

A black car pulls up alongside the village post office. Megan Williams stumbles holding a map. She walks up to the postman who is exiting the post office.

MEGAN

Excuse me, sorry to bother you but do you know the way to Rose Cottage?

POSTMAN

Rose Cottage, thats not far from here, you'll want to take the next left and it will be on your right in about a mile.

MEGAN

Thank you, could you also tell me where the police station is?

POSTMAN

(pointing)

The police station is straight across the village square, it's that building.

MEGAN

Thanks again.

Megan turns around and starts to head back towards her car.

POSTMAN

So you must be the new police detective. You'll like it here in Llanberem, it's a lovely village.

Megan turns back towards the postman.

MEGAN

Yes, how did you know?

POSTMAN

It's a small village, word gets around.

CUT TO:

2 INT. ROSE COTTAGE. EVENING

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Megan is on her sofa drinking wine. There is a knock at the door. Gareth Morgans is there holding a box.

MEGAN

Hello.

MORGANS

Sorry to bother you this late
Ma'am. I'm PC Gareth Morgans.

MEGAN

I'm Megan, why don't you come in
for a cup of tea?

Megan leads Gareth into the kitchen. She turns the kettle on and sits at the table. Gareth places the box on the table and takes a seat opposite Megan.

MORGANS

It's nice to meet you Ma'am.

MEGAN

Megan is fine. Morgans was it?

MORGANS

Yes Morgans, Ma'am, I mean Megan.
I've brought the files that you
asked for.

Megan reaches into the box and pulls out the files.

MEGAN

So in the last six months the only
trouble has been speeding
violations and drunk and
disorderly?

MORGANS

Yes, that's right, oh and there was
an attempted break in but that
turned out to be Mr Jones breaking
into his own house after a night
out.

Megan looks confused. The kettle clicks, Megan makes the tea.

MEGAN

Do you take sugar?

CUT TO:

3 INT. BEDROOM - ROSE COTTAGE. MORNING 3

Megan is in bed. Her alarm goes off. She gets ready for work.

CUT TO

4 EXT. LLANBEREM VILLAGE SQUARE. MORNING 4

Megan is in front of the station. Morgans is across the square.

MORGANS
(shouting)
Ma'am, Ma'am.

Megan turns around, Gareth, who is wearing his police uniform, is running across the square, make sure the roads are clear.

MORGANS
Morning Ma'am.

MEGAN
Morning Morgans.

MORGANS
So how do you feel about your first day here, Ma'am?

MEGAN
Ready.

CUT TO:

5 INT. LLANBEREM CAFE. AFTERNOON 5

Mali Jenkins and Lowri Edwards are sat at a table in the conner of the cafe.

LOWRI EDWARDS
It's been a while since we've done this, I've missed it.

MALI JENKINS
Me too. I've just been so busy with work.

Owain Jenkins bursts through the cafe doors. He spots Mali and Lowri and heads straight towards them.

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OWAIN JENKINS
Mali, there you are, I've been
trying to get hold of you.

MALI JENKINS
What's wrong?

OWAIN JENKINS
Why haven't you been answering your
phone?

Mali looks in her handbag for her phone.

MALI JENKINS
I must have left it in the car. Is
everything ok?

OWAIN JENKINS
Look Mali I need to talk to you
now.

LOWRI EDWARDS
Is everything ok Owain? Do you want
to join us?

OWAIN JENKINS
Stay out of this Lowri.

People in the cafe slowly turn their attention to Owain,
Mali and Lowri.

MALI JENKINS
Hey! Owain, don't be rude. Come on
what's this all about.

OWAIN JENKINS
(shouting)
You know exactly what this is
about!

Owain pushes over the chair between him and Mali. Everyone in
the cafe are watching them. The waitress behind the counter
picks up the phone.

MALI JENKINS
Owain, let's talk about this at
home.

CUT TO:

6 INT. POLICE CAR. AFTERNOON

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Megan is sat in the passenger seat while Morgans drives the car.

MEGAN

It's a lovely village. Not what I'm
used to. It's nothing like Cardiff.
It's peaceful.

Gareth's radio beeps.

MORGANS

Looks like we are going to have to
cut this tour short.

MORGANS

(to Dispatch)

Dispatch it's P.C Morgans.

DISPATCH

There has been an incident in
Llanberem cafe.

MORGANS

Five minutes out.

CUT TO:

7 INT. LLANBEREM CAFE. AFTERNOON

7

Megan and Morgans arrive at the cafe. The cafe has empty and
only the waitress and Lowri are left sat at her table.

MEGAN

Hi, I am D.I Williams, what seems
to be the problem here?

The barista and Lowri looks up at Megan and Morgans. Megan
pulls out a small notebook from her back pocket.

LOWRI EDWARDS

It's all fine now, Gareth, it was
just Mali and Owain again, you know
what they are like, hot headed the
pair of them.

MEGAN

(clears her throat)

So that is Mali and Owain who? And
what exactly happened?

Lowri looks over at Morgans and then back to Megan.

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LOWRI EDWARDS

Mali and Owain Jenkins. Owain was a bit angry thats all, he gets like that but he wouldn't hurt a fly.

Megan starts writing down notes in her notebook.

MORGANS

What was it about this time? Mali scratched the car again?

LOWRI EDWARDS

No I'm not sure, they didn't say. They left, went home. They've probably made up by now anyways.

MEGAN

Right, so where do they live?

MORGANS

Up at Willow Farm, it's just outside the village, actually not far from you Ma'am up at Rose Cottage.

CUT TO:

8 INT. POLICE STATION. AFTERNOON

8

Megan and Gareth arrive back at the police station.

MEGAN

So the Jenkins often argue in public or is this a one time thing?

MORGANS

It's happened a couple of times before, they are normally just looking for attention.

MEGAN

Right ok, well I still think we should go give them a visit just to make sure.

CUT TO: