1 EXT. CITY STREET - DAY 2 0845

1

Rush hour, hundreds of people, but all reduced to a longlens blur foreground & background, to focus on: MARTHA JONES, walking along. 23, facing another day at work, just another face in the crowd. Hold on this.

Then her mobile rings, she recognises the number, and she's already smiling as she answers -

MARTHA

You're up early! What's happening?

CONTINUED, INTERCUT WITH -

CUT TO:

2 INT. TISH'S FLAT - DAY 2 0845 2

Bedroom, TISH JONES, 24, running round - a mess, clothes

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MARTHA (CONT'D)

(beep)

Hold on, that's Mum, call you back -

CUT TO:

# 4 INT. FRANCINE'S KITCHEN - DAY 2 0846

4

Nice semi-detatched. FRANCINE JONES on the phone, 47, slim, professional, packing her briefcase, all on the move:

#### FRANCINE

I don't mind your father making a fool of himself in private, but this is Leo's twenty-first, everyone's going to be there, and the entire family is going to look ridiculous -

MARTHA

CUT TO:

# 5 <u>INT. CLIVE'S STREET - DAY 2 0846</u>

5

CLIVE JONES, 49, getting into nifty second-hand sportscar - it's way too young for him, very mid-life-crisis.

CLIVE

Martha, now tell your mother, Leo is my son, and I'm paying for half that party, I'm entitled to bring who I like -

MARTHA

I know, but think what it's going to look like for Mum, if you're standing there with Annalise -

CLIVE

What's wrong with Annalise?

ANNALISE jumps into the car. All 21 years of her. Dressed like a Big Brother eviction night.

ANNALISE

Is that Martha? Say hi!
 (leans over)
Hi Martha! Hii-iii!

MARTHA

...hiiii Annalise.

ANNALISE

Big kisses! Lots of love! See you at the party babes! (to Clive)
Now take me shopping, big boy.

Clive & Annalise, big smoochy kiss -

Martha revolted! Oh! As she holds the phone away -

A MAN steps out in front of her, making her stop -

THE DOCTOR

Like so!

And with a big smile, he takes his tie off. Holds it up.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

D'you see?

And with that, he runs off.

Martha shrugs it off. Nutter. She walks on. Her phone rings. Defiant, she bleeps it off. Not worn down by any of this; she keeps her humour, head held high.

FX: REVERSE, Martha walking away from CAMERA, but in the distance, storm clouds gathering. Lightning, far off.

CUT TO:

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# 6 EXT. HOSPITAL - DAY 2 0855

SIGN saying ROYAL HOPE HOSPITAL. Big, central building, modern (but not too new), one central tower block with many extensions leading off. MARTHA heading inside.

Behind her, a MOTORCYCLE COURIER is also walking towards the Hospital, fast, marching along. He just clips her as he overtakes her, but keeps on walking.

MARTHA

Oy! Watch it, mate!

He turns back. Stares at her. Faceless. Something unnerving in his absolute stillness.

Martha a bit spooked.

Then he walks on, striding away. Martha unsettled, though she shakes it off, continues on her way.

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MR STOKER

And the night before?

FLORENCE

Salad again.

MR STOKER

And salad every night for the past week, contrary to my instructions. Salt deficiency, that's all. Simple, honest salt.

JUMP CUT TO:

# 9 INT. WARD CORRIDOR, NEAR LIFT - DAY 2 1005

9

(NB, the WARDS & CORRIDORS are on Floor 6.) MR STOKER striding along, the MEDICAL STUDENTS following like ducks, including MARTHA, JULIA & MORGENSTERN.

MR STOKER

Hippocrates himself expounded on the virtues of salt. Recommended the inhalation of steam from seawater. Though no doubt, if he'd been afflicted with my students, his oaths might have been rather more colourful.

Martha glances as they pass the MOTORCYCLE COURIER - stay on him as they sweep into the next ward -

The courier turns to face the lifts. The lift door opens -

Standing inside: A SECOND MOTORCYCLE COURIER. Identical. He joins the first, both walk off in unison. Like soldiers.

CUT TO:

# 10 INT. MALE WARD - DAY 2 1010

10

MR STOKER leads the MEDICAL STUDENTS - MARTHA, MORGENSTERN, JULIA & others - to another bed, a NURSE joining them.

MR STOKER

Now then, Mr Smith, a very good morning, and how are you today?

REVEAL, in bed: the MAN from sc.5, in pyjamas.

THE DOCTOR

Oh, not so bad. Still a bit, y'know. Blehhh.

MR STOKER

John Smith, admitted yesterday with severe abdominal pains - Jones, why don't you see what you can find? Amaze me.

Martha moving forward, but puzzled:

MARTHA

Well it wasn't very clever running round outside, was it?

THE DOCTOR

Sorry?

MARTHA

On Chancellor Street, this morning. You came up to me and took your tie off.

THE DOCTOR

Really? What did I do that for?

MARTHA

I don't know, you just did.

THE DOCTOR

Not me, I was here, I was in bed, you can ask the nurses.

MARTHA

That's weird, cos it looked like you, have you got a brother?

THE DOCTOR

Nope, not any more. Just me!

MR STOKER

As time passes and I grow ever more infirm and weary, Miss Jones..?

MARTHA

Sorry, um. Right...

She puts the stethoscope to left of his chest. Ba-boom-ba-boom-ba-boom. But under that, an echo..? She looks up at the Doctor, puzzled. He just gives a big smile.

She moves the stethoscope over, to his right side. A second heartbeat, ba-boom-ba-boom-ba-boom.

Martha looks up, astonished, right into the Doctor's eyes.

And he gives her the smallest wink.

MR STOKER

I weep for future generations, but are you having trouble locating the heart, Miss Jones?

Moment broken - Martha steps back, covers it:

MARTHA

Um, I don't know. Stomach cramps..?

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MR STOKER

That's a symptom, not a diagnosis, and you rather failed basic techniques by not consulting first with the patient's chart -

He picks up the Doctor's clipboard, on the end of the bed -

FX: blue zig-zag of electricity between Stoker's hand and the metal clip of the clipboard - he drops it -

MR STOKER (CONT'D)

Ouch!

MARTHA

That happened to me this morning.

MORGENSTERN

I had the same off the door handle.

JULIA

And me, in the lift.

MR STOKER

Only to be expected, there's a thunderstorm moving in, lightning being a form of static electricity, as first proven by, anyone?

THE DOCTOR

Benjamin Franklin.

MR STOKER

Correct.

THE DOCTOR

My mate Ben! That was a day and a half, I got rope burns off that kite. And then I got soaked!

MR STOKER

...quite.

THE DOCTOR

And then, I got electrocuted!

MR STOKER

Moving on.

(mutters to nurse)

I think, a visit from Psychiatric.

The students leave, Martha looking back for a second, intrigued. The Doctor just beams at her.

CUT TO:

# 11 EXT. HOSPITAL - DAY 2 1100

FX: GREY CLOUDS fill the sky overhead. A bolt of lightning.

CUT TO:

# 12 INT. STAFF KITCHEN, HOSPITAL - DAY 2 1220

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At the windows: rain coming down outside, hard.

It's one of those narrow corridor-like staff kitchens, just off the general wards; functional, cupboards, kettle. MARTHA on her mobile, JULIA beside her, making coffee.

MARTHA

No, listen, I've worked out a plan, we tell Annalise that the buffet tonight is 100% carbohydrate, and she won't turn up!

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CUT TO:

# 13 EXT. CITY STREET - DAY 2 1220

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INTERCUT WITH STAFF KITCHEN.

TISH walking along, on her mobile. It's damp and rainy, though nowhere near as bad as the rain around the hospital.

TISH

I wish you'd take this seriously, that's our inheritance she's spending. On fake tan! Tell you what, I'm not that far away, I'll meet you for a sandwich, we can draw up a battle plan -

MARTHA

What, in this weather? I'm not going out, it's pouring down.

TISH

Come on, it's not that bad -

And on that, Tish turns a corner -

FX: a good mile away, dark clouds and heavy rain over the Hospital, noticeably heavier.

TISH (CONT'D)

Oh, take it back. God, that's weird. The storm's right on top of you. I can see it, from here, it's right on top of the hospital.

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MARTHA

Well I'm definitely not going out

then.

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TISH

No, I'd stay inside if I were you, it just looks... weird.

**MARTHA** 

Yeah, but anyway, I've got a plan, this is what we do -

And Martha turns away from the window, faces the door -

THE DOCTOR, in pyjamas & dressing gown, hurries past - a glance at Martha, he seems worried, but then he's gone -

MARTHA (CONT'D)

- we tell Dad and Annalise to get there early, about seven thirty, and we get Leo there at the same time so we can do all that birthday stuff, but we tell Mum to get there for about eight thirty, nine, and that gives me time to have a word with Annalise, and maybe I could tell her... What?

That, at Julia, who's staring beyond Martha, at the window.

JULIA

...the rain.

**MARTHA** 

It's only rain.

TISH OOV

(quiet)

Martha. Have you seen the rain?

**MARTHA** 

Why's everyone fussing about rain?

Said, turning round to the window. And Martha stops dead.

FX: the window. The rain on the glass is running UP.

JULIA

...it's going <u>up</u>.

TISH OOV

The rain is going up.

Martha & Julia walk forward, gobsmacked...

FX: REVERSE from the opposite side of the window, tracking in on Martha & Julia, water running up the glass...

CUT TO CITY STREET, Tish still on the phone - the rain normal about her - but she's just gaping, and other PEOPLE beginning to stop and stare...

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FX: the Hospital in the distance, ominous grey clouds circling right overhead, rain flying upwards, hugging close to the building, an unnatural sight.

FX: Trish's POV, bolts of lightning all around the Hospital - and again, they're going up, ground to sky -

CUT TO the Staff Kitchen -

FX: flashes of lightning, close to the window, and then -

FX: slam! - the window fills with solid bright white light -

Martha & Julia throw their hands up, blinded -

And all hell breaks loose! Like an earthquake - with the window staying a bright, constant white, the whole room shakes violently - with a whumph!, Martha & Julia thrown left! - whumph! - right! - whumph! - left again - !

The cupboards fly open, stuff flying out, then being flung in the opposite direction - like a ship at sea, in a storm -

Martha & Julia drop to the floor, CAMERA down with them.

And then... It stops.

Calm. Silence. Hushed:

MARTHA

What the hell was that ..?

ATITIT

You all right?

MARTHA

Think so, yeah.

And they stand, cautious. Shaking off broken crockery.

MARTHA (CONT'D)

Felt like an earthquake, or..?

JULIA

Martha. It's night.

Through the window: PITCH BLACK.

JULIA (CONT'D)

But... It was lunchtime...

REVERSE through the window, looking in on Martha, as she slowly walks forward, to look out. Her mind is screaming. But she contains it; she's got to.

MARTHA

It's not night.

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JULIA

But it's got to be, it's dark...

Julia walks forward, to join Martha. Then she just stares.

FX: THEIR POV, outside the window. The surface of THE MOON. With the Earth beyond, suspended in the night sky.

**MARTHA** 

We're on the Moon.

JULIA

...can't be.

MARTHA

We're on the Moon. We're on the bloody Moon.

CUT TO:

# 14 EXT. FX SHOT

WIDE SHOT. The surface of the Moon. With the ROYAL HOPE HOSPITAL sitting there. The central tower, and all its extensions. At its base, bits of road, tarmac & cement, are ripped off, where the building was gouged out of the ground; but otherwise, everything's intact.

CUT TO:

# 15 EXT. HOSPITAL - NIGHT 2 1223

FX SHOT: CLOSER on the MAIN TOWER - most windows lit, the last few lights flickering on. Windows filling with people, hundreds of silhouettes, as they approach the glass.

CUT TO:

# 16 <u>EXT. WINDOWS - NIGHT 2 1223</u>

(NB, all Moon scenes now designated NIGHT, though time-of-day is continuous with the same DAY 2.)

CUTTING even CLOSER to the main building -

SHOT of FEMALE WARD WINDOW, looking in. PATIENTS & STAFF start to fill the window, staring out, awestruck, hands against the glass, unable to believe what they're seeing...

SHOT OF MALE WARD WINDOW, looking in. PATIENTS & STAFF slowly approaching the window, staring out...

SHOT OF MR STOKER'S OFFICE WINDOW, looking in. MR STOKER walking up to the glass, open-mouthed...

FX: REVERSE, the surface of the Moon. Undeniable!

And then...

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One WOMAN starts to scream.

Then another WOMAN. Then a MAN.

Then the whole MALE WARD WINDOW full of PEOPLE, panicking.

Then the FEMALE WARD WINDOW, PEOPLE screaming, some sobbing, some wailing, some praying, absolute hysteria, scared witless by that terrible, impossible view.

CUT TO:

# 17 EXT. HOSPITAL - DAY 2 1225

17

TISH terrified - running, running, running -

Until she's stopped by a POLICEMAN.

TISH

Oh my God. Oh my God...

FX SHOT, REVERSE on Tish & others on the edge of a HOLE. A great big crater, gouged out of the ground, where the Hospital used to be, surrounded by buildings on either side. A fountain of water from a broken water pipe.

FX SHOT: EVEN WIDER, the City surrounding the HOLE.

CUT BACK TO TISH, escaping the POLICEMAN, into her mobile:

TISH (CONT'D)

Martha, can you hear me? Martha? Are you there? Martha??!

And she's walking past a big blue box.

CUT TO:

# 18 <u>INT. HOSPITAL WARD CORRIDOR A - NIGHT 2 1225</u>

18

PANIC! MARTHA running down the corridor - JULIA, already crying, but following - and all around -

PATIENTS, VISITORS, STAFF, running left and right, SNATCHED GLIMPSES OF: a WOMAN sitting on the floor, rocking to and fro - two WOMEN hugging, crying, desperate - a MAN in hospital gowns just yelling 'Help me!' like a maniac -

Martha runs to another window -

FX: same view, the Moon, the Earth in the sky.

Martha runs on, Julia following - pushing past FLORENCE, bewildered, in her nightie but clutching a patent black handbag, still genteel in the madness -

FLORENCE

- have you seen Mr Stoker - ?

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MARTHA

I'm sorry, I can't -

- Martha pushes on -

CUT TO:

# 19 <u>INT. MALE WARD - NIGHT 2 1226</u>

19

MARTHA runs in - heading for the window -

- there's one OLD MAN cowering in bed, another two MEN on the floor, crying - and THE DOCTOR at his bed; as Martha runs past, he draws the curtains round, out of sight -

MARTHA

All right, now everyone, back to bed, we've got an emergency, but we'll sort it out, don't worry -

And Martha & Julia reach the window.

FX: same view, Moon, Earth. Quiet again:

MARTHA (CONT'D)

It's real, it's really... real.
Hold on -

She goes to open the window -

JULIA

Don't! We'll lose all the air!

MARTHA

They're not exactly airtight. If the air was gonna get sucked out, it would've happened straight away, but it didn't, so how come?

And the screens are pulled back from around the bed -

The Doctor, fully dressed!

THE DOCTOR

Very good point! Brilliant, in fact, what was your name?

MARTHA

Martha.

THE DOCTOR

And it was Jones, wasn't it? Right then, Martha Jones, question is: how are we still breathing?

JULIA

(crying) We can't be.

MARTHA

I've got a party tonight. My brother's twenty first. Oh, my mother's gonna be...

For a second, she could cry. Stops herself. Pause.

THE DOCTOR

You okay?

MARTHA

Yeah.

THE DOCTOR

Sure?

MARTHA

Yeah.

THE DOCTOR

D'you want to go back in?

MARTHA

No way. Cos... I mean, we could die, any minute, but all the same... (smiles)

It's beautiful.

THE DOCTOR

D'you think?

MARTHA

How many people want to go to the Moon? And here we are.

THE DOCTOR

Standing in the earthlight.

Pause, both still looking out. Calm, but more serious:

MARTHA

What d'you think happened?

THE DOCTOR

What do you think?

MARTHA

Extraterrestrial. Got to be. I dunno, few years ago, that would've sounded mad, but these days... that spaceship flying into Big Ben. Christmas. And those Cybermen things, that battle in the sky... (beat)

I had a cousin, Adeola. She worked at Canary Wharf. Never came home.

On the Doctor, looking at her, realising.

THE DOCTOR

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I'm sorry.

MARTHA

Yeah.

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THE DOCTOR

I was there, in the battle, it was...

Long silence. He's still raw.

MARTHA

I promise you, Mr Smith, we'll find a way out. If we can travel to the Moon, then we can travel back, there's got to be a way.

THE DOCTOR

It's not Smith. That's not my real name.

MARTHA

Who are you, then?

THE DOCTOR

I'm the Doctor.

MARTHA

Me too, if I ever pass my exams. What is it then, Dr Smith?

THE DOCTOR

Just the Doctor.

**MARTHA** 

How d'you mean, just the Doctor?

THE DOCTOR

Just, the Doctor.

MARTHA

What, people call you "the Doctor"?

THE DOCTOR

Yep.

MARTHA

Well I'm not. Far as I'm concerned, you've got to earn that title.

He squats down to the floor, searching -

THE DOCTOR

I'd better make a start then, let's have a look, there must be some sort of...

He finds a stone chipping, stands, chucks it over the edge -

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FX: vwop!, it's like the stone passes through an invisible membrane, which wobbles, ripples blue, then fades.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Forcefield. Keeping the air in.

**MARTHA** 

But if that's... say, it's like a bubble, sealing us in. That means, this is all the air we've got. What happens when it runs out?

THE DOCTOR

How many people in this hospital?

MARTHA

Dunno, thousand?

THE DOCTOR

One thousand people, suffocating.

MARTHA

Why would anyone do that?

A thrrrmmmmmm in the air - both looking round -

THE DOCTOR

Ask 'em yourself. Heads up!

FX: THREE SPACESHIPS fly overhead, appearing from behind and above the Hospital roof. They're like tubes, but massive upright tubes - they stay upright always, no need to be aerodynamic - the size of office blocks, studded with levels and lights, all very functional and military.

Martha automatically grabs hold of the Doctor as they watch -

FX: the three ships start to descend, half a mile away -

CUT TO:

21 EXT. WINDOWS - NIGHT 2 1233

21

As sc.18, CAMERA looking in - FEMALE WARD, PEOPLE now running back to the windows, urgent, to stare out -

CUT TO MALE WARD, some PEOPLE crying at the glass, more

MR STOKER

Names! What does it matter? What are names now, when something unnameable is marching towards us? Across the Moon! Two more years, I thought, just two more years, then retire to Florida. But there's Florida, in the sky, I can see it! (suddenly quiet)

My daughter. She's still in university. I'm never going to see her again.

FLORENCE

But I need help, Mr Stoker.

MR STOKER

I can't do anything!

FLORENCE

Oh, I think you can.

And the TWO MOTORCYCLE COURIERS enter, stand beside her. Florence a lot colder, now, though still polite.

FLORENCE (CONT'D)

You see, there are great tests to come. And terrible deeds. Some of them my own. But if I'm to survive this, then I need you.

MR STOKER

I'm sorry, but... what do you two want? It's a bit late to sign for something!

FLORENCE

These are my lovely boys. I prefer not to get my hands dirty.

MR STOKER

What are you talking about?

FLORENCE

Blood. Specifically, yours.

She snaps her fingers -

The two Couriers stride forward - grab Mr Stoker -

MR STOKER

- what are you doing? What the hell - ? Get off me, let go of me -

But each is holding one of his arms, facing Florence. Stoker trapped, terrified, as Florence walks closer, musing:

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Bo! Sco! Fo! Do! No! Kro! Blo! Co! Sho! Ro!

On command, all the Judoon raise weapons -

Morgenstern steps forward, brave.

MORGENSTERN

Um. We are citizens of Planet Earth. We welcome you in peace -

The Captain strides forward, slams him up against the wall. Then the Captain holds up a mini-torch device. He shines white PRAC LIGHT down Morgenstern's throat -

MORGENSTERN (CONT'D)

No, don't hurt me, I was trying to help, I'm sorry, don't hurt me, please don't hurt me -

The Captain holds up the device, presses a button. Morgenstern's voice plays back, high-pitched, fast, 'Nodonthurtmeiwastryingtohelpimsorryplease - '

The Captain jams the device into a nozzle on his own chest. A whirr, he shudders, then, a deep guttural voice:

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Language assimilated. Designation: EarthEnglish. You will be catalogued.

The Captain holds up a second device, another small handheld tube, shines it on Morgenstern's forehead. PRAC BLUE LIGHT - wip-wip-wip! noise -

JUDOON CAPTAIN (CONT'D)

Category: Human.

And he takes hold of Morgenstern's hand, flips the device round - the other end is a thick magic marker, and he draws an X on the back of Morgenstern's hand. To his troops:

JUDOON CAPTAIN (CONT'D)

Catalogue all suspects!

Judoon stride forward - people shrink back. But all the Judoon have one of the second devices, use it to shine blue light on someone's forehead,

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He's heading back to the stairs. And - damn him! - she follows.

CUT TO FLOOR LEVEL, the CAPTAIN calls out:

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Troop Five, Floor One! Troop Six, Floor Two! Identify Humans and find the transgressor! Find it!

CUT TO:

26 INT. STAIRWELL - NIGHT 2 1240

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JUDOON yomp up the stairs - big heavy boots stomping, they're brutish thugs, unstoppable -

CUT TO:

27 INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1243

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THE DOCTOR & MARTHA run out of the stairwell - a sign saying FLOOR 6 - and down the corridor -

PEOPLE have sunk into themselves in misery, huddled on the floor. The Doctor & Martha hop round & over them, fast -

CUT TO:

28 INT. FIRST FLOOR CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 1243

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FLOOR 1 SIGN. The doors at one end slam! open - JUDOON march in -

People scream! Stand, run, panicking - genuine, raw fear -

But as they run one way, more JUDOON burst through the opposite end - the JUDOON CAPTAIN yelling:

JUDOON CAPTAIN Prepare to be catalogued!

MORGENSTERN's behind him - ignored by the Captain -

MORGENSTERN

Just do what they say! All they want to do is shine this light-thing, it's all right, they're not gonna hurt us, just listen to them -

But people are trapped in the middle of the corridor, not listening, terrified, some crouching down, begging -

One MAN picks up a chair, swings it at the nearest Judoon - it just breaks over his back, harmless.

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Charge: physical assault. Plea: guilty. Sentence: execution.

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And he lifts up his big, heavy gun -

FX: a strong, thick, vicious red beam blasts out -

FX: MAN screams, wrapped in red light, burns into nothing.

All the people screaming now, desperate. And the Judoon advance. Grab people, one by one, begin the process, light, forehead, wip-wip-wip!, 'Human', X. Morgenstern, helpless:

MORGENSTERN

You didn't have to do that.

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Justice is swift.

CUT TO:

#### 29 INT. NURSES' STATION, WARD CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 1244

The NURSES' STATION is the central part of the corridor, a wider open space with a big counter/desk, admin, etc. THE DOCTOR sonicking the computer, MARTHA just running up -

MARTHA

They've reached the third floor what's that thing?

THE DOCTOR

Sonic screwdriver.

MARTHA

Well if you're not gonna answer me properly.

THE DOCTOR

It really is! It's a screwdriver! And it's sonic! Look!

MARTHA

What else have you got? Laser spanner?

THE DOCTOR

I did, but it was stolen by Emily Pankhurst, that cheeky woman -(of the computer)

What's wrong with this computer?! The Judoon must have locked it

down. Judoon Platoon, upon the Moon.

(feverish)

Cos, I was just travelling past, I swear, I was just wandering, I wasn't looking for trouble, honestly, I wasn't.

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THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

But I noticed plasma coils around the Hospital - like, that lightning, that's a plasma coil, it's been building up for two days now - so I checked in, I thought something was going on *inside*. Turns out, the plasma coils were the Judoon, up above.

MARTHA

But what are they looking for?

THE DOCTOR

Something that looks Human, but isn't.

MARTHA

Like you, apparently.

THE DOCTOR

Like me, but not me.

MARTHA

Haven't they got a photo?

THE DOCTOR

Might be a shape-changer.

MARTHA

Well whatever it is, can't you just leave the Judoon to find it?

THE DOCTOR

If they declare the Hospital guilty of harbouring a fugitive... They'll sentence it to execution.

MARTHA

All of us?

THE DOCTOR

Oh yes. But if I can find this thing first...

(of the screen)

Oh d'you see?! They're thick, Judoon are thick, they're so completely thick, they've wiped the records! That's clever!

MARTHA

What are we looking for?

THE DOCTOR

I don't know, say, any patient admitted in the past week with unusual symptoms.

(whirrs away)

Maybe there's a back-up...

ho 3 Episode One - Shooting Script - 28/07/06 - Page 27. 32 CONTINUED: 32 THE DOCTOR You did what? PRAC FX: WHAM! - Stoker's door goes flying -THE MOTORCYCLE COURIER strides out into the corridor. And the Doctor grabs Martha's hand. THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) Run. And they do -CUT TO: 33 INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS 33 THE DOCTOR & MARTHA run down the corridor, leap over PEOPLE not holding hands for long, cos it's easier not to -THE MOTORCYCLE COURIER runs, fast -The Doctor & Martha run into the stairwell -CUT TO: 34 INT. STAIRWELL - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS 34 THE DOCTOR & MARTHA run down the stairs -Above them, the MOTORCYCLE COURIER runs down, fast -The Doctor & Martha stop - below them: JUDOON, yomping up the stairs -The Doctor charges through the Floor 5 door -CUT TO: 35 INT. 5TH FLOOR CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS 35 THE DOCTOR & MARTHA run out on to Floor 5 -Long, endless corridors, as long as possible; not a ward

Long, endless corridors, as long as possible; not a ward floor, this is a more technical area, deserted, empty and echoing. The Doctor & Martha run, run, like a nightmare -

Behind them, the MOTORCYCLE COURIER bursts on to Floor 5. And he runs, really runs, like Robert Patrick in Terminator 2, a proper, lethal, focused run, belting along, vicious -

The Doctor & Martha swing round a corner -

CUT TO:

36 INT. 5TH FLOOR CORRIDOR #2 - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS

36

Another nightmarish long stretch - THE DOCTOR & MARTHA running as fast as they possibly can -

- THE MOTORCYCLE COURIER turning the corner, belting along, inhuman, unstoppable -
- catching up -
- The Doctor & Martha running -
- Courier speeding up, a running machine -
- just feet away from them -
- and the Doctor grabs Martha, swings her round into a sudden turn down a side-corridor -

CUT TO:

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so it's sticking out the top of it - and he's holding the camera at his chest, facing the door, like a gun -

- the Courier launches himself at the door again -
- wham! the door falls down flat -
- the Courier stands tall in the doorway -

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Now!

Martha slams down on the button -

FX: FLASH! The whole picture flares black & white, the Doctor's skeleton visible, the Courier with no bones, just solid mass - then back to normal, and...

The Courier topples, stiff, like a statue - and as it falls, reveal the sign X-RAY DEPARTMENT behind it.

Silence. Martha still scared, behind her screen/partition. (If it's a separate room, then this over a mic:)

MARTHA

...what did you do?

THE DOCTOR

Increased the radiation by 5000%. Killed him dead.

MARTHA

But.. isn't that gonna kill you?

THE DOCTOR

Naah, it's only Rontgen radiation, we used to play with Rontgen bricks in the nursery. It's safe for you to come out, I've absorbed it all.

Martha steps out, still staring, as the Doctor begins to shake and shudder, a little twitching dance -

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

...all I need to do is expel it, say, if I concentrate and shift the radiation out of my body and into one spot - say, my left shoe -

And his little dance is focusing on his left foot -

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Ooh! Ah! There we go, easy does it! Out, out, out, ooh, that itches, ow, ouch, hold on -

And he whips off his shoe (and sock, all in one), shoves it in a yellow-plastic lined waste/sharps bin -

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THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

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Done!

MARTHA

You're completely mad.

THE DOCTOR

You're right, I look daft with one shoe.

And he whips off his right shoe & sock, bins them.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Barefoot on the Moon!

MARTHA

(of the Courier)

So what's that thing, where's he from, the Planet Zovirax?

The Doctor kneels down beside it.

THE DOCTOR

Just a Slab, they're called Slabs. Basic slave drones, d'you see...

(squeezes its arm)

Solid leather, all the way through. Someone's got one hell of a fetish.

He goes back to the X-RAY CAMERA, removes the sonic -

MARTHA

But it was that woman, Miss Finnegan, it was working for her.

THE DOCTOR

My sonic screwdriver!

He holds it up; a crispy frazzle at one end.

MARTHA

She was one of the patients, but...
Mr Stoker, she killed him

THE DOCTOR

It burnt out the sonic screwdriver!

MARTHA

She had this straw, like some sort of vampire -

THE DOCTOR

I love my sonic screwdriver!

MARTHA

Doctor!

THE DOCTOR

Sorry.

Who 3 - Episode One - Pink Revisions - 07/08/06 - Page 31. 37 CONTINUED: (3) 37 And he chucks the sonic away, over his shoulder. Smiles: THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) You called me Doctor. **MARTHA** Anyway! Miss Finnegan is the alien, she was drinking Mr Stoker's blood. THE DOCTOR Funny time to take a snack, you'd think she'd be hiding, unless... No! Yes! That's it! Wait a minute... Yes! Shape-changer, internal shape-changer! She wasn't drinking blood, she was assimilating CUT TO: 38 INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1250 38 FLORENCE steps out into mid-corridor, calm. CUT TO JUDOON bursting in at the far end -JUDOON CAPTAIN Prepare to be catalogued! As sc.28, people scream, run -But as the pattern repeats, FLORENCE is confident, just standing there. Waiting for her verdict. CUT TO: 39 INT. X-RAY ROOM - NIGHT 2 1250 39 THE DOCTOR energised, mid-theory -THE DOCTOR - if she can assimilate Mr Stoker's blood, she can mimic the biology. She'll register as Human! CUT TO: 40 40 INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1251

FLORENCE calm, as the JUDOON CAPTAIN stands in front of her, shines the light on her forhead - wip-wip-wip!

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Human.

He marks an X on the back of her hand, stomps on.

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More panic in b/g, people scared, being tested, but Florence cradles her hand, the precious X. Smiling.

CUT TO:

41

INT. X-RAY ROOM - NIGHT 2 1251

41

# THE DOCTOR - we've got to find her, and show the Judoon - come on - ! And they run out -CUT TO: 41A INT. HOSPITAL CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 1252 41A\* A MOTORCYCLE COURIER steps into shot. Stands still. Turns carefully from side to side, as though scanning. The shiny visor giving nothing away. \* Hold. Then it walks on... REVEAL: THE DOCTOR & MARTHA, further down the corridor, hiding behind a trolley, crouching down. (Although the Slab's walked off, they're tense, waiting for it to have gone a good distance.) Hushed: THE DOCTOR \* That's the thing about Slabs, they always travel in pairs. MARTHA And what about you? THE DOCTOR What about me what? MARTHA Haven't you got back-up? You must have a partner or something. THE DOCTOR \* Humans! We're stuck on the Moon, running out of air, with Judoon and a bloodsucking criminal, and you're asking personal questions come on -He's just rising up, cautiously, stepping out - on Martha, \* following, a beat behind -MARTHA Oh I like that, 'Humans'! still not convinced you're an alien -CUT TO: 42 INT. 5TH FLOOR CORRIDOR #2 - NIGHT 2 1252 42

TIGHT ON THE DOCTOR & MARTHA, as they step out -

Wip-wip-wip - but then - wreeeeeeeeeeee!

JUDOON

Non Human!

MARTHA

Oh my God, you really are!

The Doctor grabs Martha's hand -

THE DOCTOR

And again.

And they run -

The Judoon stay where they are, lift up their guns -

FX: three streams of vicious red from the barrels -

FX: The Doctor & Martha duck left, onto a stairwell, as the red beams stream past them, just missing -

PRAC FX: explosion at the far end of the corridor, where the beams hit.

The Judoon stomp in pursuit (though they're lumbering beasts, the Doctor & Martha are much faster)-

CUT TO:

# 43 INT. STAIRWELL - NIGHT 2 1253

THE DOCTOR & MARTHA run up, up, desperate -

They reach FLOOR 6, charge through -

CUT TO FLOOR 5 below, the JUDOON charging through, on to the stairs, charging up -

CUT TO:

# 43A INT. HOSPITAL CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 1254

43A\*

43

TIGHT on THE DOCTOR & MARTHA running through a door, \*slamming it shut - top speed, the Doctor sonics the lock - they hurry on - \*

CUT TO: \*

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The Doctor goes to examine MR STOKER'S body. He's wideeyed in death, a pin-prick of blood on his neck. Who 3 - Episode One - Pink Revisions - 07/08/06 - Page 34.

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THE DOCTOR

Drained him dry. Every last drop. I was right, she's a Plasmavore.

MARTHA

What's she doing on Earth?

THE DOCTOR

Hiding, on the run, like Ronald Biggs in Rio de Janeiro.

# 49 INT. MR STOKER'S OFFICE CORRIDOR - NIGHT 2 1258

No Judoon in sight yet - THE DOCTOR faces MARTHA, square-on, fast:

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THE DOCTOR
Martha, I need time, stay here,
you've got to hold them up -

MARTHA

How do I do that?

THE DOCTOR

Just, forgive me for this. It could save a thousand lives. And it means nothing, honestly, nothing.

And he kisses her! Good three seconds.

Then he runs off, towards the MRI SIGN. On Martha. She can't help it, she's kind of pleased.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

I only came in for my bunions!
 (his bare feet)

Look! I mean, all fixed now, perfectly good treatment, and the nurses were lovely, I said to my wife, I'd recommend this place to anyone, but then we end up on the Moon! And did I mention the Rhinos?!

FLORENCE

Hold him.

Previously hidden from shot, MOTORCYCLE COURIER #2 steps out, grabs the Doctor, pinning his arms behind him -

CUT TO:

52 INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1301

52

MARTHA standing centre of the corridor, brave, as -

The JUDOON appear, charging towards her -

MARTHA

Now listen, I know who you're looking for, and she's this woman, she calls herself Florence -

But the JUDOON CAPTAIN holds up the device, wip-wip-wip!

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Human -

But then an off-key wip-wip-wip-wroo0000000 -

JUDOON CAPTAIN (CONT'D)

Wait! Partial Non Human!

All JUDOON raise their guns, Martha scared. The Captain he shines the device on her mouth - wip-wip-wreeeeeee!

JUDOON CAPTAIN (CONT'D)

Non Human element confirmed!
Authorise full scan!

He shoves Martha against the wall. All the Judoon cluster round, and shine their testing devices on her -

JUDOON CAPTAIN (CONT'D)

What are you? What are you?

## 53 <u>INT. MRI ROOM - NIGHT 2 1302</u>

THE DOCTOR being all scared and helpless, held by the MOTORCYCLE COURIER, FLORENCE calmly walking round, adjusting equipment. Power building, blue light flickering.

FX: another bolt of electricity around the scanner.

THE DOCTOR

Um, that big metal thing, is it supposed to be making that noise?

FLORENCE

You wouldn't understand.

THE DOCTOR

But. isn't that a Magnetic Resonance Imaging thing? Like, a ginormous sort of magnet? I did Magnetics GCSE. Well, I failed, but all the same...

FLORENCE

A magnet, with its settings now increased to 50,000 tesla.

THE DOCTOR

That's a bit strong, isn't it?

FLORENCE

It'll send out a magnetic pulse that should fry the brainstem of any living thing within two hundred and fifty thousand miles. Except for me. Safe within this room.

THE DOCTOR

But hold on, I did Geography GCSE, and I passed that one, doesn't that distance include the Earth?

FLORENCE

Only the side facing the Moon. The other half will survive. Call it my little gift.

THE DOCTOR

But... you'll have to excuse me, I'm a bit out of my depth, I've spent the past fifteen years working as a postman, hence the bunion, why would you do that?

FLORENCE

With everyone dead, the Judoon ships are mine, to make my escape.

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FLORENCE

I must appear to be Human.

THE DOCTOR

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Well you're very welcome to come home and meet the wife, she'd be honoured. We can have cake!

FLORENCE

Why would I have cake?
(digs in handbag)
I've got my little straw.

THE DOCTOR

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#### JUDOON CAPTAIN

Compensation.

And he yomps off. Beat, on Martha, stunned by it all. But then she runs, following the Judoon.

CUT TO:

55 INT. MRI ROOM - NIGHT 2 1306

55

WIDE SHOT, FLORENCE at THE DOCTOR'S neck, as he's held fast by the MOTORCYCLE COURIER.

FX: hellish bolts of lightning round them, from the scanner.

CU: FLORENCE wide-eyed, sucking in, with a straw at the Doctor's neck (no blood, just pressing against his skin). And the Doctor's not acting now; he's dying.

CUT TO:

56 THT. CORRIDOR OUTSIDE MRI ROOM - NIGHT 2 1307

56

THE JUDOON charge down the corridor -

Behind them, MARTHA following. But she stops for a second, heaving for breath; it's getting to her. She shakes it off, runs on, determined -

CUT TO:

57 INT. MRI ROOM - NIGHT 2 1307

57

Bam! - the JUDOON kick the door open -

As THE MOTORCYCLE COURIER lets go of THE DOCTOR. And he falls to the ground -

Dead.

FLORENCE just putting her straw away. (All around, the flicker of blue light, the power still building...)

FLORENCE

Now, see what you've done? This poor man just died of fright.

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Scan him!

The Judoon hold out their devices, point them at the Doctor's bod1.0000 180.0000 193T3 j /Fcpdf0 12.000 Tf 1.0000 0.0000

MARTHA

No, but he can't be - let me through, let me see him -

But the Judoon stops her going in.

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Case closed.

MARTHA

(wild, desperate)

But it was her! She killed him, she did it, she murdered him -

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Judoon have no authority over Human crime.

MARTHA

But she's not Human!

FLORENCE

Oh, but I am, surely? I've been catalogued.

She holds up her hand, marked with an X.

MARTHA

But she's not, she assimilated - (suddenly realises)
Wait a minute. You drank his blood?
The Doctor's blood -!

She grabs the device off her Judoon -

And points it at Florence. Wip-wip-wip -

FLORENCE

I don't mind, scan all you like.

Wreeeeeee!

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Non Human!

FLORENCE

What?!

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Confirm analysis!

All the Judoon hold out devices, wip-wip-wreeeeee! Florence panicking -

FLORENCE

But - that's a mistake, it's got to be, I'm Human, I'm as Human as they come -

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MARTHA

He gave his life so they'd find you.

JUDOON CAPTAIN

57

Confirm: Plasmavore! Charged with the crime of murdering the Child Princess of Padrivole Regency Nine -

FLORENCE

And she deserved it! Those pink cheeks and blonde curls, and that simpering voice, oh, she was begging for the bite of a Plasmavore!

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Then you confess?

FLORENCE

Confess? I'm proud of it! Slab,
stop them - !

The Motorcycle Courier steps forward -

FX: in one shot, a JUDOON fires and the Courier burns with red light, vanishes -

- but Florence is running, into the booth -

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Verdict: guilty. Sentence: execution!

All the Judoon lumber into the room, formally raise guns, a firing squad, facing the glass of the booth -

Florence is jamming two circuits together, vicious -

FLORENCE

Enjoy your victory, Judoon. Cos you're going to burn with me! Burn in Hell.

FX: ALL the JUDOON GUNS fire, boiling streams of red -

FX: a hole in the window melts like wax, the beams blistering right through -

FX: FLORENCE wrapped in red light, and she burns away into nothing, screaming her last.

The Judoon lower their guns - and as they do so, Martha runs into the room, to the Doctor, distraught -

JUDOON CAPTAIN

Case closed.

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FX: another arc of lightning across the room, and the 'tunnel' of the scanner is now becoming a hollow light-storm, spitting power -

MARTHA

But what did she mean, burn with me? The scanner shouldn't be doing that, she's done something -

The Judoon Captain wips the scanner with his device -

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For a second, Martha's dizzy - the air running out - but she recovers, determined, runs back into the MRI room -

CUT TO:

## 61 <u>INT. MRI ROOM - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS</u>

61

FX: lightning in the scanner-tunnel, wild now -

CU the COMPUTER SCREEN - the words MAGNETIC OVERLOAD flashing up -

MARTHA runs to THE DOCTOR, muttering, frantic -

MARTHA

C'mon, c'mon, c'mon -

And she kneels beside him; she gets to work. She applies CPR, breathes into his mouth, then pumps his chest, one, two, three, gives him mouth-to-mouth again, pumps his chest. Desperate, but clever, in control.

And this is so <u>real</u>; just a medical student trying to bring a man back to life, the sheer physical urgency of it.

And then she remembers!

MARTHA (CONT'D)

Two hearts!

She pumps the left side of his chest, one, two, three. Then the right side, one, two, three. Mouth to mouth. Left side, one, two, three, right side, one, two, three.

FX: WIDE SHOT, blue lightning crackling from the scanner around Martha and her patient.

Martha getting more desperate, flushed, exhausted - the air's getting thin, but doesn't think of herself; nothing will stop her saving this man.

CU OXYGEN TANK, with an old-fashioned circular dial, clearly labelled OXYGEN. The needle on the dial lowering, going further and further into the red...

Close on her. Working, working, working. Saving his life.

MARTHA's running out of air - CU on her as she lifts her head up for a second, struggling, her breathing shallow - but she keeps going, manages to take one more long, deep breath in, to give to the Doctor, lowers her head down again -

And then...

The Doctor breathes in. Eyes flicker open. Not magically reviving; again, it's real, he's in pain, dazed.

MARTHA (CONT'D)

The scanner... She did something...

But she's failing, slumps to the floor.

Reverse positions; he summons his strength, hauls himself up and round, so he's looking over her.

MARTHA (CONT'D)
The air... I gave you the last.

And she falls unconscious.

The Doctor's blinking, trying to shake it off, looks round:

FX: the MRI scanner is now screaming with electricity.

CUT TO:

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#### 61A INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1313

61A

PRAC Flickering blue light all around. Despite the oxygen masks, most PEOPLE unconscious, those few awake - including JULIA, slumped on the floor - looking round in despair:

FX: BOLTS OF BLUE LIGHTING zig-zagging up and down the corridor, the whole place alive with electricity -

CUT TO:

61B EXT. FX SHOT

61B

FX: WIDE SHOT of the HOSPITAL, deadly BLUE LIGHTNING zigzagging all around the building, making the surface of the air-bubble visible, all the bolts contained within the membrane, like a storm in a bottle-

CUT TO:

61C INT. MRI ROOM - NIGHT 1314

61C

FX: INSANE LIGHTNING ripping across the room as the Doctor - still in pain - uses every last reserve of energy to haul himself into the booth, MARTHA unconscious -

PRAC BLUE FLICKERING all around -

He looks at the cannibalised circuitry, reaches for his pocket - realises -

THE DOCTOR

The sonic!

He grabs a messy handful of wires and circuit boxes. In amongst the many: one thick red wire, one thick blue. But he's still dazed, head swimming:

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Red or blue...?.. red or blue...

Noise screaming now, the Doctor looks across:

FX: the tunnel now ferocious, blinding lightning -

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

...ohh, blue. (beat)

No!

And he rips out the red wire -

FX: the tunnel dies, light flickers away.

And the room is normal.

The Doctor breathing hard, recovering, relieved.

CUT TO:

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## 62 <u>INT. WARD CORRIDOR B - NIGHT 2 1320</u>

PEOPLE slumped everywhere, including JULIA. Her eyes just closing, everyone else unconscious, oxygen masks just lying at their sides, the tanks now empty. And through this, THE DOCTOR - breathing hard, face pale, but never stopping - carries the unconscious MARTHA JONES.

CUT TO:

# 63 INT. MALE WARD - NIGHT 2 1322

63

62

Ward empty, as THE DOCTOR carries MARTHA in, and he makes it over to the window. His POV:

FX: in the distance, the JUDOON SHIPS are leaving, rising gently upwards.

THE DOCTOR

Come on. Please. Please...

All he can do is hope. And then...

FX: flash of lightning, travelling down, outside the window -

And then rain hits the window. Steady, constant rain. And the Doctor's smiling.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) It's raining, Martha. It's raining on the Moon.

FX: the Doctor & Martha thrown into stark silhouette as the entire window blazes a bright, blinding white -

CUT TO:

# 64 EXT. HOSPITAL - DAY 2 1323

64

TISH, POLICE and CROWD throwing their hands up, caught in the glare of a blinding white PRAC LIGHT.

But as the light fades, and they lower their arms...

CUT TO REVERSE: and there's the Hospital, plain as day.

CUT TO:

#### 65 EXT. HOSPITAL - DAY 2 1400

65

Organised chaos. AMBULANCES & POLICE CARS, PEOPLE passing to and fro f/g & b/g, some PATIENTS being carried on stretchers by PARAMEDICS, some in wheelchairs. A lot of them being given oxygen.

JULIA, recovered, runs to a friend, hugs her.

MARTHA just sitting on the back step of an ambulance, dazed. A paramedic gives her the all clear, Martha walks away...

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She passes MORGENSTERN, with POLICE.

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#### MORGENSTERN

...I was like an ambassador, I represented the Human Race, I told them, you can't do this, I said...

Martha hears her name being called, sees -

TISH is forcing her way past a crowd barrier -

Martha smiling, but at the same time, looking around:

HER POV: a good distance away, past the crowd barriers, THE DOCTOR, walking towards a wooden blue box. He sees her, waves, though keeps walking -

Martha distracted as Tish collides with her, huge hug -

#### TISH

Oh my God, I thought you were dead, what happened? It was so weird! Cos the police wouldn't say, they didn't have a clue, and I tried phoning, Mum's on her way but she can't get through, they've closed off the roads, there's thousands of people trying to get in, the whole city's come to a halt, and Dad phoned, cos it's on the news and everything, he was crying, oh my God, I've been a mess, but what happened, I mean what really happened, where were you?

Under this, far-off, the noise of ancient engines, grinding.

Martha looks round again.

The Doctor, and the box, have gone.

Tish's voice just fading away in b/g; hold on Martha, a good long time, looking towards the empty space, feeling somehow alone, in the middle of all these people.

CUT TO:

# 65A INT. MARTHA'S FLAT - NIGHT 2 1930

65A

Nice, small flat. The usual, ordinary mess, clothes scattered about (just as they'll be in ep.6). MARTHA's in a dressing gown, towel round her hair. She's in front of a mirror, just rubbing moisturiser into her face, arms, all as normal.

In b/g, a RADIO VOICE is talking about today's events at the Hospital.

Martha pauses. Looking at her reflection, drifting off; still playing it all through her mind. Still amazed. Still thinking of the Doctor.

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Hold on her.

CUT TO:

# 66 EXT. CITY PUB - NIGHT 2 2040

66

Panning down from the night sky. A city centre pub, not too smart, not too rough. A banner outside, 'HAPPY BIRTHDAY LEO.' And the doors fly open -

ANNALISE comes storming out, followed by CLIVE, followed by FRANCINE in the middle of a blazing row -

ANNALISE

I am not staying in there to be insulted!

CLIVE

She didn't mean it sweetheart, she was just saying you look healthy -

FRANCINE

No I did not, I said orange!

ANNALISE

Clive, that woman is disrespecting me! She's never liked me!

FRANCINE

Oh, can't think why, after you stole my husband!

ANNALISE

I was seduced! I'm entirely innocent, tell her, babes!

FRANCINE

And then, she has a go at Martha, practically accused her of making the whole thing up -

During this, MARTHA, TISH & LEO following them out -

MARTHA

Mum, I don't mind, just leave it -

ANNALISE

Oh, 'I've been to the Moon!', as if - they were drugged, it said so on the News!

FRANCINE

Since when did you watch the News? You can't handle Quizmania!

ANNALISE TISH

Make her apologise! Annalise started it, she

did, I heard her -

CLIVE

I can't make her do LEO

anything! Tish, don't make it worse -

FRANCINE TISH

You make me suffer, Come off it, Leo, what you're an expert in did she buy you? Soap!

that! A 75 pence soap!

Splitting up now, Annalise storming off one way, Clive following, Leo following them - Francine storming off the other way, Tish following her -

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ANNALISE

I'm never talking to your family again!

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CLIVE

Annalise, don't you dare! I'm putting my foot down! This is me, putting my foot down!

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m LEO}$ 

Let her go, Dad, we don't need her, come back inside, come on...

FRANCINE

66

Have a nice party, Clive! Go on, cavort with your little piece, make a fool of yourself, God knows you've been doing it for twenty five years, why stop now? why stop now?

TISH

Oh Mum, don't, I asked the DJ and he's playing that song later, he's playing Popcorn, like playing Popcorn, like we did when we were little, don't go...

Scattering into the night, with Martha left in the doorway, exhausted, forgotten.

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But then smiling. Because across the road...

THE DOCTOR. He steps back into a nearby alley, in darkness.

Martha runs across the road -

CUT TO:

## 67 <u>EXT. ALLEYWAY - NIGHT 2 - CONTINUOUS</u>

67

MARTHA runs into the alleyway -

And there's THE DOCTOR, leaning on the tall blue box.

Pause between them. Almost embarrassed. Then:

MARTHA

I went to the Moon today.

THE DOCTOR

Bit more peaceful than down here.

MARTHA

You never even told me who you are

THE DOCTOR

The Doctor.

MARTHA

But what sort of species? And it's not every day I get to ask that.

THE DOCTOR

I'm a Time Lord.

MARTHA

Right. Not pompous at all, then.

He laughs, gets out a new, identical sonic screwdriver.

THE DOCTOR

I just thought... Since you saved my life, and I've got a brand new sonic screwdriver which needs roadtesting... You might fancy a trip.

MARTHA

What? Into space? But... I can't, I've got exams, I've got things to do, I've got to go into town first thing and pay the rent, and I've got my family going mad -

She looks back round, hearing:

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I'm gonna get you, Annalise!!!

Martha turns back to the Doctor, with a smile.

MARTHA

Then again...

THE DOCTOR

If it helps... I can travel in time, as well.

MARTHA

Get out of here.

THE DOCTOR

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THE DOCTOR

It's called the Tardis. Time And Relative Dimensions In Space.

MARTHA

Your spaceship is made of wood? But there's not much room, we'd be a bit... intimate.

THE DOCTOR

Take a look.

He stands aside, to let her in. She walks forward...

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MARTHA steps inside...

And boggles. Stares up, round, at the magnificent sight.

WIDE SHOT, Martha on the ramp, THE DOCTOR beside her -

MARTHA

No, no, no...

She runs back out again -

CUT TO ALLEYWAY. She looks round the edges of the Tardis - she actually touches it, trying to take it all in.

MARTHA (CONT'D)

But it's just a box... But it's huge! How does it do that? It's wood! It's like a box with that room just.... crammed in!

During this, cut to the Doctor, INT TARDIS, rolling his eyes, a bit 'blah blah blah.'

Martha steps back in -

MARTHA (CONT'D)

It's bigger on the inside!

THE DOCTOR

Is it? I hadn't noticed.

And he runs to the console, full of energy, stabbing buttons, Martha following, cautious, up the ramp -

MARTHA

...but... Is there a crew? Like, the navigator and stuff, where's everyone else?

THE DOCTOR

It's just me.

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MARTHA

All on your own?

THE DOCTOR

Well, sometimes I have... guests. I mean, sort of friends, travelling alongside me. I had, there was, um, recently, friend of mine. Rose, her name was Rose, and, um.. We were together, and... anyway.

MARTHA

Where is she now?

THE DOCTOR

With her family. Happy! She's fine, she's... Not that you're replacing her!

MARTHA

Never said I was.

THE DOCTOR

Just, one trip. To say thanks, you get one trip, then back home, I'd rather be on my own.

MARTHA

(cheeky, smiling)

You're the one who kissed me.

THE DOCTOR

That was a genetic transfer!

MARTHA

And if you will wear a tight suit.

THE DOCTOR

Now, don't.

MARTHA

And then travel all the way across the universe to ask me on a date.

THE DOCTOR

Stop it!

MARTHA

For the record, I'm not remotely interested. I only go for Humans.

THE DOCTOR

Good! Now then, let's have a look -

He runs round the console, his back to her, and on Martha, for a second; looking at him, deflated, sighs; damn!

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THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Close down the Gravitic Anomalyser. Fire up the Helmic Regulator. And finally... the handbrake!

(to Martha)

Ready?

MARTHA

No!

He takes hold of a big console lever, grinning:

THE DOCTOR

And off we go!

Slams the lever -

The whole room shakes, a violent jolt, Martha thrown, holds on to the console for dear life -

MARTHA

Blimey! It's a bit bumpy!

THE DOCTOR

(reaches across)

Welcome aboard, Miss Jones.

Still holding on, she shakes his hand, across the console.

MARTHA

My pleasure, Mr Smith.

And the Doctor gives the biggest smile, slams switches, throws levers, in his element. Martha loving it.

CUT TO:

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# 69 FX SHOT

The Tardis hurtles on its way, through the blue vortex, to destinations unknown.

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