

the Shy one

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Adam has liked Anna for a while now and Adam is kind of shy. will he get Anna or not.

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1 - the shy one

The Shy One

I always shy been especially around girls. I'm even worse around girls I like. I'm usually by myself at lunch but that only some days. Today I saw my crush it been a year since I first saw her. I hadn't talk to her yet but tomorrow is an other day.

It was lunch; I walked up to a friend of mine. "Hey what's up?" "Nothing what about you?" he said. "Nothing much" I said with a smile. "You saw her didn't you." "Yeah I did." "I knew it you always smile when you see her." "I know how can't I? I mean she beautiful." "You always say that." "I know, anyway I have to go." "OK just don't go looking for her." "You know me I won't." "Adam I know you didn't it before." "Tom you know I was going to talk to her." "But you didn't." "Don't remind me." "OK why don't you talk to her." "I don't know. When I see her I think she to beautiful to talk to me." "OK, see you later." "Bye."

I walked in to the library. I saw her my crush Anna Rayne. I try not it look at her but I couldn't. I sat down at a computer hoping that she would sit next to me. I spent all of lunch sitting there waiting for her, but she never sat down. I watch her talking to her friend. I mean I didn't sat stare at her. I just looked at her a few times. I should of got up and talked to her. I wanted to, but I didn't. When the bell ringed she left. I when to my next class.

I have study hall. Perfect, just perfect. I mean with just seeing my crush all I'm going to think about is her. I have some luck because Tom is in there to. I sat down at one of the back table and put my hand down. Someone sit next to "what wrong?" they say. I turn to look at them and it's Tom. "The usual" I said. "You saw Anna again." "Yea, I could of said to." "But you didn't" Tom cut in. "I know, at least I didn't go looking for her." "OK, but don't you think you should talk to her." "Yes, you know how many times I think that." I sat back in my chair. "It would be easier to talk to her if she was by herself" I said with a sigh.

"Like that going to happen" I said "I could you never know." "But would I say something." "If she ask you something you would have to." "That true." "Adam I have to go." "Why?" "I need to talk to some other people" "OK Tom I'll see you later." "Bye." Tom walks away. I look around there are a couple of people listing to CD player and some are play cards. I root in my book bag for something to do but I don't find anything. So I wait for the bell to ring.

After school I walk home and think about what I could say to Anna. I think Anna would like it. I can think of all of these things that I think a girl would like. So why can't I say any of them? I got home. "How was your day?" my mom says. "Fine" I sat. I go up to my room. I put down my bag and lay down on my bed. I have no homework today. I watched TV for the rest of the day.

At school the next day Tom walks up to me. "Hey what up?" he says. "Nothing" I say. "You seen Anna?" "No why?" "I was just wondering." "OK." "I'll see you later Adam." "See you later."

Later at lunch I walk out front to see Anna on her cell. If she wasn't on her cell it would be a perfect time to talk to her I thought. I started to walk by her. "You know what time it is?" she said. I turn to her and look at my watch "It's 12:30." "Thanks." I turn away and look around. I heard Anna's cell close I turn back to her. I saw a tear running down her cheek. "May I ask why are you crying." She turned to still teary-eyed. "Yeah" she said as she wiped her eyes. "My boyfriend just broke up with me."

"I'm sorry." "That's OK, can I ask your name." "It's Adam and I'm sorry to bug you." "That's OK your not bugging me and by the way my name is Anna." "Well Anna I have to go." I turn to walk away. Anna grabs my arm "please don't go I need someone to talk to." I turn back to and took her hand in mine "OK I won't go." I wanted to tell her how I feel about her but I waited. "Thanks I would talk to my friends but they aren't here." "You can talk to me." You can always talk to me I thought. "Thanks can we sit down?" "Sure." There's a bench by the door we sat there. "You know my boyfriend broke with me." "Yeah." "We been together of five months, Then this happen." I could see the tears start. "I sorry" I said as I got out a pack of tissues. "Here" I handed her a tissue. "Thank you" she said as she wiped her eyes.

"Thought everything was fine, but I guess not." She wiped her eyes again. I didn't like to see like this. "I'm sorry Anna." "Can you do my favor for me." "What is it?" "Can you call my Angel or baby please it makes me feel better." I'll call you anything if it make you better I thought. "Sure I can Angel." She smiled a little. "Thanks." I handed her an other tissue, she wipe her eyes again. "I thought he like me as his girl we spend a lot of time together." She moved closer. "I thought he like to be with me" she said almost crying. "It OK Angel." She looks up at me with a sad look in her eyes. I want to put my arms around her and pull her close and tell her everything well be OK, but I waited of her.

She wiped her eyes I moved closer. She was about to say something, but stopped herself. I wanted to hold her and tell her everything well be OK, but I didn't I just moved closer. "I'm sorry for going on like this." "That OK Angel I don't mind." "Thank you Adam I needed to talk to someone." "I'm happy to help." You don't know how happy I am I thought. She tries to say something but stopped about to cry. "I'm not going to cry in front of you." "If you need to cry Angel go ahead."

She put her head on my shoulder and her arm around me. She stared to cry. I put my arms around her and pull her close. I whisper in her ear. "It's going to be OK baby." She looked up at me. I took a tissue and wiped her teary eyes. "If you don't mind me saying, your boyfriend is a idiot." "Why do you say that?" "Cause your boyfriend broke up with you and any boy would be luck to be your boyfriend." "You think that." "Yeah" and that not the only thing I think. "Thank sweet." "Thanks." I was about to say something else want the bell rings. Anna wipes her eyes again. "How do I look?" "You look wonderful." "Thanks, I have to go." "Bye Anna."

She left to go to her next class. I went to my class thinking did that just happen, did I talk to Anna Rayne did and did she have her arms around me. When I got to class I sat down at one of the back tables. Tom sat down next to me. "What wrong?" he says. "Nothing." I say. "Come on their something wrong." "This nothing wrong." "This something up though." "Yeah." "What is it." "You know that Anna has a boyfriend." "Yeah." "Do you know Anna's boyfriend just broke up with her." "No, how do you know." "She toll me." "So you talked to Anna." "Yeah." "Did she ask you something first?" "Yeah." "Did she just tell you or did you ask." "I ask her." "What you ask?" "I asked why are you crying." "So she toll you then." "Yeah." "Cool, so did you tell her you like her?"

"No." "Why not?" "I couldn't I want you know how much I wanted to." "Yeah, but why not?" "It would seem wrong to tell here then." "Cause she just broke up with her boyfriend." "Yeah." "Maybe since you talked to her she come to you and talk to you." "Maybe." "Anyway I'll see you later." "See you later Tom."

After Tom left, I got out a notebook I stated to draw. I don't know what to draw or what I was drawing. When I was finish I saw I drew a face but I didn't who it was. I thought I'd add some color to help. Luckily I had some colored pencils. When I was finish with the colors.

2 - what was wrong

I get in study hall and took a sit at the back Tom came up to me. "Got to tell you something." "What?" "I heard that Anna got mad at her friend for not being here yesterday." I tried not to sound happy about when I said "anything else?" "Yeah, she also said this sweet boy named Adam was the only one who help me." "Wow she said that." "Yeah look like Anna liked what you did yesterday." "I guess so."

On the walk home I had my mp3 player on. I was thinking about Anna and happen yesterday. I also about what she said today by what she said she felling better. I hope. The next day at school Tom walks up to me. "What's up?" "Nothing. What about you?" "Have you talked to Anna yet?" "I have see her yet." "I thought you would of after what I said yesterday." "I would of like to but I didn't see her." The bell rings. I say bye to Tom and go to class.

At lunch Tom come up to me. "Hey you seen Anna yet." "No not yet." "You tell me if you do." "I will Tom." "OK, I need to go get something to eat so I'll see you later." "See you." I walked out front. I hear someone call my name behind me. I turn around to see who it is. It Anna she has a smile on her face, she has a beautiful smile. "Hey Angel, do you mind if a I call you angel." I say as I walk over to her. "No, I don't mind Adam." "OK can I have a seat Angel." "Yeah." I sit next to her. "Adam I need to tell you something." "What?"

I hear someone call my name behind me. I turn around to see who it is. It Anna she has a smile on her face, she has a beautiful smile. "Hey Angel, do you mind if a I call you angel." I say as I walk over to her. "No, I don't mind Adam." "OK can I have a seat Angel." "Yeah." I sit next to her. "Adam I need to tell you something."

"What?" "Thank you for what you did for me." "You're welcome, I didn't like to see a beautiful girl like yourself cry especially if a boy cause it." Wow did I just say that I thought. She blushes and little and looked away for a second. "That sweet Adam, so you don't like to see a girl cry." "I don't like to see any pain in a girls eyes." I felt something on my hand I look down to see. It's Anna hand her hand felt so soft. I look back into Anna's lovely eyes blushing a bit. "So what do you like to see in a girls eyes?" "I like to see happiness and joy." "What about your girlfriend eyes?" "Happiness, joy, love, and to see there eye light when they see me." I felt her squeeze my hand. "That what you like to see, but have you see that." "In a girls eyes or girlfriends eyes." "Girlfriends." "No, not yet." "Why not?"

"Umm..." I say as I look down. "Come tell me please." "I don't have a girlfriend." I sat softly. "Have you had a girlfriend if you don't mind me asking." "No I don't mind Angel, yes I had a girlfriend but only one." "What happen?" "She broke up with me." "Oh I'm sorry." "That OK Angel, it happen awhile ago." "May I ask how long did you go out." "Four months. I thought it would last longer."

"Why that?" She asked. "We been thought a lot." "What do you mean?" "I mat her at summer camp. At the end of camp she give me her number and her IM screen name. When I IM her I found out she was going to my school." "That much of been nice." "It was until." "Until what?" "She moved." "Oh." "Yeah, awhile after she moved we stay together then." I look down. "Then what?" "A week before I was going to see her she said I met someone." "I'm sorry." "That OK I'm over it." "Did you have

anyone to help you get over her.”

“No, I didn’t.” “I’m sorry.” “Thank OK, beside that doesn’t matter anyway.” “So, what does matters?” “You.” She smiled. “What do you mean?” “I mean how do you feel Angel?” I said as I took her hand in mine. She looked down and smiled. “I’m okay.” “Are you sure.” “Umm...” “Please tell me Angel.” “I’m still a little sad about my ex.” “You know his a idiot for braking up with you.” “Yeah, but I just like having a boyfriend and finding one is hard.” “Yeah, you might find one who’s closer then you think.” The bell rings

“You might be right Adam.” She got up and kissed my cheek. She when to class. I sat there for a minute thinking. I can’t believe Anna just kiss my cheek. I when got to study hall and took normal seat at the back. Tom sat next me “that a big smile, what happened at lunch?” “You won’t believe happen to me at lunch.”

3 - the drawing

"What?" "At lunch I was talking to Anna." "What she say?" "She said thank you for what you did for me." "Any thing else." "She said she still sad about here and she looking of a boyfriend." "I know you had something to say about that." "Yeah" "So what you say?" "I said you might find one who's closer then you think." "Nice one." "After that she said you might be right and she kissed me on my cheek." "So that why the big smile." "Yeah." "That could be a good sign." "It might be." "Well I'm going to go." "OK I'll see you later." Tom left I didn't feel like staying in study hall. I ask for a pass to the library.

In the library sat down at a computer. I check my e-mail and other things. A minute later someone sits down next to me. I look over to see who it is. Anna is sitting next to me. I don't she saw me. "Hi Angel." She looks over "hi Adam I didn't see you there." "That OK. What are you working on?" "Some class work what about you?" "Checking e-mail and other stuff." I looked over at her screen. She was working on some art.

"That's nice." "It's not that good." "It's better than my work." "Thanks." "You're welcome Angel." "Do you have any of your work with you?" I have the two pictures I drew, but I'm not going to show her yet. "Not with me I have some in my locker sorry." "That OK, could you show me some tomorrow." "Sure I can. I'll show you some at lunch." "OK, meet me outside at lunch." "Out front where I saw you today." "Yeah." The bell rings. "I'll see you tomorrow." "Bye see you later lovely." I wonder if she heard that I thought as I walked to class

When I got home I got out all of my drawing I looked through them. I was looking of my favorites and ones I think Anna would like. I came across a drawing of a tiger I did awhile back. The tiger is lying by a lake in a clearing of a forest under a full moon. I put the picture aside and look for another one. I find a picture of a couple leaning on a tree in a loving embrace under a full moon. I took one last look through my drawing. The two I pick out I think are the best beside the ones of Anna.

The next day, Tom walks up to me. "I saw you walk out of study hall, where you go?" "I went to the library." "Why you go to the library." "To check my e-mail and stuff." "Anything happened." "Yeah." I said with a smile. "What happen?" "I was on the computer and Anna sat next to me." "Did you say something?" "Yeah."

"What you say." "Hi Angel." "Angel?" "Yeah." "She let you call her Angel." "Yeah since she broke up with her boyfriend she let me can her Angel." "Oh, what did she say?" "She said Hi Adam I didn't se you there." "What else happen?" "Well she was working on some art. I said that good and she said I'm not that good. I said your better then me." "So what happen next?" "She wants to see some of my art." "Did you show her those two pictures?" "No, but I'm going to show her some at lunch today. The bell rings. "OK I'll see you later." "Bye."

At lunch I walked out front to find Anna sitting on the bench by the door. "Hey Angel." "Hi Adam, did you bring some of your art?" "Yes I did." "So can I see it?" "Sure you can," I said as I took my art out of book bag. I took a quick look at them to see if they are the ones I pick out before I handed to Anna. The first picture was the one of the tiger. "I like how you did the reflecting in the water." "Thanks."

"Your welcome, I also like how you did the strips they make it look more real." "Thanks, I used a couple of pictures to get it like that." "Its cool how you put the scene at night." "Yeah, it me a while to get the shadows right." "Do you have any more?" "Yeah it under that one." "Oh I didn't see that."

The second picture was the one of the couple. "That sweet." "You like it." "Yeah I like it." "Thanks." "It sweet how you have him holding her." "Thanks." "Your welcome, you know a picture can tell a story." "Yeah." "Would you like me to tell you what I think the story is?" "Yeah, I would like that." "Well it looks like there was walking it the park they stop at a tree. I'm I right so far." "Yes you are. What else does it say?" "Well by the placement of his right hand. I would say she had her head on his shoulder and he lifted her head up to kiss her. Is that right." "That was dead on." She smiled. "So I got it all right." "Yes you did Angel." "Do you have any more art with you?" "Well." I said thinking about those two pictures. "Do you have them with you?" "Yeah." "Can I see them?" "It would be to embarrassing for me to show you them." "Oh, then just show me one." "OK I will."

I got out the picture of Anna and lay it face down. I put my other pictures away and handed Anna the picture of her. When she saw the picture she looked confused "When did you do this one." "A couple of day ago." "Is it the only picture of me?" "I have one other picture of you." "What was you thinking of when you did this." "It was kind of odd I wasn't thinking of anything." "Yeah that is odd. What about the other picture?" "What about the other picture?" "What was you thinking of." "It was like that one."

"That odd." "I know. What do you think of the picture?" "It better then the other ones." "Thanks." "Your welcome." She handed me back my picture. "Umm... yesterday I heard you say something as I left what was it." "I can't tell you." "Why not?" "I just can't" "Come on tell me please." "Umm..." "Please Adam." She said gripping my hand. "What I said was bye." "It can just be bye." "No it was bye lovely." "Lovely?" "Yeah." "You called me lovely." "Yeah." "Aww that sweet." The bell rings "Do you ride the bus or walk?" "I walk, why?" "I what to talk to you some more. So meet me out back." "OK, see you later." "Bye Adam."

Anna left. I when to study hall. I took my normal seat at the back. Tom came up to me. "How it go." "Good." "So what happen?" "First I show her a tiger picture." "So what she say about it." "She said I like it." "What else did you show her?" "A picture of a couple." "You did a few pictures of couples which one did you show her." "The one where there kissing under a tree." "That a good one. What she did she say?" "She said it was sweet she also tolled me what she thought the story was behind the picture was." "Did she get it right?" "Yeah she did" "Did you show any thing else." "Yeah, the picture of her I did." "Really what did she say?" "She asked when I mead it and what I was thinking of when I was drawing it." "Did she say she like it?"

"She said it was better then the others, but I don't know if she like it. I'll ask her later." "You mean tomorrow." "No I mean after school." "You don't see her after school." "I'm today." "What do you mean?" "She asks me to walk me with her." "Wow you're lucky." "I know." "I'll see you later." "Bye."

4 - what Tom said

After school I walk out back. I see Anna standing by herself. I walked up to her. "Hey Angel you ready to go." "Yeah." "Did you like the picture I drew of you." "Yeah I did "Really." "Yeah it was really good." "Thanks." "Your welcome." "You said you had another picture of me right." "Yeah." "You think I could see it" "Umm..." "Is it a picture of me naked?" "No, I'm not like that." "So you wouldn't draw a girl naked." "No, that something I'm not going to do." "What if a girl asked you draw her nude?" "Where did that come of?" "I don't know so would you. "I might, but I wouldn't feel right doing that." "What if you were being paid?" "Depends on how much, but I still would feel right can change the topic." "Yeah."

Anna and I did say anything for a minute. I looked around it like it was going to rain. I hope it doesn't rain. "Adam." "Yes." "I don't see you around a lot." "I'm at home a lot." "What do you do?" "I'm on the net a lot. What do you do?" "I'm at the hangout a lot." "I heard of that place." "Yeah, it really fun there." "I might go." "You should its fun here." "OK."

"Do you have brothers or sisters Angel?" "Yeah why do you ask?" "Just wondering so what is it." "I have a brother." "Older or younger." "He's older then me." "Does he still live with you?" "He moved out. What about you?" "I have a sister." "Older or younger." "Older." "Does she still live with you?" "No, is your brother protect of." "Yes he is. Why do you ask?" "Older brothers are and thought he would be to." "Oh, when I toll him my boyfriend broke he about lost it. What about your sister?" "What about her?" "Is she protect of you?" "Yes she is."

"This is my house." Anna said stopping in front of a nice white house. I walked Anna to her door. "W ell I'll see you at school or the hangout." I turn to leave and it started to rain. "Would you like to stay here until it stops raining?" "Thank you, could I use your phone?" I said as I walked to her. "Sure, the phone over there." She said pointing to a cordless phone by the kitchen. I dial my number and waited for some to pick up. I saw Anna put her bag down and sit on the couch. My mom answers the phone. I toll her I was at a friend am staying there until the rain stops. She said OK just be late. I said bye and hang up the phone.

I walked over to the couch. I put down my bag and say next to Anna. "Thanks for letting me use your phone." "No problem." The rain started to pound on the roof. "I'm glad I'm not out there." "Yeah it's really coming down out there." "By the sound of the rain the thunder will be loud." "I hope not." "Why not?" "I don't like loud thunder." We heard some low thunder. "You really don't like thunder?" "Yeah." "What do you do when you hear thunder?" "I usually hold something that makes me feel safe or..." "Or, what?" "I'd talk to my boyfriend sometime he would come over."

"What about you?" "Thunder doesn't bug me, but it bugs my girlfriend." "Yeah." "Yeah, I remember this one time there was a really bad storm. I was home watch TV and herd the storm." "What you do?" "Well I turn off my TV and got ready to go. Just as I was about leave." "What happen?" "My girlfriend called." "What she said." "She said the storm getting bad can you come over I said I was just about to leave to come over to her house when you called." "What happen when you get to her house?" "I held her in my arm saying you don't have do be scared now. I held until the storm passed." "That sweet."

The thunder got louder and I saw Anna get a little more scared I didn't like to see her scared. This deafening thunder when off. Anna grabs on me and buried her head in my chest. I put my arms around her. "It's OK don't be scared." She moved closer. I pulled my arm around her. "It's OK Angel." She didn't say anything. I wanted to hear her say something. An other thunderclap went off. She squeezed me tight I did the same. "It's OK Angel." She moved closer, she was almost sitting on my lap. She still didn't say anything. I saw her about to say something, but an other thunderclap when off that makes her jump. I held her tight as I said "It OK Angel."

She is sitting on my lap. I wish we were like this when she wasn't scared. The thunder faded away. I whisper in her ear "It's OK Angel the thunder over." She turned and looked at with scared eyes "is it." She said in a quiet voice "Yes." I said. Her eye lit up when I said that. I want to kiss her cheek. She was close enough. "You felling better." "Yes I am." She said as put her head on my shoulder. The rains keep up. I was there was some way to make her feel better with saying anything but I can't.

I wanted so much to kiss her. I wanted to lift her head to look into her lovely eyes and kiss her cheek, but I didn't I just sat there. The rain started to let up. "I got to go soon, but I won't until you fell better." "Thanks." Your welcome." A few minutes passed and the rain stopped. "I got to go." "OK." "But I won't go unless you are still scared." "I'm fine." "OK, I'll see you at school or the hangout." "Bye."

5 - after the storm

On the walk home I thought about what happened. Did I have Anna sitting in my lap and in my arms? I hope I helped her. I got to tell Tom this. I should of did something but I bet she wouldn't of like it anyway. I wonder if we talking again would she say something about this. When I got home I told my mom sorry I was late and went up to my room. I still had Anna in my mind. I need to ask Tom something.

The next day at school Tom walks up to me. "What happened yesterday?" "What do you mean?" "With Anna." "Oh." "So what happened?" "We walked to her house." "And?" "And what?" "Did you talk or something." "What something?" "Smile or just talk." "We talked." "About what?" "Things." "Like what?" "Our family and things." "Did you walk in the rain?" "No." "So you get home before it stated." "No." "So what you do." "Anna let me stay at her house." "So what happen?" "Nothing." I said with a little smile. "I see that smile. What happened?" "You hear the thunder." "Yeah." "Anna doesn't like that." "I know you don't like to see a girl scared so what you do." "Well when the first thunder hit Anna grab me." "Like your arm or hand?" "No, she had her arms around me." "What you do?" "I put my arms around her."

"I know more then one thunderclaps so what happened." "Well." "Come on tell me." "Well she moved closer to me when the next thunderclap hit. She squeezes me and I did the same and said its OK Angel you don't have to be scared now." "What she say?" "She did say anything." "What else happen?" "Well by the time the storm was over she was." "She was what?" "Umm." "Tell me." "She was sitting in my lap." "Did you do something?" "Like what?" "Did you kiss her or something?" "I couldn't of." "Why not you have the chance." "It was the right time." The bell rings. I say bye to Tom and go the class.

At lunch I when to the library I was checking my email and things. I saw Anna walking I was going to walk but she was with her friends. They sat down by the computer I was on. I could hear what they were saying. One of her friend said "are you going to the hangout Saturday." "Yeah." "Cool." "Anna have you talked to that boy Adam any?" "Yeah." "So what you talk about."

"A lot of things." "Like what?" "Family and stuff." "What's the stuff?" "Art and things." "Did he show you some of his art?" "Yeah." "What of?" "First he showed me a picture of a tiger that was really good." "What else did he show you?" "A picture of a couple that was kissing." "Kissing how?" "Kissing under a tree it was really sweet." "I would like to see it." "So would I" An other friend said. "The next time I see him I'll ask if you can see that picture." "OK." I would be grad to show them that I thought.

"Did you hear that thunder?" "Yeah it was loud." "Anna you don't like loud thunder what you do?" "Umm." "Come tell us." "Umm." "What happened?" "Well I was walking home with Adam." "Yeah." "It started to rain when we got to my house." "And." "When the first thunder hit I umm..." "You what? What you do?" "I kind of had my arms around him." "Kind of?" "OK, I did have my arms around him."

"What Adam does?" "He put arms around me and said it OK Angel you don't have to be scared." "Awww." They both said. I smile a little when they said that. "Did anything else happen." "Umm..."

"You can tell us." "Well by the end of the storm I was..." "You was what?" "I was sitting in his lap." "You was?" "Yeah." "Did he try to kiss you?" "No." "Did you want him to?" "No it wasn't the right time." "So what do you think of him." "His sweet." "Do you think his cute or something?" "His cute." "Would you go on a date with him?" "I might." "What do you mean?" "I would if he asks me out."

The bell rings they leave and I when to study hall. After I sat down in study hall Tom sat down next to me. "I didn't see you at lunch where was you." "I was in the library." "Anything happen." "Anna walked in." "Did you talk to her?" "I would of if she wasn't with her friends." "Could you hear what them was saying." "Yeah." "So what they say?" "They ask what me and her talked about." "What else?" "The storm yesterday."

"What they about that?" "They asked Anna what she did for the storm." "What they say?" "You know happened?" "Yeah." "That what she said." "Did you hear anything else?" "Yeah." "Come tell me." "Well one of her friend asked if I try to kiss her." "I know you didn't." "Yeah." "Did they say anything about that?" "Yeah, they ask if she would like to be kissed." "That she wouldn't of like it and one of her friend asks if she thought if I was cute." "What she say." "She said she did." "What else they say?" "Another friend ask if she would go on a date with me and she said she would if I asked her." "Then all you have to do is ask her." "I know but I want to talk to her out of school." "OK I'll see u later." "Bye Tom."

I'm going to try to talk to her at the hangout Saturday I hope I can find her along but I doubt it. I bet she will be with her friends. I should go out the back today. I might see Anna. I sat here thinking what I might say to Anna until the bell rings

6 - looking the drawing

After school I walked out the back. I did see Anna. So I started to walk home. I heard someone call my name. I turn to see who it is and I see Anna walking up to me. "Hey Angel." "Hey I need to ask you something." "What is it?" "My friends want to see the picture of that couple you drew." "OK, I show them tomorrow. Where should I meet you?" "Meet me outside of the library." "OK."

"Do you mind if I walk home with you?" "Sure." "Anna." "Yes." "Are you going to the hangout this weekend?" "Yeah. Why do you ask?" "I was thinking of going there this weekend and was hoping some knew would be there." "I'll be there." Yeah." For a while Anna and me didn't say anything I try to up with something to say but couldn't

"Adam." "Yes." "Thank you for did for me yesterday." "Your welcome." "I didn't know why I did that but you helped." "I was happy to help." "You didn't have to do that." "I couldn't just sit there." "Why not?" "I don't to see a girl scared." She smiled and said "Yeah you don't like to see a girl scared." "Yeah." I said with a smile.

"Anna." "Yes." "What kind of things are at the hangout." "There games and you can food there and things." "Sounds cool." "It is." "OK." We

didn't say anything. I keep looking over at Anna. She looked at me once and smiled. I want to hold her hand or something but I didn't. When we got to her house. I walked her to the door. "Goodbye Angel. See you later." "Bye Adam."

When I got home. I got on the net and looked up where the hangout is and how it gets here. I checked to see how much money I have I should have enough. I had more then enough for a good date. This Saturday I'm going to ask Anna on a date. I wonder if I should tell Tom.

The next day at school, I didn't see Tom in the morning. I guess I see him Sunday. Later at lunch I meet Anna outside the library. "Hey Adam, do you have the picture." "Hey Angel, yes I have the picture." "Cool, come on." "Where?" "To where me and my friends are." "Oh, I thought we were going in the library." "Oh, me and my friend hangout somewhere else."

We walked to a back stairway that wasn't used. "I did know there was stair here." "Yeah, we didn't until last year." "It nice back here. It quiet." "That why we like it." When we got to the stair. I saw her two friends. They said "hi Anna." "Who's this?" one of they said. "This is Adam" I heard one whisper to the other "he is cute."

"Adam this is Jen." Anna said pointing to a blond girl standing next to her. "And this is Sam." She said pointing to a girl with black hair and a red streak in it "is that new." I said to Sam. "Yeah, why?" "I saw you yesterday without it." "Oh." "Do you have the picture?" Jen said "Yeah." "Can we see it?" "So can we see it?" "Yeah." I said as I got out the picture and hand it to her. "You were right Anna it is sweet." "Yeah it is." Sam said. "I toll you." I like to hear them say that.

“Adam do you have the picture of the tiger.” Yeah.” “Can you show them?” “Yeah.” I got out the tiger picture. I hand them the tiger picture. “Here another one.” “Thanks.” They said “I like this one.” Sam said. “You do.” “Yeah, the marking on the tiger are great.” “I use a

Couple of picture to get like that.” Jen handed me the pictures back. “We heard what you did for Anna.” “You did.” “Yeah we did. We want to know why you did that.”

“Which one.” “The first time.” “Well...” I said looking down “You can tell them.” “OK, Anna.” “Come on tell us.” Jen said. “The firs time, I don’t like to cry especially if a boy makes her cry.” “That sweet.” “What about the second time.” Sam said “That time, I don’t like to see a girl scared.” “That sweet.”

“Thanks.” “Adam.” “Yes Angel.” “Anna you let him call you Angel.” “Yeah. Adam do you still have the picture of me.” “Yeah, you want me to show them it.” “Yeah.” “Anna you don’t let us call you that.” “Why not?” “I like it better when you say it.” “Oh, here that picture.” “Thanks. Hey guys here is that picture of me.”

“This is better than your other ones.” “Yeah it is. Do you have any more like this?” “He has another picture but I haven’t seen it yet.” “What is it a nude picture.” Sam said. “No, I don’t draw nude pictures.” “Oh.” “Yeah I just would feel right doing that.” “OK.” The bell rings. I got my picture and when to class as I walked away I heard someone say “Adam would make a good boyfriend.”

7 - the hangout

When I got in study hall. Tom sat next to me. "Hey Tom where was you this morning." "I was late and you were at lunch." "Anna asks me to show her friends my art." "Oh, what they say?" "They liked them." "Cool." "Yeah." "What else you talk about." "They ask me why I did what I did for Anna." "I know why you did that, because you like her."

"You know that only one reason." "Yeah." "Tom I have a question." "What is it?"

"You think I should I ask Anna out." "Yeah." "Then where do you think I should take her." "Is money a problem?" "No, not really." "Then that's your choice." "You know that restaurant with the park behind it."

"Yeah." "I was thinking of taking her to that." "That would be nice." "Yeah, it would." Tom left and I keep thinking of what it might say to Anna until the bell rings

That Saturday I when to the Hangout. It was bigger then I thought. When I got in there I didn't see her. So I looked around. There use some people sitting and talking and there were some playing video games. I walked pass where the people sitting and into a food court. I stopped and looked at the menu they had some low prices. I keep walking into a computer room I walked back to the lounge area. I saw Ann sitting with her friends

I walked up to them I sat down next to Anna "Hey Anna." "Adam you made it." "Yeah." "What about us." Sam said "Sorry. Hi Sam, hi Jen." "So Adam how do you like the Hangout?" "It's cool. I heard they had a store could you show me." "Sure come on." "Thanks Angel." "You're welcome Adam." I follow her to some stair "the store up stair." She said walking up them "OK." Following her.

"What kind of things do have at the store." "A lot." "Like what Angel." "CD's and games, book and things." "Cool." "Yeah." We got to the store Anna said "I'm going to see what's new." "OK, I'm going see what they have." I walked over to the games while Anna walked to the CD's. They have some low prices. They must sell a lot. I looked where the CD's are and Anna still here. Looked around and we are the only people in here it the perfect time to ask her out.

I walked up to her. "What you looking for." "I'm just looking at what's new." "Cool." "Yeah." "Angel I have a question." "What is it Adam." "Will you..." "Will I what?" I looked down. "Come no Adam what is it?" I looked back into her eyes. "Angel will you go out with me next

Saturday. She was surprise but she was smiling "Yes I will Adam." "So should I pick you up at 7:30?" "That would be nice." "OK." "OK, I'm going to get something to eat." "OK."

After Anna left, I when to the lounge. A minute later I heard Anna say "guess what happen to me." "Her friend said "What?" "You won't believe what happen." "Come on tell us." "You know Adam ask me to show him where the store was." "Yeah." "Well I was looking at the CD's and Adam walked up to me." "And." "He asked me what I was looking for." "What you say." "Looking at what new than." "Then what." Jen said "What did he say?" Sam said "he ask me." "What the ask you." "He asks me out next

Saturday." "What you say." "Yes." "So you have a date with him." "Yeah." "You know where his going to take you." "No." "Where do you think his going to take you?" "I don't know."

I got up and walked over to her and tap her on the shoulder she turned around. "Angel I forget to tell you something." "What is it?" "I want to tell you where I was taking you." "Where?" "You know that restaurant with the park behind it." "Yeah." "That where." "OK." "I'll see you later." "Bye."

I left and when home. When I got home I called Tom. "Hello." "Tom can I come over." "Why?" "I need to tell you something." "Can't you tell me over the phone?" "You wouldn't believe me." "OK come over." When I got to Tom's he answered the door. "So what do you have to tell me?" "I saw Anna." "I knew it had something to do with Anna." "Yeah." "Did you talk to her?" "Yeah." "What you say." "I..." "You what?" "I asked her out." "Wow you did." "Yeah." "What did she say?" "Yes." "When is it?" "Next Saturday at 7:30." "Cool." "Yeah, well see you later." "Bye."

The next week at week at school was normal one or two things happen. Tuesday at lunch I was in the library Sam and Jen come up to me. They asked me what I was going to do on the date with Anna. "I can't tell you." "Why not?" "Cause you're you'll tell Anna." "We won't." "You want to know." "Yes." "Then you have to wait to find out from Anna." "Come tell us." "I won't tell you." "OK, then we'll see later." "Bye."

On Thursday at lunch I talked to Anna. "I heard my friends talked to you." "Yeah." "Did they tried to get you to tell them what you was going to on our date?" "They tried." "Did you tell them?" "No." "Will you tell me?" "If I did it would spoil our date." "Yeah, it would I can't for our date." "Either can I Angel."

Friday night I made the reservation at the restaurant and try to find something to wear. I'm grad I got those dress clothes. After I got my clothes pick out the phone rings. "Hello." "Adam." "Anna how you get my number." "I asked Tom for it." "Oh, so what you calling for." "Are you driving to my house?" "Yeah." "Why don't you dive to school?" "My house is close to school." "OK, see you tomorrow" "Bye."

8 - the date

On Saturday afternoon I went to a flower shop and bought a rose for Anna. Then I got ready for the date. As I drove to Anna's house. I couldn't believe I was going on a date with Anna. When I got there I knock on the door and her mom answered "Anna will be down in a minute please have a seat in the living room." "Thank you Miss. Rayne." I said as I walked in. I sit there for a minute waiting for Anna.

When she walked down the stair and saw her in that beautiful black dress. It took my breath away. I walked over to her and handed her the rose. "You look amazing." She blushed and I smiled. I always like to make a girl blush. I held my hand out. "You ready to go Angel." She took my hand and I took hers "Yes I'm." I turn to walk out the door. We walked to the passer side door. I opened the door for her after she got in I got in and started to drive. As I drove I held her hand she smiled.

"Did you do this with your last girlfriend?" "Do what?" She lifted my and said "this." "Yeah I did. Did you ex do it." "One or two times." "Oh." We stopped at a red light. "I also did this." I said as I kissed her hand. She turned away blushing. The light turned and I starting to drive again. When we got there I got out and opened her door for her I help her out. I held her hand as we walked up to the restaurant. I opened the door for her. I walked up to the waitress. She asked if I had a reservation. "Yes it under Adam." "You want a table by the window." "Yes, please." "This way." She said walking away and we followed. "Are you on a date?" "Yes we are." "I could tell by the way she was smiling." I looked over at Anna and smile. "Here's your table." "Thanks." "Here your menu I'll be back for your order." "This is a nice place." Anna said. "Yes it is." "I like the view." "Yeah we have a good view of the park." "I would be nice for a walk." "After dinner would you like to go for like in the park?" "Yeah." "OK, so what looks go to you." "I don't know what about you." "What looks good to me?" "Yeah." "You." I saw her smile. "You do look good. You look better then I seen you." She blushed. "Thank you." "You're welcome Angel."

"I think I was going to get a burger but I'm not to eat all of my fries." "I was going to get a burger too we can split the fries." The waitress came back. "So what you going to have." "We are going to have two burgers and one order of fry to split." "Drinks?" "I'll have a coke." "Same here." "I'll be back with the drinks." She walked away.

"Have you been here before Angel." "Yes." "Was it on a date?" "No, it was with my family." "Oh, this your first date here." "Yeah, what about you?" "Only with my family." The waitress came back with the drinks "Your food will be out in a minute." "Thanks." I said "So you didn't take you last girlfriend here." "I plan on it but you know what happen." "Yeah." "So your last boyfriend didn't take you here." "No."

The waitress came back with the food. "Here are your burgers and your fries." "Thanks." I said. We didn't say much while we ate. I went to grab a fry and got Ann's hand "You can have it." "Thanks." "So do you like this place?" "Yeah, it nice." She said sipping on her drink. After we were finish with are meals. "Do you want dessert?" "If I see what they have I might." I called a waiter over and ask if we could see a dessert menu. He said yeah and a minute later he handed me a menu. I handed it to Anna "here's the dessert menu."

"Do you see anything you like?" "Do you, wait don't answer that." "Why not?" "You were going to say me right." "Yeah." "OK, there's nothing I would like." "OK." I called the waitress over and ask for the check. After I paid for it I said "so you ready for that walk." "Yeah." I walked over to her and held my hand out. "Let's go." She took my and we walked out to the park

"Its colder then thought. Are you cold?" "No I'll be fine." "OK Angel." We started to walk I held her hand and rub the back of it with my thumb. She turn and smiled I smiled back. "This park is really nice." "Yeah it is and I bet it would better in the sun." "Yeah." "It would be nice for a picket." "Yeah, it would." We were half away through the park. We stopped next to a tree. I lean back on it. She leaned back on me. I saw her shiver. I took off my jacket and put it around her. She looked at me. "Thanks you." "You're welcome Angel."

She laid her head on me. I put my arms around her and she looked up at me. I looked into those beautiful eyes of hers. I want to kiss her. It was the right time and a good place for it but it looked like she didn't want to. I lend in and kissed her cheek. Anna kissed my cheek to and she smiled. She laid her head back on my shoulder. "You know this is kind of like her picture." "Yeah it is."

I felt her shiver I pull her closer. She smiled. "We should go before it gets colder." "Yeah." We walked back to my car. I held her hand as we walked. When we got back to my car. I open the door for her I got in and turned on the heater. I held her hand as I drove. I run my thumb across the back of her hand. She smiled. At a red light I kissed her hand. She blushed. When we got to her house I walked her to the door. She is still wearing my coat.

"I had a nice with you." "So did I Angel." I looked up in her eye try to see if I should kiss her. It did look like it. "I'll see you in school
Adam." "Bye Angel." She when in as I walked away. On the way home I keep thinking of the date.

On Sunday Tom came over, "So." "So what?" "How was the date?" "Good." "Did you kiss?" "No." "Why not?" "I don't know." "Did you have a chance?" "I had two." "Come one tell me." "Umm." "You can tell me." "Just don't tell anyone." "Ok so what happened?"

"You know we went the restaurant with the park behind it." "Yeah." "When we got outside it was colder then we thought. I saw Anna shiver so I give her my coat." "That was nice." "Yeah. Half way through the park we stop at a tree. I lend back on it and she leaned on me." "What you do?" "I put my arm around her. She laid her head on my shoulder then looked up at me. I want to kisses her." "Why didn't you." "I could tell she didn't want me to so I kissed her cheek." "What was the other time?"

"Well the other we was outside her door." "Did you kiss her cheek?" "No, she went in before I could." "Oh." "Yeah."

At school I didn't see Anna until Wednesday, I was in the library. Her friends were sitting in front of me. She came up to them. "How was the date?" Jen said. "Great." Wow she really liked the date I though. "So what happened?" "Umm..." "Come on you can tell us." "First he gave me a rose." "That sweet." "Yeah, and ever time we could get in his car he would open the door for me." "That so sweet." I could see her as she said that. She was blushing. I was smiling.

"What else happened?" "After dinner we took a walk through the park. It was a little bit cold outside."

“Was you cold.” “Not at first.” “What do you mean at first?” “I mean I was until Adam put his coat around me.” “That was sweet.” “Yeah. About half way through the park we stopped and he leaned on a tree. I leaned on him.” “What he do?” “He put his arms around me.” “Awww.” “What else happen?” “We were looking into each other eyes and...” “And what?” “Did he kiss you?” “No.” “Did you want him to kiss you?” “Not really.”

“Then what he do?” “He kissed my cheek then I put my head on his shoulder. I got colder.” “What Adam do?” “He pulled me closer.” “What about when we got home.” “What do you mean Jen?” “Did he try to kiss you?” “No.” “By the way whose coat is that you’re wearing?” “It’s Adam’s.” “Oh.” “I need to give it back to him.” She walked out and so did I.

9 - Adam confession

I was walking down the wall and Anna came up to me. "Hey Adam." "Hey Angel." "You want your coat back." "No, you can keep it lovely." She blushed and said "thanks." She walked away with a smile. I need to tell her how I feel I though as I walked away.

Friday after noon, I when Tom's house. "Adam I saw Anna wearing your coat." "Yeah." "How she get it." "I give it to her." "When?" "On our date." "Why?" "She was cold." "That was nice." "Yeah. I was thinking of telling Anna how I feel." "You should, it been a year." "I know, but should it be so soon after the date." "I don't know, but I should be soon." "Yeah I know. I'm going to go." "See you Adam." "Bye."

It Saturday I'm sitting in my room on my computer fixing a drawing I did. When I should be going to Anna's and telling her how I feel. I need to do that. Now I'm done with the picture. I got the picture of Anna and me. I started to drive to her house. I hope she there.

I get there and knocked on her door. She answered. "Adam what are you doing where?" "May I come in?" "Sure have a seat." I walked in and sit down on the couch. She sits next to me. "Why are you here Adam?" "Angel I need to tell you something." "What is it Adam?" I look away and take a deep breath. "Adam you can tell me what it is." "Are you sure." "Yeah." I look back into her eyes.

"Angel I like you no I love you and I have since last year. I was to shy to do anything I knew you had a boyfriend last year. The day he broke up with you and I saw that tear run down your cheek. It hurt me to see the girl I love cry because of a boy. It wanted to do something else to make you feel better but the time wasn't right. When that storm was here it was the same thing but you were scared. When I was diving to your house for is date I couldn't believe it until I saw you in that dress." She didn't say anything she just looked at me.

"Maybe this will help." I handed her the picture of her and me. "Wow. I can see why you waited to show me this and you didn't have to do anything else to help me. If you did I would have like it, but not when my ex just broke up with me." She put the picture on the table and moved closer to me. I looked into her eyes she looked back into mine.

She lends in and kissed me. I wait so long for this I wasn't going to waste it. I put my arms around her and pulled her closer. I kissed her back. I loved her lips on mine. She stopped and lends back. She looked into my eyes. She moved closer and lays her head on my shoulder. I

closed my arms around her. After a minute or two she moved to my lap. I put my arms around her again and gave her a little kiss on the cheek. She smiled and laid her head on me.

"Adam." She whispered. "Yes." I said softly. "Will you be mine boyfriend?" "You already have me." "No your have me in your arms." "And I love it." I said as I kissed her cheek. She smiled. "Can I take that as a yes?"

"Yes Angel, I will." "You like me as your girl." "Dose this answer your question." I said give her a kiss. "Yes it dose."

Monday I pick up Angel for school. I get there right as she was leaving "You need a ride lovely." She looked up at me "why are you doing this?" "Because I don't see you in the morning. You ask why I didn't drive to school, I said I don't have a reason, but now I do." "Awww." "Come up baby."

At lunch I was sitting with Anna when her friends came up to us. "Why you so happy Anna?" "I have a new boyfriend." "Adam?" "Yeah." I said. Sam said "we'll leave you alone." Later Tom came up to us. "Adam are you and Anna now." "Boyfriend and girlfriend. Yeah we are." Anna said. "Then I'll see you later."

Now Anna and I are boyfriend and girlfriend. I could be happier. Nether can I Anna said.

THE END