

## Characters:

Abby, a red female owl

Westminster, a brown male owl

Mrs. Gayle, an orange female Barn owl  
and teacher at the Owlesly Academy for  
Gifted Birds

Blacky Wolfbane, a male Great Sooter  
owl

Meske Graywing, a male gray owl

Jordan Silverstar, a brown male owl

Act I, Scene II: (Present day Abby is  
shown sitting on her bed reading her  
journal, Westminster is sitting next to  
her occasionally peeking over her  
shoulder but mostly picking at his right  
eye for what seems to be no reason at all.  
Abby is speaking in narration.)

Abby: Gem was right, all I was doing was  
delaying the inevitable.. I didn't just like  
Westminster, I loved him but I couldn't  
gather the strength to tell him. If she  
could see through my walls, could Westy?  
Being a teenager in love is so hard  
sometimes. I just had to talk to him, 7th  
period would possibly be my final chance.  
But how would I do it?

(The scene goes back to the high school in

a classroom full of other owls, including Abby, Monica, Sophie, Butler, Blacky Wolfbane, Meske Graywing and Jordan Silverstar. Mrs. Gayle is at the head of the classroom, writing on the blackboard behind her.)

Mrs. Gayle: We're going to talk about english propositions real quickly..

(The classroom is full of loud chatter and laughter. Blacky Wolfbane is seen towards the back of the classroom screwing around with Meske Graywing and snickering.)

Mrs. Gayle: \*raising her voice\* I'm not doing this for my own benefit, I know all this stuff!

(Blacky Wolfbane looks towards Mrs. Gayle and lets off a big grin.)

Blacky Wolfbane: But do you really know, babe?

(A majority of the class breaks out in laughter, cutting their chatter short.)

Mrs. Gayle: Mr. Wolfbane! Do you care to repeat what you just called me to the rest

of the class?

Meske Graywing: He called you babe. I think you've got a serious hearing problem.

(Meske Graywing kicks his feet up onto his desk, looking very chill as Mrs. Gayle is shown becoming more angry.)

Mrs. Gayle: \*starting to turn red with anger\* Mr. Graywing! I suggest that you and Mr. Wolfbane apologize to me before I send you both to the principal's office.  
Meske Graywing: Let me get this straight. You want us to apologize to you and then you'll send us to the principal?

(Smoke is starting to come out of Mrs. Gayle's ears and beak as she is becoming more red and angry.)

Mrs. Gayle: I want you both to apologize and stop interrupting my teachings or I'll kick you out of here!

Jordan Silverstar: Would you stop changing what you're gonna do?

Meske Graywing: She's an old bat. What do you expect brother wolf?

(Mrs. Gayle is just about to go ballistic as the scene shows Westminster pass a note

over to the owl to his left. The note is making its way over to the next row of owls over where Abby is located.)

Mrs. Gayle: BAT?! All three of you LEAVE, before I come over there and make you leave!

(Blacky Wolfbane is shown shaking a finger at Mrs. Gayle, making a "tsk tsk" sound. Jordan Silverstar and Meske Graywing are both grinning.)

Blacky Wolfbane: All you had to do was say please..

Meske Graywing: Kindness will get you anything you want, Mrs. Gayle.

(The note is shown getting passed to Abby. The screen switches to the note which says "Go to the dance with me?" with check-boxes below it that say "Yes" and "No". Mrs. Gayle, Blacky Wolfbane, Meske Graywing and Jordan Silverstar can be heard over it.)

Blacky Wolfbane: We'll go to the principal's office, just for you Mrs. Gayle. Ain't that right my wolf brothers?  
Mrs. Gayle: You three are doing this just to give me gray feathers! Ain't is not a

word, don't use it in my classroom!

(Abby checks "Yes" with her pen, the screen switching to her face smiling brightly through tears. It then shows Westminster smiling as he is looking over at Abby then to the nearby window to hide his bashfulness. The scene then returns focus to Blacky Wolfbane, Jordan Silverstar and Meske Graywing as they are getting up from their desks and heading towards the front door.)

Meske Graywing: \*blinking innocently\*  
Anything for you, Mrs. Gayle.

Jordan Silverstar: Stop kissing up. That's Spud's job.

Blacky Wolfbane: That's right brothers.  
Adios teachy teach.

(Just as Mrs. Gayle is about to respond, Blacky Wolfbane snaps his fingers on both hands in the air above his head as he and Jordan and Meske leave the classroom and the scene.)

Meske Graywing: \*can be heard from outside the door\* Let's go skip class.

Blacky Wolfbane: To the soda machines, gents.

(The camera fixes back on Mrs. Gayle making her way to her desk and the middle of the blackboard but the audio focuses back on Abby narrating just as Mrs. Gayle begins talking and pointing at the board behind her.)

Abby: He planned on taking me all along! I had my doubts about the Nestle in the Nest dance but Westminster said yes! I couldn't wait to go home, find my best dress and be with the bird I loved through all his flaws. Tonight is going to be the best night ever..

(The screen fades to black, ending the scene.)