

**1 EXT. FACTORY - EVENING**

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The group exits the factory.

Lily links arms with Betty.

LILY

I've got to grab a dress from Bettys. Are you going to be okay walking back?

GRACE

Sure, I know where to go. Have fun.

BETTY

See you tomorrow.

They all wave.

RUTH

I've actually got to pick something up. So I can walk with you.

GRACE

Are you sure?

RUTH

Yeah, it's on the way. I'll see you later mum.

Iris hugs Ruth.

IRIS

Have a goodnight Grace.

They start walking away from the factory.

RUTH

How are you finding the town?

GRACE

I haven't seen much other than the Colemans and the factory yet.

RUTH

Well, I can fix that when we have a spare day. You'll get the exclusive Ruth Williams tour.

GRACE

What makes it different from a regular tour?

RUTH

Other than seeing the best shops and historic landmarks, you will also be gifted blackmail material on Betty and Lily.

GRACE

So if I wanted to acquire blackmail material on you I should ask for a tour with Lily and Betty.

RUTH

You would dare cheat on your tour guide, would you?

GRACE

Depends on if the stories are any good.

RUTH

Only the best stories for you. I'll even throw in some about my mother.

GRACE

Now I'm sold.

Comfortable silence with both of them smiling.

RUTH

Too bad no one can spill your embarrassing stories/secrets.

GRACE

I think the only people that would know any of them are my mother and father.

RUTH

Not many friends back home?  
(rushed)

No don't answer that, I'm sorry I didn't mean to be rude.

GRACE

It's okay. We all did different things and just drifted apart. I've grown quite fond of the company of books.

RUTH

That's why you are so good at the crossword.

GRACE

Or maybe you are just bad at them.

Ruth clutches her chest where her heart is.

RUTH

That hurts Grace, I'm wounded.

Grace laughs and nudges Ruth.

They arrive at the Colemans.

Ruth opens the gate for Grace to walk through. Closing it behind her.

GRACE

Thanks for walking me back.

RUTH

You are welcome, I'll see you in the morning.

GRACE

Bright and early.

Ruth walks away and Grace walks up to the door.

RUTH

Sleep well, Grace.

Grace turns to Ruth seeing her waving with a smile on her face.

Grace sends a small wave back and then faces the door.

A small smile breaks out on her face.