

THE HAVES AND THE HAVE NOTS
CANDACE & AMANDA

1.

FADE IN:

INT. AMANDA AND CANDACE'S APARTMENT

CANDACE is sitting at the desk when AMANDA comes into the room.

Hi.

CANDACE notices that AMANDA is crying.

What's wrong?

I failed.

How could you fail? We prepped all night.

I don't know. I got into the room. He put the test in front of me, and I froze... I just froze up.

What professor is this?

Cannon.

(interested)
I see.

I'm never going to be able to do this. I can't be a lawyer.

Will you relax. It's not the end of the world.

It is for me.

Your parents are rich. You'll be fine.

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2.

AMANDA

It's not about that. I wanted this
for me, Candace.

CANDACE

Excuse me. I'm sorry.

AMANDA

What am I going to do?

CANDACE

Come here.

CANDACE takes AMANDA to the mirror.

CANDACE (CONT'D)

Dry your eyes. Look at yourself.

AMANDA

I can't.

CANDACE

Yes, you can. Tell me what you
see.

AMANDA

A loser.

CANDACE

Wrong. You don't know the power
that God gave you.

AMANDA

I don't have any power.

CANDACE

As long as there are men on this
earth, you will always have power.
But not looking like this. We're
going to fix your hair and you're
going to put on something low
cut... some makeup. And you are
going to go and visit the good
professor and ask him for a make-up
test.

AMANDA

I'm not like you. I can't do that.

CANDACE

Sure you can.

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3.

AMANDA

How do you have the confidence?

CANDACE

You'd be surprised how much
confidence a designer label and six-
inch heels can grant. Come on.

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