus.

EUGENE Can't or shouldn't?

JACOB

Dude, our pool isn't equipped to hold an alligator. I get "Hook" is Marty's favorite movie, but as more time passes the more on the fence I become if I actually like it -- or am just a fan of the nostalgia...

EUGENE You bite your tongue!

JEFF A. It's a crocodile. 2, that film is certified fresh forever. (MORE) JEFF (CONT'D) And D, you don't pick up the dinosaur, you ain't gettin in no mo'. JACOB

You can't just do that! I'm the vice president.

KEVIN, 20's, permanently buzzed, brings over a tray of shots.

KEVIN Then act like it. Take a shot.

JACOB It's ten o'clock in the morning.

JEFF Kev, he's right. Grab him a beer.

They laugh and take shots. Jeff chalks his pool cue.

JACOB I don't want a beer. I just want to be allowed back to the parties.

JEFF (laughs) "Want". Strong word for a weak man who beats up candy bars --

Jeff knocks in a shot to the corner pocket.

JEFF (CONT'D) We all have wants, Jake. I knew your Mickey D's hot-and-spicy lovin ass would come begging.

EUGENE That "snacks are slaves" tweet is a hot mess dripping in stupidity.

JEFF

(to Eugene) I don't hate Jake, but if he was on fire and I had water, I'd drink it.

JACOB Jeff, I apologized. Come on bro --

JEFF The damage has been done, bitch nigga. You cancelled yourself --

SMASH CUT TO:

INT. MEADOWLANDS HALL - NIGHT (FLASHBACK)

BANG!

Jacob launches into a vending machine. Glass shatters! Snacks fly everywhere! He's WASTED. Students exit their rooms and swarm him. They pull out CELL PHONES and live-stream him --

> JACOB (yells directly at camera) These snacks are like slaves. It's time to set them freeeeee!

> > SMASH BACK TO:

EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, POOL - CONTINUOUS

Jacob hands Jeff a MAI-THAI as he floats by on an inflatable CROCODILE. Jacob opens a sun reflector in front of Eugene and Kevin as they tan. Kevin kicks him to adjust the angle.

JEFF You have any idea how much that new vending machine cost?

EUGENE We almost had to cancel the Christmas cruise cause of you.

KEVIN (kicks Jacob in shin) Fuckin grinch.

JACOB Jeff, how long do I have to suffer? I said I'd make an apology video.

JEFF (biting pineapple) Forget the video. This is a y-o-u problemo. Comprende? You wanna party...I need that crocodile. (exclaims) It's Marty's birthday! You remember birthday parties don't you?

JACOB Yeah, I taught <u>you</u> how to rage.

JEFF (chuckles) You taught me well. (MORE)

JEFF (CONT'D)

But every minute that I'm not planning, I get distracted and those other parties on campus get focused. Can't you see what I'm dealing with? Come on, Jake. Pay attention to someone other than your dick for a change.

JACOB

I should've let Stevie J. kick your ass at the Halloween dance after he caught you with Kelly.

QUICK INSERT ON SCREEN:

HALLOWEEN INSTAGRAM POST of Jeff in a NUN COSTUME, laughing & kissing KELLY, 20's, Latina, in a skin-tight POLICE COSTUME.

JEFF

(matter-of-fact) When a police officer stops and frisks, you don't resist.

JACOB We're technically still on probation. We're not even allowed to throw a party right now.

Kevin enters frame on an inflatable raft.

KEVIN So call it a get-together.

JEFF (to Kevin) Boom! You sir, are a beautiful mind.

They cheers. Marty enters with BASEBALL TEAMMATES and GIRLS.

MARTY Jacob, I know the human being and fish can co-exist peacefully.

Jacob looks lost. The BASEBALL TEAM does cannonballs into the POOL as the GIRLS pour shots and chop LIMES by the bar.

MARTY (CONT'D) Remember, this is a celebration of my Cuban heritage.

GIRL #1 There's crocodiles all over the place there. GIRL #2 Yeah, he can chill in the pool jungle cruise style.

JACOB What if someone gets bitten?

EUGENE That only happens in Florida.

JEFF Bottom line -- we <u>need</u> the croc.

CHRISSY (O.S.) You <u>need</u> to see these invites!

The group turns to see -- CHRISSY, 20, Black. Stylish. Sexy. Approaching fast. Kevin tenses up. Clearly in love with her.

He sprays BINACA in his mouth, but misses entirely and sprays Eugene in the eyes. As Eugene grimaces --

CHRISSY (CONT'D) We in my mermaid era for this one.

EXT. POOL - CONTINUOUS

The group sits down at a table and she opens her laptop.

ON SCREEN: MARTY stands shirtless on a cliff watching waves crash with CHANTEL, 20, confident, calm. They wear matching BAYWATCH swimsuits. **MUSIC CUES UP -** A 90's R&B jam plays --

MARTY (directly to camera) Looks like somebody forgot foreplay...

CHANTEL It ain't over until we both finish.

MARTY (almost a whisper) Who's ready to get wet?

CHANTEL (whispers) Wet-Wet...

GRAPHICS APPEAR:

Join Us for the Marty Evans Epic 21st Birthday Experience.

JEFF (V.O.) Join Us for the Marty Evans Epic 21st Birthday Experience.

EXT. POOL - CONTINUOUS

CHRISSY

If anybody wants the heat, tell 'em pull up. Y'all know I'm the only provider.

JEFF You da fuckin' best. I sound good. Like Morgan Freeman narrator good.

Jeff daps Chrissy up and walks to the bar. Kevin approaches.

KEVIN Damn Chrissy, I'm really gonna have to file a complaint with Spotify.

CHRISSY File a complaint with Spotify? Why?

KEVIN Cause they didn't have you listed as the hottest single out.

CHRISSY (savoring) Top motha-fuckin tier.

KEVIN Save me a dance tonight?

CHRISSY Don't save me for later. I won't be there.

Kevin winks at her. Chrissy flashes her perfect smile. Their chemistry is magnetic. Marty walks up on the verge of tears and wraps his arms around both of them.

> MARTY This is the one I want them to remember me for...

CHRISSY Every occasion is a celebration.

KEVIN (pours shots) Cheers motherfuckas! As they drink --

MONTAGE of students speak straight to camera about MARTY.

BALLET MAJOR Marty Evans is magic.

SORORITY SISTER He has two Gucci belts and a white Bronco. Like a new one. Not the O.J. kind.

BASKETBALL PLAYER I hear Gatorade endorsed him. In <u>BELIZE</u>!

PROFESSOR I hear his arms are insured for \$20,000.

VIOLINIST His favorite singer is Prince.

BAND MEMBER I heard the Dodgers offered him \$50 million after he graduates.

CHEERLEADER #1 One time he met Halle Berry in an Uber Black --

CHEERLEADER #2 And she told him he was the truth.

FRESHMAN PLEDGE During hell week Marty sat on my head, a la nude. He's my Yoda.

DEAN HUNT (O.C.) He's my kryptonite.

INT. ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, DEAN'S OFFICE - MORNING

DEAN HEIDI HUNT 40's, Black, no-nonsense, presses "PAUSE" on Marty's b-day invite. She's with EMMA, 20, Korean, studious.

DEAN HUNT I don't trust this kid any further than I can roll him.

EMMA Well, with your bad knee, you shouldn't roll anybody. Dean Hunt glares at her.

EMMA (CONT'D) Arthritis is serious business, mam.

DEAN HUNT

What is so disturbing about a slacker like Marty Evans is, he sets a bad example for good kids.

EMMA

Does he?

DEAN HUNT

Last thing I need at this point in my career is 10,000 Marty Evans wannabes terrorizing this campus. He undermines my ability to effectively lead this university.

EMMA

Well, he makes you look like a "Karen", is what he does, dean.

DEAN HUNT (annoyed) Thank you, Emma. I think you're analysis is dead wrong. He and --(checks file) -- this Jeff Lansing, lead the worst fraternity on campus.

EMMA But are they the worst?

A HIGHLIGHT REEL of the FRATERNITY plays on screen:

Jeff leads a PANCAKE BREAKFAST and does an interview with the local NEWS. He hosts a CAR WASH fundraiser with Marty, Eugene and Kevin. Jeff reads to the ELDERLY at a retirement home.

EMMA (V.O.) I mean A.S.E. throws the best parties, do a ton of charity work, plus -- I met my girlfriend at their Wisest Wizards tournament.

DEAN HUNT Uh-huh, that's great.

Dean Hunt flips through a manila folder --

DEAN HUNT (CONT'D) Tell me -- who released an entire litter of kittens during the track meet? Who delivered cannabis club brownies to the alumni banquet?

INSERT - PHOTOS of stoned BOOSTERS clearing out a BUFFET.

DEAN HUNT (CONT'D) Every Halloween, the trees are filled with toilet paper. Every Christmas, the freshman dorm floods with beer...

INSERT - Videos of WILD PARTIES, fights with POLICE & mayhem.

EMMA That's part of their Winter Wonderland celebration.

DEAN HUNT

(condescending) Yes. I know that, Emma. And this semester's gonna be different. This year I'm gonna get rid of A.S.E. once and for all.

EMMA Well, Marty's incredibly popular, mam.

A HIGHLIGHT REEL of MARTY plays on screen:

He hits home-runs, serves the homeless at a shelter, walks dogs, picks up trash at the beach, rocks out at a concert --

EMMA (CONT'D) The athletes, cheerleaders, nerds, pot-heads, alcoholics, gangsters, thots, goths -- they all love him. He's like a...bi-racial angel.

DEAN HUNT

(rolls eyes)
Whatever. You live next door. Find
me a way to revoke Alpha's charter.
 (glances at file)
Says here you're applying to
Harvard Law School. You know, I
went to Harvard. I have some
serious connections there...

EMMA Are you bribing me? DEAN HUNT Listen, Chu --EMMA It's Wu... DEAN HUNT Whatever. Don't make life hard when it can be easy. (then) How's the soccer season going?

CUT TO:

EXT. EDGE HILL DORMS - DAY

A newly renovated DORMITORY.

Jacob DRIVES up in a beat-to-shit pick-up truck. His best friend, CODY, 19, Jewish, portly, exits the dorm eating a messy DONUT. As he slides in the car he spills on his shirt.

CODY (pulling on shirt) Man, I hate how maple bars make your shirt feel crusty.

JACOB Are you just waking up?

Jacob throws the gear in drive. As they coast --

CODY Sorry for the wait...I was in a Khole. Thought it was coke but it was ketamine.

JACOB You smell like old mustard and honey nut cheerios.

CODY Dude, I don't think I've been clean since we dropped acid at Stagecoach last year and drank all those cappuccinos from 7/11.

JACOB Were you drunk the entire time?

CODY Just about. Nobody's sober during a semester at sea. (MORE)

CODY (CONT'D)

Nobody really showers in France either which really surprised me considering it's all about hygiene on those boats.

(chewing donut) Nothing smells worse than a girl who can't condition her hair properly.

JACOB

You use the 3-in-1 soap from the black section at CVS. What the fuck do you know about hygiene?

CODY

I know how to ball on a budget. Next time you wanna go apeshit on a vending machine call me first. I'll loan you the two-fifty for the Flamin' hot Fritos.

JACOB It wasn't that bad...was it?

CODY Don't worry "snacks-are-slaves", tonight we become legends. When we walk in with that gator --

JACOB

Crocodile --

CODY Yep. Yep. What I said. When we walk in to the party, heads will roll.

CUT TO:

EXT. POOL (A.S.E.) HOUSE - DAY

JEFF Listen up y'all. Listen up.

Everyone stops decorating, and listens to JEFF.

JEFF (CONT'D) In addition to providing the decorations for tonight's festivities, the ladies at S.D.G. are also handling the drinks for this evening. (MORE) These girls know how to have a good time and they will be ready for battle at the water park relay later on. Y'all give it up for my girl Alexandria, and her Social Chair, Chantel.

The group erupts in applause. ALEXANDRIA, 22, fierce, and Chantel (from the invite video) enter.

ALEXANDRIA

I know everyone's excited and probably has some questions about our collaboration tomorrow night, so let's jump in. Yes, this party will be live-streamed. Yes, it is a 90's theme. Yes, you have to be in costume to enter. Yes, I created a successful dating app my freshman year at Yale. No, I will not hook you up. Chantel might help you...

CHANTEL

(shrugs shoulders) Case by case.

ALEXANDRIA

I went to an Ivy League, so I understand how hard it is to start a conversation with a beautiful, intelligent person. Be confident.

JEFF

On that note, Quincy, I need you to stop smelling like old bologna. Remember, an extra shower a day keeps the funk away.

QUINCY sniffs himself, it isn't good. He turns away in shame.

CHANTEL

And always check your teeth. A rogue piece of spinach could ruin your night. Trust me. I'm science.

Marty walks in dancing, drinking a bottle of champagne.

MARTY Birthday boy is in the house!

CRACK!

MARTY slips on the deck -- lands flat on his back.

PLEDGES rush to help him to his feet. EUGENE CHANTEL Oh damn! Oh my God! JEFF Marty! You okay? MARTY Kind of feels like a slip-n-slide. JEFF Say less. They share a look. Glance back at the house. An idea forms. JEFF (CONT'D) Hey Chantel --CHANTEL Already on it. (to Kevin) Kevin, bring the car around. We're going to Walmart. KEVIN Let's fly! They exit frame to the PARKING LOT. MARTY What do we got? What do we need? How many people RSVP'd? JEFF Two-hundred and fifty. MARTY Mmm...that's a good start. Let's try and triple it. ALEXANDRIA Triple what? MARTY Triple everything. Triple snow cones. Triple pizzas. Triple it. (pulls out a check) All on me. Check it out. Jeff and Alexandria look at the CHECK. Their jaws drop. JEFF ALEXANDRIA Holy shit! That's a lottttt of zeros.

MARTY 5,000 G's. That's how he does it.

ALEXANDRIA You want me to spend all of it?

MARTY

Al, this party needs to be seen from space. Let's get weird. I want people making sex in cars. I want people slip-n-sliding through the hallway, sharpies on the face. I want it to be like Mardi Gras.

JEFF

So, all of it?

MARTY

Oh yeah.

SMASH TO:

INT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE - NIGHT

The BIRTHDAY PARTY in full effect.

STUDENTS from all walks of life packed wall-to-wall. Dance floor is full. Clothing is optional at the pool. Joints are passed. Beer Bongs are hit. A banner hangs above the door:

The Marty Evans Epic 21st Birthday Experience

ANGLE ON: JEFF and MARTY in the middle of a heated FLIP CUP battle. Their team's behind -- MARTY'S last to go. He flips...Birthday Boy for the <u>WIN</u>!

ANGLE ON: LOSING TEAM pissed they just lost. As they bicker --

MARTY JEFF What'd I tell you!? Huh? This Dat's right! You see it! Suck my house baby! My house! my dick!

> CHRISSY (O.S.) It's not in my diet, bitch!

Jeff turns around to find Chrissy approaching. She's pissed.

JEFF Ah, Ms. Fresh & Clean, my Nubian queen. You having fun?

CHRISSY Nigga -- ya sound white. JEFF I am half French.

CHRISSY Half French, quarter Spanish...I don't really give a fuck! You're killin' my views & I wanna know why?

JEFF You saw why --

NEWS BROADCAST - STOCK FOOTAGE (FLASHBACK)

DAN, 20, Mexican, cocky, suited to the nines in the middle of a (NOW DELETED) viral YouTube Video. Chrissy interviews him.

DAN Cookies are like crack. Those girl scouts are just cute drug dealers.

The video then re-mixes into a MUSIC VIDEO intercut with horrendous MEMES and GIFS of DAN attacking GIRL SCOUTS.

INT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE - CONTINUOUS

Jeff and Chrissy share a JOINT by the bar.

JEFF Donors don't like drugs. They like Do-Si-Do's and Thin Mints, shit -even Samoas. Dan needs to practice being quiet.

CHRISSY It's insulting to my viewers... I've been promoting this on Fly Times all break!

JEFF I'll get you the Athletics Chair --

CHRISSY Ain't nobody trying to hear Kevin play the harmonica. THAT'S. NOT. FREE-STYLING. I want Marty.

JEFF The day after his birthday? Are you nuts? President's not doing that. That mother-fucka owes me after that Christmas party. Those stains still won't come out my carpet! (almost a whisper) You know he can't mix eggnog and weed --

JEFF That stays between us...

CHRISSY

For now. (then) I want two hours with him for the Funky Friday Freestyle.

JEFF Can't. We're booked. How bout one hour for the Wicked Wednesday Wild Out, and I'll give you thirty minutes at the debates next month?

CHRISSY Forty-five on the debates and six original bars. None of that prehistoric shit from last year.

JEFF (thinking) I can work with that.

CHRISSY Like you got a choice...

They rip a shot and do a complex handshake.

CHRISSY (CONT'D)

I'm out.

CUT TO:

EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE - CONTINUOUS

Cody and Jacob approach the house with the CROCODILE and TRAINER. They ring the doorbell. Cody starts stretching.

JACOB What are you doing?

CODY Getting loose before I take over this dance floor. JACOB

Please stop.

CODY It's all about mobility. I got really into stretching before hitting the clubs. (cracks neck) I'm going to be a hot yoga instructor now.

JACOB Good luck, you're maybe a 6.

CODY (finishes stretching) Hot yoga is a type of yoga, you idiot.

Before Jacob can respond the door swings open. It's Eugene.

EUGENE (drunk as hell) Snacks-are-slavesssss! You made it. Now that's a Happy Gilmore gator!

JACOB It's a crocodile.

EUGENE Same difference. (attempts to pet animal) That's a good boy...

Eugene sticks his hand out and the CROCODILE snaps at him!

TRAINER That means he likes ya.

EUGENE Take him around back to the pool.

The TRAINER exits with the CROCODILE as the boys head inside.

EUGENE (CONT'D) (to Cody) So, how was Paris?

CODY Very relaxing. Thanks for asking.

EUGENE Yeah. You got a little tan. Grew the hair out... EUGENE Love that. Now vanish. Being seen with you two is social suicide.

CUT TO:

A MASSIVE LINE OF COKE VANISHES UP A \$100 BILL --

ANGLE ON: BATHROOM

JANET, 19, Puerto Rican, driven, wipes her nose --

JANET

Marty always took care of me first. That piece-of-shit would still be down there if I asked him, just licking away...

APRIL, 19, Australian, brutally honest, rips a line.

APRIL Was this before or after you knew he was loaning his dick out like a Netflix account?

JANET Before. Netflix wasn't a thing yet. (rips a line) Now they charge for sharing? It's a bigger scam than he is.

APRIL Why are ass-holes always the best lay?

JANET

Cause they know how good they are. They know if they hit it right, we'll forget about all the bullshit they put us through.

JEFF (O.S.)

Facts!

ANGLE ON: LIVING ROOM

Marty and Kevin versus Jeff and Eugene, in BEER PONG.

JEFF (CONT'D) (shoots) Marty blew her back out, then she caught feelings.

MARTY It was like Westworld.

KEVIN What the fuck does that mean?

JEFF Means it wasn't real.

EUGENE (shoots) He never loved her.

KEVIN But I saw her on your I.G. stories over Christmas and New Year's...

MARTY Disappears after 24hrs, kid.

EUGENE No girl's ever made it to the grid.

JEFF Highlight maybe, but never the wall. (shoots) Boom! Balls back, bitches!

As Eugene shoots --

INT. BATHROOM - CONTINUOUS

Janet rips another line.

JANET Fuck! It's scorching in here. I can feel the sweat building. How bad do my pits look?

APRIL Like you're sick. In Chemo, but they caught it early.

April hands Janet a dryer sheet from her purse, notices something --

APRIL (CONT'D) Where the fuck are your panties?

JANET If I'm wearing a sun dress, why do I have to wear anything?

Janet pats down her pits. Her CELL buzzes.

JANET (CONT'D) Oh shit. He's here.

APRIL Spring-break-Black-Panther?

JANET He was such a treat. Like a ring pop you can't stop licking. (then) You seen Cody, yet?

APRIL Not since the break. After the concert I took him to my place, meditated for an hour, then fucked his brains out.

JANET How was *he?*

EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, POOL - CONTINUOUS

CODY

I fucked like a cheetah.

Cody packs a BONG with Jacob as KIDS fly down a SLIP-N-SLIDE into the POOL. The CROCODILE swimming in a roped-off area.

CODY (CONT'D)

Got the best Molly from that valet at Cheesecake Factory and he hooked it up! Whenever you make sex again really try and channel that jungle energy. Chicks like that.

JACOB So, you're official now?

CODY No. But we'll always be lovers. JACOB

Don't use that word. You're not actually French. She's a girl you slept with twice at Coachella.

CODY

She's really focused on building her social media up this semester, so I'm good with being friends. April's a person, but also a brand.

JACOB

If I wanted to get fucked by a brand I'd fly <u>Spirit</u>.

CODY you're not getting fucked by anybody. Couldn't close Chantel, could you?

JACOB The orphan my family claims to be my brother got stoned and spilled cake all over his couch. Instead of cleaning it up before I house-sit he stuffed it under a pillow.

CODY

So?

JACOB So -- I already told you. We got drunk, I put a blindfold on her and she fell in the cake.

CODY You got cock-blocked by cake?

JACOB Frosting was everywhere. Her contacts were the first casualties.

INT. SAN REMO APARTMENTS - NIGHT (FLASHBACK)

There's cake everywhere. Clothes tossed all over. Chantel frantically pulls at the bandana over her eyes.

CHANTEL Why do you have a cake couch!? My eyes can't breathe!

JACOB Ahh! The frosting is like chlorine! EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, POOL - CONTINUOUS

CODY Wow. You're like *allergic* to girls.

JACOB (rips bong) You know what hurts the most?

CODY

What?

JACOB Those three hours at San Remo Apartments were the best three hours of my life.

SMASH TO:

INT. SAN REMO APARTMENTS - DAY (FLASHBACK)

Modern. Plush. Sleek.

Jacob sips espresso on the BALCONY. Soaks up the beach view.

JACOB (V.O.) The shower worked.

Jacob sings in the SHOWER. Slips. Recomposes. Sings louder.

JACOB (V.O.) The sheets were soft... (whispers) So soft...

He runs his hands along the MATTRESS. Nuzzles the PILLOWS.

JACOB (V.O.) The kitchen was exquisite!

He cooks up a storm. Steak. Chicken. Guacamole. Forgets the pan is on. Battles a TACO STOVE FIRE. Barely survives.

JACOB (V.O.) No ants <u>anywhere</u>.

Jacob uncorks a bottle of RED WINE.

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JACOB (V.O.)
He even left me a bottle of wine.
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Jacob and Chantel get cozy by the FIREPLACE, sipping wine.

JACOB (V.O.) Martha Stewart 19 Crimes Chardonnay.

CODY (V.O.) Mmm. Cause grandma can do a crime.

JACOB (V.O.) Yes, indeed.

Chantel straddles Jacob on the couch. She takes off her shirt. Jacob pulls out a blindfold. As Chantel grins --

JACOB (V.O.) And I had a <u>real girl</u> with me. (then) I'll never eat cake again.

DISSOLVE TO:

EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, POOL - CONTINUOUS

Cody stares at Marty's GIANT BIRTHDAY CAKE inside the house.

CODY (thinking) What flavor was it?

ANGLE ON DEN:

CHANTEL Triple Chocolate Fudge. And I don't know if there's a word for 'every piece of furniture he owns has come from a sidewalk'.

Alexandria takes shots with Chantel and Emma. As they drink --

EMMA I've heard of that. Think they're calling it 'hobo-chic'.

CHANTEL Yeah, well I'm calling it broke-asfuck. Just like his tongue.

ALEXANDRIA Tongues can't break. Besides, you can always turn a bad kisser into a good one. EMMA

Is it killing two birds with one stone if I cut my coke with Plan-B?

ALEXANDRIA Yup. That's how I take my Adderall.

CHANTEL That's a really bad example to set for our sorority sisters.

EMMA Bad example for our sisters? Bitch, you're wearing gold CROCS covered in glitter!

CHANTEL Gold glitter is my favorite color.

ALEXANDRIA Gold glitter is not a color.

CHANTEL I know. It's a <u>fucking</u> lifestyle.

Chantel takes a rip from a JOINT.

MATCH CUT TO:

INT. GAME ROOM - CONTINUOUS

DAN exhales a plume of smoke over the BUFFET. ERIC, 20, Black, tightly wound, corners him.

ERIC (swats smoke away) Quit vaping over the charcuterie board, Dan. Only pussies blow fruit juice out of a USB drive.

DAN You eat burritos horizontally. You're a fucking psychopath.

ERIC For the record -- Janet and I don't appreciate having to stalk Ray like Batman and Robin trying to find out about your little budget meeting.

DAN It's no secret, Robin. Relax. You're invited. J-LO and her BEN. ERIC We need face-time, ass-hole. One-onone. When are you free?

DAN Forever. This is America, remember? Text me, idiot.

ERIC I've literally seen you type 'on my way' while taking a shit so, no, you've lost that privilege.

DAN Beer shits rarely give warning. Let's say Monday at 6? Or will the B.L.M. be too busy blowing shit up?

ERIC I'll be there. You can bring me to your Klan meeting after.

DAN Wonderful. I have an extra robe in my closet, but you will need to provide your own hood.

Eric flips him off. Dan smiles, shoves salami in his mouth.

INT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, MARTY'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Marty shoves a pair of breasts in his mouth as he fucks a GIRL in the shower. As he climaxes his hand tenses up --

CUT TO:

INT. MARTY'S BATHROOM - MOMENTS LATER

INSERT: A PILL BOTTLE OPENS

Marty throws back two PAINKILLERS. He waits a beat, then takes two more. He looks at his BASEBALL DUFFEL BAG next to his bed. WE SEE his reflection in the mirror as he picks up his BAT. He attempts to rotate the BAT, but can't.

Frustrated, he attempts to lift the bat once more. His arm shakes. The pain too much to bear. He drops the BAT.

CUT TO:

Chrissy sips champagne with her best friend, Angela, mixed, 20. They take a selfie, then her CELL buzzes.

ANGELA

Ugh, I think that guy from Coffee Meets Bagel just untagged himself from my post. What do I do?

CHRISSY

Bitch I don't know, get a Ouija board. The girls that get, get it.

ANGELA

It's like -- you'll eat my ass and talk about marriage, but you won't give me your Hulu password?

CHRISSY

(pours shots) Fuckboys be like that, sis! Gotta learn to love <u>yourself</u> as much as you love toxic men with good dick.

Chrissy hands a SHOT to Angela. As they cheers --

MARTY (O.C.) Who's ready to see SUPERMAN?!

Marty stumbles in, and puts his arms around both girls.

ANGELA Happy born day, Marty! Say cheese!

Angela, Chrissy and Marty take a SELFIE.

MARTY To the ROOF!

Marty smashes the WINE BOTTLE and leads the CROWD upstairs as everyone cheers him on. The party moves through the --

LIVING ROOM

-- passing Eric and Janet dancing by the stairs.

ERIC My Uber's pullin' up... (leans in and whispers) Wanna fuck?

Off Janet grinning --

KEVIN gets down with CHRISSY on the dance floor. JEFF makes love to ALEXANDRIA on the BALCONY. CHANTEL, JACOB, CODY, APRIL, ANGELA, and EUGENE hype up the CROWD as MARTY leaps off the roof!

As JANET and ERIC'S lips part -- MARTY flies past the window.

VOICE (0.S.) Marty -- no!

CUT TO:

INT. EMERGENCY ROOM, HOSPITAL - NIGHT

It's chaos. Phones ring. Sirens blare. The DOORS swing open and we see: MARTY

He's riddled with cuts, high off PAINKILLERS, flanked by Alexandria, Jeff and Chantel. Eugene struggles to keep up.

The EMT'S wheel him on a STRETCHER face-down-ass-up.

MARTY Jeff! I broke my booty! Ya gotta get me out of here! Get me out!

JEFF Booties don't break, baby, booties don't break -- look at all that cushion --

MARTY My butt is broken! Oh my God...I lost my sexy. My sexy is gone!

EUGENE Marty, where's the booger sugar? It's bump-thirty.

ALEXANDRIA Hey, douche baguette -- you're missing a sandal.

Eugene definitely is. The color draining from his face.

CHANTEL

Lyft has it.

EUGENE Used it as collateral cause my account's suspended. (MORE) EUGENE (CONT'D) Jafar's a cool driver like that. (farts) Oh shit...I think my butt threw up.

INT. HOSPITAL ROOM, CONTINUOUS

They burst into MARTY'S room. Eugene bolts across the room.

MARTY (pulls at I.V. chords) Eugene, come unhook me --

DR. KEN, 50's, Korean, enters. He's sarcastic, yet caring.

DR. KEN Close your robe Mr. Evans, you're freaking the nurses out.

MARTY

(to Dr. Ken) There's no Carne Asada here, can Kevin...tell Kevin to bring Carne Asada. Can you tell him that?

DR. KEN

Of course. Would you like to make it a combo with rice and beans? Maybe an horchata to wash it down? (then deadpan) I'm a doctor, okay? Not a fucking waiter. Says here -- you think you broke your tailbone running to get Jack in the Box tacos?

MARTY I got a Charley Horse in my toes then fell! Now my ass has an amalgamator growth!

DR. KEN That's not a thing.

Jeff approaches fast.

JEFF How we lookin', doc?

DR. KEN Sober. (points at Eugene) The opposite of that --

Eugene shits in a BEDPAN. Chantel laughs. Snaps a pic of him.

CHANTEL (to Eugene) Value tacos are not your friends.

DR. KEN You guys are a special kind of stupid, Jeff. Real assholes.

JEFF (motions to Marty) Ain't on me Odd Future couldn't stick the landing. I wasn't even there.

DR. KEN (condescendingly) You never are. See what I mean --(taps Jeff with clipboard) Special.

Ouch. That one stung. Jeff has no comeback.

DR. KEN (CONT'D) Calm him down or he gets the cuffs.

As Dr. Ken exits, Kevin storms in. He's the drunkest.

KEVIN Guys, it's good! I found a bathroom! What's happening?

ALEXANDRIA Marty lost his booty --

MARTY Not lost! It's broke! Damn it, Al!

KEVIN I'm on this, Marty! Don't worry!

Kevin takes off down the hall. WE HEAR screams, and a loud CRASH in the distance.

MARTY God, was that Kevin? I don't want to ride with Kevin.

Kevin pushes an OLD MAN in a WHEELCHAIR into the room.

KEVINOLD MANSuccess! Get up old man! We(takes a Xanax)need your wheels!What are you people?

Kevin tries tipping the OLD MAN from the chair.

JEFF

OLD MAN (CONT'D) Put that old man down! Stop lifting me by the ass!

> KEVTN It's for grip, big boy!

OLD MAN FUCK YOU! Where's Shayna? It's time for my bath!

Jeff fights with Kevin. Eugene approaches the OLD MAN.

EUGENE I will give you \$100 cash right now for your Xanax. Whaddya say gramps?

OLD MAN grins at Eugene. A NURSE and SECURITY GUARD enter.

NURSE

(points at Kevin) It's him! He's the one who dropped a floater in the Women's room then tried to kidnap, Mr. Clarence!

CHANTEL. McDonald's loving mother-fucker!

KEVIN The mens' room had pee-pee on the seats!

SECURITY Sir, step away from Mr. Clarence!

MARTY Don't let Kevin take me!

The SECURITY GUARD wrestles Kevin away into the hall. Eugene covertly slips the OLD MAN a \$100 bill. OLD MAN secretly slips Eugene PAINKILLERS as the NURSE wheels him out.

CUT TO:

EXT. DEL REY UNIVERSITY - MORNING

Students hustle to class at the sprawling college sitting atop the bluffs overlooking Playa Vista.

NEWS BROADCAST - VARIOUS SCREENS, VARIOUS PLACES

Chrissy sits behind a NEWS DESK. Looks right at us --

CHRISSY

Annnnddd we back! It's ya girl Ms. Fresh and Clean, and this is *Fly Times*! Today's hot topic --Operation Varsity Blues, an investigation into the biggest college cheating scam ever!

Glued to this are our story's players, who we see in...

GRAPHICS appear on SCREEN

CHRISSY (V.O.) Actresses Trinity Muffman and Tori Cocklin a.k.a. Aunt Karen, from the classic sitcom "*Big Shack*", are among the fifty people now charged.

MUG-SHOTS of the disgraced ACTRESSES appear on screen, along with stock footage of their corny 90's SITCOMS --

CHRISSY (O.S.) Investigators say that wealthy parents paid the accused ringleader to get their kids into top colleges. The scheme involved bribes, falsified test scores, and bogus athletic profiles. It's safe to say Del Rey would never be involved with something like this. If you're lucky enough to go here it's cause you waited your turn, stayed the course, kept your integrity and did it all without any handouts. Trip off nothin', them blessings come in abundance.

DEAN HUNT watches intently with a trusted group of AIDES.

DING! An Elevator rings --

INT. HOSPITAL - MORNING

Jeff, Chantel, Eugene, and Kevin enter an ELEVATOR.

JEFF He's made that jump a thousand times. What the fuck happened?

CHANTEL Tits. That's what happened.

EXT. A.S.E. FRATERNITY HOUSE, ROOF (FLASHBACK)

MARTY runs to the edge of the roof, about to jump, when suddenly -- a voluptuous SORORITY SISTER **FLASHES HER TITS**.

He gets distracted -- SLIPS and FALLS!

DING! The elevator doors open.

INT. ELEVATOR, HOSPITAL - CONTINUOUS

Jeff, Chantel, Eugene, and Kevin exit the ELEVATOR. They walk through the HOSPITAL passing DOCTORS, NURSES, and PATIENTS.

CHANTEL A junior popped 'em out and Peter Pan lost focus before lift-off.

EUGENE Crazy fucker's lucky to be breathing.

JEFF Social media screwing us, yet?

EUGENE Nah. Jack in the Box is playing. Everyone thinks he got an ass growth from a taco.

CHANTEL (off her cell) FUCK! That calculated cunt --

JEFF

What?

CHANTEL Janet just tweeted --

CUT TO:

INT. JANET'S DORM ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Janet talks directly to camera as she gets ready for the day.

JANET "my thoughts and prayers go out to our dear friend and president @Martys_a_mack but let's not forget how we got here. (MORE)

BACK TO:

INT. HOSPITAL - CONTINUOUS

The group approaches Marty's room.

JEFF Shit. That's rough.

that-ledge-my-friend.

KEVIN I know, right. Now I hate that song.

The group gives Kevin a puzzled look.

CUT TO:

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

DOZENS of people coming and going. STUDENTS. BOOSTERS. COACHES. The BASEBALL TEAM. MEDIA. FLOWERS, BALLOONS, SIGNS, POSTERS, BRAS, THONGS, CHOCOLATES, and "GET WELL" CARDS fill the room. GRANDMA CAROL, 70's, removes LINGERIE from Marty's headboard. She shakes her head smiling at Marty & adjusts his pillow. This is his world, and all she can do is accept it.

MARTY

(reads tweet) Friends don't let friends jump drunk? Bet she practiced that one.

GRANDMA CAROL I can't stand that sweaty bitch. She never apologized for leaving shit stains in my toilet. You remember, Al? Worst. New Year's. Ever.

ALEXANDRIA She's like a drunk hillbilly baby.

MARTY This has Eric's chocolaty fat fingers all over it.

SMASH CUT TO:

Eric's chocolaty fat fingers pull Janet's hair from behind as he fucks her intensely. It's raw. Passionate. They climax --

BACK TO:

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM

MARTY (off his cell) Instagram thinks I'm a desperado --

MONTAGE of students speaking straight to camera about MARTY.

BOHEMIAN ART MAJOR I heard he pistol-whipped the Dean, now he's on the run in Rosarito with his Bandido cousins from Havana.

LINE COOK He's uh...well he's armless.

LIBRARIAN Now he's living in the airport in Chicago with the bird lady from Home Alone 2.

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Marty's kid sister, MARIE, 13, arrogant, busting his chops.

MARIE What. An. Embarrassment.

MARTY Go dry your chins off, Marie, they're sweating.

Marie's jaw drops. She runs off horrified.

GRANDPA SID, 70's corners JEFF. He wears a FEDORA, GOLD CHAIN, PINKY RING and a loose HAWAIIAN SHIRT.

GRANDPA SID How could you not invite me? It should be me in that bed!

JEFF Chill, Sid. You'd probably be dead.

GRANDPA SID I've heard that before. The Pimps and Hoes extravaganza is upon us, Jeffrey. Cinco de Mayo is just around the corner... (in Spanish) So where's it gonna be, bitch? JEFF (distractedly texting) Where? I'm not -- I don't know. GRANDPA SID Oh, you know. You think I don't know that you know I know you know, but I do. JEFF What? No. That's not --Chantel walks past. Grandpa Sid looks back --GRANDPA SID Chantel! There you are! (in Spanish) 21, yet? CHANTEL Fuck off, Sid. And guit DM'ing me pictures of you in partially open Hawaiian shirts. GRANDPA SID That's a taste of the Key West ... (runs fingers down chest) Boca's ready when you are, baby. CHANTEL Dude. You lost your virginity in the Great Depression. That's depressing. She walks off on her CELL. ANGLE ON: Jeff and Eugene sipping coffee by the door. JEFF Any word from, Dan?

> EUGENE Negative. Fat-Fuck keeps forwarding me. He's balls deep in pancakes.

Dan competes in a PANCAKE EATING CONTEST with BOY SCOUTS. His CHILDHOOD UNIFORM is bursting at the seams --

The buttons about to fly off --

EUGENE (V.O.) The contest is always in the spring. It's his "community service" or some shit --

ANGLE ON:

Rival TROOP LEADERS across the room, watching in disgust --

TROOP LEADER #1 I think it's time Dan seriously considered going vegan.

TROOP LEADER #2 He knows this doesn't count for volunteer hours right?

TROOP LEADER #3 I don't think he cares. Dan considers this exercise.

TROOP LEADER #4 What a shit show.

TROOP LEADER #3 He eats anymore he might tip over.

TROOP LEADER #4 It's like watching a pregnant polar bear shut down a sizzler.

TROOP LEADER #1 Fucking Dan...

TROOP LEADER #2 FUCKING Dan...

Dan's team is behind. He pours more syrup. Shoves his last PANCAKE down and -- wins! As the crowd erupts --

CAMERAS FLASH:

POLAROIDS APPEAR - Dan with the trophy crying -- Dan in a group photo with the Scouts looking tough -- Dan caught in a stall pooping trying to block the picture --

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM - CONTINUOUS

RAY, 21, INDIAN, enters eating Pringles. He wears an oversized Fila jumpsuit and matching J's.

He hands Jeff a RED FOLDER. Daps him up.

CHANTEL Dude, we told you to find Jake, not breakfast.

RAY I went. I waited. Fuck I look like...Dog the Bounty Hunter?

ALEXANDRIA Last time I saw Jake he was streaking by the pool. Invited me to the "no pants" party.

KEVIN That after party was lit as fuck!

EUGENE (off his cell) Oh shit. Check Snapchat.

INT. MEADOWLANDS HALL - CONTINUOUS

A group of students stand over Jacob's sharpie-riddled body. He's face down, ass up on the 3rd floor. A GIRL shakes him --

GIRL

Move, bitch!

Jacob's eyes shoot open!

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Grandpa Sid peers over Jeff's shoulder at the video of JACOB.

GRANDPA SID That nerd was invited last night and I wasn't? Shame on you.

JEFF You're outta control, old man.

GRANDPA SID Fuck you, Jeffrey. I'm gonna go try and take a piss. (MORE) GRANDPA SID (CONT'D) When I come back, I expect an address <u>and</u> secret password! (in Spanish) That should've been me!

CUT TO:

INT. ERIC'S DORM ROOM - CONTINUOUS

JANET and ERIC get dressed. He opens a BLUE FOLDER --

ERIC It's crazy. Says here --(reading) "Most students believe their has been a gross mishandling of funds and that various budgets have been manipulated to hide huge deficits..." Has Dan read this?

JANET

Can Dan read?

ERIC

When you've been audited before you never want to go through it again unless you're forced to. It's like eating at Yoshinoya.

JANET You actually finished April's paper?

He grabs a calculator off the desk. Then:

ERIC According to these figures, the amount we have available for future endeavors would be: fifteen.

JANET

Thousand?

ERIC No, fifteen dollars.

JANET You're shitting me.

ERIC Of course I'm shitting you, but fifteen thousand isn't enough. (MORE)

ERIC (CONT'D)

Fifteen thousand's what we're going to pay the keynote speaker at graduation, and you should really have some money left at the end of the year, or it looks like your spending is out of control.

JANET

This is how a board of trustees gets appointed and we get shut down.

ERIC You think that reads on a resume?

JANET

It doesn't.

ERIC

Right. So, at Wildcat Caucus tomorrow we gotta play nice with Jake. He's our trojan horse.

JANET The "snacks-are-slaves" guy?

INT. AQUATICS CENTER - CONTINUOUS

Kevin and Eugene in the middle of an intense SWIM practice.

EUGENE If the Athletic Director resigns it's open season on our ass...

KEVIN Idiot's been paying players for years during recruiting trips. It's like a goddamn brothel at the basketball house.

SMASH TO:

INT. BASKETBALL HOUSE - NIGHT (FLASHBACK)

An epic FOAM PARTY. STRIPPERS. ECSTASY. PAPA JOHN'S. Coeds covered in bubbles sprint by KEVIN and EUGENE, as star player ALLEN THOMPSON, 20, Black, confident, leads the pack.

> ALLEN I'm RIPPED!!!!

END FLASHBACK

Eugene and Kevin talk in hushed tones in the SAUNA.

KEVIN They're all fucked. Baseball, football, shit -- even golf. Those nerds got vacuums for noses.

EUGENE Last thing we need is ESPN parked out front for a month while the board rips our funding apart.

KEVIN \$2.5 million a year for 27,000 undergrads just isn't enough.

EUGENE

If we didn't have Dan, it'd be more than enough. Three failed business ventures in two years with forged booster checks spells jail time.

CUT TO:

INT. MARTY'S HOSPITAL ROOM - LATER

Jeff corners Dan with the RED FOLDER as Dan builds a custom burrito on the GrubHub app --

JEFF You spent \$1400 on a hotel room?

DAN Normally it's three grand, but I got it on Hotel Tonight. (takes a bow) You're welcome.

JEFF

Fuck you think this is? A state school? Nobody gave you permission to upgrade. What's wrong with coach?

DAN Coach is for peasants. I need room to recline. (stretches legs) I have real people legs. (flips pages)

\$300 dinner at French Laundry, followed by a sunset boat cruise in Sausalito? Ain't no way that was apart of the leadership retreat!

DAN

It was apart of <u>my</u> retreat. That view is majestic when the sun sets.

JEFF

That's cap.

DAN

I don't speak urban. However, I did
get the best handy by the rocks
right before it got dark.
 (thinking)
It was sublime.

JEFF

A handy? What are you, twelve? This isn't summer camp you fat fuck! I told you to keep a low profile after the clothing line mess, and then you pull this shit?

DAN

Ya know what Jeff, when the son of the deposed CEO of Nike emails you directly asking you for help -- you just do it!

JEFF

Crypto is a pyramid scheme, and you should've never wired that money.

DAN

FTX was my destiny ...

Jeff leans in crowding Dan's space. His demeanor changes.

JEFF

Remember who the fuck you dealin' wit. My word is my word. At school, in LA, and in any place you can think of paying for pussy, it'll be my word that finds you. Figures don't lie. Your job is to make them. Now, fix it.

Jeff slams the RED FOLDER into Dan's chest.

Dan takes a beat, then leaves. Jeff turns his attention back to Marty. Sits in a chair by his bed. Takes a deep breath. MARTY (sarcastic) That sounded good. JEFF A walk in the park. MARTY God, I fuckin love a good walk. Like -- look at all these trees... JEFF Fuck man is that a pinecone? MARTY Hell ya. JEFF Gonna awkwardly nod at passing strangers? MARTY Don't mind if I do. (then) Nothing like some fresh air. The best friends lost in the moment. A beat passes. Then --MARTY (CONT'D) It's bad this time, isn't it? JEFF Remember Chico State freshman year? MARTY I'd never been to the jungle. JEFF We made it back didn't we? MARTY Barely. JEFF Relax, birthday boy. I got this. Jeff's cell buzzes. MARTY

Who's that?

Jeff opens the door and a half-dozen STRIPPERS enter the room dressed as NURSES. They play music, sing and dance in unison.

CHEERLEADERS

(singing) We heard that you were feeling ill...headache, fever, and a chill...We came to help restore your pluck, cause we're the nurses who love to FUCK!

The STRIPPERS pop their tops off and surround Marty. He looks over at Jeff through the commotion and mouths - "I LOVE YOU"

SMASH TO BLACK.