

## *Alice*

You are Kathie's best friend. You have known each other since you were kids. Although she seems to have alienated you recently, you are willing to do whatever it takes to return everything to the way it used to be. You are and always have been her strongest support.

### *Episode 1: Kathie*

#### **Scene 1: The Birthday Party**

It's Kathie's 16<sup>th</sup> birthday. You all gathered by her house and are having a good time. Everybody brought her a present. You've got her a teddy bear. You know she'll love it.

#### **Scene 3: Lunch break**

It's Friday, just before noon, and you have a Lunch break in school. You're discussing your evening plans; everybody wants to go to the dance club. You are definitely gonna be there. You've agreed with Kathie that the two of you would go together. Otherwise, your mother would only let you stay out till 11 PM!

#### **Scene 4: With Alice**

You're sitting in a room with your best friend Kathie. She seems to be acting weird lately; she even has problems at school. If only you could understand her better. She is always sad and gloomy now. Never mind, you will stand by her side no matter what. You must not let her be depressed; you have to assure her that everything is okay. That everything is going to be all right.

### *Episode 2: Eve*

#### **Scene 2: The Session with the Psychiatrist**

*You are playing a different character in this scene, Dr. Jesenska [Yesenska].*

It's the first time that your new patient, Eve, is sitting in front of you. She has signs of depression and you notice some early signs of character disintegration. You want to identify the cause of these changes. Maybe there are family problems or something going on at school; maybe it's

something from her childhood. Everything is interesting. Everything has to mean something.

### **Scene 3: Lunch break**

Eve has alienated you somehow in the last few days. She doesn't communicate and she is absolutely shut off from the world. It's Friday and, as usual, you're making plans for tonight. You don't even bother asking Eve, you know it's no use. You've tried several times but without much success. She would only spoil your fun anyway or hurt Andrew even more than she does now. You can't have that. Not after he kissed you yesterday. It would be best if Eve just didn't find out. Everybody wins and nobody gets hurt. If only Peter hadn't seen you two kissing.

### **Scene 5: Visiting Hours**

You met up with Eve's mother and your friends Peter and Andrew in front of the clinic ward. You brought Eve a teddy bear. You're desperate. You can't take it anymore. You feel that you are unable to support her any longer. Maybe it'll be better this way. For all of you. Maybe coming here wasn't such a good idea after all. You don't even want to see her. You'll have to make the others understand your situation to lessen the guilt you're feeling.