



EPISODE #141

“HOME IS WHERE THE TART IS”

Kelly returns from a modeling stint in New York. She brings home an artist boyfriend named Colin, who rents a loft in Los Angeles. Brandon comes home from his summer job at the *Boston Herald* to discover that Val's obnoxious friend Ginger is staying at the house. Val and Brandon agree that they should not get involved, so Ginger comes on to him.

Steve, Brandon and David consider renting a penthouse apartment together since the Walsh house is to be sold. David reveals that he and Clare have broken up. A real estate agent tells Brandon that the buyers of his house plan to tear it down. The gang throws a party and trashes the place only to discover the sale fell out of escrow; the Walshes still own the house.

Donna enjoys her summer with Ray, who has made an effort to make up for his past mistakes. A woman's valuable ring disappears during a party on the Martins' boat and Felice believes that Ray is the culprit.

Dylan tells Kelly about his obsession with tracking down his father's killer and, although she does not approve, helps him sort through Jack's belongings. Dylan visits his father's cellmate and learns the identity of Jack's murderer.

Valerie tries to befriend Kelly but Kelly has no intention of forgiving or forgetting the past actions of her archrival.

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EPISODE #142

“BUFFALO GALS”

After a complete destruction the gang pitches in to fix up the house and Steve decides to move in with Brandon.

Donna finds Mrs. Korman's ring in Ray's jacket pocket. Everyone believes that he stole it even though he points out that he would have to be an idiot to leave the ring in his pocket for days only to have Donna discover it. While dressing for Kelly's big birthday party Steve notices the house's petty cash and his gold watch are missing; he blames Ray. Valerie exposes Ginger as the actual thief and orders her to leave town. Val pays off Ginger at the airport; they actually staged the entire incident so that Valerie could prove herself to the rest of the gang. Donna gets drunk at the party and tries to throw herself at Ray.

Brandon gives Dylan information about businessman Tony Marchette, his father's killer. Dylan follows Marchette until security guards turn him away in his office building. Brandon brings Kelly flowers for her birthday only to find Colin in her bedroom.

Colin angers Kelly by not showing up for her birthday party but later reveals the special painting he had been creating just for her. She is touched and they profess their love for each other.

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EPISODE #143

“MUST BE A GUY THING”

Dylan heads for the C.U. campus in the hopes of striking up a friendship with Marchette's son, “Tony.” Toni is actually his beautiful daughter and she agrees to go out with Dylan. Dylan pries her for information about her father and Brandon notices that Toni really likes Dylan. He expresses disapproval of his Dylan’s motives and actions.

Brandon expresses interest in a columnist job with the school paper. Editor, SUSAN KEATS, turns him down and takes an immediate dislike to his column about women, she labels is “sexist.” He challenges her to observe behavior of the opposite sexes at After Dark and she reluctantly accepts. Later Susan decides to hire Brandon.

JERRY KORMAN, the friend of the Martins who accused Ray of stealing a ring, is president of a record label and Donna gets him to hear Ray play at After Dark. Ray learns that he cannot land a deal unless he impresses the man's young daughter.

Steve's advisor finally realizes that he cheated on his math placement test as a freshman. He ruins Steve's cushy schedule by forcing him to enroll in remedial math. Steve cannot find a suitable tutor so he reluctantly accepts an offer from Clare.

Kelly feels uncomfortable when she learns that Colin and Valerie once toured Europe together as part of a teen group. Valerie lashes out at David for arriving at work late, unaware that he was helping his mother move into her own apartment. She apologizes and offers her support. Valerie hires Colin to paint a mural at the club and while discussing the design confesses to Colin that she always had a crush on him. Colin fulfills her fantasy and they kiss.

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EPISODE #144

“EVERYTHING COMING UP ROSES”

Donna, Kelly, Clare and Valerie try out for the Tournament of Roses Court. The other girls only want to secure invitations to the ball but Donna wants to pursue the crown. Her mother, Felice does not approve of this decision and Donna is surprised at her mother’s reaction.

Colin opts out of the first round of formal parties for the Rose Court to work on his mural at After Dark. He shows up later with Valerie and Kelly reacts angrily before Colin has a chance to explain that nothing is going on between them.

Brandon and Susan cover the Rose Court tryouts for the newspaper and attend the party together. Upon returning to the newsroom, Susan grabs Brandon and kisses him.

Steve pretends to be sensitive as he woos a woman in a chat room on-line. Clare asks Steve to escort her to the ball and he cuts the date short to meet with his on-line sweetheart; it is Clare. Donna and Ray miss the ball because he has to perform at Jessica's birthday party.

Toni surprises Dylan when they go for a motorcycle ride; she has a bike of her own and impresses Dylan with her trick riding. Dylan admits to himself and Brandon that he is in love with Toni.

David is tiring of the responsibility of “babysitting” his lonely mother. On the way home from the Rose Court party he and Val stop by Sheila's apartment to check in on her and find an ambulance; she has made a suicide attempt.

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EPISODE #145

“LOVER’S LEAP”

Valerie is haunted by nightmares about her father's suicide. David is very depressed about his mother’s suicide attempt and learns that shock therapy is the only course of treatment left. The gang is concerned about his growing depression and Valerie offers to help by disclosing her own experience with her father. David ultimately convinces his mother to undergo treatment.

Toni throws a dinner party while her father is out of town. Brandon invites Susan as his date to the party but she doesn’t want an office romance; she gives in and admits that she is attracted to Brandon. Steve and Clare attend the party together and share a goodnight kiss.

During the party Bruno catches Dylan snooping around in Marchette's study and warns Dylan that Marchette knows he is Jack's son.

By helping David through his struggle, and receiving a reassuring e-mail from Cindy and Jim Walsh, Valerie moves past her nightmares and is not afraid anymore.

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EPISODE #146

“SPEECHLESS”

Valerie joins Kelly, Donna and Clare on a road trip to a hot springs resort. During the trip the girls discuss their sexual escapades and Valerie brings up her affair with Ray. The three others resolve to stop talking to Valerie. The car breaks down and the girls have no choice but to spend the night at a convent. They abide by the convent's oath of silence. Voiceovers tell the girls' private thoughts about each other. Donna finds comfort at the convent and the next morning forgives Valerie. Valerie warns her to not forget about Ray's past, abusive behavior.

David thanks Val for helping him through his hard times and gives her a kiss.

Steve convinces Brandon to let a director film a movie at the Walsh house suggesting it will help relieve some of their financial burdens. David wonders how Brandon will feel when he finds out it is a porno movie that is being filmed in the house. Susan arrives and is mortified by the scene and storms out. He follows her back to her dorm where they argue, make up and go to bed together.

Marchette arranges a dinner with Toni and Dylan and has told Toni he knew Dylan's father. Marchette only shows up after diverting his daughter away from the table, he then warns Dylan to stay away from his daughter. Dylan and Marchette's bodyguard pull guns on each other. Marchette tells Toni that Dylan is using her and she must side with her father, she refuses to believe Dylan's claim that her father killed Jack.

Kelly meets Colin's art dealer, CLAUDIA, who seems to have more than business on her mind.

Donna confronts Ray and he lies to her again. She turns and walks away from him for good.



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EPISODE #147

“VIOLATED”

Valerie accepts her marketing professor's invitation to a seminar. They have a drink afterwards and PROF. HAYWOOD suggests they go to his hotel room and propositions her. He gives her a D on a midterm essay and the option to give her a second chance. Valerie knows he is punishing her. David and Susan encourage Valerie to file a complaint but she fears that an investigation will expose her checkered past personal life. Susan writes an exposé for *The Condor*. Several of Professor Haywood's past victims come forward and he is ultimately forced to resign.

Bruno agrees to deliver a letter from Dylan to Toni and the couple professes their love for each other. Marchette sees Toni and Dylan on campus together and becomes furious. Toni ignores her father's ultimatum and decides to move in with Dylan. When she awakens scared from a nightmare, Dylan reassures her that he will never let anyone hurt her as long as he lives.

Kelly cuts Colin loose after learning that he acts as Claudia's concubine in exchange for financial backing.

Steve and Clare book a motel room for a romantic evening. Steve mistakenly assumes that Clare has left a set of handcuffs and other sex toys in the room's closet. Clare is shocked and angry and leaves the hotel.

Donna and Ray cannot be together without arguing. She resists his relentless attempts to reconcile.

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EPISODE #148

“HALLOWEEN VI”

Colin appeases Kelly by ending his relationship with manager/benefactor, Claudia and by taking a teaching job.

A fortune-teller, MADAME RAVEN, sets up shop at The Peach Pit for Halloween. Although later she is revealed to be a scam artist, her predictions have an impact on the couples: Susan comes clean with Brandon about a past relationship, David buys a love potion to use on Valerie and the two become closer, Steve and Clare accidentally drink the potion and have a rendezvous in After Dark's dressing room.

Donna makes it clear to Ray that they are just friends and warns him that she will be spending time at the Halloween party with other guys. JOE BRADLEY, the university's star quarterback takes up most of her time and a jealous Ray accosts her, leaving her shaken; Joe offers to drive her home but leaves her to sort out her feelings for Ray. Ray lurks at Donna's apartment and becomes loud and physical when she refuses to talk to him. Joe hears the commotion and returns to defend Donna from Ray. Joe consoles Donna and they kiss.

Dylan and Toni take in a stray kitten. Toni finds Dylan's gun in the first aid kit and insists that he get rid of it. Toni's father meets her at The Peach Pit to convince her to come home and leave Dylan. To Toni's dismay, she gets her father to admit that he had Dylan's father, Jack, killed. Dylan and Toni discuss their future plans together at the marina and Dylan throws his gun into the water, vowing to now let go of his anger.

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EPISODE #149

“EARTHQUAKE WEATHER”

Dylan asks Toni to marry him. Kelly is shaken by the news and Dylan must remind her that she turned him down once. She admits that Toni is a lovely girl and wishes them well. Clare makes it clear to Steve that she is interested.

An earthquake rocks the major Los Angeles area. Kelly and Colin are in Colin’s studio with paint cans crashing down around them, Brandon and Susan are trapped in an elevator with a pregnant woman and they must deliver her child, Dylan and Toni dodge falling debris, Steve, Valerie and David, at the Walsh house, try to avoid being crushed by shifting furniture.

Donna advances to the finals of the Rose Court selections. She sees a photo of her mother in the Rose Queen Annual of 1969 contestants and approaches her mother; Felice denies that she was involved at all.

Ray begins seeing a therapist and wants Donna to come to one of his sessions. Ray repairs broken windows at Donna’s apartment after the earthquake and gets furious, breaking them again, when Donna comes home with Joe.

Marchette pretends to give Dylan and Toni his blessing but then hires a hit man to murder Dylan.

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EPISODE #150

“ONE WEDDING AND A FUNERAL”

The hit on Dylan must be postponed and reorganized when Brandon, David and Steve kidnap Dylan for his bachelor party. The girls throw a much livelier affair for Toni at the beach apartment.

Ray shows up after the girls' party and gets angry when Donna rejects him again; he vows to make her life miserable.

Marchette pays a surprise visit to his daughter before the ceremony to ask once again that she not marry Dylan. He does not attend the wedding and Bruno walks Toni down the aisle. Only Bruno and Brandon attend the private ceremony and a large reception for everyone is held afterwards.

Marchette asks Dylan to come to his office but Bruno finds out that it is the set up to ambush Dylan and kill him. Bruno tries to reach Dylan but can only get a hold of Brandon. Toni is upset when her car turns up missing during the horrible rainstorm that has started. Dylan agrees to stay home and look for the cat while Toni goes to meet her father and explain why Dylan stayed home. It is raining very hard and the hit men cannot tell that it is Toni driving Dylan's Porsche. Toni is shot to death in a hail of bullets and Brandon and Dylan arrive just moments later.

At the funeral Marchette and Dylan confront each other. Marchette blames Dylan and asks Dylan to help him end his life now, too. Dylan is tempted but remembers his pledge to Toni. Dylan decides to leave town.

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EPISODE #151

“OFFENSIVE INTERFERENCE”

Ray files battery charges against Joe Bradley for their fight on Halloween night. Joe is also suspended from the homecoming game because he missed curfew on Halloween. Donna feels guilty and agrees to testify on Joe's behalf even though it may expose her abusive relationship with Ray.

Donna becomes a finalist for the Queen's Court and her parents watch proudly. Felice reveals that she too entered the contest but had to drop out when she discovered she was pregnant. She was further heartbroken when she miscarried. Felice felt hypocritical telling Donna the story because she had always preached the virtues of virginity before marriage.

JAY J. JONES, a.k.a. Jonesy, returns and recruits Valerie to pose as a prostitute to trap a client's philandering husband. David disapproves of Val's secretive behavior but ends up bailing her out when she is arrested. Val later thanks him for his love and support with a sensual kiss.

Brandon becomes depressed about Dylan's departure as he goes through Dylan's personal effects. Kelly manages to cheer him up and Susan starts to get jealous.

Steve is assigned to protect the school mascot during homecoming week. Colin helps him pull a prank on rival S.C.U.

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EPISODE #152

“BREAST SIDE UP”

Colin and Susan leave for New York to spend Thanksgiving with their respective families. Colin and Susan are wary leaving Kelly and Brandon along together for the weekend. Brandon and Kelly obviously still have lingering affection for each other. The gang decides to prepare the holiday meal together at the Walsh house; David invites his mother, Sheila to join them. She annoys Valerie with her constant advice about food preparation but saves the day when Val accidentally oversleeps.

Thanksgiving afternoon Clare takes Steve to a faculty mixer hosted by her father, the Chancellor. Clare is impressed by Steve’s comfortable manner and conversation with the professors. Clare admits that she has fallen in love with Steve.

Donna arranges a birthday surprise for Joe, a visit from professional football star, Steve Young. She has fallen in love with Joe and wants to sleep with so she doesn’t lose him; Joe reveals that he does not believe in pre-marital sex. Their love for each other deepens when she quickly confesses that she is a virgin, too.

Kelly stays late after dinner to watch videos and spends the night in Steve's vacant room. When Valerie arrives home the next morning she catches Brandon and Kelly in the midst of a passionate kiss.

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EPISODE #153

“COURTING”

Joe rejects a plea bargain and decides to go to trial. Donna testifies that Ray was physically harming her and Valerie gives beneficial testimony with her eyewitness account of the Palm Springs incident. The Associated Press asks Brandon to interview Joe Bradley for their story about the trial for nationwide syndication. The prosecutor calls Donna to the stand and portrays her as a liar bringing up the medical records from Palm Springs; Donna covered for Ray saying her injuries were caused by accident. Eventually Ray feels guilty and owns up to the abuse and clears Joe during his testimony. Donna agrees not to prosecute Ray if he remains in therapy. Ray thanks Brandon for setting him straight and decides to go out on tour.

Mel and Jackie go away for the weekend and Colin baby-sits for Erin while Kelly and David attend the trial. Valerie tells Colin that Kelly spent the night with Brandon and Brandon confesses the affair to Susan. Susan is angry and confused. She later apologizes for jumping to conclusions and admires Brandon’s work on the story about Joe Bradley and his girlfriend, Donna Martin. Colin accepts Kelly’s explanation that Valerie made a wrong assumption. Erin falls into the bathtub and Colin saves her by using CPR.

Donna’s friend, LISA DIXON, is elected Rose Queen and all others will be on the court.

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EPISODE #154

“FORTUNATE SON”

Donna fills in for her African American friend, LISA, at a convenience store. Joe feels it is not safe for Donna. Donna covers for a young boy names ISIAH when he is caught stealing a teddy bear from the store. Joe picks Donna up from work and they get lost and run dangerously low on gas. Isaiah spots them and averts a possibly dangerous confrontation with a gang by inviting them home to call for help. Donna discovers that the eleven year old cares for his younger siblings while their mom is at work. When the mother, SELA, comes home she tells Donna to mind her own business. Donna later meets with Sela and sees she is a proud woman who does not want to accept charity. They agree a childcare facility in the community would be beneficial.

Kelly’s sorority holds a “Casino Night” fundraiser at After Dark and Nat is concerned that it will trigger Brandon’s old gambling habit. Brandon gets carried away during the event and leaves angrily when Nat bets against him and he loses. Brandon confesses to Susan that he is a compulsive gambler. At the auction, Valerie outbids Kelly for a portrait sitting with Colin and explains that it will be a Christmas gift for David. Kelly is suspicious.

Steve’s takes a job at a talent agency at the insistence of his father. After Steve’s boss, TAMMY KANE, is fired she asks him to use his connections with the agency president. Steve is advised by the president to not get in the middle of the situation and use his business sense to respond to Tammy’s inquiry. She is grateful that Steve went to bat on her behalf.

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EPISODE #155

“ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH”

Cindy Walsh surprises Brandon and comes to visit for Christmas. Her relationship with Jim is on the rocks and she is unsure about returning to Hong Kong. Brandon feels devastated and fears that his family is falling apart. A special Christmas present from Jim squashes Cindy's doubts about his love and she returns to him in Hong Kong.

Colin's cocaine use is more evident. Kelly is angry with him Christmas morning since he promised to give up the habit last summer and is still using. He promises he is finished for good.

Steve and Clare deliver Christmas presents for his boss, SCOTT COVENY. The gifts are for his mistress and niece and have mistakenly been mislabeled. Steve gets fired when the wrong recipients receive the gifts and the affair is made public. Steve's father, Rush blames Steve for the confusion and expresses his disappointment in him as a son. Steve angrily replies that Rush should no longer call him son because he checked with his biological mother in Mexico. Steve later goes to apologize and Rush makes a shocking revelation; he is Steve's biological father. Rush explains that Steve's biological mother died during childbirth and Rush arranged for Samantha and him to adopt and raise his baby. Steve is initially angry but later expresses happiness and relief at solving the mystery of his parentage.

Joe keeps Donna in suspense about her Christmas/birthday present.

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EPISODE #156

“TURN BACK THE CLOCK”

Clare returns after a few days out of town and the gang flashes back to fill her in on the events that transpired over New Year's: Steve relates the tale of having to watch his half-brothers, RYAN and AUSTIN, while his father was out of town. The teenagers decorated the house with toilet paper, crashed the party at After Dark and smeared shaving cream on Steve's car. Steve bargains with them and offers not to expose their terrible behavior to Rush in exchange for a day of hard labor.

Brandon explains how Susan's ex-boyfriend Jonathan came to town and irritated Brandon with his constant presence and revealed that he was still in love with her. Jonathan hinted that he shared a mysterious connection with Susan and gave her an extra-long good night kiss that prompted Brandon to challenge him to a fight.

Valerie drove Colin home after the After Dark New Year's party and offered to cover for him by concealing his cocaine in case the police pulled them into a sobriety checkpoint. Kelly ends up disgusted that Colin is using again and blames Valerie for his set back.

The bird that Joe gave to Donna for Christmas/her birthday escaped from the apartment and the gang searched everywhere. Joe was initially angry at Donna's lack of attentiveness to the bird but Joe shows up at The Rose Parade with the gang and holds up a large sign professing his love for Donna.

Susan, in real time, apologizes to Brandon and assures him that Jonathan has gone home and she knows for sure that she loves Brandon.

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EPISODE #157

“FADE IN, FADE OUT”

Kelly’s father, BILL TAYLOR, tells Kelly he plans a permanent move to Los Angeles and her mother, Jackie, and David both warn her not to get her hopes up; Bill has a way of making promises that he does not keep. Bill and Kelly are reconnecting and she takes him to meet her boyfriend Colin. When they stop by Colin's loft Bill admires his work and Kelly notices that he is high and doing Cocaine.

When Bill fails to show up for a meeting with Kelly and a realtor Kelly discovers he has checked out of his hotel and has left town without saying goodbye. Kelly finds flowers, a goodbye note and a check waiting for her at the beach apartment. Kelly rolls up the check and uses it to snort the cocaine that has been confiscated from Colin and that she has been safeguarding in her purse.

While Joe has his injured ankle examined the doctor suggests he see a cardiologist. Dr. Martin diagnoses Joe with a congenital heart defect but the team sanctioned doctor gives a second opinion clearing him of any ailment; Joe is relieved but Donna questions the diagnosis.

Steve organizes and publicizes a Roger Corman film festival at the After Dark for a class project. The gang finds out that Nat was once an actor and appeared in one of Corman's movies. Nat refuses to participate in the event or acknowledge his past career. At the screening Steve learns that Nat's indifference stems from memories of a lost love and fiancée, JOAN DIAMOND. When Joan comes to the festival and asks for Nat, Steve leads her to The Peach Pit and the couple reconnects.

Susan cannot find a phone message from Jonathan and accuses Brandon of concealing it. She gets angry that Brandon doesn’t trust her but later reassures him by accepting to go away together for the weekend.



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EPISODE #158

“SNOWBOUND”

Colin pulls Kelly into using cocaine and they become all consumed by their habit. Valerie recognizes the symptoms that Kelly is using drugs but has difficulty convincing the rest of the gang. Kelly begins to realize her decline when she hears a concerned message from Brandon on the answering machine. An art collector from Hawaii is interested in Colin’s artwork.

While out for jog Brandon and Susan see the remains of bad car crash. Susan breaks down in tears and tells Brandon her older sister was killed when hit by a car when out jogging with Susan.

Clare and Steve are sent to Comedy Traffic School after receiving tickets for street racing their Corvettes. A fellow student, impressed by their bickering, asks them to appear on the talk show “Back Talk.”

Donna expresses growing concern for Joe's health and urges him to get a 3rd opinion about his alleged heart problem. He refuses and intensifies his training sessions to get back into football playing shape. Brandon has a talk with Joe and decides against writing an article for the paper that exposes the Athletic Department’s lacks standards; he gets angry when Susan researches and writes a story about his condition anyway. Susan eventually changes her mind and does not want rumors to affect Joe's chances at a professional football career. While running the stadium steps, Susan, Brandon and Donna witness Joe collapse while clutching his chest.

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EPISODE #159

“NANCY’S CHOICE”

Brandon convinces Susan to submit her editorial about a teenage girl named Nancy, who gets an abortion, for the Collegiate Press Club Awards. Brandon does not understand and is uncomfortable that Jonathan has flown in to escort Susan to the awards ceremony. Susan explains that she and Jonathan broke up over a difference of opinion regarding the story submitted and this further confuses Brandon. Susan wins the award and acknowledges Nancy’s strength at making such a difficult decision. Later, when Brandon suggests they call Nancy to tell her about the award, Susan confesses that she is Nancy and the story was about her. Susan and Jonathan wound up pregnant after her sister’s death and Susan turned down Jonathan’s marriage proposal. Jonathan was further devastated when Susan chose to terminate the pregnancy. Brandon understands the past connection now and allows them time to talk. Jonathan forgives Susan and she can now move on with her life.

An art collector purchases two of Colin’s paintings. He explains to Valerie, in defense of his drug use, that they were both painted while on cocaine. Kelly swears off the cocaine use but cannot resist temptation when Colin prepares a fancy dinner for her and they drink champagne.

Out shopping with Clare, Steve runs into Elle, the transvestite he and Brandon met in Palm Springs last year. Clare refuses to believe that Elle is a man and is jealous. Elle shows up at the awards ceremony and Clare’s father is smitten, inviting her/him to join their table. Steve convinces Elle not to lead Clare’s father on because he is very vulnerable and insecure about women at the moment. Clare overhears the conversations and is moved that Steve is looking out for her father.

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EPISODE #160

“FLYING”

Valerie's devious friend, Ginger, returns to town and blackmails her with an audiocassette of their previous fall's scam. She asks for 50 thousand dollars or a night with David for her to leave town.

After Clare and Donna find drugs in the apartment they confront Kelly; she packs up and announces she is moving in with Colin, the girls are devastated.

Brandon, Steve and Joe accept an invitation from Jonathan to go flying in biplanes. Brandon and Jonathan bond over the experience. Joe faints after his flight and makes Brandon promise not to tell Donna. He finally confesses to her and she urges him to get checked out by her father, Dr. Martin, again.

Clare asks Brandon to get through to Kelly so he goes to Colin's studio and whisks her away. They drive around for hours and when he stops at a pay phone to call Susan, Kelly steals his car and returns to the apartment to get the rest of her things. Kelly angrily tells a tearful Donna that everyone should stop trying to run her life and she is moving out for good.

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EPISODE #161

“BLEEDING HEARTS”

David writes Valerie a special poem for Valentine's Day and she gives him a friendship bracelet. Valerie introduces Ginger and Jonathan and they pretend to be a couple hoping to make Susan jealous. When Jonathan comes on to Susan during a dance contest at After Dark, she punches him in the face. Valerie tells David about her original scam with Ginger and the ensuing blackmail; she asks him to spend the night with Ginger to pay off her debt. Nothing happens between David and Ginger but David dumps Valerie because of the betrayal.

Joe is kicked off the football team because of his heart condition. Donna stops Joe from quitting school, reminds him that his condition has yet to be evaluated and he shouldn't throw everything away. Donna's sorority organizes a 24-hour abstinence contest to promote safe sex awareness. Clare bets that Steve cannot make good on his pledge and does her best to torture him. Brandon finds the contest humorous and does not sign up, only to find out that Susan has.

Kelly and Colin's relationship gets tense as their cocaine stash is diminished. Kelly goes to Colin's dealer, DANNY, alone and another seedy guy gets violent with her; she escapes the house by knocking him out with a wine bottle. Kelly calls Brandon for help. He finds her in bad shape and together with Jackie, gets her into a rehab center. When Kelly confesses she is still in love with Brandon, he coolly replies that she needs rest and he'll be back to see her later.

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EPISODE #162

“ALL THIS AND MARY TOO”

Colin visits Kelly in the hospital and announces that he has kicked his cocaine habit. Kelly maintains that they are bad for one another and insists on breaking up with him. Kelly gets a roommate, TARA, a troubled runaway.

Valerie has the Walsh house to herself since Steve, Brandon, Clare, Susan and David have gone on a ski trip. She invites Colin for dinner and they get amorous. Colin later expresses fear that he moved too fast and they agree to date and take it more slowly.

Susan challenges Brandon on a difficult, out of bounds ski run and injures her ankle while following Brandon. They must brave the cold night and elements overnight while awaiting a rescue team.

Depressed by his split with Valerie, David mopes around the lodge and he gets set up with two different blonde girls named Mary.

Donna learns of a medical breakthrough that she thinks could save Joe's health and career. She tries to convince Joe and her father to pursue the treatment; Joe is moved by Donna's sincere fight and dedication to him and his health.

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EPISODE #163

“LEAP OF FAITH”

Brandon and Susan go to San Diego and spend the weekend visiting her parents. Susan's mother grills Brandon during dinner and MRS. KEATS expects him to sleep in the guest room. He sneaks into Susan's room during the night and Mrs. Keats catches them in bed together the next morning. She expresses her disappointment and gets into a fight with Susan. Susan expresses her frustration at the expectations placed upon her since her sister's death.

Kelly befriends her roommate, Tara. Colin and Valerie's new relationship upsets both David and Kelly and Valerie suggests that David mind his own business. Colin's ex-drug dealer, DANNY V, lures Colin into driving him to a drug buy since his license was revoked. When they arrive the police do too and a panicked Colin drives off. A high-speed chase ensues and the gang, watching it on television, is shocked to see Colin is the driver and watch him get arrested.

Joe's older brother HANL visits from Arizona and is discouraging about the heart surgery. Donna suspects that Hank is threatened and jealous of Joe's athletic potential, as his own football career ended early due to a knee injury.

Steve buys a new motorcycle and Clare is less than thrilled. She eventually begins to enjoy the thrill with Steve.

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EPISODE #164

“COMING OUT, GETTING OUT, GOING OUT”

Valerie puts the club up as collateral to bail Colin out of jail. She also offers to hire him a better lawyer, as the public defender wants to plea bargain. Colin is terrified and has nightmares about spending time in prison. David cautions Valerie about getting so involved financially in the situation.

Joe’s heart surgery is successful and his football career can now continue.

Kelly comes home from the rehab center. Colin calls but she refuses to see him. Donna questions the frequent phone calls from Kelly’s lonely roommate from the hospital, Tara. Tara calls one last time announcing she has run away from the center and is waiting for them in Venice. Kelly and Donna pick her up and let her stay at the beach apartment for the night.

A medical student from the hospital, GREG, is interested in Kelly; Donna thinks he is perfect for her friend. Clare and Susan try to help Nat and Joan recapture the magic of their past love affair. Along with Brandon and Steve they organize a romantic triple date including many of the places that were special to them in the early 1970s. They succeed and all three couples rediscover love.

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EPISODE #165

“SMASHED”

Kelly invites Tara to move into the beach house until she can find permanent rooming after rehab. Clare and Donna reluctantly agree. She attends Steve's fraternity party with Kelly and later becomes enraged when she witnesses Kelly and Greg kissing; she violently breaks the borrowed necklace of Kelly's she is wearing.

Steve's fraternity throws a party at the Walsh house. Rush pays Steve to “baby-sit” his half-brothers, Ryan and Austin, for the night. While enjoying himself Steve doesn't notice that they are stealing alcohol from guests and drinking themselves sick. Ryan becomes very ill, medical student Greg diagnoses him with alcohol poisoning and he has to be rushed to the hospital to have his stomach pumped. Steve's father harshly criticizes and blames Steve for the incident. At the hospital Steve realizes that he does have deep feelings for the two boys and does consider them true brothers.

Donna and David videotape the party and interview all the guests for a new late-night school program called “*C.U. Later.*”

Colin's lawyer advises that he will not be able to get off without serving at least 6 months of prison time at a minimum-security facility. Valerie convinces Colin to attend Steve's party and watches suspiciously as he and Kelly talk and Kelly kisses Colin on the cheek. Colin later tells Valerie that he loves her for being a caring person and a good friend.

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EPISODE #166

“FLIRTING WITH DISASTER”

Kelly starts to feel guilty about leaving Tara alone at the beach house while she goes out with Greg. She invites David and Tara along to go bowling, convincing David to make it a double date. Tara starts to sabotage Kelly's relationship with Greg by planting misinformation in each other's ears.

Colin's father, GRAHAM ROBBINS, arrives at Colin's studio and Valerie tries to arrange a truce between Colin and his estranged father. Graham was also an artist but lost his eyesight in Vietnam. Colin is afraid to get close to his dad again and reveal his legal problems but his dad already knows the truth and has come to try and help.

Brandon, Steve and Joe, Susan, Clare and Donna go camping together. While at a roadside fruit stand the girls become jealous as the guys help three Canadian beauties visiting the States for the first time. Clare, Donna and Susan offer to share their tent with the girls since they are missing pieces to set up their tent effectively; the guys must sleep in the van and wake up miserable. The guys are now pitted against the girls. Susan, Clare and Donna enlist the Canadian's to help make their boyfriends jealous and they all end up reassured and jealousies are quickly forgotten.

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EPISODE #167

“STRIKE THE MATCH”

Kelly tells Tara it is time to move out and into the rooming house the rehab hospital has arranged. Tara plays on Kelly's heartstrings and convinces her to let her stay a little longer. Tara gets some of her things from an old friend, including photography equipment and a gun. Kelly tells Tara how much she really hates Valerie so Tara takes it upon herself to make Valerie miserable. She sneaks out during the night with Kelly's car and with the keys, scratches "Die Val" on the side of Valerie's Porsche. Valerie accuses Kelly of the crime and Colin gets into a fight with David about the incident. Tara goes to Kelly's hairstylist and gets the same cut and color that Kelly has; the girls are shocked and realize that Tara's obsession has gone too far, she wants to be Kelly.

Donna and David make a music video for the group Powerhouse 5000 at After Dark. Donna must fill in for the female lead and Joe is not happy when he sees her dancing around in a very skimpy costume.

The Boston Globe offers Brandon a summer internship and job after graduation. He rejects the offer because he and Susan have planned a cross-country trip for the summer.

At the Walsh house, Clare and Steve cram for exams with Brandon, Susan and Joe. While trying to help by doing the laundry, Steve accidentally shrinks Clare's good luck study shawl; a beloved keepsake from her dead mother.

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EPISODE #168

“THE BIG HURT”

David and Donna’s video for Powerhouse 5000 is finished and Joe is not pleased how extremely sexy and revealing Donna’s scenes turned out. He tries to convince Donna to edit out the racy content and in turn, she convinces David to make the cuts. The music management company likes the video but wants more of Donna’s character so David agrees to re edit with all of Donna’s outtakes. He receives an offer to direct three more videos. Joe apologizes to Donna and admits that he reacted out of jealousy because she was spending so much time with David.

Valerie and Colin are confident that the lawyer has made a good deal with the district attorney for a light sentence. When a new judge appears he surprises everyone and sentences Colin to two years in prison for endangering lives with his hazardous driving and drug possession.

Prince Carl, a childhood and family of Clare's, comes to visit and proves to both Steve and Clare that he is no longer just a spoiled brat.

To try and sever any ties Kelly has to anyone except her, Tara kills Kelly’s fish and makes a move on Brandon in the darkroom. Kelly finally orders her to move out. While Kelly packs Tara’s things she finds letters proving that Tara has lied and her parents do love their daughter and want to help. Furious that Kelly has gone through her things, Tara holds Kelly at gunpoint and forces her to drive them up the coast. When Kelly tries to escape Tara knocks her out with the butt of the gun. She ties up Kelly, hooks a hose from the exhaust pipe into the car, and plans to kill Kelly and herself by carbon monoxide poisoning. Kelly comes to and tricks Tara into untying her, gets the gun away and breaks out of the car. Kelly and Tara undergo carbon monoxide detox at the hospital and Tara’s mother thanks Kelly for saving her daughter’s life and reuniting them.



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EPISODE #169

“TICKET TO RIDE”

Brandon and Susan find and subsequently lose a winning lottery ticket worth five-thousand-dollars. They argue about who lost the ticket and when it is eventually found they decide to give the money to charity; they felt too much guilt fighting over the money in the first place.

Colin prepares to turn himself in and begin his prison term. When Valerie drives him to the police station he panics seeing inmates transferred to a bus and hurriedly drives away in Valerie's car. Valerie fears his jumping bail will cost her the After Dark because she used it as collateral for his \$100,000 bond. Colin goes to Kelly's apartment in search of help and to find out if she still loves him but she turns him away. When Valerie later comes to the beach apartment looking for information about Colin, a nasty Kelly who denies having seen him meets her and warns her not to make the same mistake twice by coming over.

Joe is disappointed that his rehabilitation and training is progressing so slowly. When a singer at a music industry party recognizes him from his glory days of college football, he realizes that he may need more in his life than just football.

Clare warns Steve that Prince Carl is fickle with friendships and he bores quickly. Steve doesn't want to hear anything negative about his new best friend and lets Prince Carl take him out for his 21st birthday. Steve falls down the stairs and injures himself when getting ready to go out. Clare is surprised and touched that Prince Carl offers to help Steve while he is incapacitated.

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EPISODE #170

“RAY OF HOPE”

Susan leaves for a seminar and while Steve recuperates from his injury, he and Brandon sit around the Walsh house watching reruns of old [Spelling] shows such as *Love Boat* and *Vegas*.

Brandon convinces Kelly to help Valerie find Colin; not only would Valerie lose After Dark but Nat could also lose The Peach Pit if he isn't found. Kelly goes to dealer Danny V's house and persuades him to give up Colin's pager number. She arranges to meet him at a hotel and contacts the police. Colin obviously realized it was a trap and the SWAT team brings a handcuffed Danny out of the hotel room.

Donna and David's first music video project is for a new band headed by Ray Pruitt. Donna and David consider turning the job down but accept the job after meeting Ray's fiancée, Wendy, and hearing his new music.

Steve urges Prince Carl to Clare out because she is going stir crazy in the house taking care of him. They share childhood memories and Clare admits that her mother always anticipated that one day Clare would marry Carl and she would truly become a princess.

Given a clean bill of health, Joe decides to return to Pennsylvania to coach his high school team. He asks Donna to return with him, as his wife. Tormented, she turns him down explaining the fear that she would regret sacrificing her and his real dreams. They exchange a tearful farewell.

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EPISODE #171

**“YOU SAY IT’S YOUR BIRTHDAY”
(2-HOURS)**

Colin secures passage on a freight ship to sneak out of the country. He calls his former art dealer, Claudia, and gets her to wire him \$10,000 owed him from the sale of a painting. Valerie contacts old pal Jonesy to help track down Colin and, along with FBI agent, RICHARD, they track Colin.

Prince Carl throws Steve a huge 21st birthday party aboard the Queen Mary cruise ship, invites all his friends and the band The Goo Goo Dolls are scheduled to entertain. Andrea surprises Steve by flying in for the party. David and Donna put together a video birthday greeting from friends and relatives who couldn't make the party. They unsuccessfully inquire about Brenda's whereabouts but learn that Dylan is in London and they are back together.

On board, Erik from the music management company unsuccessfully makes moves on each of the girls, one by one. Susan tells Brandon she has received an offer to work on the presidential campaign in Washington D.C. for the summer. Brandon does not want her to go and reminds her that he turned down an equally impressive newspaper job so they could spend the summer together. Susan takes the job in Washington anyway, effectively ending their relationship.

Joan and Nat discover they are pregnant and announce that they will get married.

Prince Carl tells Steve that he is in love with Clare and wants to compete with him for her affection. Clare is insulted and although she admits a connection with Carl, it is Steve she loves and chooses. Brandon and Steve decide to leave the ship and drown their relationship sorrows at a strip club. Steve incites a fight at the bar and a brawl ensues. During the confusion Brandon spots Colin leaving the bar and they take off after him. Steve and Brandon are arrested, the bar does not press charges and they

notify the authorities about spotting Colin. Colin knows he has been found and does not show up to board the freighter; the FBI was waiting for him. Leaving the police station Brandon, Steve, Valerie and Kelly see Colin on the street and the guys chase him on foot while the girls call the police from their cellular phone. The guys corner him in a junkyard and wait for the police. Richard, the FBI agent, asks Valerie for a date and he admits he is considering a transfer to Los Angeles. The guys are congratulated for finding and apprehending Colin.



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David and Donna get swept away by the romantic mood of the evening on the ship. They cuddle on her bed and discuss their relationship. They later decide to get back together.

After everyone is back home and settled down, Kelly goes to the Walsh house to ask Brandon to give their relationship another chance. He is hesitant and suggests that they give it some time, as they are both on the rebound from recently failed relationships. Valerie overhears the conversation and comments that she is determined not to let Kelly and Brandon ever get back together.

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