

"THE HONEY TRAP"

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FADE IN:

INT: BARRACKS DAY ROOM - NIGHT

SUPER: "Cyprus, Spring 1974"

There's a pool table and a foosball table.

A few young men stand around, amused, as PETTY OFFICER'S 3<sup>rd</sup> CLASS BEN LEVY, 22, wearing glasses, average height, slim build, nerdy appearance and VINNY RUSSO, 23, wearing glasses, below average height, portly build, chubby face, are having a fake karate fight. They lack martial art skills. PETTY OFFICER 3<sup>rd</sup> CLASS PATRICK O'CONNOR, 24, tall, muscular build, LAUGHS.

PATRICK O'CONNOR

Kung Ju and Wop Fu!

Ben Levy and Vinny Russo break out LAUGHING.

EXT: BÜYÜK HAN - DAY

Ben, 35mm camera hanging from his neck, strolls around snapping pictures.

HILLARY HAGEDORN, 25, gorgeous face, athletic figure, long wavy black hair, dark brown eyes, sundress and sandals, saunters to Ben.

HILLARY

Have we met before?

BEN LEVY

I don't think anybody I've ever met would be on this island. Unless they were in the navy. Are you in the navy?

HILLARY

No, I work at the Israeli Embassy.

BEN LEVY

Your English is very good.

HILLARY

Thank you. Where are you from?

BEN LEVY

New Jersey.

Ben scans the area.

HILLARY

Have you been to Büyük Han before?

BEN LEVY

That's how you pronounce it. I've never been here before.

HILLARY

Then let me be your tour guide.

BEN LEVY

Sure.

Hillary strolls and Ben walks with her and looks around.

HILLARY

Büyük Han was built in 1572. The British used it as a prison at the turn of the century.

BEN LEVY

A prison?

HILLARY

Yes, then after the turn of the century it became an inn. It went downhill from there.

BEN LEVY

It's a shame.

EXT: TEA SHOP - DAY

Ben and Hillary sit at a table and drink tea. Ben is looking around.

HILLARY

Here, we have been talking all this time  
and we don't know each other's names. My  
name is Hillary. Hillary Hagedorn.

BEN LEVY

Benjamin but everybody calls me Ben. My  
last name is Levy.

HILLARY

Well pleased to meet you, Ben Levy.

BEN LEVY

Likewise, Hillary.

HILLARY

What's your job in the Navy?

BEN LEVY

I'm a linguist.

HILLARY

Which language?

BEN LEVY

I can't say.

HILLARY

You can't say?

BEN LEVY

What do you do in the embassy?

HILLARY

Touche.

INT: BARRACKS DAY ROOM - NIGHT

Russo and O'Connor are shooting pool. A couple of others  
are lounging about.

VINNY RUSSO

Will Aaron break Ruth's record tonight?

PATRICK O'CONNOR

Great way to start a season. Four ball,  
corner pocket.

O'Connor shoots and makes the shot.

PATRICK O'CONNOR (CONT'D)

Ten ball, side pocket.

O'Connor misses the shot.

Levy slinks in.

BEN LEVY

Alright, which one of you played the joke?

PATRICK O'CONNOR

What joke?

VINNY RUSSO

Come on, what was the joke?

BEN LEVY

Yours?

VINNY RUSSO

No.

BEN LEVY

Alright, some knock out started flirting  
with me. Who put her up to it?

PATRICK O'CONNOR

Not me, but I wish I thought of it.

Everyone LAUGHS.

BEN LEVY

Alright, she's supposed to meet me again.  
So, you're all witnesses. I wasn't  
fooled.

INT: LEVY AND RUSSO'S ROOM - NIGHT

There are three beds, one has no bedding. Levy and Russo  
are present.

VINNY RUSSO

Levy, you shouldn't be suspicious.  
American men are popular here.

BEN LEVY

How would you know, you never leave the  
base?

VINNY RUSSO

That's what I heard.

They LAUGH.

EXT: BÜYÜK HAN - DAY

Ben alternates between looking at his watch and scanning  
the area.

Hillary approaches. She is wearing a knee length dress,  
white blouse, and low heel shoes.

Ben sees Hillary and makes a quick scan.

BEN LEVY

Hillary, you look nice.

HILLARY

Thank you. Have you been to the Cyprus  
Museum?

BEN LEVY

No.

HILLARY

Good.

INT: CYPRUS MUSEUM - DAY

Ben and Hillary are in a gallery with ancient statues.

BEN LEVY

I've seen ancient artifacts before, but to walk on the ground where such things were made.

HILLARY

Have you ever gone to Israel?

BEN LEVY

No, this is my first time out of the country.

HILLARY

Would you want to go there?

BEN LEVY

Someday, the TV advertisements make it look like a wonderful vacation spot.

HILLARY

It is.

BEN LEVY

You wouldn't happen to work for the Israeli tourist bureau?

Hillary LAUGHS.

HILLARY

I work for the Cultural Attaché.

Ben LAUGHS.

EXT: RESTAURANT - DAY

Ben and Hillary are eating and watching the street scene.

BEN LEVY

It's really nice here.

HILLARY

A good place to watch the world go by. On top of that, the food is very good.

BEN LEVY

It's like a place out of a movie.

HILLARY

You lived in New Jersey. Where were you stationed before the Navy sent you here?

BEN LEVY

This is my first, and probably last station.

HILLARY

You're planning to leave the navy when your enlistment is up?

BEN LEVY

Yes. I can do the same job with more money working as a civilian.

HILLARY

You can do that?

BEN LEVY

Possibly. I even heard stories of people leaving the military and working as a civilian at the same desk.

HILLARY

Getting paid more money?

BEN LEVY

Of course.

They GIGGLE.

HILLARY

When is your enlistment over?

BEN LEVY

Two years.

EXT: BÜYÜK HAN - DAY

Ben hands Hillary a slip of paper.

BEN LEVY

Here is the number to the CQ.

Hillary takes a card from her purse and gives it to Ben.

HILLARY

Here is my office number.

BEN LEVY

Where are we going today?

HILLARY

We are going on a site seeing tour.

BEN LEVY

That sounds like fun.

HILLARY

It'll be groovy.

BEN LEVY

I haven't heard that word in years.

TRACKING:

Hillary and Ben stroll down the street. Hillary takes out a set of keys.

HILLARY

Groovy has gone out of style?

BEN LEVY

People started finding the word annoying.

HILLARY

I guess things have changed in America  
since I left?

BEN LEVY

You spent time in America?

HILLARY

My family immigrated to Israel when I was  
15.

BEN LEVY

That explains why you don't have an  
accent?

HILLARY

I kept in touch with one of my friends by  
mail. I think every one of her letters  
had groovy written on it.

BEN LEVY

Where did you live?

HILLARY

LA.

BEN LEVY

I got my language training in Monterey.

HILLARY

Did you get to LA.

BEN LEVY

I never left the base. Study was intense.

Hillary takes out a set of keys and opens a compact car's  
passenger door. The car doesn't have diplomatic plates.

MONTAGE:

Beaches, hills, and other travelog type scenes.

END MONTAGE:

EXT: RESTAURANT - DAY

Ben and Hillary are eating and watching the beach.

BEN LEVY

What do you think of Golda Meir resigning?

HILLARY

We were caught by surprise. In Israel, we can't afford mistakes.

BEN LEVY

It doesn't matter how much you win one loss and Israel is lost?

HILLARY

That's why she had to resign. What about Nixon?

BEN LEVY

Most people figured he would resign soon after Agnew did. Anyway, it's just a matter of time.

INT: DISCOTHEQUE - NIGHT

Ben and Hillary dance to rock and roll music. Ben is a credible dancer. Hillary is a talented dancer.

The music cycles down to a slow dance. Ben moves to leave the floor but Hillary gestures for him to stay.

They dance.

HILLARY

We've gone out enough times for us to slow dance don't you think?

BEN LEVY

Yes, we have. I just hope your shoes are hard.

Hillary GIGGLES.

HILLARY

Is there a girlfriend back home, or in another port?

BEN LEVY

No. There are a couple of friends who are girls, but no girlfriends.

Ben turns melancholy.

HILLARY

Did I say something wrong?

BEN LEVY

No, just a homesick moment. When I joined the Navy, I got some letters from friends. The stopped writing long ago.

HILLARY

Same thing when we moved to Israel.

BEN LEVY

I'm with a beautiful woman and I killed the mood. Ben, you're an idiot.

Hillary LAUGHS.

HILLARY

Good recovery Ben.

BEN LEVY

Why, thank you.

HILLARY

When is your next day off?

BEN LEVY

Saturday.

HILLARY

Let's go swimming.

BEN LEVY

Swimming? Alright.

HILLARY

Good. It's a date then.

INT: NAVY EXCHANGE - NIGHT

Ben is in a small swimwear section. Two sailors browse in a nearby section.

SAILOR ONE

About a month ago they found two Arabs murdered in a hotel room.

SAILOR TWO

Who did it?

SAILOR ONE

Who knows.

Ben selects a black pair of swimming trunks.

EXT: DESERTED BEACH - DAY

SUPER: "May 4"

Hillary's car rolls to a stop. Ben steps out and survey's the area. Hillary, wearing a sundress, steps out.

BEN LEVY

We're the only ones here.

HILLARY

That's why I picked it. We have the whole beach to ourselves.

Hillary takes off her sundress, revealing a one-piece bathing suit designed for swimming.

Ben takes off his shirt, revealing his skeleton like build. He takes off his pants, revealing his black trunks.

Hillary runs to the water.

HILLARY (CONT'D)

Last one in is a rotten egg!

Ben runs.

BEN LEVY

Something else I haven't heard in a while!

Ben gradually overtakes Hillary's lead and reaches the water first. Hillary splashes into the water and dives in.

EXT: IN THE SEA - DAY

Hillary and Ben frolic in the water.

HILLARY

You see that buoy.

BEN LEVY

I see it.

HILLARY

I'll race you to it.

BEN LEVY

Alright.

HILLARY

Ready, set, go.

Hillary takes an immediate lead and swims at a much faster pace. She slows down and Ben eventually overtakes her. They swim at the same pace. Ben reaches the buoy first.

Ben is huffing and puffing. Hillary breaths at a normal pace.

BEN LEVY

I'm not going to race back.

Hillary LAUGHS.

EXT: DESERTED BEACH - DAY

Hillary and Ben wade onto the shoreline.

BEN LEVY

This is the first time I swam in The Med.

HILLARY

I use to go swimming with my friends in the kibbutz. We'd take a bus to Haifa.

BEN LEVY

I heard Haifa is beautiful.

HILLARY

Two of my friends died in the Yom Kippur War.

BEN LEVY

I'm sorry.

HILLARY

We don't want another surprise like that. You can help us?

BEN LEVY

How can I help?

HILLARY

If you give us some information unavailable to us.

BEN LEVY

Give you classified information?

HILLARY

We're on the same side. It's not like I'm asking you to betray your country.

BEN LEVY

I'll have to think about this.

HILLARY

Is there anything I can do to persuade you?

BEN LEVY

You work for the Israeli embassy. Can you prove it?

HILLARY

I have my identification in the car. Wait here.

Hillary jogs off.

Ben appears apprehensive.

BEN LEVY

This could be a joke after all. I could be left here with a towel and bathing suit.

Hillary returns wearing her sundress and carrying a handbag. She shows Ben her identification. He gives it a long look.

HILLARY

Convinced?

BEN LEVY

Truth is important. Did you let me win the race?

Hillary hesitates.

HILLARY

Yes.

BEN LEVY

Good.

HILLARY

How did you know?

BEN LEVY

You had the lead then slowed down at the end. You weren't even puffing.

HILLARY

Anything else I can do to persuade you?

BEN LEVY

No. If I decide to do this, I will meet you at Büyük Han tomorrow. The usual time.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

Hillary is driving. Ben appears stoic.

HILLARY

I just missed being on the Israeli swimming team for the 1972 Olympics.

BEN LEVY

Telling somebody before the race would be a good hustle.

HILLARY

Telling before the race?

BEN LEVY

My uncle was good at hustling pool. He would mention a tournament he won, then keep the game close but win.

HILLARY

Clever.

BEN LEVY

Did you know any of the Munich victims?

HILLARY

A couple of girls on the team got to know some of the victims. That includes one of the girls I knew well.

BEN LEVY

Horrible the way it ended.

HILLARY

How the world reacted taught us we were on our own.

BEN LEVY

You think other countries didn't react properly?

HILLARY

The Olympics resumed the day after the massacre. The captured terrorists free after a month.

BEN LEVY

I see what you mean.

HILLARY

Didn't react properly is an understatement.

INT: LEVY AND RUSSO'S ROOM - NIGHT

Levy appears agitated and Russo looks concerned.

VINNY RUSSO

Levy, what's wrong?

BEN LEVY

Nothing.

VINNY RUSSO

That's a lot of shaking over nothing.

BEN LEVY

I don't want to talk about it.

VINNY RUSSO

Whatever it is, we can talk it out.

BEN LEVY

Thanks, but just leave me alone.

VINNY RUSSO

Okay. I'm right here if you change your mind. Okay?

BEN LEVY

Okay. Thanks.

INT: HOTEL POOL - DAY

Hillary and YARON, 30, tall with a muscular build, are in a tight race.

AVI, mid-20s, average height and build, wearing swimming trunks, sits and watches poolside.

DAVID, 50, average height, slight pot belly, wearing short pants, sits at a table and looks on, amused.

Hillary wins the race.

Hillary climbs out of the pool. She is giddy.

YARON

Two out of three?

HILLARY

I'll take the money now. We'll double the wager next time. How about you Avi?

AVI

I'll stick with the original bet?

HILLARY

We'll have to talk about that.

Yaron gives Hillary the money.

The trio collect their belongings. David gestures Hillary to come to him. Avi and Yaron exit.

Hillary sits at David's table.

DAVID

How long do you plan on hustling them?

HILLARY

For as long as they fall for it.

DAVID

Keeping the race close on purpose and winning, clever.

HILLARY

The American taught me that one.

DAVID

You did the same with him?

HILLARY

No bet and I let him win.

DAVID

He knew that?

HILLARY

Yes, he also had me confess as a test.  
He's smart.

DAVID

Smart and perceptive a complex  
combination. We'll see if it pays off.

INT: CAR PARKED - DAY

Hillary has a good view of Büyük Han. She is anxious. She watches the area. She spots Ben.

EXT: BÜYÜK HAN - DAY

Ben, 35mm camera hanging from his neck, ambles towards the entrance.

Hillary drives up to him.

HILLARY

Get in!

Ben hurries into the car. Hillary burns rubber.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

Ben struggles to get his seatbelt on.

HILLARY

The answer is 'yes'?

BEN

I'll do it.

HILLARY

We'll celebrate.

BEN

I just want to know what I have to do.  
I'm not in the mood to celebrate.

INT: CAR STANDING - DAY

Ben and Hillary are in the vehicle.

HILLARY

I'll meet you tomorrow. Same time.

BEN

Alright, same time, same place?

HILLARY

Yes. It's alright if you're empty handed.  
Be careful.

BEN

I'll be careful.

HILLARY

Good. Thank you.

INT: HOTEL LOBBY - DAY

Hillary enters. She makes eye contact with Yaron. They exchange gestures.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

Avi is driving. Yaron is in the passenger seat. David and Hillary are in the back seat.

HILLARY

He said he would do it.

DAVID

Yes, but will he go through with it?

HILLARY

He was business like. Committed.

DAVID

It's best we have something to hold over him.

HILLARY

He may be easier to convince tomorrow.

DAVID

Let's just hope he comes tomorrow. He's not hooked yet.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

It's a secluded spot. Hillary is driving. Ben has a knapsack on his lap.

Hillary stops the car.

HILLARY

What do you have?

Ben hands her a manila folder from his knapsack. She looks at the contents. The papers have US and UK only caveats on them.

HILLARY (CONT'D)

Very good.

She presents an envelope to him.

HILLARY (CONT'D)

This is for you.

Ben peeks and sees money. He puts the envelope on the dashboard in front of Hillary.

BEN

I'm not doing this for the money.

HILLARY

We know, but we want you to have it.

BEN

I'm doing this for Israel. No other reason. Understand.

HILLARY

You're taking a risk. You should get some kind of compensation.

BEN

I can only do this if I don't get any kind of compensation.

Hillary tucks the folder and envelope under her seat and starts the car.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

Hillary stops at a luxurious beachfront hotel.

HILLARY

I rented a hotel room.

BEN

I am going to get a taxi. When and where should we meet again?

HILLARY

Can't we discuss this in the room?

Ben opens the door and steps out.

BEN

Same time and place?

HILLARY

Alright!

Ben runs away.

Hillary closes the passenger door. She takes the money envelope from under the seat and puts it in her handbag.

Yaron rushes to the car. Hillary exits the vehicle.

YARON

What happened?

HILLARY

We got something.

Yaron climbs into the car and Hillary marches towards the hotel.

INT: HOTEL ROOM - DAY

It has a king size bed and typical economy hotel furnishings. Hillary opens the door, steps in and walks to the foot of the bed.

HILLARY

He didn't come with me.

Avi, box in hand, rushes in. He removes a bug from under the bed. He removes another bug from behind a night table.

David saunters to Hillary. Avi takes a small peg from the box and uses it to cover a small hole in the wall across from the bed.

HILLARY

He didn't take the money either.

She takes the money envelope from her handbag and hands it to David.

DAVID

I'm surprised you didn't take the money.

HILLARY

I was tempted.

David and Hillary are amused. David turns serious.

DAVID

We'll have to ensure he doesn't stray.

INT: OFFICE - DAY

There are four desks and eight chairs. Yaron and Avi are sitting at desks. Hillary is standing, David is pacing.

DAVID

You keep offering him money. At some point he'll take it.

HILLARY

He sounded sincere.

DAVID

I'm sure he was. The money lets him know we appreciate him.

AVI

We try to give him the same envelope every time he delivers?

YARON

Could he consider it an insult?

DAVID

Would you?

YARON

I'd take the money.

HILLARY

It's a good thing I didn't leave it in the car.

They're all amused.

DAVID

It's only a matter of time before he wants it all.

AVI

Are we going to keep hotel rooms?

DAVID

We'll keep them until his next day off.  
Hillary will take him to Tel Aviv if we  
haven't gotten him by then.

HILLARY

If he won't go to a hotel room with me,  
what makes you think he'll come to Tel  
Aviv?

DAVID

Don't hint that it's more than you taking  
him on a sightseeing tour.

YARON

You expect the Israeli air will make him  
passionate?

DAVID

All we need is a picture of him at Natbag.  
He's not allowed to leave Cyprus without  
permission.

INT: CAR - DAY

Ben opens the door and slides in. He closes the door and  
Hillary steps hard on the accelerator. Ben, uneasy, takes  
an envelope from his knapsack.

HILLARY

Put it under the seat. You are off for  
the next two days?

BEN

I am.

HILLARY

Good, I'll take you to Israel. Show you  
the people you're helping.

BEN

I can't do that.

HILLARY

Why not?

BEN

I can't leave Cyprus without permission.

HILLARY

You smuggled out classified information and gave it to me. That's enough to send you to prison for many years.

BEN

I don't want to break more rules than I have to.

HILLARY

No one will know.

BEN

I will know.

HILLARY

You're missing out on a good time.

BEN

I'm not in this for fun.

INT: CAR DRIVING - DAY

Hillary drives to the Israeli Embassy.

HILLARY

Please come inside. I'd like you to at least see Israeli hospitality.

BEN

Alright.

Hillary parks the car.

EXT: PARKING AREA - DAY

Hillary and Ben step out of the car and they promenade to the Embassy. Hillary is carrying her handbag.

Avi, attaché case in hand, watches Hillary and Ben enter the building. He acts casual as he unlocks and opens Hillary's driver's side door.

INT: OFFICE - DAY

David and Hillary are present.

DAVID

We went through a lot more effort than we had to.

HILLARY

Better to keep it simple with him?

DAVID

Yes, the car recordings and pictures inside and leaving the embassy should be enough.

HILLARY

I doubt we'll need them anyway.

DAVID

It's best not to take chances.

INT: CAR - DAY

Secluded spot. Ben puts an envelope under his seat. Hillary reaches for her handbag. Ben waves her off.

INT: OFFICE - DAY

David and Hillary are present.

HILLARY

He's been strictly business since the embassy tour.

DAVID

That's the type of person we need.

HILLARY

You're right. It just feels odd he doesn't take the money.

DAVID

I'm surprised he hasn't asked other compensation from you.

HILLARY

He might have religious scruples.

DAVID

Even the Rebes have shiksas.

HILLARY

How long does it take to get that cynical?

DAVID

I think for you it'll be inside a year.

HILLARY

Remind me to stop asking you personal questions.

INT: CAR - DAY

Secluded spot. Hillary has on a modest dress and blouse. Ben puts an envelope under his seat.

HILLARY

Answer still, no?

BEN

Still no.

HILLARY

I'm required to ask.

BEN

I understand.

INT: CAR - DAY

SUPER: "July 15"

Secluded spot. Hillary has on a modest dress and blouse. Ben has on dress shoes, pressed pants, and a shirt and tie. He has a briefcase.

He takes the envelope from the briefcase and puts it under his seat.

BEN

I would like some compensation.

Hillary appears disappointed.

HILLARY

There's an envelope in my handbag.

BEN

Not that kind of compensation.

HILLARY

Oh?

BEN

They're having a party at the base. I'd like if you come with me. I'd feel like a schlemiel if I show up alone.

HILLARY

I'll go with you.

BEN

Thank you. I appreciate this.

EXT: SECLUDED STREET - DAY

Hillary, handbag slung over her shoulder, and Ben stroll along.

Two slow moving government sedans come up from behind. The lead sedan makes a sharp turn in front of Hillary and Ben. The other sedan stops beside Hillary and Ben.

A LARGE MAN in a suit, bolts from the second sedan. He's holding a badge. Two MEN IN SUITS jump out of the other vehicle. Hillary moves to run but LARGE MAN grabs her arm.

LARGE MAN

You're under arrest!

HILLARY

Diplomatic immunity!

LARGE MAN

Yea, right!

Large Man takes her handbag and shoves here into the car.  
The other vehicle, with Ben in the back, drives off.

INT: OFFICE - DAY

Large Man takes Hillary in. He puts her in a seat in front of an executive desk. SAM COHEN, handsome, tall, mid-30s, medium build, wearing a well-tailored suit, stands next to the desk.

Sam Cohen gives a slight gesture and Large Man leaves the room.

SAM COHEN

Mossad still uses the honey trap. A bit dated.

HILLARY

It works.

SAM COHEN

Not in this case.

HILLARY

How did you find out?

SAM COHEN

How much did you pay Petty Officer Levy?

HILLARY

He wouldn't accept any money or other compensation.

SAM COHEN

He was telling the truth. An honest man.

HILLARY

He talked.

BEGIN FLASHBACK:

INT: HANDSOME MAN'S OFFICE - DAY

SUPER: "May 4"

Sam Cohen sits at his desk reading *The Ultra Secret*. There is a black and a gray phone at his desk. The gray phone rings.

SAM COHEN

Sam Cohen here.

Sam puts the book down.

SAM COHEN

Put him on the phone.

BEN LEVY (V.O.)

Yes sir.

SAM COHEN

What did you tell the foreign agent?

BEN LEVY (V.O.)

I said I'd have to think about it. I said I'd meet her tomorrow if I decide to do it.

SAM COHEN

You should have given us more time.

BEN LEVY (V.O.)

Sorry sir, it was my first time.

SAM COHEN

I'll see if I can get a flight to Cyprus. This is top secret.

BEN LEVY (V.O.)

Yes sir.

SAM COHEN

Put on the security officer.

INT: OFFICE - NIGHT

Sam Cohen sits at a metal desk. A chair is in front of the desk. An open folder is on the desk. The door cracks open and Ben, in uniform, leans in.

SAM COHEN

Petty Officer Levy.

BEN LEVY

Yes sir.

SAM COHEN

Well come in and sit down.

Ben takes the seat.

SAM COHEN (CONT'D)

When this Hillary Hagedorn told you she worked for the Israeli embassy, why didn't you report it immediately?

BEN LEVY

She speaks perfect American English. It seemed she was playing some kind of game. I thought the cultural attaché story was something she made up.

SAM COHEN

Any other reason why you doubted her?

BEN LEVY

Her car didn't have diplomatic plates.

SAM COHEN

Very observant. Still, you kept seeing her.

BEN LEVY

She was fun to be with.

SAM COHEN

Who cares as long as she puts out?

Sam Cohen notices Ben's reaction.

SAM COHEN (CONT'D)

I'm sorry on both counts. Anyway, how did you get her badge number?

BEN LEVY

When I asked for proof, she showed me her badge. I thought the number might be important. I have a very good memory.

BEN LEVY

Good. Tell me everything she told you and how you answered on your last meeting.

END FLASHBACK:

INT: OFFICE - DAY

Sam Cohen sits at the desk.

SAM COHEN

He told us about you right away. We controlled everything he gave you.

HILLARY

They said it always works.

SAM COHEN

We would have kept this up longer, but he and many others are going to be evacuated.

HILLARY

Evacuated?

SAM COHEN

Turkey won't stand still for today's junta.

HILLARY

You knew about it?

SAM COHEN

We're not the boobs you Mossad types take us for.

HILLARY

I suppose not.

SAM COHEN

Now what to do about you?

HILLARY

I have diplomatic immunity.

SAM COHEN

Hillary Hagedorn. Born in Los Angeles, emigrated to Israel with her parents when she was 15.

HILLARY

More showing off?

SAM COHEN

Dual U.S. - Israeli citizenship. That makes you a traitor.

HILLARY

You're kidding me.

SAM COHEN

No, but that would cause some problems. We could hand you over to Interpol, they would be interested in some murders in France and Italy.

HILLARY

Diplomatic immunity.

SAM COHEN

We can get around that. There was also a recent double murder right here.

HILLARY

I demand to contact the Israeli Embassy.

SAM COHEN

Your cover is blown.

HILLARY

I know that.

SAM COHEN

All you have to do is work for us.

HILLARY

I'll need time to think about this.

SAM COHEN

Decided now or you stay here until I decide.

Sam Cohen creeps close to her.

SAM COHEN (CONT'D)

We're on the same side. It's not like I'm asking you to betray your country.

HILLARY

My own words against me. Alright, I'll do it.

SAM COHEN

I'm glad, we're all winners. You double cross us, we'll know. Understand?

HILLARY

Yes.

SAM COHEN

Make up whatever you like about you and Levy. Tell your superior about the evacuation and that Turkey will respond militarily.

HILLARY

Yes.

SAM COHEN

Don't look so glum. You'll be helping both your countries and being well compensated.

Hillary puts on a smile.

FADE OUT:

THE END