

EPISODE 107
"THE FIRE"

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EXT. SUNNY'S - MORNING

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Establishing shot of Sunny's.

INT. SUNNY'S - MORNING

CLAUDIA greets a REGULAR CUSTOMER.

CLAUDIA
Morning!

REGULAR CUSTOMER (SALLY)
Not until I have a tan and a
coffee.

Claudia laughs.

CLAUDIA
I saved 'Bed D' for you, Sally.

REGULAR CUSTOMER (SALLY)
Thank you!

INT. SUNNY'S - HALLWAY - MORNING

Regular Customer heads down the hallway.

INT. SUNNY'S - BED D - MORNING

Regular Customer looks up and notices--

A FIRE IN THE CEILING.

Regular Customer runs out.

INT. SUNNY'S - FRONT COUNTER - MORNING

REGULAR CUSTOMER (SALLY)
There's a fire in the ceiling.

CLAUDIA
(shocked)
WHAT?

Claudia pushes the FIRE PANIC button.

INT. SUNNY'S - HALLWAY - MORNING

Claudia pounds on the doors of EACH ROOM.

CLAUDIA
FIRE! GET OUT!

Claudia continues banging on doors.

CLAUDIA (CONT'D)
FIRE! EVERYONE OUT!

Claudia checks the rest of the rooms as Customers flee to safety.

INT. SUNNY'S - FRONT COUNTER - MORNING

Claudia grabs the BOX of CUSTOMER CARDS and exits.

EXT. SUNNY'S - MORNING

Sunny's is on fire.

WEE-WOO.

A FIRETRUCK shows up and gets into action.

MARY pulls up and evaluates the situation-

MARY
(to Claudia)
Did everyone get out?

CLAUDIA
Yes.

MARY
That's all that matters.

Claudia pulls out a BOX of CUSTOMER CARDS.

CLAUDIA
I managed to save the customer
cards.

Mary exhales.

MARY
Thank you. Maybe we won't go out of
business.

Mary watches the fire.

A FIREFIGHTER comes out-

FIREFIGHTER
We got it out.

Mary looks surprised.

FIREFIGHTER (CONT'D)
Looks like it was a box fan in the
ceiling.

MARY
Oh?!

FIREFIGHTER
You want to take a look?

INT. SUNNY'S - DAY

SMOKE RISES.

WALLS COVERED IN SOOT.

WATER TRICKLES DOWN FROM THE SPRINKLERS.

FIREFIGHTER
It's mostly water damage.

MARY
Well... that's... something.

FIREFIGHTER
Count your blessings. It could've
been worse... a lot worse.

Mary nods.

FIREFIGHTERS head out.

INSERT - BLACK CARD

SUPER: "THE NEXT DAY"

EXT. TROPI-TAN - DAY

(or Pleasant Tan?)

A SIGN hangs in the window, it reads: "FIRE SALE!"

INT. TROP-TAN - DAY

Mom walks in and talks to the owner, Kevin.

MARY

Hi, Kevin.

KEVIN

Hi Mary, how are you?

MARY

Not too great.

KEVIN

I'm sorry to hear about your business.

MARY

Are you?

KEVIN

What do you mean?

MARY

I've seen the Fire Sale sign you have hanging in your window. Do you think it's funny?

SILENCE.

MARY (CONT'D)

You know, if things were reversed, not only would I offer my condolences, but I'd also make sure your staff and customers are taken care of.

Kevin nods.

KEVIN

Mary, I'm Sor-

MARY

That's all.

Mary walks away.

Kevin takes down the sign.

EXT. SUNNY'S - DAY

Mary stands in front of a dilapidated Sunny's.

Nikki and Amanda move in.

NIKKI
Don't worry, Mom.

AMANDA
Yeah, Mom. We can always rebuild
it.

Mary sheds a tear.

MARY
Thanks, girls.

The trio hugs.

FADE TO BLACK.

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