

Se7en

FRIDAY INT. COFFEE CAFE -- MORNING

TRACY

I mean, you know this city. You've been here for so long.

SOMERSET

It can be a hard place.

TRACY

I don't know why I asked you to come.

SOMERSET

Why don't you talk to him about it? Tell him how you feel.

TRACY

You know, I can't be a burden, especially now. I'll get used to things. I think I just wanted to talk to someone who's lived here for a long time. I mean, Upstate, it's a completely different environment.

(pause)

Did David tell you that I teach fifth grade, well I did.

SOMERSET

He mentioned it.

TRACY

I've been going around, you know looking at schools, but the conditions here are horrible.

SOMERSET

What about private schools?

TRACY

I don't know...

SOMERSET

Why don't you tell me what is really bothering you Tracy?

TRACY

David and I are gonna have a baby.

SOMERSET

Oh, Tracy... I don't think I'm the one to talk to about this.

TRACY

I hate this city.

SOMERSET

I had a relationship once. It was very much like a marriage. We got pregnant. This was long time ago. I remember getting up one morning and going to work. Just another day like any other, except it was the first day after I knew about pregnancy. And I felt this fear, for the first time ever. I remember thinking, "how can I bring up a child into a world like this? How can a person grow up with all this around them?" I told

her I didn't want to have it. And over the next few weeks I wore her down.

TRACY

I want to have children . . . it's just . . .

SOMERSET

I can tell you now, I know... I mean, I'm positive I made the right decision. But, there's not a day that passes that I don't wish that I had made a different choice.

If you... don't keep the baby, I mean, if that's your decision, don't ever tell him that you were pregnant. But if you choose to have that baby, you spoil that kid every chance you get.

That's about all the advice I can give you, Tracy.

(Somerset's beeper begins BEEPING.)

I've got to go.

TRACY

William, Thank you.