

Walking by Faith

The Allegory of the Cave

Captive then set free...

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THE ALLEGORY OF THE CAVE

CHARACTERS:

ALECIA:LEDDIE

KEMBER:MOLLIE

PAULA:CUP CAKE

ROXY:ZELDA

TARAH:QUEEN

Q:POOCHIE

PLOT: IN 1983, THREE FIVE YEAR OLD FEMALES DISAPPEARED FROM THE GAINESVILLE MALL. THE TRIO HAD BEEN MISSING FOR 24 YEARS. IN 2007, AT THE AGE OF 29, THEY WERE FOUND IN THE MOUNTAINS, ROAMING THE MOUNTAIN TOPS DIRTY, HUNGRY AND LOST...

ACT I: SCENE I

FEMALE 1; (SHE BEGINS SINGING) THIS IS THE SONG THAT NEVER ENDS.....

FEMALE 2; OH MY GOSH ____!!! COULD YOU SING ANOTHER SONG FOR ONCE?????

FEMALE 3: WHAT DO YOU EXPECT ___? WHAT ELSE DOES SHE HAVE TO DO BUT STARE AT A WALL?

FEMALE 1: I BEG TO DIFFER... I SEE A WALL COVERED IN COTTON CANDY!!! BLUE AND PINK YUMMY GOODNESS!!!

FEMALE 2: YOU HAVE LOST YOUR MIND!

FEMALE 3: I SEE IT!!! THERE IS POPCORN SHOOTING FROM THE SKY!!! OPEN UP AND SAY AH!

FEMALE 1: OH BOY!!! THAT IS SOOOO GOOD! WAIT! I THINK I SEE A MONKEY PLAYING THE DRUMS..... BOOM BOOM BA BOOM.

FEMALE 3: THE ELEPHANT IS DANCING TO THE BEAT!

FEMALE 1: OH I LOVE THE CIRCUS! CAN'T YOU FEEL THE EXCITEMENT ___? JUST USE YOUR IMAGINATION..... MOM ALWAYS TOLD ME THAT IF YOU ARE EVER BORED OR STUCK IN A RUT, JUST USE YOUR IMAGINATION.

FEMALE 2: I AM HUNGRY, TIRED, MY LEGS HURT AND I HAVE A BIG TUMMY ACHE!!! I CAN'T SEE HOW HAVING FUN OR PLAYING GAMES WILL HELP ____.

FEMALE 1: WE JUST HAVE TO GET THROUGH A LITTLE WHILE LONGER.
THE PLAN WILL WORK... IT HAS TO!!!

FEMALE 2: IT IS WORTH TRYING. I WANT OUT OF HERE...

FEMALE 3: WHAT IF HE KNOWS WHAT WE ARE DOING? WHAT IF WE CAN'T
TRICK HIM?

FEMALE 2: HE WON'T. HE DOESN'T EVEN THINK WE KNOW ANYTHING... HE
THINK WE ARE DUMB.

FEMALE 1: SHHH.... DO YOU HEAR THAT?

FEMALE 2: THE CAR IS HERE AGAIN... WHAT DO WE DO?

FEMALE 3: I AM GONNA PLAY LIKE I AM ASLEEP AGAIN... SEE IF HE
CHECKS MY NECK AND ARMS AGAIN...

FEMALE 1: SHHH...

*THEIR CAPTURE ENTERS THE CAVE, UNLOCKS THE RESTRAINTS, THEN
LEAVES...

*ALL THREE GIRLS STAND STARRING IN SILENT SHOCK... NOT MOVING AN
INCH..

FEMALE 3: I AM GOING TO LOOK TO SEE IF HE IS OUT THERE.

FEMALE 2: NO! WHAT IF HE IS WAITING FOR YOU OUTSIDE?

FEMALE 3: I DON'T CARE.. I AM GOING...

*AFTER SEVERAL ATTEMPTS, SHE STEPS OUT OF HER UNSECURED
RESTRAINTS, STUMBLES TO THE DOOR AND PEERS OUTSIDE.

* THE OTHER TWO REMAIN UNMOVED, SCARED TO EVEN TURN AROUND.

FEMALE 3: OH MY GOSH!!! IT IS SO WARM OUT HERE, COME AND SEE...

*SHE COMES BACK IN.. ATTEMPTING TO TALK THE GIRLS IN TO COMING OUT...

FEMALE 3: IT IS SAFE OUT HERE... COME ON... LET'S GO!!!

*FEMALE 2 SLOWLY TURNS... STILL NOT SURE IF IT IS A TRAP.

*FEMALE 1 STEPS OUT OF HER SHACKLES AND FALLS TO HER KNEES. CRAWLING, SHE BEGS FEMALE 2 TO FOLLOW.

*TOGETHER THEY STAND IN FRONT OF THE CAVE OPENING... IN AWE OF THE SIGHT.

FEMALE 3: WHICH WAY DO WE GO?

*THEY ALL LOOK AROUND... TRYING TO FIGURE OUT THE WAY TO GO.

*THEN... A NOISE FROM BEHIND SCARES THEM!!!

HIKER 1: HELLO! WHO IS THERE?

*THEY HIDE BEHIND A CLUSTER OF TREES.

FEMALE 2: QUICK... RUN... OVER HERE!!!

*THEY HIDE IN THE BUSHES AMONG THE TREES UNTIL THE HIKERS LEAVE.

FEMALE 3: WHERE DID THEY GO? ARE THEY GONE?

*THE THREE OF THEM START WALKING, GOING THE OPPOSITE WAY OF THE HIKERS.

*THEY COME TO A RIVER... LOOKING AROUND, THEY SEE NO HOUSES.

FEMALE 1: DO YOU SEE OUR HOUSE, OR ANYBODY'S HOUSE?

FEMALE 2: NO. WHICH WAY DO WE GO?

FEMALE 3: LET'S TRY GOING THIS WAY...

*THEY ALL BEGIN WALKING TOWARDS A CLEARING. A RUSH OF WATER CAN BE HEARD.

FEMALE 2: WHAT IS THAT NOISE? IS IT A TRAIN? MAYBE IT CAN TAKE US HOME, I MISS MY MOMMY!!!

FEMALE 1: LET'S GO!!!

*THEY DISCOVER A RIVER. LOOKING AROUND, THEY GET CLOSER.

FEMALE 3: I DON'T KNOW HOW TO SWIM. MY DADDY SAID HE WOULD TEACH ME AND NEVER DID.

FEMALE 2: