

EXT. ANKGOR WAT TEMPLE - DAY **Nellie - Scene 1 - Start** ←

They walk through the temple. She reflects in the water.

NELLIE

Do you believe there's something else. After this.

BEN

I don't know.

NELLIE

What do you think happens?

BEN

I once heard you live 10,000 lives, and then you transcend. Apparently you have to figure out the whole human thing before you can do the god thing. Apparently it takes a while.

NELLIE

What if one of them ends early? Does it still count?

He looks at her a moment.

BEN

What happened to her?

She looks off.

NELLIE

At first I thought she was on a trip. I kept expecting an email. Maybe a postcard. Then my dad finally sat me down, told me not to be sad. But I wasn't. I was angry. I was angry he'd waited. I was angry he told me at all. I was angry at her. I didn't understand how she could be so selfish. To think her life only mattered to her and no one else.

BEN

I'm so sorry.

NELLIE

But mostly I was angry at myself. She didn't want me. She was young, there was so much she still wanted to do.

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NELLIE (CONT'D)

She was still finding herself. And she never got to because I was born. I can't imagine doing that to someone, making them give up their life for you.

BEN

Isn't that what love is? Wanting to take care of someone, even if it kills you?

NELLIE

It has to go both ways. You have to take care of each other.

Nellie - Scene 1 - END

EXT. DESERT - NIGHT

A BURNING MAN-ESQUE FESTIVAL is going on. A towering wooden pyre is burning, surrounded by cheering people.

They walk by, avoiding it.

They're attacked by some guys in masks. They come after Nellie, but Ben fights them off. They hit him hard, he goes down. Then BANG, Nellie fires the pistol, scares them off. She runs to Ben, helps him up.

Their silhouette glows against the burning pyre.

EXT. NORWAY - NIGHT

They lie under the Aurora Borealis.

NELLIE

Fiji.

BEN

Yup.

NELLIE

Barcelona.

BEN

Yup. Hot as hell.

NELLIE

Hollywood.

BEN

Unfortunately.