

SCRIPT TITLE

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CHARACTER DESCRIPTION

AIDEN'S BROTHER - Male, late teens to early 20s, white.

Aiden's older brother who bullies and steals from him. Aggressive, threatening, and physically intimidating. He's looking for money Aiden has hidden, searching under the bed and through his belongings. He's part of the toxic family dynamic that drives Aiden to eventually leave. Must convey casual cruelty and physical menace.

SCENE CONTEXT

Aiden comes into his bedroom after a fight with his mother, crying and upset. His brother is already there, tearing through Aiden's belongings looking for hidden money. The brother believes Aiden owes him and threatens violence if he doesn't hand it over. After his brother leaves, Aiden opens his hiding spots to find his brother has already stolen his savings. This is the breaking point that leads Aiden to steal from his friends and plan his escape.

INT. AIDEN'S ROOM - NIGHT

AIDEN runs to his room and shuts the door behind him. He lays behind the door, crying a little but his BROTHER who is inside of his room interrupts him. His brother is underneath the bed looking for something.

AIDEN

What are you doing?

AIDEN'S BROTHER

Were is it?

AIDEN

Where is what?

AIDEN'S BROTHER

I know you have some.

AIDEN

Some what?

AIDEN'S BROTHER

Your money, you idiot, where is it?

AIDEN

I don't have any.

AIDEN'S BROTHER

You little liar, you owe me.

AIDEN

Why?

AIDEN'S BROTHER

You owe me, get me some money, or I
will destroy your face, and make
you ask for it on a traffic lights.