

GIRL REMEMBERS DEAD MOM - **GIRL / BOY**

Young man and young woman / girl, stand on a walkway in the middle of a bridge.

KATE / KEVIN

So... the best memory I have of my mom was this one day she took me to the county fair. She checked me out of school that morning, and told them we had a family commitment, and we just went. Just the two of us. I remember feeding the goats in the petting zoo and the way my mom laughed when they licked at her palms. At one point, I got lost in the fun house and I started crying, so she bought me balloons. And then, we were at the highest point of the Ferris wheel. And she told me to let them go. So I did. She said to me, "Kate, just because you can't see them, doesn't mean they aren't still there." She just held me. That night we got home and she cooked us spaghetti. But, it was surprising, because she hadn't cooked in months. And then she asked us if we wanted ice cream. She got the keys and left to go get some. And she drove out here... to this bridge. And she stopped her car in the middle of the road. And she climbed over the railing... and she let go. In the obituary, my dad just said her death was... related to illness. So, you see... I don't have the luxury... of getting mad at my mom over petty bullshit. I just have a dad.

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KATE / KEVIN (CONT'D)

And I don't know what you  
did... to screw up the  
happiness he found with your  
mom. I'm so mad at you, Luke.  
You're not the only one  
having a hard time.