

DOYLE

So now you know.

PATRICK

Does it make you feel better? Telling yourself you did it for the right reasons? That you took her to be saved. From her own mother?

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We're just trying to give a little girl a life.

PATRICK

Wasn't your life to give. Helene's her mother. If you thought she was a bad mother, you should've gone to social services. Short of that, she's her mother, and that's where she belongs.

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You turn around. You go back to your fucking car' and wait 30 years. You don't know what the world is made of yet.

PATRICK

I'm calling state police in five minutes. They'll be here in ten.

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Thought you would've done that by now. You know why you haven't? Because you think this might be an irreparable mistake. Because deep inside you, you know it doesn't matter what the rules say. When the lights go out and you ask yourself, Is she better off here or better off there,"you know the answer. And you always will. You...You could do the right thing here. A good thing. Men live their whole lives without getting this chance. You walk away from it, you may not regret it when you get home. You may not regret it for a year, but when you get where I am, I promise you, you will. I'll be dead, you'll be old. But she...she'll be dragging around a couple of tattered, damaged children of her own, and you'll be the one who has to tell them you're sorry.

PATRICK

You know what? Maybe that'll happen. And if it does, I'll tell them I'm sorry, and I'll live with it. But what's never gonna happen and what I'm not gonna do is have to apologize to a grown woman who comes to me and says, I was kidnapped when I was a little girl, and my aunt hired you to find me. And you did, you found me with some strange family. But you broke your promise and you left me there. Why? Why didn't you bring me home? Because all the snacks and outfits and family trips don't matter. They stole me. "It wasn't my family and you knew about it, and you knew better and you did nothing. "And maybe that grown woman will forgive me, but I'll never forgive myself.

DOYLE

I did what I did for the sake of the child. Alright. For me, too. But now, I'm asking you for the sake of the child. I'm begging you. You think about it.