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SUOI FAMILIARI
NELLA DATA DEL 17 NOVEMBRE 2007**

L'intercettazione in occasione dei colloqui tra Knox Amanda e i suoi familiari nella data del 17 novembre 2007 è contenuta in n.1 DVD racchiuso in busta sigillata.

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“17/11/07

9:30-10:30

AMANDA E GENITORI”

A) AMANDA KNOX

M) MADRE

P) PADRE

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A): Oh, you're here.

P): We're here.

M): Hey, how ya' doing?

A): Ah... (inc.) I'm okay.

M): You're okay? What do you mean okay?

A): I'm okay. I had a bad day yesterday.

M): Oh, how come?

P): (inc.).

A): Umm... the police were here, and umm... they monitored me all day wherever I was ...(inc.) waiting... he was like, oh did you see the TV yesterday and, you know, about the knife and I was like yeah, but I'm not worried about it, 'cause I didn't do anything, and he was like, yeah, well you're a liar, and I was like you said 3 versions of your story, you're a liar, and I was just like... wow...

M): And you know what? Your lawyers were afraid that they're...they're just trying to intimidate you with all that bullshit it's just bullshit.

A): Yeah... I know that. It's just that... I'm really upset. It was like you are treating me like I'm a murderer, and you don't even know me... like... wow... It's the first time

that's ever happened to me, and I just cried like when I was back in my room like hysterical crying, and plus I think I'm getting sick ...

M): Ok.

A): ...because it's really, really cold all the time. It's extremely, extremely cold. And I'm under 3 blankets all day and I woke up today umm...with a stomach and a headache and everything.

P): Are you eating?

A): Yeah, I'm eating.

M): Can I get you more blankets, or...?

A): Yeah, you can. They have more here, I can... I'm... I was okay last night, but I just woke up like and when I get up from my bed after like reading I don't know if it's because I've been reading for hours on end but I feel dizzy and everything and I don't know I just feel like I'm getting sick.

P): Sometimes obviously, sometimes when you lay down you kind of get up and...

A): Yeah, yeah.

M): (tosse) Well, is there a doctor you can see if... if you need...

A): Yeah, there's a doctor, I just got medicine for my headache this morning and I feel better right now but like the reason I was crying yesterday was just because like there was this pressure on my head that just wouldn't go away because like I felt horrible like this person was looking at me like I was this horrible person and I was freaking out...

M): Well, like I said the lawyers think they're doing this on purpose, because they really don't have any thing so they're trying to put pressure like they did when they were interrogating you to see if you'll say something else and so whatever you do calm, don't say anything to anybody.

A): Yeah, I was just like when I was in the room with him I was just like what ...(ride) and then when I went back in my room I was crying just like I'm really, I'm really worried about this whole knife thing... Why was there a knife in Raffaele's ...

P): Here's, here's, here's, here's the whole thing ...(inc.) we talked to the lawyer yesterday we asked him about it. Anytime that ... uh... any article is being reviewed,

we have a specialist in there with them reviewing it. So that's an example of ..., this knife that they are talking about, we were never notified about the knife.

M): Well, it's bullshit!

A): It's bullshit?

M): It's bullshit.

P): It's total bullshit. It's total fabrication

M): This is what they're doing right now. They just lie.

P): It's all fabrication...(inc).

M): To try to get umm... you or somebody to crack.

A): That's stupid. I can't say anything else other than the truth, because I know I was there, I mean, I can't lie about this like there's no reason for me to...

P): Yes, yes. So, so what you should do is you just don't talk to anybody about any thing. Don't write anything. I mean you may start getting letters have you been getting letters or anything?

A): I've been getting tons of letters from admirers.

M): Oh well, people in Seattle also your friends are gonna start mailing. You they've been asking forever they want to send you stuff... probably a lot of it won't be able to get in, and umm... but...

A): What do they want to send me?

M): Tea and books.

A): Well, the tea isn't really gonna help me ...(inc.) because I can't have hot water.

P): You can't have hot water?

A): No.

M): Not for tea-making, hot tea water.

A): No, I mean, I think. I asked my umm... room-mate about it she said that you can get like you can buy a little stove, but honestly I don't really, I don't really care whatever I'm just chilling out.

M): And umm... while we're thinking of it, we brought you hangers but they took them away because they said you can buy them.

P): You can buy hangers in the... uh... catalogue or whatever it is that you're... that you have.

A): My ok... room-mate told me to ask you guys to bring them so...

M): And they're telling us, no we can't bring them in, cause we brought them today and they said no.

P): And we also brought some chocolate and they go, oh no, you can buy that in the catalogue, too. (ride).

M): You can buy that in the catalogue, too. They wouldn't let us bring so, you know, it's just you hear one thing and then you hear another. So you should have...

A): I think they're also just driving you mad ...(inc).

P): Well, they're...

M): Well, we do know, like I said, the lawyers said absolutely do not listen to the, you know, crap on the TV 'cause...

P): The TV... it's all fabricated

M): You look warm now. Do you feel warm. Are you ok now?

P): You look like you got a little sweat going right here

A): Yeah, I know, it's weird, because I'll like ... like all of a sudden, I'll feel hot but then I'll be like shivering like crazy.

M): You're coming down with something.

A): Yeah, and then I was thinking like may be if I'm sick may be they'll let me go somewhere else ...(inc.) like my lawyer told me: don't lose weight! Don't get sick! Eat!... (inc.) my, umm... my room-mate getting kind of weird umm... with me because she keeps saying: you're okay with yourself inside and you're gonna be okay and I don't trust your umm... boyfriend because he carries a knife with him all the time and you messed up when you met up with umm... him, and I was just like uh....

M): Oh, and the other thing whatever you do they said do not... well first of all... don't write letters right now .

A): I'm not.

M): Just remember that.

P): But I mean... Don't even write in your journal that has anything to do with...

M): Any of this.

P): Any of this.

M): You know. Don't write anything about what's going on. And they said, and definitely don't try to get a hold of ...

A): Raffaele.

M): And...

P): Or write.

M): Yeah, yeah.

A): 'cause they might, I might be like trying to fabricate something.

M): Exactly, exactly, they're gonna take anything you do that has to do with this, and try to twist it, 'cause they really don't have... anything.

A): Anything on me.

M): But...

P): Yeah, they, they did a ... they submitted some paperwork yesterday to appeal your being put in here... they're appealing your arrest.

M): Your arrest ...(inc.)

P): And so probably Wednesday or Thursday of next week we'll know ...

M): The date.

P): What the date of the actual hearing which is another probably... I would say another 5 to 7 days after that.

A): Ok.

M): And they're hoping ...(inc. – rumori) at that hearing that they're gonna ask for you to have home arrest, so you might... they 're hoping to be able to get you out of here, as long as nothing, you know, horrible comes up, and like for instance if we aren't for sure about the knife because they found supposedly a steak knife a knife in your house that both had your and Meredith's DNA on it, not blood, but just your DNA, well duh...you lived in the house together your DNA is gonna be all over... (inc.).

A): When the news came out the cop was umm... the main guy he like showed me this article and he was like: how do you feel about this? It shows that it has your fingerprints

on this knife and Meredith's DNA on the blade and I was like ok, I don't really understand that umm... alright.

P: That's enough now. No comment.

M): Who was that guy?

P): Just say I have no comment.

A): He's, he's this guy who's like: I'm like your dad.

M): But he's the one that's... What's his name? He asked you the weird question.

A): Yeah, he asked me the weird question... umm... He... I don't know his name. He says they call him like the Vice Captain.

M): The Vice -Captain?

A): Like the Vice-President, kind of guy or...

M): You hear his name?

A): Umm... My room-mate keeps telling me, but I keep forgetting. It's like Alberto or something.

M): Ok.

P): Ok, so the Vice-Captain or Vice ...(Inc) .

M): Don't talk to him about anything.

A): Ok.

P): Don't talk to anybody about your case; period.

M): Does he want to ask you questions about your case?

A): Uh, no, he says that if you... if I remember anything I can tell him about it, and I said: I already said everything that I know, so....

P): ...(Inc).

M): No, no, you don't tell him, you tell your lawyers if there's anything else that comes up, so...

A): And like I'm in my room, my room-mate wants to talk to me about it. She's like, well, there's certain things that you just can't make mistakes on and you... are you sure you don't want another lawyer? And I'm like Dude, I like my lawyer, leave me alone.

M): Yeah...

P): ... (inc.).

M): Yeah don't let them freak you out, 'cause they're... that's what they're trying to do.

P): The lawyers(inc.), the lawyers say "stay calm, stay calm", but whatever you...

A): Stay calm chill out whatever.

P): Seriously , whatever you see on TV and stuff like that, it's all a fabrication because they don't have anything.

A): So the police are telling like journalists that they have stuff?

M): Yeah, oh yeah.

P): They're leaking information because I mean it's even umm... I think it was the BBC the, the one that's the I guess, the real versus kind of the Enquirer version of these things umm... the BBC is starting to write bad articles about the Italian press and the Italian police.

M): The police... And how they're...

P): because they're just trying to run the trial in the press versus the trial in the courtroom

A): yeah, this is ridiculous.

M): Right, and that's what kind of the whole world is now saying this is ridiculous, what kind of a, what kind of a...(inc.) they bringing anything.

A): Yeah, so...

P): It's just a matter, it's just a matter of time before you know we get you out of here...

(inc.) starts...

M): Yeah, but you gotta stay calm. You can't get sick. You can't... Did you get the shampoo and stuff?

A): Yeah, shampoo, I have a comb. I have cookies to eat for breakfast, umm... my room-mate keeps saying you need to eat all your cookies and she keeps wanting me to eat, and I'm like Dude, I get a stomach ache if I eat. I don't want to eat. And I do eat.

M): Well, I know. I understand ' cause I get a stomach ache, too.

A): Like she keeps wanting me to eat more. And everyone's like eat, eat, eat.

M): mhmmm... are you still going outside at all, or... (inc.) at the time, it's so cold now...

A): Well, that's the thing. I was outside. I was freezing my ass off and I think that's why

I got a little bit...

M) Yeah...

A): 'cause when I came back in I started getting...

M) Do you have a coat? A coat?

A): No, I have fleece things that I wear. They took my coat away from me 'cause it had a zipper.

M): ok.

A): And umm... it's not even my coat, it's Raffaele's coat. Umm... Yeah, they took my umm... it was weird, 'cause one of the cops seemed really chill, like he didn't really talk tome, or anything but when I left they said "in bocca al lupo!" and I just like: "see you later". But the other guy...

P): What's "in bocca del lupo"?

A): Good luck.

M): So why were they umm...

A): In the mouth of the wolf. It's their way of saying "good luck".

P): Ok.

M): Why were they talking to you?

A) They were taking my bag Umm...

M): Ok.

A): And I had to be here to um... watch them look at my bag.

M): What's in your bag?

A): My....

P): Schoolbooks?

A): My schoolbooks, my wallet, my umm... drops for my throat, 'cause I was sick when all this was going on... umm... pretty much nothing else. They took my wallet, they took... they left my schoolbooks although they haven't given me my schoolbooks yet. (inc.).

P): I... I think the lawyers said they're going to hang onto your schoolbooks, 'cause they have to examine them.

A): Ah, yes...

M): There might be something important in your schoolbooks, like the fact you're studying Italian, or German

(Amanda ride).

M): I think... nobody really thinks you know... they may just be shows about they have all this stuff and now ...(inc.).

P): Well, part of it has to do with the fact that there's a loon out there and they're trying to well...

A); Yeah, whoever did this...

P): You know what they're trying to do is... they're trying to kind of say... save the town's image you know, as far as, uh...

A): It would save the town's image if they caught the real murderer.

P): Yeah, correct.

A): They were so excited when I umm... like... when... everyone was just like jumping for you, kissing each other when like I was like telling them I don't know, I'm like not sure, and they're like no, no, no, no... (inc.)

M): Oh, yeah.

A): Just go with it .

M): They feel like... your lawyers feel like they can fight that pretty easily.

A): Yeah, yeah, yeah. That's no big deal. I didn't have a lawyer there, they kept yelling at me and hitting me.

M) Yeah, yeah.

A) And stuff, okay... yeah... thank you because

M): 'cause if you were naive... Did you ask for lawyer, ever, in all of this?

A): No, because I didn't know, I didn't know I was a suspect, they were just asking me questions and I was like okay, well here's the answer to the question and they were like "no, you're a stupid liar, and I was like what..."

M): That was probably the part where you should've asked for a lawyer.

A): I was like uh... and then they were like... one lady said Umm... Do you want a lawyer here right now, and I was like well yeah, and she was like 'well, it just makes it a lot harder for you to have a lawyer here, and I was like ok.

M): So you did? Did you tell your lawyers that? That they asked you and you asked for a lawyer?

A): Yeah, I told them ...(inc.)

M): Ok, good.

P): So did you talk to... let me see, today's Saturday, right?

M): Yeah, so tomorrow 's probably gonna be tough, right?

A): Tomorrow's ...(inc.)is suck, Sunday suck.

M): Ok, Monday. Though ... umm...

P): And Luciano's coming this evening.

M): On Monday ... (inc.) your lawyer will be here on Tuesday, your other lawyer will be here on ...(inc.).

A): And when are you gonna be back?

M): In probably about 2 weeks.

A): Ok.

M): Deanna's having kind of a tough time, her surgery was umm... pretty...

A): nasty.

M): Yeah, nasty.

A): They didn't have ice-cream for her?

M): Well, you can't have ice-cream

A): Why not?

M): Well, because...

A): They give you ice-cream all the time.

M): No, "popsicles", but no milk products.

A): Ah, ok.

P): Right, right, exactly.

A): Ohh... ok So I may have...

M): And I guess Chris said that the tonsils were tangerine-sized.

A): Eww!

M): ...(inc) and she's had these massive craters so...

A): Oh, nasty!

M): So I'm gonna go home and take care of her, take care of Deanna, get everything in order, and then be back, and hopefully by then, umm... we'll hear, you'll may by then have had your hearing and be out, or... close to it.

P): Yeah, ...(inc).

A): 'cause I really like you guys being here It keeps me... I like look forward to... I try to sleep through ...(inc) talk to somebody ...(inc). I talk to you guys and I wanna talk to my lawyers all the time... I just like chill out and listen to my room-mate complain about stuff... she complains all the time

P): Can you ...uh... Can you have an i-pod in here?

A): An i-pod, I don't know.

P): 'cause I've got my i-pod.

A): That would be swell!

P): and stuff like that.

M): Oh, we'll have to ask about that. (inc).

A): Because if I could listen to music that would make my life... like... I turn on MTV and you have the same songs over and over, but it like makes me feel better, 'cause it's not like the news, saying that I have a knife, and I kill...(inc), ok?

P): Yeah, well we ... uh... 'cause I can bring mine and I can bring some...(inc)

A): Yes, I have all my... I actually have been thinking about that 'cause I have like... what I do... what makes me feel better the most is when I get to go outside and what I do when I'm outside is I skip around the square, which is not very big, and I sing at the top of my lungs, I just scream insanely ...(inc) because I'm sick and tired of being stuck in here.

P): They said you're getting a sun-tan here.

A): I'm getting a sun-tan?

P): Yes, yes ...(inc).

M): ...(Inc) tanned?

A): I keep asking to go in to the sun, because like I'm stuck in my room where there's just artificial lighting all the time, so like, when I'm in the sun... I'm... yeah, like when the sun's out and I'm tired from like running around I'll just go like this leaning against the wall and have the sun on me ...(inc.)

P): I was gonna say that you're suntanned according to the other people... (inc).

A): I'm sun-tanned.

P): Yeah, so your hands are getting sun-tanned and your face is getting...

M): They're literally, you know, waiting for any tid-bit.

A): My hands are so sweaty.

M): Yeah, I know... you're ...(inc.).

P): Your... (inc.) are starting to sweat too.

A): Yeah, I don't know why.

P): It sounds like you're snorting a little sounds like you better uh... talk to the doc.

A): Yeah...

M): Tell them you don't feel good ...(inc.).

P): ... get to... uh... actually uh... if this weren't going on they'd be pretty nice people.

A): (ride) Cool.

P): We've got a what do you-call-it a 2 loft, 1 bedroom, 1 loft, uh...

M): Apartment.

P): So you'd be... on the very top level is like your queen-sized bed.

M): A double-loft. Well, I have... I have.

P): She has like this loft, because she's leaving tomorrow and then I've got the top and then there's like a little sitting area that has a couch and two chairs and a big table.

A): Do you have a TV?

M): Well that's just in the... the master bedroom area... (inc.).

A): That's just the master bedroom area? Good lord!

P): And... upstairs and then there's a ... and you go into this loft area where she is where there's a single bed.

M): That's 1 so that's 1 Yeah... so it's really 3 stores.

P): Like a mezzanine and then go down another set of stairs and then there's a bathroom it's a nice bathroom except I can't figure out... how to get the... no shower curtain... seriously it's, it's like... you walk in and there's this square thing... with a hole and then you have the rest of thing at least Edda's place had a curtain... (ridono) so... and then... and then the downstairs has a big fireplace, and then has a kitchen area.

A): And all of this is like your... part of this.

M): Yeah, it's ours, it's one of the 8... this is a massive villa.

P): It's one of those things where when you look up on the hill as you're driving up and they have lights floodlights flooding up the thing.

A): Wow...

P): It's uh...

M): It's grand, yeah.

P): Yeah. So we're trying to... we've got to figure out how long we can stay there.

M): How long we can stay there.

P): And if you can get arrest there, or if there's a home-arrest.

A): I also told the priest about... (inc.) talk to the journalist anymore, because apparently my... about how stop talking... I miss my...

M): (inc)... priests that they have.

A): I also told the priest... (inc.). They... they also said that umm... the journalists said that' in the interview with Raffaele he was like 'I never want to see Amanda again''.

P): No.

M): That's bullshit. Nobody's interviewed him. No. But I mean, Raffaele's lawyers are saying bad things about you, umm... you know, Raffaele's parents are not saying great things about you, because well...

A): I mean they're all trying to... they're scared for him. They kind of look at me as being the reason why he's in this whole mess which is like, kind of true, but at the same time, not, because it's like, I couldn't...

P): Like I said, don't listen to anything that's on TV.

M): If you overhear something, they're just making it up.

A): 'cause like I was gonna wait and talk to my um... yeah... when I was there I was like oh,, when they told me about the whole knife thing it was on Thursday, and I was like oh, my, my lawyer is gonna be here tomorrow ... (inc.) that's kind of interesting, like maybe you wanna talk to me about that.

P): and, well, that's, that's the thing, it's... uh... when's she's gone every day I'm gonna talk to the guy down in Rome, who... who actually speaks English.

M): Yeah, Carlo.

P): But... Carlo, and then Luciano, is obviously up here, but every day at 4:30 he'll give a call and get an update on what's going on, so that... you know...

M): But they wanted you to be aware that they're throwing all kinds of just...

A): Crap.

M): Lies.

P): All's it is, it's a game.

M): Yeah.

P): because they're playing it out in the press part right now. So don't listen to anything.

M): And we're then... then... their instructions to us are that we're not gonna play their game. We're not talking about it in the press, we make no statements, you know, if they ask me, I say: "Amanda's innocent", and that's it.

P): In fact, on the way in, all the press people were out there, so, so we walked up, it was kind of funny, we walked up, and there was like, I don't know, 5 or 6 people in line, and 2 or 3 of them came running out and started just... (rumore)

M): It's the Italian mob taking care of us. And they were shoving them, and they told us, they kicked them and yeah... they really...

P): And then another pair of uh... camera guys.

A): There were 3, those 2?

M): Yeah, they were waiting in line in front of the prison, we're tired of the camera people following us so they went out and were screaming at them, and pushing them, and telling them to go away.

A): Oh, sweet.

P): So, and then another camera guy came up and then they... a couple of them run out again and... (rumore) ...

M): And then they told us... in, you know, Italian... they go 'yeah! Ok. We might not make a good show in the press, because we're... (inc).

A): well, who cares? Like, honestly it doesn't matter. I was here with the... like when I was in my room I was just like completely upset about this police guy, and then I was like: wait a second, it doesn't matter what he thinks, it matters what the.. the judge says, and granted, he's gonna be talking bad about me to the judge, but there's nothing that he can do about it, 'cause I didn't kill my friend, so... screw him.

P): Yeah... well just make sure that you uh... just keep clam, don't write about it, another thing, too, is, uh... if your friends write you, you can write back, but don't mention...

A): Nothing about the...

P): Anything about the case, because whatever you write down...

M): They're gonna take it...

P): They're gonna make a photocopy of it, they're gonna retain it, they're gonna read it...

M) And they're gonna take a little bit out of it and say: "Ooh... look what she said!" So yeah... he actually said if you can for right now, try to avoid writing, but... yeah...

A): Yeah... I didn't write much yesterday, I was just like... I write... wrote a letter to D.J. in my diary, 'cause I'm not gonna send it to him or anything, but I was just like: I need you to hold me right now... like... have you talked to like... who... who of my friends are wanting...

M): A shit load of 'em. Chris... I don't know exactly all of 'em. Chris keeps asking me. He keeps hearing from all of 'em over there, they're pretty much leaving me alone ... (inc.) of course I don't have a lot of time. I just now figured out Internet Access, but I'll find out. Crap load of 'em...

A): If you can just like tell 'em like I'm thinking about then.

M): I know. I Know.

A): ... (inc.). Just like thinking about being with them when I'm over with this, makes me feel a lot better.

M): Ok... So we got a couple more weeks, probably of... crap... of lounging in the "Capanne spa".

P): Sun-tanning, sun-tanning.

A): Yes, I'll make sure to do that.

P):Next, uh... what is it... next Tuesday I will... uh... see you all brown.

A): Yeah... (inc.).

P): 'cause the best of it's ...(inc.) sweating...

A): Yeah, it's true, yesterday I asked for a hat, and they said: "no, no, you're allowed to ask tomorrow", and I was like okay, so I just tied a sweat shirt around my head, and my room-mate was laughing at me, 'cause she was like: "you look like an old woman and I was like I'm cold", so...

M): Can you have a hat? Or?...

A): Well, I asked them, when I first got here they took my hat, and it doesn't have like anything on it, it's just like a hat, like a cap, you know and like what you would snowboard with, you know, and they were like: no, no, you can't have a hat. And I just figured I couldn't, but then across the hall is a woman who is wearing the exact same thing, and I was like that doesn't make any sense.

M): So look in is it in the catalogue. Can you buy it, or...?

A): Umm... there aren't any clothes.

M): Ok. So maybe we'll try.

P): We'll try to bring a cap.

M): We'll bring a cap and try it, In your bag today you've got... umm...

P): 2 towels.

M): 2 towels... you wanted towels?

A): Yeah, and also... brought me a towel, too. So...

M): ... brought you a towel?

A): ...(inc.) “Do you need anything?” - and I was like uh: “No, that’s okay”, and my room-mate was like: “she needs a towel”... (inc.) my room-mate can tell you things that I need to get, and I’m just like: “I can sleep in my sweat shirt”, and she’s like: “no, you need 2 pajamas, and you need long sizes, and you need this and this and this...”

M): We brought you a couple of good short socks. You’ll have to give us more detail.

P): We can’t find the long size.

M): Ummm... you’ve got slippers. Hopefully they made it in this time... Ummm... some more underwear...I brought you...

P): Some of these little t-shirts.

A): cool.

M): Yeah, and I brought you...I had 2 just t-shirt a white one that I wore... just once and a brown one that was in my bag. They’re just light t-shirt. ...(inc.).

P): You stuck your sweater in there.

M): And I stuck a cable sweater, a kind of heavy sweater in there of mine Umm... So...

We tried to bring in a bar of chocolate, but I don't think they'll let that in. You can buy that, supposedly.

P): Yeah, everybody in the uh... the room that we were uh... everybody's writing down stuff.

A): Yeah.

P): And we didn't have the word for "chocolate" and so...

A): Cioccolato.

P): ...(inc.) rats...

A): That's okay.

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P): ... (inc.) make it either.

A): Yeah...

M): Gonna are be okay... It's bullshit.... (inc.)

A): I mean... I was talking to the guy, and he was like what do you think of this?! And I was like honestly that doesn't make any sense, because I never brought the knife from my house to Raffaele's place.

P): So, there, right there, that is... don't talk to him about the case. I mean, just don't, I mean just say... you know...

M): And then... does Raffaele always carry around a knife?

A): Yeah.

M): Yeah, ok.

A): I mean, D.J. did too.

M): Ok, and have you messed with Raffaele's knife ever?

A): No.

M): No, ok.

A): No reason to.

M): Ok.

P): Ok. So just don't talk to anybody about anything unless ummm...

M): What else? Oh... Christina, I talked to Christina this morning. Christina and Ryan were over. They were visiting Vienna and they said "Oh make sure to tell Amanda we love her" and...

A): Yeah, how's Ryan dealing with all of this? Like what does he think? Does he even know what's going on? Does Kyle know what's going on?

M): Yeah, yeah... they're you know they're worried...

A): I mean, like I would love to have someone with... like I know Ryan's old enough to really comprehend what's going on, but like does Kyle even like get it? What does Ashley and Billy think? Do they even know?

P): Ashley knows everything. And she's... reads the Internet, and then ...(inc.) has to tell her it's all bullshit...

M): Yeah, that's what we have to tell everybody.

P): ... (inc.) I think around 4 a.m. this morning Ashley texted me, and wanted me to hug you and kiss you for her... (ride).

A): Zoe doesn't know though.

P): Uh... she knows a lot more now. Originally, when everything kind of came out, we were kind of like, you know, just leave her aside and then when I came over, we had to kind of tell her, here's what's going on and stuff like that...

A): What do they think... I mean what do you all think about this?

M): They just feel horrible for you, and they want... everything cleared up.

P):...(inc.) bunch of idiots.

M) Yeah, really, they're going what kind of bullshit?

P): No, seriously, that's what it is.

M) Yeah, and even the... the press in the United States is starting to say things like...

P): Let's back-pedal.

M): Yeah... uh... yeah... and the story changes... yeah... every day.

A): Yeah, it's true, like at one point like I saw... like I was following this TV show that I saw, I saw on for a second, it was because I was curious, and .they kept showing me kissing Raffaele just over and over and over again, and I was like what are they trying to do... like... what's going on?

M) Yeah, yeah, so... Yeah, don't contact either of them, you know when this is all over we can, you know figure out. Something...

A): Is Patrick out?

M): I don't know.

P): No.

A): Ok, 'cause I thought...

P): I would say no, just because...

M): Yeah, nobody... everybody's been held until another hearing, I think, right?

P): Right, right, 'cause...

A): And they want me to just have like a meeting with me and Raffaele in the same room?

P): Who said that?

A): My umm... my lawyers...

M): No, no.

A): ... said that the lawyers of Raffaele want to get me in a room with him to talk to just me and him and the judge and then ours... ours respective...

M): No.

P): ok.

M): if your lawyers sa-... thought...

P): Make sure our lawyers said that.

M): Yeah, yeah, yeah.

A): Well like I was in the room with him, and he was like yeah, you probably don't want to do that, and I was like...

P): In the room with who?

A): With... so me and my lawyers, him and his lawyers, talking to the judge.

P): so both, so both Carlo and Luciano were with you?

A): No, umm... it was Carlo who was telling me this.

P): Oh.

M): So they wanna have you guys together?

A): Yeah.

M): Well, I mean, uh...

A): They wanna do a story, and I was like why...

M): Technically, if you guys revoke your alibis and if you guys go back to your original stories before they started beating you and doing that stuff, then you guys were at the house, and it's all good...

A): Yeah, yeah, it's... true...

P): Yeah.

A): Like I'm sorry I said something I didn't but you told me I was going to jail for 30 years and I had no idea what was going on.

M): Yeah, so I... we hadn't heard that from Carlo, but they may well try that. I mean it might not... if, if Raffaele tells the truth, then...

A): Yeah, that would be nice.

P): Everything is fine.

A): That would be nice. Like, why did you change in the first place, but, ok...

M): Well, probably the same reason you did, honey.

A): Yeah.

M): Well, but don't try to get a hold of anybody now just be... (inc.) right now just be... really careful about what you say or what you write...

A): Yeah, I kind of feel stupid right now, because like they asked me and I was like well I told like I uh... they were like well: what do you think about this and I was like well: I think the same things that I've been saying, that I was with Raffaele at my... at his house. And they were like: 'well, you're a liar', and I was like: "okay".

P): So just don't...

M): Don't say anything.

P): Don't say anything.

M): Ok, what do you think about this?

P): Don't even... don't even do anything, 'cause that's exactly what the play is it's... they're trying to... since you... they know you have TV in your rooms.

M): Yeah.

A): Yeah, They're saying: "are you watching TV ... (inc.) and I'm like not really... but I've seen...

P): Raffaele, and you and Patrick all have TVs, so what they're trying to do is they're putting things in there to try and get somebody to...

M): Crack, and do something... you know... say something else...

A): Who did it...(inc.) I just wish they would spend their time trying to find...

M): Whoever did it, did it. Yeah that would be nice.

A): 'Cause they do have other prints in the room. Like, the "avvocato" (inc...) umm... that's the word for lawyer. I ...

M): The lawyer.

A): I constantly think in Italian... Ummm... just 'cause like...

M): Avocado?

A): Avvocato. Yeah. It's not like avocado, you know, that's pretty much...

M): Amanda's lawyers are fruits.

A): That's true. Green.

P): Avocado is a vegetable, isn't it?

A): Nope.

P): It's a fruit?

A): It has a seed in it. So therefore it's a fruit. ...(inc.)

M): 'cause it grows on a tree...(inc).

P): I don't eat avocados.

M): Oh, it's so good, yeah...

A): Oh, and I keep thinking, like there are things that I keep thinking about, that I wanna do when I'm out, and like one of those things is eat a pizza before we leave, because pizza here is amazing. I don't know if you guys ever like had the pizza.

P): We tried... we tried one night, but it was, I mean... do you get the separate thin crust or do you get the...like the...

A): Thin crust.

P): Ok, ok, well the ones we got were like... American...

A): Oh no, you don't want... you want to go to like an actual place, like a pizzeria place, like, where it's like a sit-down place and the dining room is full and then you have like a zillion pizzas.

P): I can't read a thing on the menu.

A): Well, yeah, honestly, just like pick one and like that's what I want. It doesn't matter. And they're always frickin' delicious. Oh my god, it's so good. Like, They have amazing pizza, and I don't even like pizza in the United States, like I never eat it, just because it's so nasty, it's like greasy and disgusting. But here, it's... oh... So that, I want a cup of coffee. 'cause like, I'm here, and I make my coffee in the "moka" thing in the morning, but it's not like an espresso, 'cause I'm like addicted to espresso here.

P): Well, it's like me, I brought a Coca Cola yesterday.

A): Oh.

P): One of those big, tall, thing items or whatever, so I can drink Coke.

A): Yeah, yeah... That, and I wanna walk with you guys around before we leave like... I mean... what is gonna happen... well, that, but like what's gonna happen to my stuff?

M): Umm...

A): I still have stuff in my house.

P): We talked to them... we talked to them about that, and um the...

M): When the police...

P): The place is sealed.

M): And when they unseal it...

A): I... yeah... I can't get anything out of it right now, I know that, but what if I'm like released if they're still looking through the house, for my stuff, I mean we're gonna have to come back sometime and get my stuff.

M): Well, no, the American, the America Embassy said that if we're not here to get it when they unseal it, they'll box it and send it.

A): Well, ok. I mean it doesn't really matter, the kitchen stuff that I have I mean... I can just... (inc.). Although they do have amazing things here where you can cook espresso on the stove.

P): How do you cook espresso on the stove? Is that like the little pot that you had?

A): It's amazing. Yeah, it's um, like this little pot thing. I mean you can get it in various sizes, but it has like a little chamber on the bottom where it has the water.

M): Yeah.

A): And you put the caffè.

M): Yeah, yeah, yeah.

A): And it shoots it up. It's just like ah... like I was so excited when I found that. Like, umm... they made espresso in the morning, and I was like how did you do that? And they were like, It's... this thing, you don't have that? And I'm like no, that's amazing!

M): Yeah they had to show everybody how to use it, yeah.

A): Apparently Meredith, the first time that she used it, she killed it, because she forgot to put water on the bottom, so she just stuck it on the stove, without any water...

P): Oh, just fried the whole thing.

A): Yeah. She was like: "why is it taking so long?" I was like...(inc.).

M): Well, and her family now has come out with a statement about the fact that they're mad about the pictures that they keep, printing of Meredith, and they're mad that this is being played out in...

P): In the press.

M): This big circus, rather than where it needs to be so...

A): Yeah, that's good I thought they would be like really mad about me or something.

M): No.

A): 'cause they're printing such bad stuff about me...

M): No, no...

P): I say... I mean, it's all...

A): They printed... (inc.). bull.

M): Well, they printed bad stuff about Meredith too, at first.

A): Yeah, they were like yeah... she was a like a partier... (inc.) around like, no, that's not true, she went out with friends sometimes, and then came home and studied, like, she's a good girl. Like, honestly, like she's a great person.

M): So, they're ... I think they know that, you know what they print is bullshit, so...

P): Right, right.

M): That's what the lawyers... the main thing that the lawyers said. Stay calm. Ignore that shit. Don't talk to anybody. Don't write to anybody.

A): Yeah, I have umm... 12 fan letters... (inc.)

M): Good lord.

P): Fan letters?

A): From people... like, from guys that are incarcerated, from different places. They're just like... well, what they do is they're like... some of them are kind of weird, like some of them are like... uh... it's all in Italian, so I've been reading Italian, umm...which is good it's good for practice, but some of them, like most of them, are like: we understand exactly how you feel, well, but first they start off with "I'm one of your fans that are incarcerated, because I have apparently a ton of fans that are incarcerated.

M): Lovely.

A): And they're like I totally believe you, I understand exactly how you feel, all you have to do is have courage, like that's basically the same thing that I'm hearing all the time.

M): Yeah, yeah, yeah...

A): And these things, but then I get one of them that's like "You're really hot" (ridono) ... inc. I saw your picture on TV and you're really hot.

M): It's like, oh good...

A): I'm gonna send you a very like "un bacio sensuale", which is a very sexy kiss, is what he said.

M): (mormora).

A): I'm not writing back to them.

M): No.

A): Maybe I'll write back, like, thanks for the support, after I'm totally done with all this.

M): Yeah exactly.

A): I don't wanna do it right now.

M): No, don't write anything now. Don't write anything now.

M): Umm... Do you need pajamas?

A): Umm... eh...

M): Thick socks?

A): Thick socks would be good.

M): Ok... (inc.) They'll let me know where to get socks.

A): I mean, I don't' wanna like have you guys running around... (inc.).

M): No, no, I mean we don't have anything else to do, besides wait for the days to come
and... and visit.

P): Exactly, exactly.

A): And um... yeah, and just wait for you guys to visit, so it's like, oh, great.

M): And...

P): Thick socks, p.j.s.

M): Phone calls.

A): Phone calls.

M): You get one phone call a week.

A): Yeah...

M): And...

A): Oh, I was gonna say, I can write letters to you guys, if umm... like during the meantime... like... what's your address?

P): Uhh...

M): I don't know he'll have to get it for you. Although, be careful about write... yeah...

I guess you can write.

A): Just to be like: I'm bored. How are you? (ridono).

M): Umm... but you...

P): Why would you...?

M): You get a phone-call. A week you can ask for a phone-call, so we're setting it up.

And you can call the United States.

A): Call... they told me I only had 10 minute calls.

M): Yeah, 10 minute calls. But you get a 10 minute call once a week. So you could “Oma” you could call me while I’m there. And we’re working on getting that set up. So on days that you’re feeling low...

P): But it has to be to a land-line. It can’t be to a cell-phone.

A): Yeah, I’ll write it in a little being a prisoner pamphlet that the Consulate gave me (ride) Oh, that’s neat. That’s good to have.

M): We are getting it... so on those days... you know, that you’re feeling low, or whatever, ask to make..., I don’t know do you have to ask in advance, ask to make a phone- call? I don’t know haow I...

A): Yeah, I have to write a “domandina” which is a request, but like I don’t really know what that process is the “agenti”... the guards come and they uhmm: are just like: hey how are you doing? No, actually they ask me “ a posto” which means: “everything in place?”. And I’m usually I’m usually like I’ freezing my ass off. Ok.

M): Gloves?

A): Uhmm.

M): Can we bring you gloves or a hat?

P): No, no, what we can do... is they have those stocking gloves, I mean they look like a sock. They're kind of like knit gloves, rather than leather gloves or something like that.

M): So, a cap some warm socks, some warm pajamas of some type.

A): Yeah, nothing with buttons though, I hate sleeping in buttons.

M): ok.

P): So either that, or what we could do is get a really, I don't know, fluffy, is the right word, but a big, big sweatshirt, big sweatshirt and sweats or something like that... fluffy and then some thick socks.

A): Socks are the main thing, 'cause my feet are freezing all the time.

M): Ok, so we brought you more, but we'll look for thick socks.

P): ... inc. She didn't sleep night 1 with any socks on, I didn't night 1 with any socks on...

M): It's cold.

A): It's freezing.

P):... and night 2 we both, I think, put socks on and it was a lot warmer (ride).

A): Well, here, I mean it's freezing, they don't have heat, like these heaters don't do anything

M): Do you have uhmm... laundry facilities? They don't have a place for you to do laundry or did you figure that out?

A): Well technically they have a laundry facility, but it's just for your bed sheets.

Uhmm usually I have to do all my laundry in my bathroom or, technically I've been told that like... I've been told by my room mate, that I can give you...

M): Well, that's fine, we can, you know.

P): Yeah, we can do your laundry.

A): The dryers here suck.

M): We don't have a dryer. (ridono).

A): Well like if you go to a laundromat. There are dryers. Like, there's washing machines and there's dryers, but the dryers suck.

P): Really?

A): Oh, yeah, I can put it in twice at the highest level just to like get my jeans somewhat dry, and then I have to hang them up when I get home. Like, it's ridiculous...

P): We tried to find, uh... we tried to find ... a laundromat yesterday. We had see... we had uh... Eleonora.

M): Yeah.

P): Eleonora... who was at the house drove us around. Eleonora's at the villa. She lives in one of the apartments. So she drove us around, when we first got there on Wednesday. Told us where all these things were wrote them all down. So we found all of them.

M): But the laundromat.

P): But we couldn't find a laundromat, we couldn't find a laundry (ridono – rumori).

A): Laundromats are kind of hard to find, honestly, they are. The one I used... Yeah, the cop also asked me, "not the cop, but the captain here the "capo" ,uhmm... he asked me

if I had gone to a laundromat. with somebody in the morning and I... I was like, what?

What are you talking about... like what are these things that you're asking me about...?

P): Well, see what he's doing, is he's ... that's his way ...

M): Don't trust him.

P): Do no trust that guy. Don't trust him that guy. Don't trust anybody in here, because

what they are... for all you know your room-mate could be a plant.

M): Yeah.

P): You know... so just don't talk about .

A): I tell her I don't even want to... but she keeps going on and on about it and then I

just ignore her. Also, like I understand half of what she's saying anyway, because she

has like these mumble that she does where she just speaks really, really loud, she speaks

really, really quickly and then I'll look at her like "what?", and than she'll just say it

louder really, really fast and I'll look at her like: "don't yell at me" honestly like I'll just

want to sit there and mind my own business, and then she'll like bark at me about

something, and I'm like: "what's going on?"

M): Do you need deodorant and all of that?

A): I have deodorant, umm...

M): Ok.

A): I have powder...

M): ok. How long, how after can you shower?

A): I can shower whenever I want. I have a shower in...

P): Ok, so that's in your...

A): Yeah, I have like my own bathroom and umm shower that I share with her.

M): Wow.

A): Which is chill.

M): Yeah.

A): I thought that was pretty cool ummm... when I first got here, I was like "hey, that's not that bad".

P): Do you have a shower curtain?

A): Uhhh... no, there's like a close... there's a door that closes.

P): Oh,.

M): ok.

A): But it's clear... I mean they don't... they... I mean, I'm jail. They have like this little window where they can look in and watch me showering, if I want... if they wanted to. Just because they have to watch me all the time and make sure I don't try to kill myself.

P): Well, it's starting to get very, very crisp outside.

A): Yeah, it's...

P): It must be getting do they still separate you, from other people when you go out?

A): Yeah, I'm not allowed to talk with anyone else, I'm not allowed to be in areas with anybody else, and I don't even know why. Like I'm...

M): 'cause you're technically not convicted of anything.

A): Yeah.

M): They're just holding you.

A): Yeah, I think that's why, like that's... ummm... yeah, my room-mate was like "it's just 'cause you're American". And I was like: "no, I think it's because I'm not actually one of you", but I didn't really want to say that, so it's like...

M): Everybody else has been sentenced, you know, you're just being held, so...

P): Held.

A): It still sucks.

P): Yeah.

A): I just want to leave. It sucks so much, like I don't even know if you guys even understand how much it sucks in here.

M): Yeah.

P): We can probably imagine.

A): It's so not fair, is the problem. Like if I did something wrong it's like Ok, well I did something wrong, I mean I'm gonna upset that I got caught on something that I yeah... but like here, I didn't do anything, like I'm just here because somebody has nothing else to do, or they don't know anything, so that's why I'm here ...(inc).

P): Well, just hang on and know that uh... probably, maybe by Tuesday when I come visit, you know,... I'll have some... Luciano's gonna visit you on Monday, and I gonna visit you on Tuesday, Carlo and one of his associates is gonna visit you on...

A): Who his associate?

M): One of his...

P): One of his people that... who's been working on your defense, and stuff like that. So he's gonna visit you on Wednesday and then I'm ... uh... meeting with them... uh... no, on Wednesday, when they're done they may just drive over to where we are.

M): So maybe then by Thursday or something, we can... you can ask to make a phone call and then talk to...

P): Well, yeah, actually, yeah, do it... do it... Thursday.

M): Well, we need to get the Consulate has to let me know... did you get the e-mail that ...(inc) sent us?

P): Which one? It has like 4 different attachments?

M): The one... yeah...but uh... one is that you have to get... the, the number has to be verified by the Consulate, and so I e-mailed then back, and said “how do you get number verified? So I’m waiting to hear from him, he may have already e-mailed me, and then once we’ve got it set up.

M): You can at least maybe later in the week, you know, Thursday or Friday...

P): Either that or, I’ll , you know, I’ll be back here on Saturday, too, so, uh... I can tell you then what’s going on.

M): You can call anytime. Don’t worry about what day or time night it is... you know time of day or night it is...

P): Yeah, nine hours difference...

M): Yeah, well, hopefully we can see a light here, at the end of the tunnel.

A): Well, I mean, there’s going to be ‘cause like... I just have to wait for it. It’s just... ugggh...

P): Just wait, yeah... Well just look at it as a very tough uh... college class that you’ve got to get through.

A): College classes are not even remotely this hard. Like I would rather be in the...

P): Like I said, tough college class. (ride)

A): Like I would rather be in like the ending calculus class or like... than this

M): What are you reading that's cool?

A): Umm... right now I'm reading "fall On Your Knees", which is great, because it means Oprah's book club has infiltrated the prison of Italy, as well. It's what the Consulate gave me. It's a book that was in Oprah's book club.

M): Ok.

A): When I saw Oprah's Book club on the front... and I was just... I Chuckled to myself, when I saw that 'cause I was like 'Ita... she gets everywhere.

M): ... (inc) prison in Italia...

P): Infiltrated on Italian prison (ridono)

M): So if Oprah calls I'll have to tell her that, because everybody else has called.

A): Everybody else?

M): Oh, yeah, you know... Umm...

A: I want to know if I'll want talk with anybody after all this. I don't know like right now, I just want to get out That's all I can think of. But like... I... then I think about like something like... I think about what I'm gonna do when I get out, and I think I'm gonna have a pizza, I'm gonna have a coffee, I'm gonna be with my friends, I'm gonna be with the family. I keep thinking about what I'm gonna do when I finally do move back, 'cause I'm definitely gonna be with you guys, for example. I don't have a place to live, and like, I have no plans or anything, I wanna see if I can find a job again, so I guess I'll have time, I don't know when I'm gonna start school again, I don't know anything about that, but then I was like "wait a second, there are a lot of people who want to talk to me right now, what if I have to go on the "Today" show or something like that?"

M): Meredith Veira has called.

A): Who?

M): Meredith "the today show"... Veira.

A): Oh... great...

M): That... Our Meredith Veira... yeah... They all want to talk to you.

A): great. What am I gonna say?

M): They want to talk to me in the meantime, and I'm like "No, not until she's out of there"... (inc).

A): Yeah, I don't want to talk to anyone until I'm out.

P): Oh, there was uh... I saw a gal ... bringing in like cold cuts and cheese and stuff like that, in clear packets. Do you want me to bring any of that stuff for you?

A): Umm... that would be cool. Umm. I like... I mean, I had cheese the other day They brought in cheese for us, and...

P): What kind of cheese do you like?

A): It was Swiss cheese in general. Brie... Ummm...My favorite's like brie, Swiss and mozzarella. Umm... that's what I have at home. I just like brie, Swiss, and mozzarella.

P): Brie, Swiss and mozzarella. Do you like any cold cuts, any meats?

A): Um... I'm cutting back on the meats, actually, 'cause I'm gonna try to be a vegetarian when I get back in the U.S. ... ah, ah, ah...

P): Ok. So I'll bring you 3 uh... corn-on-the-cobs (ride).

A): Cheese... cheese is so good. But yeah...

P): So you just want some cheeses or something like that?

A): Yeah, that would be cool. You can try. I mean, they'll probably take it away.

P): Well, I... I'm not gonna...if it comes in a clear packet.

A): And they also said that it has to be in pieces.

M): Yeah. Why?

A): It can't be very big... (inc) stick something in the cheese.

M): So the slices like that pack...

A): Yeah, slices like that...

P): Ok. I'll see what I can find. So let me see, so we got socks probably sweatshirt,
sweatpants for p.j.s, and uh...

M): and a cap, we'll try to get a...

P): Yeah and tell us if your uh... slippers made it through, 'cause we don't... well
actually, we'll know when we walk out if they threw it out.

M): Yeah, if they didn't want...

A): They throw it out?

P): Well, no, they give it back to us...

M): They give it back to us...

A): I was gonna say...

P): Now did you get all the stuff that we gave you on... Tuesday?

A): Yeah. I got underwear and ummm... Yeah, I got the underwear And I got that umm... they gave them to me in a plastic bag. Umm... later on 'cause I was like the first time they gave it to me right then...

M): Yeah.

A): But .then I had to wait later on, so I was like why don't you guys give me my stuff?

It's ind of weird.

M): So do you have enough to read? Or should we bring...

A): Umm... it would be nice to have some more things to read, just because...

M): Ok. Like what?

A): I mean... I have ... I have enough Italian stuff here 'cause they have a library and every thing's in Italian, but it would be nice to have German stuff... I don't know if...
umm...

M): Ok. Which Harry Potter were you on in German?

A): Umm... I was on the ... 5th book.

M): So, how many books are there?

P): I think there's 4.

A): 7.

M): So, if we, if I get on Amazon.com in German and get you the 5th, 6th and 7th one in German, and have them sent...

A): Yeah...(inc).

P): 5th, 6th and 7th. Or...?

A): Whatever you want. Like I said, I don't care. I've read the first two already, so I mean... I don't really need to read that, those two, but like the 3rd, 4th, 5th etc...

M). Ok.

A): Umm... it would be cool actually to have the 4th one, 'cause I have the 4th in English.

M): Ok.

A): So I could, like, compare.

M): Ok. I can do that.

A): Ummm... 'cause that's just good in general for practicing German. Yeah... it was... it was sad, 'cause I couldn't talk to Oneil very well the last time I ever talked to him.

P): Who?

A): Oneil, my cousin in Germany.

M): Why?

A): He's his 3 years older than I am.

P): Oh, 3 years older.

A): 'cause I couldn't understand the words.

M): Oh.

A): ...(inc) I didn't know half the words that he was saying, I felt really bad, 'cause like I was able to talk with him when I was in Germany, it's just 'cause I think in Italian now. So it's...

M): ...(inc).

A): It's weird. 'cause like sometimes I'll be doing the English thing after I read an English book, but then umm... I talk always in Italian, and then... it's just... it's just weird, like my thoughts, right now. (ride)

M): It'll keep you busy if you're studying, you know, trying to keep all those...

A): Yeah, studying, reading, which is fine so...

P): Do you want any like... magazines, or anything like that, or just books?

A): Ummm... my room-mate thinks I'm crazy 'cause I don't really like magazines umm... I find them irritating. Honestly...

M): Did you get the little books, the little funny book?

A): Yeah, (...inc) that was actually really cool. My room-mate wanted to see it, but then she saw it was in English, and she was like, "Damn!" (Inc).

P): You can recite a poem... recite it for her.

A): Yeah, I was singing in my room, and she was like “what does it mean?” What does it mean?”. So I was singing it trying to sing it in Italian, so I was like singing “Hey... ah...” in Italian, it doesn’t really work out, though... ‘cause ...like...

M): Yeah...

P): ... (inc)... You have to have the... beat... or it’s kind of like the...

M): Me, watching Italian TV... and I’m watching...

P): Clint Eastwood. Clint Eastwood western, and he’s like... (imita suoni).

M): Yeah, there are a lot of movies like that.

P): Oh, and there was Sponge Bob square dancing... (inc).

A): Oh, I didn’t get to see Sponge Bob. I see the Simpson’s every day.

P): (inc). She had the Simpson’s on. Oh, you know the what’s that number book...?

That Sokuda?

M): Oh Sudoku.

A): I hate Sudoku.

M): Ok. Ok. That stuff takes my mind off... of...

A): You know... Mine is trying to get on MTV my room-mate hates MTV. Whenever she leaves to do her "passeggi", which is when she goes for a walk outside. I always click on MTV, and then she can't really change it, 'cause like, when she gets back, I'm like "alright, you can't change it, cause technically I'm the one watching TV first, so it's like, it's prison etiquette...

P):(inc) 99% possession (ridono).

A): Yeah, so, I try to get MTV, 'cause I need music, that's the only thing that really...

M): So, oh... we need to ask about ...

A): I-pod.

M): ... An I-pod.

P): Well, I was thinking about it, because the American I-Pod, the only way you can charge it...

M): Yeah...

P):... is to have the electronic conversion, then you have to plug the other thing in, then you have to plug the USV cable into it, and I'm gonna guess that they're gonna blow that one right out of the wall, 'cause... it's... I mean...

A): Although I am allowed to plug things in, like I'm allowed to use a hair-dryer, for instance. I have a plug in my room, They, they might... but... you can try.

M): We'll ask. We'll ask the lawyers, and we'll see (inc...) see if we can get you some music.

A): That would be fantastic, 'cause ...(inc).

P): The other way could be ... I could buy an I-pod and... (inc). load it...'cause I don't have i-tunes and I don't have any music.

A): Oh...(inc) your computer.

P): Well I have my lap-top, and stuff like that. So I'm just trying to figure out how to put that on there. Cause I've got all the music. I wonder if I could down-load what's on my I-pod into the computer, and then load it into...

A): Well do you have icons? (inc).

P): No, no, It's my work computer, and they blow all that stuff off, so I would have to try to download i-tunes, so...

A): Yeah, how's work going? Like, what are they... I mean you are gonna go and figure out your whole, whole work thing when you left there, but what are you gonna tell them?

M): Well...

A): My daughter's in an Italian prison?

M): Yeah, well, they all know, I Mean that's not...

A): Really?

M): I mean...

A): When I get back people are gonna be like...

M): Ywah, she's the one. Yeah, we already get that.

A): Oh, I don't want to be famous for this shit! Like, I don't want, like it doesn't really matter to me at all, and like... ughh...

M): Yeah, well, by the time you get back there it'll be uh...

P): It'll work out in the long sun.

A): Calmed down...

M): Yeah... calmed down

A): May be the University will be really nice to me.

M): Yeah, they have been so far.

A): Yeah?

P): Mmhmmm ... very nice.

A): It's nice to know that somebody doesn't look at me like a... murderer.

M): No, actually you're getting a ton, a ton of support in the States especially in Seattle,
so...

A): That's good.

M): People that know you, you know, people that don't know... these people are
making up stories, so... you know.

A): They ughh... they just want answers so they don't have to work anymore. That is such bull! I would never hurt anything. Like, I went, and I went to do umm... did I tell you about how I went to go do Ummm... kick-boxing with Raffaele once?

M): No.

A): Oh. He was kick-boxing, and I went with him once, to the uh... (inc) or whatever they were like "Oh come on, you should try it, you should try it and I was like "ok, but I don't really like punch, or anything, and then they were like "No, no, no, it's just like this, so I was learning how to punch, but then like the... the... stuff that...

P): The punching bag.

A): Yeah, I was punching the bag, but I was horrible at it, and the teacher come over and he was like: "alright how are you doing? How're you doing? And he was like "alright", punch me right here and I was like "ok", and he was like "no, but you gotta be angry, You gotta be like urr..." and I was just like "I wanna give you a hug. Are you serious?" And then the girls were like "how do you like it? Are you gonna come back?"

And I was like “You know, it’s cool watching you guys, but it’s really not my thing. I don’t see the fun of life... going like this...

P): There’s, there’s a gal that uh... work with me that does kick-boxing. She’s uh... she’s a black gal, and she’s probably as tall as I am, and she has lost probably a 100 lbs.

A): Good lord!

P): Uh... And she’s... she’s still a pretty big girl, I mean she’s like 170... 180 lbs.

A): Good Lord!

P): Yeah, I guess, I guess she was really big ...(inc). but she started... she started doing kick-boxing so now she walks in, she has her backpack in the morning, and she has her gloves hanging on the back of her thing, so she actually uh... she’s actually got to the stage where she’s now an instructor, at the place where she... uh she’s been going to for...

A): She is gonna like knock a person out. Good Lord!

P): Well,... that’s... that’s....

A): 170 lbs.

P): Well, that's that's that's that's the joke: don't mess with Christina. Her name's Christina Anderson, so they're, they're are all... (inc) I'll pass on...

M): You're cool...?

A): I felt better after I had my little cry, it's like that, was just like... that was the like worst thing, well it's not the worst thing, the worst thing that ever happened to me was when the police were yelling at me and hitting me and calling me a stupid liar.

That was like the worst phase of my life, 'cause I had no idea what to do.

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A): 'cause like you're calling me a liar, you're telling me I'm could go to prison for 30 years... (inc.).

M) And again, all that stuff they're still spouting bullshit, so as long as you know that, and as long as...

A): Yeah, and they said... I was like what?

M): And, and, then... then he careful again. Don't trust anybody in here.

P): 'cause they're all trying to...

A): Twist it

M): Get it out of you, and twist it, and yeah...

A): Even the priest?

M): Ummm...

A): Oh, the priest, like he asked me what I wanted to talk about, we talked about, just like... I think he's really just interested in converting me.

M): Yes' cause... converting you...

A): To the lord... he's interested in converting me. He gave me the "Convert's Bible", which is the um... the whole thing about Jesus according to Mark, apparently, like I read in the introduction this is the "Convert's Bible", and it's in... it's in like 5 different languages, and it's this little booklet, and like I read it, because like I respect him, and...

M): Yeah, yeah, yeah...

A): But, and he was like he's just really, really interested in like...

M): Did you tell him you went to a Jesuit high school?

A): Yeah, I told him about that, and then I told him I didn't really know much about like... the whole religion thing because I'm not religious, and he was like "Whoo..." in his head he's like umm.... "We'll see about that".

M): ... (inc.) you're his new project.

P): Well, actually, there was something said about that, that you're, you're, you're converting your religion.

M): Yeah.

A): What?

M): Oh yeah.

A): I told you they were making shit up.

P): They've got all kinds of crap out there.

A): Converting my religion, ok. Like. I... I definitely respect him, and I'll listen to him.

M): Yeah, absolutely. Talk to him.

A): And I tell him, like there are some things, I told him the last time I talked to him, I was like, I read it, I read it in Italian, I read it and I have a pile of shit underlined, I put

question marks and I put smiley faces, there are the things that I agree with, these are the things that I have questions about, 'cause I didn't want to say don't agree with.

M): Yeah.

A): 'cause it's like...

P): We should have smile faces or "X"s you know... frowns.

A): A real sad face.

P): Yeah...

A): Well, I don't want to...

M): Yeah...

A): I just put question marks by the stuff that I thought was like...

M): But... just don't, talk to him, you know... you can talk to him all you want, just

don't talk to him about this stuff, and especially that other guy too, the disturbed "Mr.

Dad", you know, don't talk to him about the case, 'cause he could just be...

A): Yeah.

M): Being nicey-nice to you. It's unfortunate, but right now you've got to trust like...
no one.

P): Yeah. He hasn't ... uh... pursued anything else, he hasn't asked you any stupid question, or anything like that?

A): No, he just showed me... that was just weird, like he showed me the article just because he wanted me to know and I was like, he was like, "what do you think about this?" And I was like...

P) No, I'm talking about the... the other question that he asked you... (inc).

A): No, although he kind of like hints, like he's given me these, I, I received a stack of ten letters in one time from all these...

M): Admirers.

A): Admirers in prison. And he just kind of like winked at me about it, and he was like: "Oh, you've got admirers" and I was like: "I don't care"... like... whatever...

P): Just be...

M): Be careful about him. And everybody.

A): Yeah.

M): In here. Until we get you out of here. You just gotta...

A): I mean it seems like the people who really are interested in helping me out are the ones who don't ask me questions, they just ask me! Are you ok?

M): Yeah.

A): Which is cool. Because as like the psychologists, like there are a bunch different psychologists that I talk to, who are just like "How're you doing?" And I'm like: "I'm umm... stuck in prison". And they're like: "well, we know that".

P): Set me free, and I'll be doing okay ...(inc).

A): Yeah, like relatively I'm okay. Chillin' out.

M) You're alive.

A): Yeah. I'm frickin' alive. Yeah, like that's the first thing that came into my head when I was talking...

M) Yeah, yeah, yeah...

A): Like, I was talking to Raffaele, and I was like, after the whole thing happened, I was like, if I wasn't with you, I could dead right now.

M): Yeah, you're alive.

A): 'cause I could've been at the house when this all happened.

M): And when I think we're going through all this stuff, I think about Meredith and her family, and I think ok, it could be worse, Amanda is alive, and people ... (inc).

M): You will get out of here, at some point in time, who knows how long that will be.

A): This sucks, like, my friend was murdered, and then I'm stuck in prison... (inc.) and I keep thinking.... This keeps getting worse and worse, but then again, it only can get so bad before it gets better.

M) Well, you're dead. I mean... that's as bad as it gets. I mean, you know...

A): Yeah, exactly.

M): This is as bad as it gets. It's just a matter of how long.

A): ... (inc).

P): And...(Inc)... how they're ... progressing..., progressing as far as getting you out.

A): Yeah, exactly.

P): You've got the "in" card, now we're playing your "out" card.

M): You're on the road to... yeah...

P): Yeah... (Inc).

A): I'm hoping that I'm gonna be able to be home for Christmas.

M): Yeah.

A): That's what I'm hoping. I don't know. In fact... like I...

P): I would say...

M): We're hoping to have you just out of here by Christmas, and if you're out of here, then I'll be here, and I'll just stay here through Christmas.

A): That sucks, man.

M): Why?

A): Because, I mean it's the family, it's gonna be like chillin' out... It'll be like the most Christmas ever... like worse than...

P): You gonna be a red-button farmer on Christmas?

M): No, no... (inc.) Well, no it won't. I think, I Think... when I come back, umm. Chris may come with me, so that I'm not here... alone, so...

A): Oh, have they already... when is Thanksgiving?

M): Mmm...

P): Today is the 17th, and Thanksgiving is the 22nd, ...

M): So this week.

P) So it's gonna be...

M): So we'll have to see if you can call on Thursday or something, and call Oma's house, maybe I'll have to find out where we're at, and then umm... you can call.

P): It doesn't matter... it doesn't matter where you're at...(inc.).

M): For 10 minutes that's okay, it's 10 minutes, isn't it? You know...

A): It's family...

P): Now, do they... uh... do they have uh... do Thanksgiving over here?

A): No, I tried to explain to my room-mates, like when I first got here, and I was like.

“Ok... we're gonna do...?”

P): They ... (inc.) like 5 minutes.

A): No, they just don't even do it. Like, it's just like Halloween, they just do it like at clubs, where they use Halloween as like an excuse to like "festeggiare".

M): 'cause Meredith did something on... yeah...

A): Yeah... she went to a Halloween party. And plus, it's like... it's a university town, so a bunch of like "Stranieri" or... foreigners... who... who are getting kind of like to celebrate Halloween 'cause there are a bunch of Americans here. Obviously, like, Halloween's crazy in the U.S. Like I try to explain to my room-mates what people are doing. Like just the whole university scene, like for Halloween is insane. It's like a week of everyone going nuts. Like, it's really fun. But at the same time it's like "Whoa!" And I mean, there are different things that you can do, I mean, people actually go trick-or-treating to all the frat houses, and they get booze.

A): And they're like, "here's a free drink".

P): Here's a can of Budweiser.

A): Exactly, that's what D.J. did one time.

P): Gave out a can of Budweiser? Or...

A): No, no, no. He went truck-or-treating with friends, yeah and then he showed up later at my party, that umm... I had at my house. So it was a Halloween party. That was, yeah, that was fun. That was really fun. Umm...

P): The one where you got the ticket?

A): Yeah... No, no, that was a different one...

M): Yeah, they're asking us about that. They're you know trying to ask, like...

A): You know, what was going on when the police came like I was in Stephany's room consoling her because she was horrendously drunk and she just broke up with her boyfriend after a year or something, so she was just hardly inconsolable and was screaming for Ben, who was her ex boyfriend. I was in the room trying to comfort her...

M): Yeah...I explained to the lawyers...

A): She was inconsolable, and I was the only one in the house who was so... (inc.) because had been there for hours...

M): Uhmm, uhmm...

A): They told ... (inc.) me to talk to the police...

M): Uhhh...

P): Did you get the ticket?

A): Yeah. (ridono). I got a ticket. I was being responsible...

M): Ok, yeah, they asked me, the person...I mean, the media asked me: "what is this about 200,95 dollars", and I said: she was having a party because they were all going their way at the party...

A): Ok, yeah...

M): ... (inc.) and they got a noise violation, because they were too loud and I said ... yeah... (sbuffa).

A): Yeah, I told them about that because... (inc.) I guessed they would...(inc.)

M): Yeah. (ridono).

A): Yeah... because what was happening was... Kiur (fonetico), the other girl who was at the party, so me and Stephanie and Kiur (fonetico) were at the party. Kiur (fonetico)

was downstairs with Kyle doing what they were doing, Stephanie was in her room crying, keeping in her room for a while.

M): Crying.

A): Yeah, I was the only one who was available so, I was the one who went outside when these people where trying to talk to the police for me... and I said no, no, I was like, do listen to me: mhmmm my house... get them inside and shut up and they said: who are these people that you told to shut; and I was like: they are friends of my friend who is here... and I was like: they are friends of my room-mate who she invited, yeah, I don't know them personally but she is kind of being... Uhhh..., she is kind of indisposed at the moment...

P):... indisposed... She had this stomach flue.

A): Yeah, 'cause was... (ridono). Yeah... I think we had to remain quiet after that... (inc). We had... people leave, and... I told them they have to leave... (inc.) it's at the time a house. And the police are giving me a ticket like I... (inc.) when I'm going back in the place I said: every one was like: fuck! Out of my house. (ridono)...(inc.) My

friends stayed a little while, like my friends helping me to get ... outside..., and to make sure, I had like set up place downstairs for people who are too drunk to drive home...

So I had that...

P): (inc.)?

A): Yeah exactly.

P): (inc.). (ridono).

A): Yeah, quite drunk... (ridono).

P): Ah, ah, ah.

A): ... you would probably make this situation worse than the cops ...(inc.)

M): Are you allowed, if you have questions, to call your lawyer, or is that part of your ten minutes?

A): They said, yes, is my ten minute call, but I mean I'm allowed like... personal emergencies... I'm allowed to make a call if I have to solve ... (inc).

M): Mhmm...

A): And...

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M): All right.

A): I will see you on Tuesday.

P): Yeah.

M): ... (inc.) quickly one hour goes...

A): ... (inc.)

M): Allright... I'll make sure all arrangements to call... once a week, ok? I love you!

A): I love you too. Ok, see you in two weeks.

M): Ok, all-right.

A): Andiamo.

P): Bye-bye Amanda.

(A questo punto Amanda Knox viene fatta uscire dalla stanza dei colloqui. La conversazione termina con la successiva uscita dei genitori dalla stanza stessa).

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