**Episode 164**

**In the Club crowded with people ducked on the floor but Lexi; a Security Guards runs in and takes Lexi down to the floor; Luna takes her hands away from her face and Shirley stands, looking around**

Shirley – David—? DAVID?!

**Elliot stands; pulling Luna up by her arm, Shirley runs over to David; who’s laid on the floor**

Shirley – David, are you okay?

**Izzy stands; she’s stood by the Bar and she looks around**

Izzy – Where did Rory go?!

**Liam walks over to her and Izzy turns to him, panicking**

Izzy – Where is he?!

**Kieran and Sophs look around the club; ducked down by the Bar; Kieran has Sophs covered with his arms and hands; Lexi struggles to escape from the Security Guard**

Lexi – GET OFF ME!

**Blood pours from David’s arm and Shirley breathes heavily**

Shirley – Oh my god; she shot him!

Luna – WHAT?!

**Meg and Lorna stand; looking at David in shock**

Shirley – WHERE WERE YOU HIT?!

**The Security Guard looks up at Shirley**

Security Guard – Call an ambulance NOW!

David – It’s—It’s not me!

Shirley – WHAT?!

**David sits up, looking around the club**

David – It isn’t my blood!

Meg – I think it’s mine!
Luna – WHAT?!

Elliot – Just stay down everyone, alright?!

**Sophs shoves Kieran away from her**

Sophs – Get off me; what if someone sees? Go and find Amy now!

**Kieran stands and looks around the club; sighing. Derek enters, running**

Derek – Where’s Kelsey and Becky— WHERE ARE THE GIRLS?!

Luna – I need a bandage, a first aid box; anything!

Security Guard – There’s one behind the Bar!

**Luna nods and stands, running behind the Bar; Shirley stands and walks slowly towards Lexi in anger; David stands and grabs her**

David – No, Mum; don’t cause any trouble, alright?!

Lexi – Do you want a bullet inside you aswell, love?!

Shirley – Just you try!

**The Security Guard stands, pulling Lexi up by her wrists and shoving her into the Office, locking the door as he pushes her inside**

Lorna – Where’s Izzy and Rory? Was that a real gun—Was it?!

**The Security Guard looks at Lorna**

Security Guard – That was a real gun; yes! CAN WE GET SOME LIGHTS IN HERE PLEASE?!

Shirley – Where’s Jamie?

**Shirley looks around the club and the lights turn on; as the lights turn on Jamie’s laid on the floor unconscious; blood pours from his head**

Shirley – JAMIE?!

Lorna – Oh my god!

**Meg begins to cry; Luna hugs her as they see Jamie’s unconscious body on the floor; The Security Guard pulls some chairs and tables away from Jamie**

Security Guard – Nikki, Gareth; get that ambulance here NOW!

**Shirley kneels down by Jamie, looking at him in horror**

Security Guard – Don’t touch him; let the medic’s deal with it—!

Shirley – JAMIE—?! Jamie, it’s me! He’s—He’s still breathing!

Security – Ma’am, step away—

Shirley – HE’S MY FRIEND; I’M NOT GOING ANYWHERE! JUST GO AND GET SOME HELP! JAMIE?!

David – LEXI!

**David charges at the Office door and Elliot chases after him**

Security Guard – DON’T LET ANYBODY TOUCH HIM, ALRIGHT?!

**The Security stands and chases after David**

Shirley – JAMIE?!

**Shirley begins to cry; looking at Jamie on the floor unconscious**

**In the Ladies Toilets, Derek enters running**

Derek – KELSEY?! BECKY?!

**One of the cubicle doors open and Becky and Kelsey walk out**

Becky – Dad, is it safe?

**Derek runs over to them; with tears in his eyes**

Derek – Are you two alright?!

Becky – Yeah; we’re fine!

Kelsey – I’m not; that was really scary!

Derek – It’s fine; it’s all over! You’re safe; they’ve caught who did it!

**Derek hugs Kelsey and Becky**

**Outside the Office Door with Lexi inside; Two Security Guards are blocking David from getting inside and Elliot’s pulling him away from the door; David’s crying**

David – HE’S DEAD—HE’S DEAD; IF YOU’VE KILLED HIM—!

Security Guard – JUST CALM DOWN! Just get her away from the door NOW!

David – IF YOU’VE KILLED HIM I SWEAR—!

Elliot – David; leave it, yeah?!

**With Shirley kneeled down by Jamie’s unconscious body**

Shirley – Jamie?!

**David and Elliot enter; Amy’s sat down at the Bar and Luke’s sat down next to her**

Amy – Not Jamie—Please not Jamie; just say that this is a bad dream!

**Lorna and Izzy are sat down at a table, looking at Jamie on the floor**

Lorna – Please don’t die, Jamie—Please don’t die!

**With Luna, Meg and Kieran sat round a table; Luna’s looking at a cut on Meg’s hand and Kieran’s holding a bandage**

Meg – It’s just a cut on my hand; it’ll be okay.

Luna – It’s quite deep though—!

**The Security Guard enters with some paramedics; Amy and Luke stand**

Security Guard – Move back; I want this whole area cleared!

Shirley – You heard him; move away! WHAT ARE YOU ALL LOOKING AT?!

**Lorna and Izzy stand and Shirley looks at the crowd of people**

Shirley – What do you lot want; to take a picture?! GO ON THEN; GET YOUR MOBILE’S OUT—!

Luna – SHIRLEY, STOP IT!

Shirley – WHY DON’T YOU SHOW THE WORLD WHAT A DYING MAN LOOKS LIKE AND—

**David grabs Shirley’s arm and Shirley pulls herself away from him**

Shirley – DON’T YOU EVEN THINK ABOUT TOUCHING ME! DON’T YOU DARE TRY AND DRAG ME AWAY; THAT’S ONE OF OUR FRIENDS POSSIBLY DYING THERE AND I’M STAYING WITH HIM! WHERE’S THAT AMBULANCE?!

Elliot – I’ll go outside and check!

**Elliot exits, running; Lorna looks at Izzy**

Izzy – I’ll go and find Rory; I’ll be back in a bit, yeah?

Lorna – No; don’t leave me in this state, Izzy!

**Amy walks over to Lorna; grabbing her arm**

Amy – It’s alright; I’ll look after her, Izzy; it’s alright.

**Izzy walks over to Liam**

Izzy – What if he’s been stamped on or something? He could be lying there unconscious like Jamie or something!

Liam – Yeah; that would be—Awful(!)

**Liam and Izzy look around the Club and Sophs sits down at the Bar, laughing slightly; sipping her drink**

**On the Dirty Duck Pub Staircase with Judy facing Court**

Court – Why did you come round for? I told you that I’d talk her through it!

Judy – I want to talk to her myself, Court; I just need to find out what her problem is!

Court – Well if I find out I’ll call you; now go and finish the room, yeah?

**Court walks up the stairs and Judy exits, sighing. In the living room with Lauren and Emma sat down on the sofa watching TV, Gemma enters; holding a glass of vodka and a glass of Orange Juice; she passes Lauren the glass of vodka and Court enters**

Gemma – Are you sure you don’t want a drink, Emma?

Lauren – Was that the Pizza, Court?

Court – No it was some witness; I said that I didn’t need their help!

**Court looks at Emma, rolling her eyes**

Court – Any chance of a smile, or—?

Gemma – Nope! She’s still flat lying on misery; Cheers, Twerp!

**Gemma laughs, sipping her drink**

**Outside the Club with crowds of people stood outside as Ambulances and Police Cars park outside; Elliot runs out the Club over to a Police Officer**

Elliot – What’s happening; why do they need the Doctor’s in?!

Police Officer – The Medics can only enter when the areas safe.

Elliot – It is safe—And secure! They’ve got the Girl and the Gun!

Police Officer – Get inside, Sir.

Elliot – But there’s a guy in there; he’s been shot in the head, he’s dying in there!

**Derek walks out the club, over to Elliot and the Police Officer**

Elliot – WHY CAN’T YOU JUST BRING THE DOCTOR’S IN OR SOMETHING?!

Derek – So there was a gunshot? I thought everyone was joking; who got shot?!

Elliot – It’s—It’s Jamie.

**Derek looks at Elliot in shock and runs into the club**

**In the Club crowded with people, Derek enters; running past a crowd of people, Becky and Kelsey run out the Toilet after him**

Becky – What is it, Dad? WHAT’S HAPPENED?!

**Derek runs to where Jamie is on the ground unconscious with blood pouring from a wound on his head; Luna blocks Becky and Kelsey from going to Jamie**

Kelsey – IS HE DEAD?!

Shirley – No he’s not; he’s alive! Everything’s going be alright; they’re going to fix him up and make it better; they’re taking him to the Hospital!

**Derek stands, looking at Shirley madly**

Derek – DON’T LIE TO THEM, SHIRLEY; ARE YOU PROUD ABOUT THIS?!

Shirley – I’M NOT, DEREK; I’M DISTRAUGHT; HE’S GOT EVERYTHING TO LIVE FOR!

Derek – Just like Ryan did before everyone accused him of murder?

**Derek kneels back down by Jamie and Kelsey begins to cry; Shirley hugs her. A Police Officer, Security Guard and some Paramedics run into the club; the paramedics run to Jamie. Derek grabs Kelsey and Becky’s arms; leading them to the door. Jasmine and Sophs are sat down at the Bar; Kieran’s stood behind the Bar**

Sophs – Looks like the party’s over then?

**Sophs smiles, picking up a Bottle of Champagne**

Sophs – I might aswell make the most of it!

**Sophs pours some of the Champagne into a Glass**

Jasmine – That’s one of our friends lying there.

Kieran – Yeah; she knows and she’s sorry; only she hasn’t quite learnt how to articulate those words yet. Are you alright, Jas; how’s the bump?

Jasmine – It’s fine; thanks for asking.

**Jasmine stands and walks away from the Bar**

Sophs – Maybe you’re the one which is causing the problems around here, Kieran? Why are you even talking to me?

Kieran – I’m trying to find a clean dressing for Meg; she’s going to need stitches in that cut!

Sophs – You should be comforting Amy; Jamie could be dead!

Kieran – Yeah; but not yet!

Sophs – Fine; Dying; it’s got the same ending, hasn’t it?! Jamie babysits Gabriella; Amy’s going to be all over the place right now! Take advantage of her while she’s vulnerable.

Kieran – Can you hear yourself?

Sophs – Hang on a minute; Luke’s watching—!

**Sophs picks up her glass of champagne and throws it over Kieran**

Sophs – Don’t say anything; don’t react, just—Look really angry!

Kieran – I already am REALLY angry.

Sophs – SO THEN IT SHOULDN’T BE A PROBLEM, SHOULD IT?!

**Sophs stands and walks over to the crowd of people; Amy’s gets out her mobile and walks over to Luke**

Amy – Somebody has to tell Sasha; I’ve tried calling her and she’s not picking it up; I can’t tell her something like this in a text so could you just go over to her flat please?

Luke – They’re going to want witness statements, aren’t they?

Amy – Well that’s going to take AGES; I’m not having her hear this second-hand, alright?! PLEASE, LUKE—FOR ME!

Luke – OK; I’ll sort it.

**Luke smiles at Amy and Amy passes Luke a set of keys and he exits. Kieran walks over to Amy**

Kieran – Are you alright, babe?

**The Paramedics are by an unconscious Jamie; laid on the floor topless and wired up with a mask on**

Amy – He’s got no chance, has he? Even if he survives; he’s not going to recover.

**Kieran looks at Amy sadly and hugs her, sighing**

**In the Dirty Duck Pub Living Room with Lauren and Emma sat down on a separate sofa to Court eating slices of Pizza; Gemma enters and sits down on a separate sofa to them all; Emma’s not eating her Pizza**

Gemma – Do you know how many starving people there are in the world? I wouldn’t leave it too long; Faky’s Ghost might run in and eat it!

**Gemma laughs and Court stares at her madly**

Gemma – What do you want from me? I thought you said to make her laugh?!

Court – That’s not funny though!

Lauren – She’s right about the starving people though; I’d definitely give food to them, and give money to charities!

Gemma – It was a joke! For crying out loud, Emma; start spilling! What’s the deal with my Cousin, eh? We know that you don’t want her here; my Auntie Judy said so! Come on then; what’s the problem?!

**Emma stands and flips the table over madly**

Court – OI; I PAID FOR THAT FOOD YOU STUPID IDIOT! WHAT THE HELL IS THE MATTER WITH YOU?!

**Emma sits down and begins to cry; Lauren sighs and hugs her**

Court – Nice tactics, Gemma(!)

**Gemma rolls her eyes, laughing slightly**

**In the Club with a crowd of people watching Paramedics place Jamie on a stretcher bed; Shirley’s stood by a Police Officer**

Shirley – He could’ve been in Hospital by now; if he dies because of you lot, I swear—!

**Shirley sighs; with Luna, David and Meg**

David – She fancied me—Y’know? And because of Meg I had to blow her out and she wanted revenge; that’s it!

Meg – Well don’t make it sound like it’s my fault!

David – I’m not!

**Shirley walks over to them**

Shirley – Where’s Elliot?

Luna – He’s gone to Mavis’ to tell her about the gunshot.

David – Mum we need to get our stories straight, right?

Luna – He’s trying to tell you that he doesn’t want you to tell them that he’s in a gang, Shirley.

Shirley – But you were in a gang, weren’t you? You were getting a load of laughs with scum like Lexi!

Luna – Shirley, look; they’re taking him out.

**The Paramedics pull Jamie on his stretcher towards the door**

Shirley – How is he; is he okay?

**The Paramedics take Jamie on his stretcher out**

Lorna – I’m gonna go with them and—

Shirley – Listen, you may have been Jamie’s one-time girlfriend, but—

Lorna – What? He’d want me at his side!

Police Officer – No one goes in the ambulance.

Shirley – But I’m his friend—

Police Officer – A friend, and a significant witness; you all are! I need to interview you.

Shirley – Well, can’t you do that tomorrow?

Police Officer – We’ll be as quick as we can; David, would you like to come with me please?

**The Police Officer walks into the Office, followed by David exiting**

**Outside the Club with crowds of people watching the Paramedics pull Jamie on his stretcher into an ambulance; Sasha enters running and Luke walks out the club, Sasha runs over to Luke**

Sasha – What’s happened?! What’s happened to—Who was that?!

Luke – Jamie’s been shot! He’s still alive, but—It’s serious. I’ll take you the Hospital, yeah?

Sasha – Alright.

Luke – Is that what you want?

Sasha – Yeah it is!

**The Ambulance Drives away from the Area and a tear rolls down Sasha’s cheek**

**In the Club with Kelsey, Becky and Derek sat down at a table**

Becky – Are we going home soon, Dad?

Derek – Where’s that?

Kelsey – Where we live; in the Hotel.

Derek – No, you two live in your Nan’s house; that’s where you really live.

Becky – Alright, Dad; stop it—

**Derek stands and walks over to the Police Officer; Becky and Kelsey stand**

Derek – Excuse me; is this going to take long? I’ve got my kids here!

Police Officer – Alright, follow me this way.

**The Police Officer leads Derek, Kelsey and Becky outside, exiting. With Shirley facing a Police Officer; who’s interviewing her**

Shirley – That’s all I know about it; some psycho girl that fancied my son and he didn’t want to know so she went all bunny-boiler on him. It’s not his fault, alright? He’s a good boy. He’s going to be one of you lot; he’s joining the Police! That’s all he’s ever wanted to do; be just like Jamie I guess. Look, I need to go to the Hospital; you’ve got all the details I’ve got!

**Shirley walks over to Luna**

Shirley – I’m finished; I’ll meet you there, yeah? Make sure Derek’s okay with those girls.

Luna – Yeah, I will.

**Shirley puts her coat on and exits. Rory enters and walks over to Izzy; Izzy sighs with relief as she sees him. With David and Meg**

Meg – Did you know that she had the gun?

David – No!

Meg – Right, well what about the others? What if they come after us again?!

David – They won’t; we’re safe, Lexi was a nutter; it’s all finished! Until tomorrow at least; the policeman really grilled me in it. I don’t even know if I can remember what I said!

Meg – Oh, right; yeah; because that’s so important; you not getting found out, is it?

**Kieran picks up his Suitcases and Sophs walks over to him**

Sophs – Excuse me, but shouldn’t you be with Blondie?

Kieran – She’s in the loo; but you were right, Sophs; she is feeling a bit vulnerable so I met end up in a bed yet.

Sophs – Well don’t do anything that I wouldn’t do, alright?

**Amy enters and Kieran walks over to her**

Kieran – Are you sure that you don’t mind taking me in? I really appreciate it if you do take me in for the night!

Amy – It’s fine; you’ve done me a favour to be honest.

**Kieran and Amy exit and Jasmine’s sat down at the Bar drinking a glass of Orange Juice; watching Kieran exit madly**

**In the Dirty Duck Pub living room with Lauren, Emma and Court sat down on the sofa**

Court – Look, we’re just trying to understand so we can make things right for you, alright?

**Gemma enters**

Gemma – Do you losers want some Ice-Cream?

Lauren – Yeah; that would be nice act—Oh, sorry; no thanks.

**Gemma laughs and exits**

Court – Emma, you won’t be forgotten when Katie comes here, alright? She’s not even my relative; she’s Judy, Amy and Gemma’s! Why don’t you want her to stay?

Emma – Because I’ve never felt love that Judy gives to Katie; even when she’s not here—I never got that kind of love from Mum because she was so ill when I was little!

**Emma begins to cry and Court looks at her sadly**

**In the Hospital Waiting Room with Luke and Sasha sat down; Luke’s on his mobile**

Luke – Amy it’s me; I’m with Sasha at the Hospital. Yeah; I think they’re about to operate on him now so it could tae a while! Are you back at the Pub?

Amy – **\*On the mobile\*** No; I’m at my Mum’s because Lauren’s using the Pub for something—!

**Luke stands and sighs**

**In Judy’s living room with Amy pouring two glasses of Wine; Kieran’s stood by her**

Amy – Kieran’s crashing on the sofa tonight. *“Why”*? Because he needed a bed; that’s why! I’m doing him a favour, don’t be so stupid; I’m more worried about Jamie actually!

**Amy hangs up, putting her mobile on the table**

Amy – God, he winds me up sometimes! Don’t ever do this to Meg, yeah?

Kieran – Actually I think Meg would do the opposite thing just to make sure who’s in charge! Cheers.

Amy – Cheers.

**Gabriella’s cries are heard; then Connor’s cries**

Amy – That’s—Great(!) Just—Great(!)

**Amy rolls her eyes and exits, walking into the corridor**

**In the Hospital Waiting Room with Luke and Sasha sat down**

Luke – I should go back just to make sure that she’s okay!

Sasha – Alright fine; go back then.

Luke – And leave you here alone?

Sasha – I’d prefer it; you’re Amy’s poodle, not mine.

Luke – But everyone needs someone, Sasha; you wouldn’t be here otherwise! I’ll see you later, yeah? Good luck.

**Luke stands and exits**

**In Kieran’s living room with Sophs sat down on the sofa on her mobile; there’s a bottle of vodka on the table in front of her and she puts her texts Kieran saying, *“Don’t do it. Come Home. Sophs xxx”* and she sends it, sighing sadly**

**In Ryan’s Kitchen with Jasmine sat down at the table, putting a card into an envelope; she writes on the front of it, *“RYAN”* and looks up nervously**

**In Judy’s living room with Kieran sat down on the sofa, Amy enters carrying some bed covers**

Amy – I’m sorry about the small space; you’ll probably still be awake when the others are finished with the Pub!

**Amy puts the Covers on the floor and closes the door, sitting down on the sofa next to Kieran**

Amy – You don’t think they know, do you?

Kieran – Who?

Amy – Gabriella and Connor—Do you think they know about Jamie? People say that kids can sense stuff.

Kieran – I don’t know—Maybe.

Amy – Don’t say that—! Please don’t agree with me; I don’t want to think that they’re crying because they know that Jamie’s going to die.

Kieran – I’m sorry.

**Amy begins to cry and Kieran hugs her**

Amy – Thank you so much for this, Kieran—Thank you! It’s not a good night to be on your own, you know?

Kieran – Yeah; sure. Look, if you need to talk I’m here, OK? We can just stay up all night if you like?

Amy – No—No, I just want someone here with me.

**Amy hugs Kieran**

Amy – Like this.

**Kieran sighs sadly**

**In the Hospital Waiting Room with Sasha sat down, Shirley enters**

Shirley – What are you doing here?

Sasha – Same reason as you probably; only I’ve been here a whole lot longer!

Shirley – Don’t you pull your rank on me! You’ve done as much damage to Jamie since you’ve met him as that bullet.

Sasha – Is this how you cope? Do you pick a fight with whoever’s closest or something?

Shirley – Well, I could always patronize them instead; which one do you prefer?

Sasha – Look, I’ll behave if you will.

Shirley – Alright; I’ll tell the others when they get here.

**Shirley sits down on a separate seat to Sasha and they sit there in silence**

**In Judy’s living room with Amy asleep on the sofa, Kieran’s stood by the sofa and Luke enters**

Luke – Wow; isn’t this nice? Sophie’s snake’s got him in a brand new game!

Kieran – Actually I’m leaving, so—Excuse me, yeah?

Luke – What’s wrong, mate? Didn’t she fall for your lies? Why don’t you go to your real lover; get some tips?

Kieran – What?

Luke – Sophs; she’s outside in the hallways; I think she’s taking some notes actually! Listen, mate; you stay away from Amy, yeah?

Kieran – Gladly. Because do you know what? This is all getting a bit weird already; you need help, mate; just like your precious father.

Luke – *“Help”*? Not to throw you out I don’t.

Kieran – Just say *“Good luck”* to Amy for me, OK? I’ve got a bad feeling that she’s gonna need it.

**Kieran picks up his suitcases an shoves past Luke, exiting**

**In the hallways with Sophs stood by the Stairs, Kieran walks out Judy’s flat; over to Sophs, carrying his suitcases**

Sophs – I blew it, didn’t I? I knew that he saw me!

Kieran – What are you doing here?

Sophs – I just—I was just checking to make sure that you didn’t—Y’know?

Kieran – So you weren’t having second thoughts like me then?

Sophs – No. I was more—Thinking that this partnership has probably run its course.

Kieran – Yeah; absolutely the way it stands.

Sophs – Yeah.

Kieran – What it could be; not at all!

Sophs – What?

Kieran – All this; not saying what we really think, how we really feel about each other; can we just try something different?!

Sophs – I can’t listen to this—

Kieran – Do you want to know the craziest thing about all of this, right?

**Kieran throws his suitcases on the floor; he has tears in his eyes**

Kieran – The craziest thing about why I couldn’t go through with all this with you pimping me out is because—It’s because I’m in love with you, Sophs! I mean, you’re the most horrendous Human being I’ve ever met in my life, but—I’m so completely and utterly in love with you that it makes me sick! Now it’s your turn.

Sophs – Well—

Kieran – You’ve got to say it, Sophs; because I know that you feel the same and then we’ll really have a chance and I want that match; I want it more than anything in the world, but you’ve got to say it!

**Sophs laughs nervously**

Kieran – Go on; tell me that you love me. Please, Sophs! SAY IT!

**Sophs stays silent and Kieran picks up his suitcases, walking away from Sophs; walking into the Hotel and Sophs begins to cry**

**In the Hospital Waiting Room with Luna, Elliot, Meg and David sat down on; Sasha’s stood by the vending machine and Shirley’s stood up on her mobile**

Shirley – No, he’s still in surgery; which is a good sign, but—How’s your Dad?

Becky – **\*On the phone\*** We’ve tried feeding him but he just keeps throwing it back up again! Will you be back soon? I don’t like being in charge.

**Shirley sits down next to Luna, sighing**

Shirley – Well done to the two of you, yeah? You and Kelsey are being really brave! If you need anything; just call me, OK?

**Shirley hangs up, putting her mobile in her handbag**

David – Do you know what being in here makes me realise? Everything Jamie said about the Police; it was just a load of crap!

**David stands**

David – He said that it a gang; like a family full of Dad’s, Brother’s, Best Mate’s; all of them looking out for you! Well, where are those Police friends of his now then, eh?! We’re here; his friends, but where are his actual Police friends?!

Elliot – He isn’t in the Police anymore, is he?

Sasha – Yeah, but why should that matter?

David – Exactly!

Shirley – Excuse me, Sasha; but this is a private conversation.

David – If you’re a mate, then you’re a mate; it’s not about the uniform!

Shirley – Oh, you’re changing your mind now, is that it? You don’t want to join the Police anymore? Isn’t that a surprise?(!)

David – I’m just saying. Anyone that actually cares about Jamie is here now; it’s a fair point to make.

**Sasha sits down on a separate seat away from the others**

**In Lorna’s living room with Lorna sat down on the sofa with her mobile to her ear**

Lorna – Yes, I’m still waiting! Look, I just want to know if he’s OK? No— No, I’m not his family, OK? I’m not family; I’m his girlfriend! What? Hello—?

**Lorna looks at her mobile and rolls her eyes, sighing**

**In the Hospital Waiting Room with Shirley, Luna, Elliot, Meg and David sat down; Sasha’s sat down away from them and Doctor Warren’s stood up; talking to them**

Doctor Warren – He’s still alive; stable and on intensive care at the moment.

Shirley – So it was a success, yeah?

Doctor Warren – That’s a little early to say just yet I’m afraid. We’ve removed as much as the Bullet ad damaged tissue as possible; but there is still a small fragment of shrapnel trapped into the skull membrane which unfortunately will have to stay there; that means the scare of swelling will be greater, so we’ll be keeping him on a ventilator for at least Forty Eight hours.

Shirley – But he’s going to be okay?

Doctor Warren – We won’t know the extent of any damage until the patient regains consciousness.

Sasha – You mean Brain Damage?

Doctor Warren – It’s too early to make any diagnosis; now if you’ll excuse me—That really is all I can tell you. Thank you.

**Doctor Warren exits**

Elliot – So what are they saying? That Jamie might end up like some sort of vegetable or something?

Luna – No; he’s not saying that!

Sasha – That’s exactly what he meant.

**David stands and leans against the wall; Shirley stands, looking at him**

Shirley – Are you up for that then? Giving him Sponge Baths, changing his bags, feeding him like a baby?

David – What?

Shirley – You know? Looking after him Twenty Four, Seven! I mean; you’d do that much to look after him surely?

Meg – Well it’s not David’s fault is it? It’s Lexi’s!

David – Yeah, and if they just let the medics in sooner they could’ve got him treatment—

Shirley – Don’t you DARE pretend that this has got nothing to do with you, and don’t you help him either, Meg! Because that’s all he’s done all his life; blaming me and everyone else but himself for the trouble that he gets in! Now, you’re the one who joined the gang; you’re the one who bought Lexi here!

David – I didn’t bring Lexi here; she followed me!

Shirley – YOU’RE THE ONE WHO THINKS GETTING A JOB IS BENEATH HIM BECAUSE HE’D RATHER GO OUT SMOKING DRUGS OR ROBBING PUBS AND SHOPS!

David – I WAS TRYING TO CHANGE! THIS IS WHY SHE DID THIS; BECAUSE I WAS TRYING TO STOP ALL THAT; SHE WAS TRYING TO SHOOT ME!

Shirley – AND SHE GOT JAMIE INSTEAD! NOW YOU’VE WASTED YOUR LIFE AND YOU’VE WASTED HIS TOO!

David – I DIDN’T ASK HIM TO PUSH ME OUT OF THE WAY; I WISH HE DIDN’T TAKE THAT BULLET; I WISH IT WAS ME INSTEAD!

Shirley – SO DO I!

**David looks at Shirley in shock and exits, slamming the door behind him and Shirley watches the door closing sadly**

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**Doctor Warren**

**Rory – Lorna’s Brother**