**PLAY SCRIPT**

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The Love Triangle

Scene 1:

(R enters from SR and S from LR)

Rebecca:

R: Hey, Hun, what’s up?

Sara:

S: Just looking for you! Where have you been?

Rebecca:

R: I have just been looking for Leonardo. Have you seen him?

Sara:

S: I just had Student Council with him. I think he’s in the cafeteria.

Rebecca:

R: Ok, I am just going to wait here for him.

Sara:

S: You seem... off. Are you ok?

Rebecca:

R:(Completely ignoring S) You know what? I am going to call him and tell him to meet me here. If he even cares to answer.

Sara:

S: BABE!

Rebecca:

R: Hmmm? What-a-doo?

Sara:

S: What is going on? You are freaking me out.

Rebecca:

R: Oh, I am sorry babe. It’s just Leonardo has been avoiding me.

Sara:

S: Avoiding you? Or just not being able to catch up with you?

Rebecca:

R: He is avoiding me. He never answers his phone, and never attempts to talk to me. I think it’s time we should...

Sara:

S: Breakup? Babe, what has he really done?

Rebecca:

R: He is flirting with other girls, he never talks to me, and I just don’t know if I can stay with him. I mean we can never get together, he never tries to make an effort to see me, and it seems our schedules just don’t go together.

Sara:

S: But…

Rebecca:

R: But, I can’t help it. I still have feelings for Leonardo.

Sara:

S: Who else would you have feelings for?

Rebecca:

R: Well…

Sara:

S: Oh my gosh, it’s Antonio isn’t it?

Rebecca:

R: Well, maybe... Ya....

Sara:

S: Ahhhh! I knew it! You guys are perfect for each other!

Rebecca:

R: I know, hence the reason why I am breaking up with Leonardo, but at the same time I don’t want to because I still like him. What do I do?

(R is caught up and not paying attention, L enters from SR and S notices)

Sara:

S: I don’t know, but you better figure it out fast. Here he comes, do you need me to stay?

Rebecca:

R: No, I need to do this alone.

Sara:

S: Alright, tell me the details later!

Hello, Leonardo

(S exits SR looking back)

Leonardo:

L: Hey Sara. Hey Rebecca. How are you?

Rebecca:

R: I am fine. It’s been a while.

(Awkward silence, very stiff and tense)

Leonardo:

L: I am so sorry, you know how busy I am. With my… stuff… and stuff.

Rebecca:

R: Right, your “stuff.” That doesn’t explain you are not texting or calling.

Leonardo:

L: Well, I, um, broke my phone.

Rebecca:

R: I see.

Leonardo:

L: Look, I know I messed up, but-

Rebecca:

R: But nothing! You did mess up!

Leonardo:

L: I am sorry ok? What more do you want?

Rebecca:

R: I want you to prove it! So many times you’ve told me you’re sorry. None of them have you shown me.

Leonardo:

L: What is that even supposed to mean?

Rebecca:

R: If you don’t know, then you obviously don’t mean you are sorry.

Leonardo:

L: Look, I do. I know I have messed up. But, you know what’s going on!

Rebecca:

R: Right, you have so much going on right now.

Leonardo:

L: Please, just give me another try.

Rebecca:

R: But why should I?

Leonardo:

L: Because I am a guy. Every girl should know that guys are stupid when it comes to girls. I don’t know what to do with you, or how to make you happy. But, what I do know is that I love you.

Rebecca:

R: You know I am a hopeless romantic.

Leonardo:

L: I know, that’s one of the reasons why I love you.

Rebecca:

R: I… I… (Reluctant to say I love you back)

Leonardo:

L: I have to go, I will call you later?

Rebecca:

R: Alright, thanks that sounds good. Bye.

Leonardo:

L: Good bye babe!

(Exit different directions)

Scene 2:

(R on stage, A enters from SR)

Antonio:

A: Hi Rebecca!

Rebecca:

R: Oh, hey Antonio.

Antonio:

A: I waved in the hall, did you see me?

Rebecca:

R: Ya, I mean yes. I just had to get to my next class. Sorry.

Antonio:

A: That’s ok. Are you ok?

Rebecca:

R: Yes, I, um, I am fine.

Antonio:

A: You sure? Oh, are you upset about breaking up with Leonardo? I know it’s rough, but when you’re ready I am here, and-

Rebecca:

R: I didn’t break up with him.

Antonio:

A: And, I will… Wait what?

Rebecca:

R: I didn’t break up with him, Antonio. I couldn’t.

Antonio:

A: What do you mean? What happened? Did he pressure you into something?

Rebecca:

R: No! Of course he didn’t. I was going to, I was, but I just couldn’t. He told me he was sorry, and that he wanted another chance and that he loved me.

Antonio:

A: Are you serious? He is just playing you! You don’t need that!

Rebecca:

R: How do you know?

Antonio:

A: I see boys like him all the time, you don’t need this, you just need to get rid of him!

Rebecca:

R: Do not tell me what I need to do and what I don’t.

Antonio:

A: I am sorry. That was crossing the line, but I am just thinking of what is best for you. And he is not it.

Rebecca:

R: But I think I still like him too.

Antonio:

A: So you are just going to leave me here in the dust? After all the things I have done for you, after what you have said?

Rebecca:

R: No! I mean, I like you too! I am just so confused right now.

Antonio:

A: What can I do?

Rebecca:

R: I don’t know!

Antonio:

A: Well, do you want to tell me what you are feeling?

Rebecca:

R: It would just make you mad.

Antonio:

A: I am here for you, no matter if you are with me or Leonardo.

Rebecca:

R: I don’t want to Antonio!

Antonio:

A: Alright, um, ok. Well, what do you want me to do?

Rebecca:

R: I just need to think alone for awhile.

Antonio:

A: Well, when you choose the right person, I will be waiting. Call me then. See you later, Rebecca.

Rebecca:

R: Wait Antonio?

Antonio:

A: Yes?

Rebecca:

R: Thank you, I am sorry.

Antonio:

A: It’s alright

Scene 3:

(In lunch room, S and R on stairs, A by soda machine)

Sara:

S: So what happened?

Rebecca:

R: Hm?

Sara:

S: Don’t “hm” me! What happened with Leonardo?

Rebecca:

R: He told me he was sorry. That he loved me.

Sara:

S: No way! What did you say?

Rebecca:

R: Well, he wanted another chance and so I gave it to him, but after this no more.

Sara:

S: And how did Antonio react?

Rebecca:

R: He told me he was there for me.

Sara:

S: Aw! So who are you going to pick?

(L enters from SR and notices the girls)

Rebecca:

R: I have no idea. I think-

Sara:

S: I am sorry to interrupt, babe, but here they both come.

Rebecca:

R: What? Where?

Sara:

S: Antonio is over by the soda machine and Leonardo is by the store.

Rebecca:

R: Oh my gosh! Sara, help me, what do I do?

Sara:

S: Don’t worry, you got this.

Rebecca:

R: Antonio said he would give me space, Leonardo had plans for lunch today, why are they here?

Sara:

S: Because they like you, and they are approaching quickly…

Leonardo:

L: Hey Rebecca, Sara.

Sara:

S: Hey Leonardo.

Rebecca:

R: Hey, what are you doing here? I thought you had plans?

Leonardo:

L: I cancelled to be with you.

Sara:

S: Awww… Oh hey Antonio.

Rebecca:

R: (whisper) Sara, distract Antonio please! So Leonardo, what, um, do you have the rest of the day?

Sara:

S: Antonio, have you seen the, um, stairs? I mean they are so, like, stairs…

Antonio:

A: I guess. Sorry Sara, but I have to talk with Rebecca.

Sara:

S: No! Uh, and you are gone.

Rebecca:

R: So how about that math test huh?

Leonardo:

L: Well, it is kinda-

Antonio:

A: Rebecca, I don’t want to wait for you anymore. Please, choose the right person for you.

Leonardo:

L: Rebecca, what is he talking about?

Rebecca:

R: Sara!

Sara:

S: I am sorry, he was determined!

Rebecca:

R: Uh, ok. Here is the truth. I have no idea who I like right now, I just I feel like everyone is pressuring me into picking someone, and I am not ready to do that yet.

Leonardo:

L: So you are dating me when you like someone else?

Antonio:

A: No, she was not cheating on you if that is what you are implying. She just doesn’t need all the stuff you put her through. Leaving her alone and not being there for her made her need someone.

Leonardo:

L: But, she still loves me, obviously, or else she would’ve broken up with me!

Antonio:

A: But she was going to, but you pressured her by saying you loved her.

Leonardo:

L: I told her I loved her, but that does not mean I pressured her! She could’ve broken up with me at any time. You on the other hand-

Rebecca:

R: Enough! We all need to stop fighting and stop interrupting each other. Leonardo, I don’t know what to do. I think we should take a break. You can see other people, but I am not. Antonio, I am so sorry, I didn’t mean to lead you on, but I like you too, it’s just I don’t think right now I would be happy in any relationship.

Antonio:

A: Rebecca, I am usually the guy to understand, but this I don’t. I want to know now. What am I to you?

Rebecca:

R: Well-

Leonardo:

L: Me too, I don’t want to take a break. I want to know now.

Sara:

S: Guys don’t pressure her, you are only making the situation worse.

Antonio:

A: Stay out of this, Sara, this does not involve you.

Sara:

S: Sorry, but when did you guys become in charge of her feelings and what she does?

Rebecca:

R: Sara you are fine, don’t pay attention to them. But I do need to choose, I wouldn’t feel right if I didn’t.

Sara:

S: Ok, hope this turns out fine.

Rebecca:

R: I choose-

 (Beep Beep/Fire Alarm)

Sara:

S: Ahhhh! That scared the crap out of me! We so should walk with these people who are freaking out as well, just to blend in.