

"UNSEEN"

EXT. PARK - MORNING/MIDDAY

The camera frames four friends sitting by a picnic table, chatting and laughing.

FRIEND 1

Do you guys have any plans for the summer? Because Theo and I really wanna go to Portugal to finally just swim in the sea and literally do nothing else.

The wheelchair user looks as if they were zoning out of the conversation. The camera frames their face. Fast zoom into their head.

EXT. OCEAN

As the scenes progress, the conversation becomes progressively more muffled, echoey, and quiet.

FRIEND 2

Yeah, I was thinking of Portugal too, but, honestly, I am a bit scared now, 'cause have you heard about those fires that happened last year? Apparently, it was really bad.

INT. BUILDING ON FIRE

FRIEND 3

Oh yeah, I've read about it somewhere!

FRIEND 2

And where are you going Grazzja?

FRIEND 3

I wanna go to Paris again, but last time I was there the lift in the Eiffel Tower was not working, so we had to climb the stairs, can you imagine? Total nightmare.

INT. STAIRCASE LABIRINTH

FRIEND 3

And it's such a crowded city, honestly, it's so hard to get through all these people.

EXT. CROWDED STREET

FRIEND 3

Especially in the tube stations, seriously, I've never seen this many people squeezed in one place.

INT. TUBE STATION

FRIEND 3

But anyway, I love it so much, I still wanna see more of it.

FRIEND 2

I honestly don't know how you can handle these crowds, Grazzja. I just wanna be away from everybody. Me and a few friends from school actually booked a trip to South America! We really wanna do some proper hiking and kayaking this year. And the forests there are stunning.

EXT. MOUNTAINOUS JUNGLE

The conversation gets quiet.

EXT. OCEAN

Complete silence. Suddenly, in a normal, louder voice, says:

FRIEND 1

Talia, you're miles away! You are such a daydreamer. Come back!

Zoom out of the wheelchair user's head.

EXT. PARK

The camera frames the group of friends.

FRIEND 1

(addressing the wheelchair user)
And where are you going this summer?

THE END.