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EVERYONE exits. SOPHIE rushes on.

SOPHIE

Sky!

SKY

(Turning away)

It's bad luck to see each other.

SOPHIE

It's all gone wrong anyway - Sky, look - you've got to help me.

SKY

Why, what's happened?

SOPHIE

It's a mess and it's all my fault—I know I shouldn't have but I read Mom's diary. I've got three possible Dads.

SKY

Oh my god!

SOPHIE

I invited them to the wedding. I thought I'd know who my father was as soon as I saw him, but I didn't, and now all three think they're my Dad and they're all expecting to give me away.

SKY

Wait a minute - go back a bit - you did what?

SOPHIE

I invited my Dads to our wedding. It was three months ago, I wasn't even sure they'd come.

SKY

Three months?

SOPHIE

You've got to help me.

SKY

Why didn't you tell me?

SOPHIE

I knew you wouldn't like it.

SKY

I thought we talked about everything, I thought we had trust, but you went behind my back for some stranger...

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SOPHIE

No, it wasn't like that.

SKY

Is this what this big white wedding's for? A set-up so you can find your Dad?

SOPHIE

No-it's not that at all-

SKY

I wanted to take a boat to the mainland and just get married with a couple of witnesses, but you insisted on this fantasy wedding so you could play 'Happy Families' —

SOPHIE

-it's knowing who I am-I want to get married knowing who I am.

During the following dialogue SAM enters, unseen, and overhears -

SKY

Well, that doesn't come from knowing who your Dad is Sophie. That comes from you. How would you feel if I lied to you? I was marrying you because I loved you and I thought it was what you wanted. But I just don't know any more.

SOPHIE

You don't know if you love me?

SKY

I don't know if it's what you really want:

SAM continues his entrance. He stops, pretending to see them for the first time.

SAM

Sorry-I'm interrupting...

SKY

(Stepping away from SOPHIE)

No.

(To Sophie)

Listen, you think about it.

SKY exits. SOPHIE stares, then starts to follow -

SOPHIE

No, Sky-wait-

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