FADE IN:

ROLL CREDITS:

INT. DENVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT - DAY

CLOSE UP:A SUIT CASE IS BEING ROLLED ON THE TILE FLOOR.

A group of people, aged around 20, are walking down the passageway to Gate D7. Three of them are woman. The oldest, STEPHANIE or STEPH, stops at a counter to get help from an AIRLINE SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE.

AIRLINE SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE May I help you, ma'am?

STEPHANIE Yes, I'm looking for Gate D7. Could you point me the direction.

AIRLINE SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE Yes, its down this passage, and than you make a right, just before the restrooms.

STEPHANIE

Thank you sir.

INT. DENVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. GATE D7 - DAY

The friends are sitting in chairs. From right to left: DREW is sitting, listening to his I-pod. Drew is the youngest of all the friends. He is athletic, and short. EVIE, who is dating Drew, is reading a magazine. She is short as well. She stops and combs her long blond hair. Stephanie is reading a short novel. She holds the book in her hand, while twirling her brunette hair with her other. She looks over to MIA, who is sitting next to her.

STEPHANIE Hey Mia, sit by me on the plane.

Mia nods. She is very short, and has dark brown if not black hair. She grabs her bag, and gets out a piece of gum. Next to her is sitting WISELY. He is tan, and kind of nerdy. He is skinny. He is not athletic, but not scrawny either.

The intercom comes on:

INTERCOM Gate D7 is now ready to board. Everyone stands up, and grabs their belongings. They were the first to board the plane. The Pilot and head stewardess greets them as they walk in. The look at their tickets to find out where they sit.

INT. PLANE - EARLY EVENING

CREDITS END.

NATE announces their spots.

NATE We're booked in rows Thirteen and Fourteen.

MIA Right by the wing.

She smiles at Stephanie, who is frightened.

MIA Steph, were going to be OK. Evie's Dad is a pilot. Tell 'er Evie.

EVIE Yeah Steph. Planes are safer than cars.

Stephanie sits in her spot. She is in between Nate and Mia. Everyone gets situated. The stewardess starts the safety routine.

> STEWARDESS Welcome aboard, and thank you for flying with west coast airlines. We're committed to make this flight as safe and comfortable as we can....

Stephanie was looking out the window. She plugs in her earphones and tunes out the safety policy.

STEWARDESS CONT.To detach the seat belt, simply push the buckle, and pull....

Stephanie closes her eyes.

STEWARDESS

Excuse me.

Stephanie is startled.

STEPHANIE

Oh, huh?

STEWARDESS You can't listen to your I-pod while the plane is moving. I'm going to have to ask you to turn it off.

STEPHANIE

'm sorry.

EXT. DENVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT - DAY

The plane lifts off.

SHOW TITLE: PLAGUED

INT. WEST COAST AIRLINE - ROW 14

Drew notices the girl sitting next to him is reading a book by John Semoore.

DREW You like John Semoore?

CHLOE He's my favorite.

He shakes her hand.

DREW Drew Prescott.

CHLOE Chloe Thornberg.

DREW Ah. Your Swedish?

CHLOE How did you kn----?

DREW My uncle married a Thornberg, she was Swedish.

CHLOE

I see.

INT. WEST COAST AIRLINE - ROW 13

Mia is talking to Stephanie. She whispers something and they both laugh. Nate is reading a sports magazine.

INT. BETHEL AIRPORT - CAR RENTAL - NIGHT

The plane has been landed for fifteen minutes. The airport is almost empty. A shmoozy man is dealing them a car. CHLOE So I will see you around Drew. DREW Yeah. Chloe walks away. Evie is talking with Mia. EVIE He's totally flirting with that girl. MIA Go tell him who. EVIE No, I'm not going to do that. Stephanie finished talking with the man. STEPHANIE OK. I got the car. Its in parking lot C39, Floor 2. The group walks to the car garage. They find their car and pile in. The men put the suitcases in the back. INT. CAR - NIGHT Stephanie is driving the car. In the front is Nate. NATE So where are we going? DREW My Uncles Cabin is in like a couple exits. Turn right on 438. STEPHANIE Κ. EVIE Your Uncle is so cool for doing this. Everyone agrees. The car turns on the exit. It starts to snow outside. NATE Their will be beer, right?

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DREW Yes Nate, Their will be beer. Nate cheers. EVIE How much further? DREW We should be their in five minutes. Turn on the tunes. Stephanie tries the radio. STEPHANIE It's broke. Can't get a signal. Do you guys have a signal on your phones? EVIE I got one bar. MIA Nope. WISELY Mine's got one bar also. DREW Same. The car's headlights shine on the cabin. NATE Nice stuff. It's huge. EVIE Thanks a lot for setting this up. DREW Yeah, no problem. Here drop me off. EXT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - NIGHT Drew gets out of the car, while Stephanie pulls it into the shed. Everyone gets out of the car. Drew grabs the door's key from under the mat. They all get out.

INT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - CONTINUOUS

Drew unlocks the door and they all get in. Evie is shivering. Drew wraps his arms around her.

EVIE

It's so cold.

NATE

Yeah.

DREW So, you guys can get settled in, pick your rooms, me and Evie get the Master's.

Nate walks down the hall. He yells back.

NATE I call the biggest one.

INT. UPSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie starts to walk upstairs. Everyone else is in the kitchen area. She's walking. Under her, the old wood floors are creaking. She sees a room to her left. She goes to open it, it's locked. Someone behind her grabs her. She jumps. It was Nate.

STEPHANIE

Uh, you scared me.

NATE Oh. Hey, what are you doing up here all alone?

STEPHANIE Oh I was just checking out the house. all the rooms are locked so...

NATE Come down stairs. I'll go ask Drew for the key.

STEPHANIE Here, I'll meet you guys down in a sec.

NATE

K.

He walks down the stairs. Stephanie turns around and walks to the game room.

INT. THE GAME ROOM - CONTINUOUS

She sits on the couch. Grabs the remote, and turns on the TV. On the screen is a reporter on breaking news. she walks over to turn it up.

REPORTER

There have been three missing persons cases in Oscarville just this year. I'm here with town sheriff Dylan Barker, Dylan.

Stephanie goes back to the couch. The TV is staticy. It shows a picture of the missing woman.

DYLAN V.O Thank you. Um, I had been notified that a woman in her mid thirties has been missing for two hours. We can't go searching right now, 'cause bad weather is rolling in. But...

Stephanie flips the channel.

WEATHER MAN

Now the blizzard is forming from the Arctic waters and is heading for the coast near Kipnuk and Tununak. It will reach Oscarville and Bethel around 11pm. Take immediate action.

The TV static flickers.

STEPHANIE

(whisper) Oh my go...

She gets up and runs down stair.

INT. DOWNSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie approaches Nate and Wisely, who are sitting on the couch. Evie and Drew are in the bedroom, and Mia was in the kitchen. She tried to talk but she was hoarse.

STEPHANIE (horsely) Hurry quick. A blizzards coming.

Nate and Wisely get off the couch.

NATE Stephanie whats going on.

WISELY I'll go get Drew.

Wisely runs to the master bedroom.

NATE

Steph, what did you see? Mia comes from the kitchen. MIA Whoa, what's going on. NATE Stephanie says a blizzards coming. Go get her some water. Mia obeys. She fills a glass with water and comes back. NATE Steph, are you OK? STEPHANIE It..it was on the news. Turn it on, channel 8. NATE Ah..Sh.. MIA Wait, a blizzard? That's impossible. Oh my god. NATE (demanding) Turn it on! Mia grabs the control and turns on the flat screen TV. They watch. WEATHER MAN Take immediate action. The towns of Oscarville and Bethel. A blizzard is heading your way. REPORTER Now, heavy snow has been reported in Kipnek. Up to six feet of snow. Mia starts to freak out. MIA Oh my god. Oh my god. Were gonna be stuck here. We'll miss are plane. Wisely comes back with Drew and Evie. DREW Nate, turn it off. It's freaking everyone out.

The lights flicker and then the power goes out. EVIE Drew, what are we going to do? DREW We'll be fine. I'm going to go get some flashlights. Mia, go grab some more fire wood and planks from the shed. We need to board up the windows in case the wind shatters them through. MIA Κ. DREW And Mia. MIA Yeah? DREW Be careful. MIA I will. Mia runs out the front door.Stephanie stands up. STEPHANIE Maybe we should call are parents. EVIE Why? STEPHANIE I don't know, tell 'em a blizzards coming. Wisely gets his phone out of his pocket. WISELY I don't have a signal. EXT. SHED - NIGHT Mia walks into the shed. INT. SHED - CONTINUOUS Mia comes into the shed and looks for fire wood and spare planks. The door slams shut.

MIA (gasps) Oh. Mia, don't scare yourself. It's only the wind. POV: SOMETHING BEHIND MIA, WATCHING HER PICK UP STICKS.

> MIA This is just great. Why am I out here...

Mia picks up a stick. She hears something behind her. She turns around. She sees a dark figure inside the room. She drops the fire wood, and it approaches her. You can't see it's face or body, but just a silhouette. She backs up.

> MIA (sobbing) Please don't hurt me.

It steps closer.

MIA (yelling) Somebody help me!

It comes closer.

EXT. SHED - NIGHT

Mia screams (Mia not shown)

INT. FAMILY ROOM - NIGHT

Everyone turns their head.

STEPHANIE What was that?

mae wab chae.

EVIE Probably a wolf.

WISELY I'm going to go check it out.

EVIE No, wait. I'm going with you. Steph, will you be fine here?

STEPHANIE Yeah, Nate's here.

EVIE

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They walk out the front door to outside. EXT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - NIGHT Evie is shivering. Wisely is shining his cell phone for light. They start to walk into the shed. INT. SHED - CONTINUOUS They walk in. EVIE Mia? Hello? WISELY Look. The fire wood. EVIE Where's Mia? WISELY I don't know, let's go back. They turn around and see Nate in the door way. They are startled. WISELY God, you scared me. EVIE Wait, wheres Stephanie? NATE She's inside. EVIE You left her alone? NATE Yeah. Evie brushes passed Nate as she leaves the shed. NATE What was that all about? WISELY She's just scared. Everyone's just scared. INT. FAMILY ROOM - NIGHT Nate and Wisely walk through the door. Drew is standing up,

while Stephanie and Evie are sitting.

DREW Where's Mia? WISELY Me and Evie were just looking. We couldn't find her. DREW Everyone get up and look. Were not stopping 'til we find her. Everyone stood up. Evie and Drew Paired together. Stephanie and Wisely paired together. And Nate went alone. INT. UPSTAIRS - NIGHT

Stephanie and Wisely went upstairs to look. They went into Mia's room.

INT. MIA'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie opened the door.

STEPHANIE

Mia?

WISELY

Mia?

STEPHANIE Mia, you there?

Wisely sat on the bed. Stephanie checked the closet.

INT. MIA'S CLOSET - CONTINUOUS

The door swings open.

STEPHANIE

Mia?

INT. UPSTAIRS - NIGHT

They open the door and leave the room.

EXT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - NIGHT

Evie and Drew are looking outside with flashlights. They are calling her name.

EVIE Mia? Mia, can you here me?

DREW

Mia? Hello, Mia?

Evie looks into the sky. She yells.

EVIE

Mia!

INT. JACUZZI ROOM - NIGHT

Nate walks into the jacuzzi room. He creeps up to the jacuzzi.

NATE

(hoarsely)

Mia?

He sees a black shadow move.

NATE Who's there. Drew is that you? Mia?

He turns around and sees a disfigured Mia. He dropped his flashlight. Her backbone is sticking out of her back. Her spine is all crooked, and is sticking out. Her neck looked broken and her arms to. She got up. Her face was deformed. She let out a snarl. Nate looked at her. She grinned, and ran towards him. She was on him, trying to kill him. He grabbed his flashlight, and hit her with it. He got up, his lake was injured, and ran out of the room. He had the keys that Drew had given him. Mia was getting up. She was popping her neck back in place. Nate was trying to find the right key. He finds the one that says 'skeleton key'. Mia runs towards the door. He shuts it and locks it.

INT. STEPHANIE'S ROOM - NIGHT

Stephanie and Wisely turn their heads. They run out the door.

STEPHANIE

Mia?

They run downstairs.

INT. DOWNSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

Nate is standing outside the door. He sniffs his nose and wipes it with his arm. His shirt is bloody.

STEPHANIE Oh my God Nate, your bleeding.

NATE

What?

WISELY What happened. NATE I was in the jacuzzi room, looking for Mia when... Evie and Drew walked in the door. DREW What's going on? NATE You should have seen her. She didn't look like herself. She was a beast. I don't know what to call it. EVIE Nate, what are you talking about? NATE It's true. I swear it's true. STEPHANIE Drew, sit down on the couch. I'm going to go get some paper towels to wipe the blood off. It's not your blood. DREW Where'd Mia go. NATE I locked her in the jacuzzi room. She's still in there. DREW Do you have the key? NATE well, Yeah, wait what's going on? DREW Nate, give me the keys. NATE (hysterical) No. No, you can't go in there man. She'll kill you. DREW Gosh dang it Nate, give me the keys!

Nate grabs the keys and hands them out.

NATE Don't do it man.

Drew goes to the door. He unlocks it and goes in to investigate. He comes out two seconds later. He is standing in the doorway.

> DREW There's nobody in here.

Behind him is Mia. She grabs him and the door slams shut.

EVIE No! Somebody do something.

Nate gets up off the couch and grabs a fire stake. He runs into the room and sees Mia attacking Drew. She looks up and growls at Nate. He runs in and Stabs her with the fire stake. He helps drew up, drags him out, and locks the door with the keys from the ground.

> STEPHANIE Drew, are you OK?

Evie is freaking out.

EVIE Oh my God guys, what are we going to do?

WISELY Evie, would you just shut up!

Drew was only injured a little. Some of his skin had been torn and he had a cut on his arm.

NATE Stephanie, go get something to rap his arm.

STEPHANIE

On it.

She runs to the kitchen.

DREW I'll be okay. Lock all the doors.

Evie left to lock all the doors. Wisely went with her.

STEPHANIE

What was she?

NATE

I don't know. She was like a beast. STEPHANIE Is she.. DREW Dead? Stephanie nods her head. DREW I don't know. Evie and Wisely come back. WISELY They're all locked. DREW Good. STEPHANIE Does anyone have a signal. Maybe we could call for help. NATE We're not going to get a signal up here. STEPHANIE But maybe if we try than ... NATE Stephanie! We don't have a signal! DREW Be nice to her. She was only trying to help. WISELY How did she get it? EVIE I don't know. She was out getting fire wood. We heard a yell. She was gone. Stephanie looks at Drew. STEPHANIE How do we know that he .. DREW That I what? Have it?

Stephanie doesn't answer.

WISELY Wouldn't he have it by now?

EVIE I don't know?

NATE OK, everyone is just a little freaked out. We should all just go to are beds, and wait till tomorrow.

DREW What about her?

NATE She can't get out.

EVIE I'm not going to sleep.

WISELY Yeah, you go ahead.

Stephanie sat down.

STEPHANIE Were all going to die.

DREW Don't say that! OK, no ones gonna die, and no one's going to bed.

Evie was sitting in a chair near the windows.

EVIE Are there more like her out there?

The window brakes and something grabs her and tries to pull her out the window. Nate and Stephanie run and grab her. Drew grabs a shot gun from his uncle's office. He loads it with to rounds. Evie is finally grabbed and pulled out the window.

EXT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - CONTINOUS

Drew jumps out the window after her and shoots. He's too far away.

DREW

No!

Stephanie jumps out the window and grabs him.

STEPHANIE Drew, come inside.

DREW No, I gotta save Evie.

STEPHANIE It's too late Drew. Come inside!

Something is standing behind Drew.

STEPHANIE Drew, behind you.

An old lady, whose back is crooked and is bent over grabs the gun out of Drew's hands. Nate hops through the window and the woman runs away. He helps Stephanie get him inside. Drew is crying.

> DREW They got her. They've got Evie.

Everyone is freaking out. Nate is pacing back and forth. Wisely is holding his head. Drew and Stephanie are crying.

> NATE OK. We need weapons. Something to fend them off. Drew, come with me, upstairs and we'll look for stuff. Wisely, you and Steph look downstairs.

INT. DREW'S UNCLE'S OFFICE - NIGHT

Stephanie and Wisely are looking around.

STEPHANIE I'm so scared Wisely.

WISELY

I am too.

They look through some of the drawers. Wisely finds something.

STEPHANIE What is that?

WISELY It's a photograph of Drew with his aunt and uncle when he was younger.

Stephanie looks in the shelves. Wisely puts it back down. Stephanie finds a letter opener.

STEPHANIE I got a knife.

WISELY Good. Lets go get Drew and them.

They leave the office and enter the family room.

INT. FAMILY ROOM - NIGHT

Drew and Nate walk down the stairs.

NATE

Anything?

WISELY

No.

Stephanie looks at Wisely, he gives her a look back.

STEPHANIE How about you guys?

DREW We found a baseball bat, but nothing else.

Behind Stephanie's back she puts the knife in her pocket.

NATE We need to board up the windows.

WISELY We don't have wood. Mia was supposed to get it but...

Wisely stops. Drew has a sad look on his face.

DREW We need to go get Evie.

NATE Drew, look. Evie's gone.

DREW No. No, don't say that. Don't say that. We can still find her.

STEPHANIE I'm sorry Drew.

DREW No. No, you don't tell me you're sorry. They have Evie, and I will

not stop, until I get her back.

He grabs the bat and runs towards Stephanie. She moves out of the way and he goes and brakes a window.

STEPHANIE

Drew. Don't.

He uses the bat to break the corners of the window that didn't break off. He hops through and leaves.

NATE We're so screwed. Oh my god, we're all going to die.

Wisely goes towards the stairs.

WISELY Come upstairs, were safer there.

They all three go upstairs.

INT. UPSTAIRS - NIGHT

All three of them are locked in one of the bedrooms. They are sitting on the bed.

STEPHANIE I should have never came.

NATE I can't believe this is happening.

WISELY What are we going to do guys? They're everywhere.

NATE What are they?

STEPHANIE Zombies, I think.

WISELY No, no. They can't be zombies. Zombies are the living dead. These things aren't dead. I don't know what these things are.

STEPHANIE What do they want from us. Why us.

A sound come from downstairs.

NATE Whoa. What was that.

STEPHANIE Oh no. They're coming.

NATE I'm gonna check it out.

WISELY I'm coming too.

STEPHANIE Don't leave me.

WISELY Come with us. But stay behind.

They all walk down the stairs.

INT. DOWNSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

Nate is leading them down the stairs. They see a light on in the master bedroom. Nate signals his hand to stay. Stephanie grabs the knife from her back pocket. Nate walks to the door and grabs the nob. Slowly he turns it and pushes open the door. Inside is Drew with Evie's half dead body.

NATE

Drew.

DREW

Sh.

Drew looks and sees that Evie is changing into one of the things.

NATE Drew. You need to let Evie go. Put her down, and come over here.

DREW No. It's OK. She's normal.

NATE No Drew, she's one of them. Put her down and come over here!

Stephanie walks forward towards the master bedroom.

STEPHANIE Can..can I speak to Evie?

DREW

Sure.

NATE Steph, that's not a good idea.

He looks and sees the knife in the back of her hand. She walks in.

INT. MASTER BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie walks in with the knife in her right hand.

STEPHANIE Evie, it's me.

Evie is moving helplessly. She looks terrible. She throws up.

STEPHANIE Drew, can I talk to her..Alone.

DREW Sure. Yeah, you can do that.

Drew leaves the room. Stephanie shuts the door with her left arm.

STEPHANIE Evie, this will only hurt for a

second, than it will all be over.

Stephanie grabs a pillow and takes off the pillow case. She puts it in Evie's mouth so she won't scream. Stephanie grabs the knife and holds it up.

INT. OUTSIDE THE MASTER BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

Evie lets out a soft grunt (not seen)

DREW What's going on in there.

NATE I think she's just sick. She probably is moaning in pain.

DREW I got to get in there.

NATE No drew. Come with me. Sit down. It's all OK, right Wisely?

WISELY

Yeah.

INT. MASTER BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie takes Evie's dead body and puts it in the bath. She locks the door as she leaves. She hides the knife. She turns on the shower and folds back the curtain. Drew is outside the door, trying to get in.

> DREW V.O. Stephanie, let me in.

NATE V.O. Drew, you need to calm down.

Stephanie is crying. She gets a hold of herself and wipes the tears.

STEPHANIE (whisper) It's OK Steph, I got this.

DREW V.O. Let me in!

Stephanie opens the door.

DREW Where's Evie.

STEPHANIE She doesn't feel too good, so she decided to take a shower.

Drew walks toward the bathroom. Stephanie has a worried look on her face.

DREW Evie, sweety.

Stephanie looks terrified.

DREW Ev? Feel better, OK?

He comes out and closes the door. Stephanie looks relieved.

NATE We should have dinner.

WISELY

I'm starving.

They walk to the kitchen. Nate opens the cupboards. He turns

to look at Drew and Stephanie. INT. KITCHEN TABLE - CONTINUOUS Stephanie and Drew are sitting at the table. NATE V.O. Stephanie, want something to eat. She looks towards Nate. STEPHANIE (voice shaken) No. I'm fine. I don't have much of an appetite. Drew gets up from the table fast, kicking back the chair. DREW It's taking Evie a long time. What did you do to her? WISELY Drew. Evie's dead. She's dead. Drew starts to cry. DREW No. No it can't be. Oh please God, no. WISELY I'm sorry Drew. Drew wipes his face and angrily walks up to the stairs. Nate and Stephanie are talking. STEPHANIE I think I'm going to be sick. WISELY Did you, you know, kill her? STEPHANIE I had to..she was one of-----. NATE Do you hear that. WISELY No. NATE The shower. It's not on. Evie.

They get up and run to the master bedroom.

INT. MASTER BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

The bathroom door is open.

STEPHANIE Who turned off the shower.

NATE I thought you killed her...

STEPHANIE

I did.

Stephanie walks into the bathroom. She comes back out.

STEPHANIE She's gone. There's blood on the floor.

Wisely is worried.

WISELY Guys, c'mon, we gotta get outta here.

They all run out of the master bedroom.

INT. DOWNSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

They got to the fireplace. Nate get's another fire stake. Stephanie gets the knife from her pocket and Wisely gets the bat that Drew had dropped.

> NATE Go upstairs. Hurry.

They all run upstairs.

INT. UPSTAIRS - CONTINUOUS

They run up the stairs.

DREW What's going on?

STEPHANIE Evie's missing. She got out.

DREW I gotta go get her.

Drew runs to the railing.

NATE

No Drew, don't go.

Evie comes out from the Guest Room 3. She runs and tackles Drew, throwing both of them over the railing.

STEPHANIE

No!

Stephanie runs over to the rail. Both Evie and Drew are lifeless at the bottom of the stair case.

STEPHANIE CONT

Why!

She is crying. Nate grabs her. Evie starts to limp/crawl up the stairs. Her body is out of whack. Her spine is out of place.

WISELY No,no, no. She's coming up here.

NATE God, what does it take to kill one of these things.

He looks around.

NATE Stephanie, hand me that chair.

She throws it to him. He smashes it on the ground.

STEPHANIE What are you doing?

He grabs one of the legs of the chairs. It has a snap at the end, which is sharp. Evie is at the top of the stairs. She starts to stand up.

NATE

Come on.

Evie snarls at him. She lunges at him. He comes around and stabs her behind the back. She lets out a weep like a dog. Her body is lifeless. He takes the limp body and drags it down the stairs.

> WISELY Where are you going.

NATE To burn it. He puts Evie on a chair, ties her hands together, dumps lighter fluid on her, pushes the chair out the window, grabs a match from the candle box, and lights it on fire.

NATE Drew, Drew are you OK?

He's dead. Evie is screaming from outside. Nate walks up the stair.

STEPHANIE Is it ov.. NATE Yeah. It is. WISELY So, they don't like fire? NATE N-

WISELY I have an idea. Stephanie, do you have your car keys?

STEPHANIE

Yeah, why?

She grabs them from her pocket.

WISELY Good. We need to lure them to the gas station.

NATE Are you crazy?

WISELY We will light them on fire with the gas.

STEPHANIE But we don't know how many there are? could be thousands.

WISELY It's the only chance we got, to fight back.

INT. SHED - NIGHT (10:20)

Outside it is windy and snowing.

STEPHANIE The blizzard. We can't drive in this weather.

NATE

Get in.

They get in the car.

EXT. SHED - CONTINUOUS

The car crashes through the shed. Fifteen of those people chase it. The truck gets away.

INT. CAR - CONTINUOUS

STEPHANIE

We lost them.

NATE What exit was that gas station on?

STEPHANIE

I can't rem..

NATE

Come on.

WISELY (whisper) 430 uh.

Now louder.

WISELY

436!

The car makes a U-turn and goes towards exit 436.

STEPHANIE I think we're gonna make it.

They pass an exit.

NATE What exit was that?

WISELY Um, 437. 437.

NATE

K.

They keep driving.

STEPHANIE There it is, 436. The car turns right. A gas station is on the corner with the lights on. NATE Wait in the car. EXT. GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS Nate hops out of the car and slams his door. Stephanie pounds on the glass. NATE Stay in the car. Behind them is a herd of twenty to thirty people that are plagued. NATE Get out of the car! INT. CAR - CONTINUOUS Wisely looks at Stephanie. WISELY What did he say. STEPHANIE I don't know. Nate is yelling. NATE Get out of the car. Stephanie tries the door handle. It's locked. STEPHANIE It's locked. NATE Oh sh... He grabs the key out of his pocket, but inadvertently drops it. STEPHANIE

Let us out.Unlock the door.

NATE

I'm trying.

He's on the ground looking for the key. It's under the car on snow.

NATE I can't reach it!

Stephanie looks out the back of the truck.

STEPHANIE Hurry, they're coming!

NATE

Stay back.

He smashes his elbow against the glass, breaking it.

NATE CONT

Come on.

Stephanie is pulling herself out the window.

STEPHANIE

I'm stuck.

WISELY Hurry! they're coming!

Stephanie gets out of the car.

STEPHANIE OK, hurry, hurry.

Wisely gets out through the window in just the right time. They run into the gas station. Nate locks the door with rope.

> NATE Hello? Anyone here?

> > STEPHANIE

Hello.

They see a light on in the back room.A man is watching TV.

NATE

Hello.

The man is freaking out. His name is JONATHAN.

JONATHAN They got her. They got my daughter. They got my Chloe. STEPHANIE Your daughter was Chloe? She sat by us on the plane.

JONATHAN They grabbed her out of the gas station. They dragged her. She called for me.

INT. GAS STATION - EARLIER THAT NIGHT.

The blond Chloe is being dragged out of the gas station by one of the people.

CHLOE

Daddy!

INT. GAS STATION - PRESENT

Nate is looking at Stephanie.

NATE Get back Steph, he's gotta gun.

JONATHAN They took her. And they will take you too!

STEPHANIE

Wh..?

JONATHAN

They come every once in awhile, during a winter storm. It's a Plague on this town. They come just before a blizzard hits. After the blizzard's over, they all die.

WISELY

What are they?

JONATHAN They're the people that go missing.

STEPHANIE I saw that on the news.

JONATHAN

It starts out as just one, that lives through the blizzard. It has to feed. After it gets you, you become one of them. They're just sick people. It can happen fast...

INT. 13426 NORTH BETHEL ST (CABIN) - CONTINUOUS Drew is on the floor. He gets up. His eyes are blood shot. JONATHAN V.O. Or it can happen slow. Sometimes it takes hours... Drew gets up. He looks around, and snarls. JONATHAN V.O. The infection lives in their blood. It consumes them. And once takes over their body... Drew runs out the door. INT. GAS STATION - PRESENT CLOSE UP: JONATHAN'S LIPS. JONATHAN They hunt and kill. The infected people are hitting at the glass. NATE What do we do? JONATHAN There are two ways to kill them. When they get really cold, and when they burn up. Nate looks at the propane tanks. CLOSE UP: PROPANE TANKS NATE Help me. They run over to the propane tanks. WISELY What are you doing. NATE We're going to give them what they want. WISELY What in the ... NATE

Jon, is their a back door.

JONATHAN

Yeah.

STEPHANIE You don't have to do this Nate.

NATE Someone has to stop it.

JONATHAN

Son.

NATE

Yeah.

JONATHAN

Be careful.

He nods. Nate grabs an air horn, a propane tank, a dolly to wheel it all out their, a lighter, and duct tape.

EXT. OUTSIDE THE GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS

Stephanie opens the door.

STEPHANIE

Nate don't.

NATE Stephanie, tell my mom I love her.

STEPHANIE (crying) Don't do this. Don't do it. Please God, don't let him die.

INT. GAS STATION - PRESENT

Jonathan grabs her.

JONATHAN Shut the door and lock it.

Wisely obeys.

EXT. GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS

Nate carries the propane tank out. He cover's his mouth his his shirt and turns the nob.

INT. GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS

The infected people finally brake the glass. They start to come in when a loud sound comes from outside.

EXT. GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS

Nate is blowing the horn and waving his hands. He's coughing.

NATE Hey. Over here.

He coughs.

NATE

Come get me.

The infected people come towards him.

NATE That's it. Come on. Closer.

He grabs a lighter from out of his pocket that he got from the gas station. He rips off his coat and steps away from the gas. He runs away, with the air horn taped to the propane take going off. He lights his coat on fire.

> NATE CONT Come on. Catch.

It finally catches. He lights the shirt and throws it towards the tank. All of the people are surrounding it.

CLOSE UP: PROPANE TANK IS MAKING A GAS SIZZLING NOISE.

The gas is almost towards the flaming fabric. Nate turns around. The gas hits the shirt, and the gas explodes. All the infected people burn to ashes.

INT. GAS STATION - PRESENT

Stephanie hugs Wisely.

STEPHANIE We did it. We made it.

EXT. OUTSIDE THE GAS STATION - CONTINUOUS

A helicopter comes into site. Jonathan, Stephanie, and Wisely run outside. Nate is waving his hands. The helicopter shines a light on them. They call on a bull horn.

> PEOPLE We saw the explosion. We're here to rescue you.

Stephanie hugs Nate and Wisely. The helicopter lands. The pilot and copilot are in the front. Nate and Stephanie and Wisely get on. Another woman was on board, sleeping. She was in her mid thirties. They all sit down and the helicopter flies off.

INT. HELICOPTER - NIGHT.

Stephanie is sitting and looking at the lady. Wisely looks at her.

WISELY What's wrong?

STEPHANIE Nothing. She just looks oddly familiar.

Stephanie thinks back.

INT. THE GAME ROOM - EARLIER

On the TV Stephanie was watching the news. It showed the missing woman.

INT. HELICOPTER - NIGHT.

The lady woke up and looked up at Stephanie. She had a grin on her face, than snarled and growled and leaped toward Stephanie.

FADE TO BLACK:

EXT. BETHEL ALASKA - THE NEXT DAY

Detectives are walking around everywhere to look for survivors.

ROLL CREDITS:

EXT. BETHEL ALASKA - THE SAME DAY

Chloe is lying dead in the snow. The plane is covered in snow. People are walking around.

INT. HOTEL IN OSCARVILLE - SAME DAY

Drew is at the front counter. His eyes are blood shot and he has a cough. He steals a key and walks to the elevator. Inside is a woman in a business outfit. She's on the phone.

WOMAN What floor. Drew clicks the top floor. The woman continues to talk. As the doors are closing Drew launches on her and attacks her. Just before the doors close he looks at the camera.

FADE OUT:

THE END.