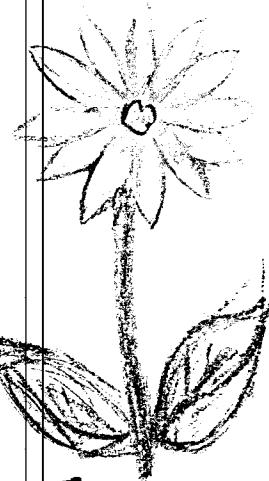


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Medicine



far away from
being alone 

This book is open to those whose
heart is innocent.

If you feel any guilt reading
this,
Then you should stop.

This book is full of my experiences.

This may make you: Angry, sad,
happy, mad, or/and cry.

So do enter at your own risk

Dedicated to those who I love & love
me back. Do love & remember me
forever, since I'll always love
you all!



4/1/98

I got this today, at Monet exhibit @ Walter's Art Gallery, from the french field trip. I bought this cause I thought it would be cool to write stuff in here... about my life. So I guess I would just start w/ my life so far... so sit back + enjoy. Why? Cause my life won't be considered "typical" to most. Consider this as an intro. Hopefully, I'll write frequently. If not, oh well..

4/1/98

cool day.

she'll give

the french

Art Gallery.

so not much happened @ school. But it was

a cool day. At the Gallery, I had a pretty cool time. I got this book, & the French Rock Cafe was cool, even though I couldn't order anything other than chicken sandwich + sprite. But, the ceiling was in the shape of a dome Δ . So, from where I was sitting, I could hear this blonde talk from the opposite end. Me, Tori, Asia, Deb, Becky were sitting on a table, & we were across @ her \vee . Then, we went around the Inner Harbor for 20 min, allowing me to get some fudge! When I got to school, I decided to staff after + help out drama and all that. Then, Ish decided to take James home to get something. When she + Ayanna went to his house, the thing we needed to talk about came up. As you might know, I have been telling Ish to take Nick to prom. Why? here are reasons:

- 1) She don't have no date . 2) I already have Adnan.
- 3) I am ever so over Nick. 4) Nick is her friend.

She told me that it kinda feels weird to take Nick to Jr. Prom, since we were like, close + coll. But I told her that I am ~~too~~ over him, which IS truth! I wouldn't care. Nick is now a friend, + nothing more. And I truly think that we are too diff.

Anyways, I got Adnan \downarrow . He makes me feel so special!

Unlike Nick, who is a player, Adnan ACTUALLY apologized for Laura (sitting on his lap!) \wedge more, now. How many guys would do that?!? I think I might just love him \wedge Anyways, I gotta go + do my english!

Night

huggers + kisses

4/5/98

Well, This is great. I can't go 2 lax prac cause I have no ride! Adnan & I cleared up for Wednesday. I don't know why, but I think things better become more slower, cause he is moving way too fast for me. But, hey, that's cool. But I have to plan few stuff soon, for yr. Prom. I do have a knock-out dress and matching shoes soon. Oh, my hp is almost starting. I gotta get working on it. And I'm gonna start writing poetry. again. And I'm pissed, cause Young read this book, like I wouldn't find out.

Just because he wants to be ignorant + invade NY privacy. anyways, he is probably interested in MY life, cause I actually have one. Hmmm... new Boyz2Men music..

4/7/98

Someone please smack me! What the fuck am I coloring?!?!

I am pushing Adnan away! Damn my grandma +
mother. ~~Shut up~~ Shut! I can't get close,
and he can't get close to me. This is really fucked
up! He is way too sweet + all! What is happening?
I can't believe things are about to blow up
in my face sigh my life's a bitch.

4/27/98

Eek! 20 days since I wrote! Oh well, let me
fill you in. School is still a bitch, but I'm
surviving it. And PROM was 25th, and I
better tell about it while it's still fresh in
my mind. I wore this dress that's blue + sparkles
as purple in light. I was suppose to be dropped
off @ Usha's, but the tire bursted, so I had to call
Adnan. Flashback! Me and Adnan had troubles. We had
a huge fight the day before prom. But we cleared
the air just in time for prom "G". We had a blast!
First, he dropped me off @ Usha's, still not dressed.
I seriously freaked, because I thought we were
gonna be late for prom. But he got his six

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and after group pics, we were off to prom!
We took our pics, one together, one of me, and
one with me, Usha, Becky + Debbie. I was so
crazy! Then we came back to stage, and we
had ~~sooooo~~ much fun! Me + Adrian were dancing
like crazy, hugging, AND kissing. I swear, he is
the sweetest guy... let me tell you why ^G^ He was
the PROM PRINCE!! And Stephanie McPherson was
Prom princess. And, traditionally, they were suppose
to dance ~~the~~ together... to my song, KC + Jo-Jo's
All My Life! I tried to act natural + unjealous, but
it did kinda bothered me. But, I took the pic of them
dancing + sat next to Deb, who went on about
how great it is for Adrian to be the prince. 10 seconds
later, guess who danced w/ me, and not w/ Stephanie?
ADRIAN!! Now, how can I not fall in love with
this guy! Of course, I gave him his first kiss
on lips. Then, I totally fell in love w/ him ^G^.
Then we left prom w/ Debbie + Justin, Kara + her date Tim,
Shawn + Becky, Ushra, Sophia, Amber and Usha.

we went downtown, me, Adnan, + Del in his car.
First, we ~~were~~ were planning to go to Cheesecake Factory,
but we changed to Hard Rock. ~~All~~ As we walked to
Hard Rock, everyone was clapping + cheering @ Adnan
since he had on his crown. We had to hurry to
catch up to everyone, cause we were too busy "WG"
making out. At Hard Rock, it was no better. Me
and Adnan ^{were} ~~were~~ totally isolated in our own little
world, busy making out. Debbie was constantly ~~gave~~
giving me looks, + so did everyone else at the table.
After Hard Rock, we walked back to Adnan's car +
we dropped off Debbie. Then, we went to Linda's house, so
I can sleep over. Parting is such a sweet sorrow...
The moment he went out the door, I missed him.
I went to sleep + dreamed. Since then, I keep on falling
deeper and deeper into him. He's the cutest, sweetest,
and coolest guy, and he loves me!!! The bad thing
is that we have to keep things secret... "sigh"
But it's ok, cause love conquers all!

4/29/98

See? I'm getting better at writing often. Nothing new happened. Me + my baby went out after school. We dropped off Stephanie @ Garland's to get her car from Day. Then we + Adnan went + picked up some Burger King food, made out in parking lot. Then we came back to school + messed around w/ Ms. Butler + Juwan for awhile. Then I went to practice. I swear, Nick is a jealous monster! He is telling ppl that I'm a tease. What?!?! He is just saying that, cause he CAN'T have me, and we both know it. Why the hell would I want him when I have my baby! I gotta do my calc + tech. I promise I'll write tomorrow, about ~~the~~ the last game of the season... against Dundalk.

W/loves + kisses,

4/30/98

I have to write right now, so I can tell about the game. We WON!! Dundalk was burning with rage!! I scored 3 at beginning + 0 at second half. Tori scored 4, the top scorer. And, Isha scored 2!!! She is soooo happy about it! This is soooo great! What a way to end a season! I'm sooo in love with Adnan! He is dream come true. And, he is improving "A" I think I'll come home early tomorrow, since we have no practice. I LOVE ADNAN! Becky is suppose to page Shawn tonight, cause she wants to talk to her. I wish Becky would stop cheating Shawn on, and Shawn to stop drooling over Becky. They are both cool friends, and it upsets me to see them both angry/sad/confused. I wish they would just start something, or end it altogether. I hope me and my baby could stay together till we graduate. I'm much in love w/ him, and he loves me like crazy. Hope we can keep it up...

5-1-98

Aidhan is the sweetest guy! I love him to death. Guess what he did? He was suppose to go to his mentor right after 3rd period. Guess what he did instead. He went out and picked up a single rose... for me! And he gave it to me in physics... in middle of the class! EVERYONE was staring. All I could do was just look surprised, and just kiss him in middle of class! All today, I walked around with my rose. Everyone was telling me how cute it is and all. I got lots of "awws" and "cutes". It was lovely! I came home, and put it in the heart vase I got from prom. I can't believe he did it! It's sooooo sweet! Now, how can I not love a guy like this? He is picking me up ~~for dinner~~ after SATs, and we are going to Del's to get my pics, then we are going to go somewhere... I can't wait!!! Oh, yeah? I have my SATs tomorrow.

5/4/98

I hate my mom & gp for being such a bitch!

But I love my baby, and they can't stop me!!!! Now, things are calm. We just gotta be more careful...

5/7/98

Three days have gone by, and lotsa things happened.

First, there was this thing w/ Nick. He started telling ppl about the things me & my baby did... like it's ANY of his business! I can't believe that shit. At first, I didn't give... especially with that "tease" thing. But I got pissed when Isha heard from Greg who heard from Shawn about the thing we did in tech room...

FIRST OF ALL, we have never been up in tech room together. And why the hell is he spreading rumors?!?!

I got mad, + my baby told me to leave it alone. But the first thing I did when I got to physics is to fight. But in the end he apologized. Then my baby told me his secret ... bout his sex life. It was sooooo

nothing, but he scared me to death by making it sound so important... What a sweetheart him so much. Either ways, I better go

✓, I love to sleep..

p.s - hook Aisha w/ Terrance ✓

5/11/98

Ok, I gotta make this brief, cause I haveto do my English. I'll talk about my baby. I don't know what's gonna happen with us, especially with the ppl against us (i.e. H's mother) But believe it or not, our love gets stronger and stronger everyday. I keep on loving him more and more. And when I look into his eyes, I know that he loves me. I really love him... and I don't know what I'll do w/o him. It's good that we are in love, cause it's keeping me out of depression + all. I wrote Debbie a mail about all this. And I'm talking to Shawn about Becky. I wish Becky would just leave him alone so he can move on. Aisha is as cynical as usual ☺ Deb is delusional that Rohil actually like her. whatever! I don't care, as long as I got my baby + he got me. I'm gonna do my english now... and think about him. ☺

5-12-98

* Sigh * I love him so much. Although everyone has crush on him, I know he's mine & she knows that he's mine. I don't know what to do about Laura though. She sounds like she needs him more than he does. I remember when someone (Nick) played around w/ my head w/ Ashly Meg. I really feel sorry for Laura, but I better stop thinking about this, cause knowing myself, I might just ~~turn~~ turn him over to her. ^S~ I love him. We got carried away today, but I won't give. He is so wonderful, & I'm so glad that I have him. I'm in love!!!!!! ✓

5-14-98

I think I'll try that "one week recess" Deb suggested. I checked 4th and went out w/ Alsha, Debi + Shann in Shann's new car. It's so fly w/ those tinted windows. We went to Boston Robins + I got some Capuchino to go w/ my baby, cause he had to go to D.C. for his

religious stuff. That's what I need to figure out.

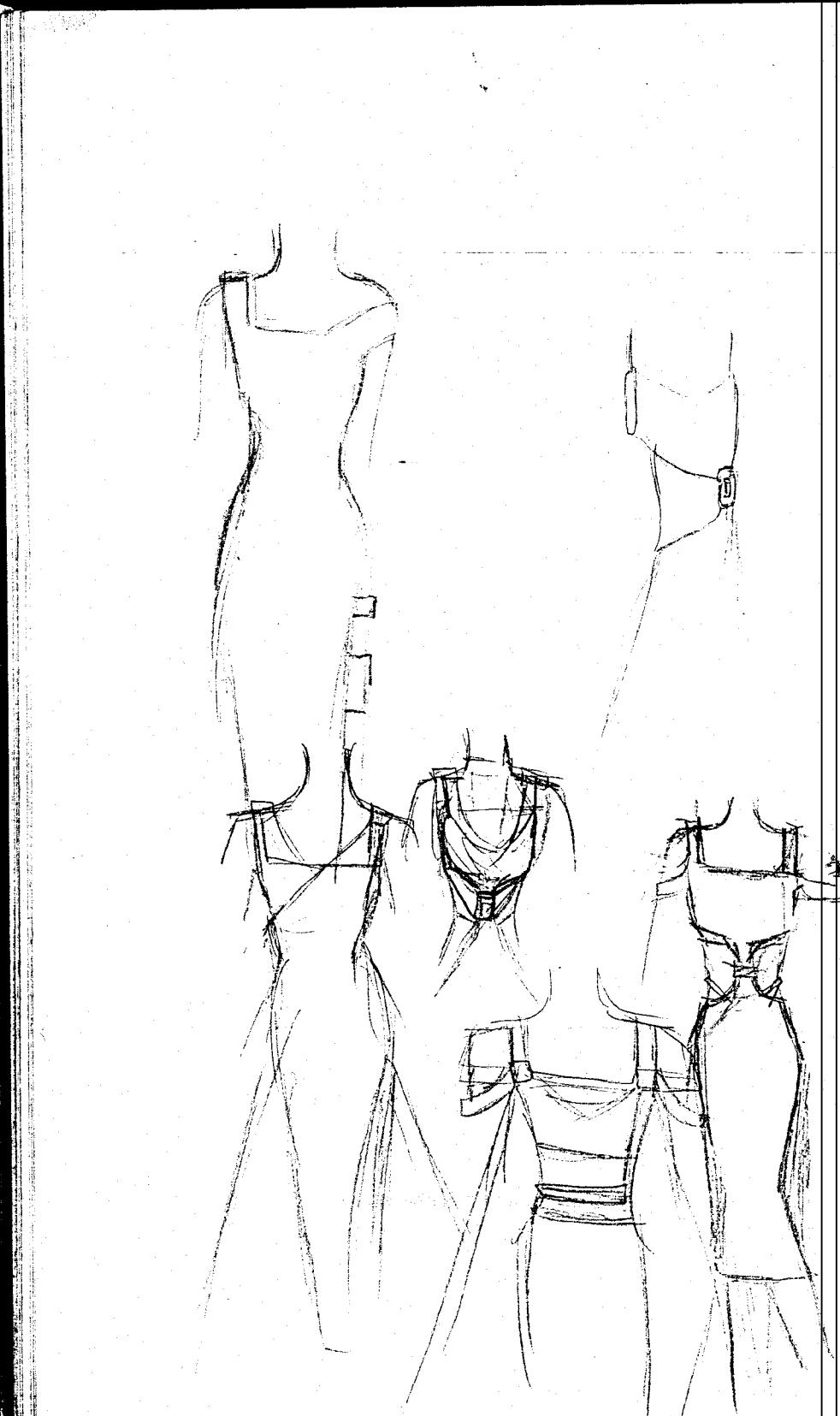
Do I dare to pull him away from his religion? Ms. Sawick was call up on my face about it. She said stuff like, "Well, Adrian used to be so religious & strict last year. But this year, he is so loose," like it changed him... actually it did. And I don't want to pull him away from who he is. I think I need time to organize these things. But I do know one thing. I love him and he loves me.

Nothing will change that. I'll try the "recess week" and see what happens. I'll probably kill myself if I loose him. But I'll go crazy, with things complicating things. I wish he'll come back soon.

- 1:00 am

5-15-98

I did it... me and Adrian are officially on "recess week" or "apartout." I don't know what's gonna happen to us... Although I'm in love w/ him, I don't know about him. He ACTUALLY suggest that what we have is kinda like, not love. I heard the doubt in his voice. Although he wouldn't pick up mine, I felt the SAME way. I like him... no, I love him. It's just all the



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things that stand in the middle. His religion + Muslim customs are the main thing. It gets me to know that I'm against his religion. He called me a devil few times. I ~~don't~~ know he was only joking, it's somewhat true... I hate that. It's like making him choose between me + his religion. The second thing is the possessiveness... independence rather. I'm a very independent person. I ~~rarely~~^{rarely} rely on my parents... although I love them, it's not like I NEED them. I know I'll do just fine w/o him... And I need time for myself + w/ my friends other than him... how else do I get mad at me for planning to hang w/ Usha? Third thing is the mind play. I'matured out of jealousy shit. I don't get jealous, & I think whoever trying to get me jealous is a fool, because they'll definitely loose me. I prefer a straight relationship, that don't get ppl mixed in just because the wanna play mind games.

Fourth thing is.... nothing. It's that I DO love him. It's just all the shitty things that are messin' w/ my mind. I'm just too confused. If I won't take the time to set things straight, the whole thing will build up on my

head, making me ~~so~~ mad + do something I'll regret FOREVER & that's why I need the timeout. I just hope that U don't loose him because of this... I LOVE HIM! when U hold him, U want it to be forever. U feel ~~safe~~^{secure} + comfy with him. I think he expected more of a spontaneous connection. That's not going to happen ALL THE TIMES A relationship burns brightly at first. Then it eventually calms down. We started strong... and now we settle.. in a boring, but secure and loving relationship. I don't know what he want. All U want is him... to hold on to, to cuddle up to, to kiss when U feel empty ~sign~ maybe U'm ^{not} suppose to be loved... but ~~do~~ suppose to love. And I thought I have found another keeper... and maybe I have. Hopefully, we'll go through this + come out ^w much stronger foundation. I love him.. I can live w/o him, but I love him + want him w/ me... Please, Adnan... be patient with me, love...

5-18-98

Sorry I didn't write for awhile. And lotsa things happened. On Friday, ~~I had~~ ... you know what happened. Anyways, we made up. On Saturday when I was at her door house after work, I paged him like crazy, totally forgetting that his pager don't display the forth digit. Oh well ... anyways, I asked him if I can change my mind. He was SO happy, cause he didn't want timeout. We talked for awhile. Although things aren't peachy-creamy, it's all pretty good. Sleepy ... 2:30 am ... damn it!!

5-21-98

~G~ Sorry! Been too long since I wrote last. But today is my baby's B-day!!! Dosh, I love him sooooooooooooo much. I got him Scooby Doo dokers. And the funniest thing is that he guessed! How cool is that? I gave him a real beautiful card that he ~~loved~~ soooooo much. ~~Wrote~~ crazy ~~said~~ ... but we were cool.

5-27-98

~G~ been long!! I didn't finish my last entry, cause I fell asleep!! Anyways, he loves his gift + the...um...the other thing \Downarrow Tonight was the Greater Baltimore Chapter of US ker award ceremony. Although I didn't win, I had a爆爆 time!! If they could split Div. II + III together I would have won our Div. II!!! But, oh well \Downarrow Oh my God! I just have to tell u what happened!! My baby...is the sweetest, most loving, most caring, and THE best boyfriend a girl can have! Just yesterday, we kinda fought, and I was kinda mad. But today, everything was soooo great! My baby got me half a dozen new and baked brownies for me!!! And he wrote me this sweetest note that just made me very \Downarrow I love him sooooo much!!! He is THE BEST!!!

around. Well, it turns out that it was one of those hook-up once & never mention again thing. I was kinda hoping that they would keep it going. But it's all cool. My baby is the most wonderful man I have ever known. He is sweet, wonderful, he is caring, loving, thoughtful, and very passionate. He has the most handsome man with soft hair and with wonderful scent. Did I mention that he came to my house & talked on basement window @ 11:45 pm! I love ~~me~~ him sooooo much! One day we'll get married and be happy! I can't wait 'till the day me & my baby can be together openly.

still feels like
Thursday

6-12-98 (2:35pm)

"G" he came over again! Well, it'll start w/ Wednesday. Me & my baby went to Inner Harbor, to aquarium. We walked around & saw the dolphin show. My baby acted like a little kid! We had fun, especially when we saw the acting clown in the Harbor square. We just didn't want to go home when we were @ the parking lot, but we knew we had to. I cancelled our plans for Thursday, because it

wouldn't look good to my mom that I'm going out two
days in a row. But we are definitely doing something today.
My baby brought me Hershey's oreo cookie & ice cream sandwich.
What a sweet heart! And she also told me the sweetest things
that I ~~~should~~^{should} actually cried to. He is sooo sweet!
Disha + Tori called me when my baby came. She took the phone
after I told Disha that she always have bad timing. Disha
was just like, SORRY!! But it's cool. I didn't want to see
him today!!

6-15-98

What a day ^ sigh ^ I'm in a real bitch attitude, and Adnan is NOT
helping. He hasn't called me since 12:30 this afternoon. And it's definitely
pushing me to the edge. I think I'm going to pick a fight. I don't
know what the hell is wrong w/ me. I'm just having a real bitch
day, & he is not here to help me... ^ sigh ^ oh well... I really don't
feel like writing anymore.

6-19-98 (11:40a)

OK, I'll tell you what happened... He didn't get any of my pages!!
And he didn't call me cause he figured I couldn't want to
talk to him because of my crappy mood. He came that night
and we stayed up till like, 2:30. And, last night, he came
also. And we stayed up in my grandfather's car till
2:45!! I love him!! We are going on a picnic today @ 2:30
I can't wait!!!!!!

6-19-98(12:32a)

OK... I'm writing this with no lines. So, it
might be a bit messy! anyways, I had fun today,
probably the last fun I'll have before I get
locked away for a week. We'll survive, me
and my baby. I know for sure!!

Well, he couldn't come tonight... after I waited up for him... FUCK. I'm pretty pissed @ him, but then again, he's the one who has to drive over here anyways. FUCK. what the hell? ok... he just fucking hung up the phone on me... now, he just called me and it rang once. I'm going to be in MAD trouble. Shit, at least I'll get to be mad @ him when I go away. FUCK! This is soooo getting to me... I'm soooo about to let this day go!! Sigh~ but I'll probably be sick if I do that. But I could... he's just a guy... right?

~ definitely confused ~

8-24-98 - in maybe 25

been so long! I hate it when I forget to write, + don't know the ending of the last entry!! Well, let's see... oh yeah! Adnan's friend got into an accident on last entry. He got really injured, + died about two days ago. And, seriously, the boy Becky + Adnan knew, died yesterday... And it totally got to him. Adnan got high... he smoked weed. "sigh"

And this is after he kinda promised me that he would never get high... but he did. I could have blown up on him, but I couldn't. Cause I understood his pain, & that he needed a way out. I totally felt his pain... and I cried. I think I'm gonna write a note for him. Maybe it would cheer him up. I love him soooo much, that I totally don't know what to do. But I just want to be there for him...

6-27-98 (1:05am)

I love my baby so much, but to tell you the truth, I don't know just how much more of this... depression I can take. It's not annoying, I'm not wanting attention, nor more love from him. It's that I love him so much that it REALLY hurt to see HIM hurt, and I don't know just how much more pain I can stand. It's that I REALLY want to be there for him... but I sorta feel like he is moving away from ^{me} him... and I love him. But as long as I can, I'm going to stay with him, be there for him. I love him so much. (Note: NEVER make love when the guy is depressed... it's NOT good) Oh, his friend who lost his left eye & all is getting his legs amputated. That's why Adnan was so depressed today. It's so horrible. He's going through so much, & I can't do anything. He says that me being here for him is enough, but his tears & sad voice REALLY hurts me. But I love him soooo much & I'll be strong as long as I have to be. He took my bitchiness and I'll take his, through the end. I didn't talk to him tonight, & it REALLY worries me. But I'm sure he'll keep himself safe... for me. Baby, I love you... and I hope you'll always know that I'll always be there for you.

6-28-98

OK... I'm gonna write aLOT in this one. Well, last night, from 12:30am to 6:30am, I talked to Adnan. Wanna know something? Well, he just was accusing me of all the crappy things. Like, how I can't give him as much love as he gives me; -cause I've been in love before. It's like, love us in him

7-1-98 (10:25@)

Ok... I didn't finish my last entry. Well, that night, we fought... well, discussed over the phone. The next day, he went to places w/ his friends until I went over to Aisha's & watched movies.

Oh, Teri's parents were getting seperated. Poor gal. She's taking it pretty hard. Anyways, that night, me & Adrian talked again on the phone, & he said one thing that will always irk me. . .

"You said that I can't fulfil you physically, well, you can't fulfil me emotionally." I just broke on that one, cause earlier that day, Aisha said, "Even if you don't have great sex life, at least you have a strong emotional relationship." Hmmm.... Does that mean something? I don't understand why he said that. First of all,

I would still love him w/o all the things he does for me. The fact that he loves me is ENOUGH for me to want him back. He said something like he doesn't feel special enough because I don't show it. How can I show him that? cause I damn well love him more than my life. I'm lost without him. I'm nothing without him. I will kill him the world if I could. I would give my life for his love.

To know that his love is in my heart is ENOUGH for me. But I don't know about him. I guess nothing would be perfect.

7-2-98 (4:05 am)

Well, I went to Culver's cd today & it was pretty neat. Just before I was with my baby. We were going to look for some stuff for the prom, but you know someone's gonna see him. So we went around. I love him so much, I want to last forever.

First of all, when I go to field hockey practice over the summer, I want him to be w/ me, still doing football. And in the first day of school, I want it so that we'll enter holding hands. Thus, I want us rolling into Marquette for our senior prom in a limo.

I want him & in my senior farewell will. I want to see his eyes just before I move the tassel on the left. I want to ~~see~~ hold his hand just before I start college. I want to see him every weekend. Is that possible? for anyone else, it might not be, but to me, it is, with my baby. That's how much I love him.

I just hope that she knows, because to me, she is more valuable, precious, & needed than my own life. I'm giving him my soul, mind, body, & heart. I just wish she knows.

7-4-98

What a day? OK... this is what happened. Aisha & I went to Ching Mills to find a ring for Adrian. I got a cute silver ring like the one he lost, but ridged sideways. But, when we were getting out of the car, he started to page me. I figured it would call him from Aisha's house. And it did, but he had to go for few minutes. So while we were off phone, I went to eat crab. Then he starts to page me again. But it is rude to leave the table & I didn't page him back. Then when I called him, he left me a message. It said something like, "You are horrible & I hate you" basically.

7-16-98

Umm ... talk about a lazy writer. But I DID type the diary on comp. Anyways, I'll tell you what happened. Anyways, he came right after I left him "I hate you, it's over" message. He came to Aisha's & apologized. Because of his sick friend & all that, he took it out on me. He came over & apologized with tears. So I gave him the ring & we went to see the fireworks w/ Aisha, Shawn, Tori, Terry, Adrian, and me. We saw Erin Hardy, her cousin Julie and Nick Sweet. Tori & Terrance couldn't come, cause they got into car troubles. Anyways, fireworks were great. lovely & wonderful w/ kisses from my baby. The traffic was haze in Catonsville. Anyways, that night, me, Aisha & Tori slept over at Aisha's house. Tori's going through ALOT... a lot of unnecessary things. But it's cool. Anyways, Adrian dropped by Aisha's late, w/ ~~a~~ Carrot cake? Oh... funny joke time! Well, it was me & Aish on bed & Tori on little one. Well, we were both messing w/ Aisha, insulting her & pillow fighting. Anyways, I was lying down on my stomach when Aisha I aimed a punch to my leg when I consulted her. But cause I was on my stomach, she got my ass. So we cracked on her being us. And then the next day, Aisha told me to roll over to see Tori doing something stupid. I just looked at her funny & she got the signal & CRACKED up. It was a cool & funny sleepover. Now we crack on Aisha for slapping my ass and telling me to roll over.

Cool song: My All by Mariah Carey

I'm thinking of you
In my sleepless solitude tonight
If it's wrong to love you
Then my heart just won't let me be right
cause I'm drowning in you
And I won't pull through
Without you by my side.

chorus: I'd give my all
To have , just one more night with you
I'd give my all
To feel , your body next to mine
Cause I can't go on
Living in the memories of our song
I'd give my all
For your love tonight

Baby can you hear me
Imagining I'm looking in your eyes
I can see you clearly
embazoned in eyes
And it's just so far
like a distant star
I'm wishing on tonight

[Chorus]

Anyways my baby's ~~been~~ gone since... 12:00 pm of 16th. He went to Texas with his father for some Muslim convention thing. He called me on 17th, Friday, Twice, on 1:00 pm + 8:30 pm with calling cards. Isn't he SWEET? I keep crying over the phone because I miss him so much! Then he went into whole explanation of the purpose of the trip to Dallas. He told me that his religion means life to him. And he hates it when he sees someone purposefully going against it. He tried to remain a faithful Muslim all his life. But, he fell in love w/ me, which is a great sin. But he told me that ~~that~~ there is NO way he'll ever leave me, cause he can't imagine a life w/o me. Then he said that one day, he would have to choose between me + his religion. This was exactly what Sowick was talking about. I love him so much! And when it comes down to choosing... I'm going to let him go his way. If you have to deny yourself a part of you for love... then that's not good. I really couldn't care less, since my religion means shit to me. But to him, his religion guides his life. It's the world to him. And I hate the fact that I'm the cause of his sin, no matter what he says. He said that I shouldn't feel like I'm pulling him away from his

Religion... But, HELLO? That's exactly what I'm doing. I don't know we'll live through all this. But this is BAD. Now I'm gonna anticipate the day when things will come to an end. Gradually pulling away, protecting myself from the oncoming rain.

Baby, I love you with ALL my heart. Nothing ^{+ NOONE} could even come anywhere close to all the smile, happy tears, laughter. And love you have brought to me. I've NEVER loved anyone as much as I love you and I'll never be able to love anyone as much as I love you. I think about you the moment I open my eyes in the morning till I fall asleep... well, longer cause I think about you & dream about you in my sleep!! My day drags on as I wait to hear your voice or see your face. The main point is that I love you, Adrian. If I were to have my way, we would be together 4 ever.. But if something happens... ~~XXXOOO~~ "My love is strong enough. Strong enough to let you go. But I'll always hold you. Inside my heart."

~ Xscape "One who loves you"

Anyways, the day is slow as HELL! It's much slower since I'm waiting for my baby to comeback on Sunday. When he so mes back, the moment I see his beautiful + loving face,

this is what I'm gonna do... in order : Slap him (lightly), kiss him ONCE, then slap him again, then jump on him + melt on his lips + in his embrace. I just might cry. I want to get him something on Sunday ... what? Well, I DO need to buy books for that damn English + start working on psychology crap. So I should get him a Calvin & Hobbs comic book. I should make Mommy take me to Owings Mills tomorrow. I'll hopefully find them + get damn discounts.

Take Care!

I'll always miss you

8-24-98 (Monday)

WOW! Month since the last time I wrote! well, few stuff happened. It will be chaotic if I try to remember things. Well... umm... oh, two, I mean, last 3 Saturdays ago, my baby went to Atlantic City, New Jersey while I was @ Chesapeake Bay. It was pretty cool, spending most of time in the car, sleeping. Anyways, I won thousands of dollars, but had it taken away because she was a minor if it's cool though. Then on Thursday after that, I went.. wait, @ I am Friday. I was @ Busha's house. Snuck out.

It was me, Adnan, Shawn, + Aisha @ her house at midnight. Shawn left. But, ~~me~~ + my baby slept @ her house + Aisha invited over ~~him~~, who tried to fuck her ~~her~~. Anyways, that day, we just ~~were~~ around the whole day. And Aisha called mom, who started bitching cause she thought I was at 6 Flags. I snuck back into the house through the window around 11, bitched @ mom back ~~it~~. Then on that Saturday, got my hair cut + straight. Although it's pretty short, it's nice looking. So as long as I curl it often, it will stay ~~cool~~.

Cool. (I don't write too small, cause it hurts my wrist)
Anyways, then starting next week, I started soccer.
Nina is playing soccer. But now, starting this week,
we are gonna rock with field hockey! We got ourselves
a FH coach. We have a meeting ~~tonight~~ tomorrow, and
hopefully, we'll get through the season. Wow, I do look
a bit sexy in black shirt. Oh, we almost broke up today,
cause I was getting mighty sick of all that you do this and
do that crap. Accusing me of hurting him. But it's ok.
We are back together.

8-25 (Tuesday)

Oh wow ^G^ Two days in a row! Anyways, we have
a FH coach! Note how I said A COACH, not
A TEAM. We still need people on the field. I

should go and steal Nina and Katie from soccer!!
New coach is a white woman w/ short curly blonde
her name is Ruby Kelly or Kelly Ruby. Oh well,
either way. We have practice starting today &
(it's now 12:11 am) Anyways, what happened yesterday
(to be politically correct) Adnan told me to wait
around till the end of his practice. Me + Aisha just played
around school till 4:30, then we went to her house to
call people to play field hockey. Then we went back to
school. And Aisha dropped me off at front, when I
asked her to drop me at back cause I saw my baby @
soccer practice. And then, she absolutely refused to take
me to the back, so I walked around to back, to see Aisha
pulling into the back parkinglot. What a B! anyways,
when I got there, I saw Adnan who completely ignored me.
And it wouldn't have been so bad if Laura or Amara
wasn't there. It was so embarrassing + degrading! So I
just said hello to Ms. Twigs + made Aisha take me home. And
on the way there, I ditched him out. Then later on, he goes
to Aisha's house + calls me from there. He said he is

very sorry. We talked for awhile & I found out that he is having probs with his mother & his father. Poor baby... I love my mommy, and it's something a child shouldn't miss. I love him so much! But I'm a bit tired, so I'll go to bed, get ready for FH tomorrow.

8-25-98

Well, it was only me & Ms Ruby today. Aisha's working for the rest of the week. What a B! Anyways, she's pretty cool. I hope ppl would show up today. (8/26-- it's 12:14 now.)

8-27-98 (1am)

Have you ever been accused of something, and it's true... it's your fault... and tried to deny it, hoping that you will actually believe the lies? Well, I have. Today, I spent the day... whole day with Adnan. Now that I look back the last 24 hours... the last week... the last 5 months, I regret it. Why? Because I have lost myself... in love, in embrace, and in lies. All the lies I told my mother, my family... it's going to haunt me tonight. My heart can't sleep... why is that? No matter how horrible I am, I love my family... especially my brother. He, I can always count on... fight with... and always believe to tell me the truth!! Tonight, he accused... I mean,

wouldn't me... to not to lie. His words cut through my heart. Because... he has hit a spot.. I tried so hard to cover. Where was me for the past 5 months? Now, I'm back... back to myself, free... Well, at least, let go of my worries. Now that I think about it, I have been denying myself to me. I devoted 5 months to a man I loved, while ignoring myself. Every lies I told, I buried within me. Why? How can I love someone when I have hated myself for the past 5 months... and still do? Now, I get myself back... to be the rightful daughter, sister, niece, g-daughter, cousin, etc, etc, etc. No more sneaking out of the house. No more feeling bad about myself, hating myself because of one person, Although my heart will always be with him. I have lost the things that I enjoyed so much. Now it seems that everytime I do something I used to do... like hanging around w/ Aishah, it seems to shoot through Adnan's heart. It seems like my life has been revolving around him. where's me? How did I end up like this? I have completely changed myself to make him happy. Every thing that bothered him, I tried to change. Why did I do that? What's a love if someone has to change to receive it?

I SOOOO hate myself & see when I think about the past 5 months... & I have done stuff I swore never to do

in the past few weeks. WHY?? Now, I cry... for all I have gained and for all that I have lost. I saw a TV show called Oz today. And a woman told a man that people don't use drugs for its taste. Drugs are used to hide away from reality. I heard that, and all I could do was to cry. I have been hiding... running away from myself. WHY?? Did I mention that parents bought cord phone to replace the cordless in the kitchen? To stop my excessive use of phone?... ~~to keep me away from~~
Did I push them so far that they did that?? It's not even anger I feel toward them... call it a sympathy... for having a troublesome child. Wow... What a day! A day when all my lies, denials, and burdensome truth is revealed. Now, I and my suffering... No one ever understands me... well, Jake always did. He NEVER told me what I should do. He just listened + told me he'll be here for me... but... he is gone now...
~Sigh~ what do I do?

8-27 (almost 2)

I just talked to Adnan. I tried to explain all this to him... but it didn't come out the way I wanted it to... it never does. I told him about Sarah's warning.

Did I change so much that even my best friend gives me advice on how to be myself? Aisha said the same thing. Both agreed on one issue... "My life's been nothing but about him." Is it true? But isn't that the way it should be when you care in love? Adrian was the only one I truly loved since Michael's death. Maybe I have put too much into it. Should I end it? Adrian, after hearing me out, said I'm putting him on one side + rest on the other. It is SO true... My life was between love + lies. He is so important to me, he measures against all. Why? Why can't he be on the other side with the rest? All the love I have for him... all the lies I have told, all the changes I went through... I'm so confused, I wanna get away from all this... Find me... do what I want.

"Sigh" Love hurts... Or maybe I'm not cut out for secrecy and all. I love my mother. always have + always will. But... ~~why~~ why have I been deceiving her for months? talk about hypocrisy.

8-28-98

Why do I do unnecessary things? It's so questionable why I'm going through this. Often again, I'm usually never on the phone w/ me + ~~not~~ my feelings. After talking to Adrian for awhile, I realized that I'm putting him through a lot of shit. But I seriously don't mean to... I'll never put him through stuff like that. I guess I'll have to be in his shoes. I guess I would be like him if he told me he needs some time to himself. Or then again, maybe not. At least, he's saying he'll wait for me. But I hope he knows that there is NO way I'll ever let him go. But it's so retarded that his friends are giving me looks, and saying that they'll hate me if I ever break up w/ him. Is that how much I'm weighted to this friends? I know Aisha, Deb, or Tori would never do that shit to him. I don't know... all I wanted was some time to myself, and all this shit happens. I guess now I would probably be afraid of bringing up anything, since it'd affect him and all. Why did this have to become such a huge deal? ^sign^ life is tuff when you wake up from dream

8-30-98

Well, it's been second day of driving. Mr. Steve says that I'm driving pretty well. And, just thought you would like to know, I LOVE Adnan. for now, and for ever!!! I imagined my life without him... and I didn't like it. I'm gonna go and ask him for forgiveness... for putting him through shit. I hope he forgives me... especially when he holds the key to my heart! I love him SO SO SO SO much!!!! I can't believe the things I thought about the past few days. Now I realize that now, I should listen to myself, my heart... instead of others. You know what my heart is saying? It's screaming out for his hugs, his kisses, and his love. Would he forgive me? I truly hope so, cause I don't think I can go on, knowing that he's not with me. Oh boy... I finally find the best thing in my life, someone that makes me happy & feel loved, someone so special, someone so fragile & gentle, but yet, strong, someone who loves me as much as I love him, and someone I have always dreamt about, and what do I do? I hurt him & push him into dangerous situations. Would he ever forgive me? Or better yet, would I forgive myself?

how can I hurt him? I love him so much "sigh" U wish I could have his arms around me now.... Oh boy, I'm going on the bttway tomorrow after school... I hope I do well ^lol^ I LUV U!

All the roses in the world wouldnt match his beauty, All the chocolate in the world couldn't match his sweetness, All the sweaters in the world wouldn't match his warmth. And NOTHING, NOTHING in the world could ever replace him in my heart.

How could I ever pass on a chance at a happiness ppl
usually rarely have chance to glimpse? Baby, forgive me...
How could U EVER!!! I love you... "sigh" For now, forever + more,
always...

8-31-98

The feeling of love... not all can ~~experience~~ it, but those who can, has given a chance of a lifetime. I... being one of the lucky ones, have ~~given, a chance of~~ ~~the~~ love, and have felt it. I love you, Adnan, For now, forever + more. no matter what.... Always. Tomorrow is my first shot at my driver's license. I hope I pass it. ☺ 'Night! (about 11:30am now)

9-1-98

Yes, Yes, Yes, Yes, Yes, YES! I got my ~~the~~ license!!! At my first try! I can tell that Aska is green w/ envy &

jealousy!! She is so sarcastic whenever we start to talk about driving ~lol~ that's how I always know!! And, why the hell do you get insurance for drivers? You get the damn car insured, not ppl! You dumb ass!! I don't know who's to right, but I am pretty sick of her "I am always right" attitude. just because I got better stuff than her, don't mean she have ^{to} get all bitchy on me. Shit! is it my fault that no one wants her? Dumb bitch !! anyways, I LOVE Adnan, and G'might!!!

9-2-98

I love my life! Nothing can get better than this!! Let's see...

- 1) I have my baby, who loves me very much !!
- 2) I got my license, mom and Appie are talking about getting me a car!!
- 3) I'm so excited about starting to search for a job.
- 4) Nothing can go wrong & nothing will.

I LOVE driving, my baby, school, my baby, lacrosse, my baby... you get the idea !! I'm fired.. night!

9/8

Oh dear... what a life. I swear, my days are so contradictory from the one before "lol" anyways, my mommy ~~isn't~~, ~~isn't~~, ~~isn't~~ "rolls eyes" & told her not to... but, "sigh" does she EVER listen?? I hope nothing bad happens to her ^f^ Poor mommy... I LUV you mom!! And I can't thank you enough for all you have done for me!! Dumb stuff are chappening so much lately... I'm going to stop hoolking down third period ^f^ I'm definitely getting a class third tomorrow.... why does dumb stuff happen when life is going so good? Good? can I answer? Nah... I never know what tomorrow is going to be... But it's all good. I love Adam so much. I don't know what I would do without him ^G^ she is the sweetest person I've ever met !! When life is hard, all I have to do is to look into his eyes... then it'll be all better. Oh boy... what a day... sometimes, I just wonder why I'm doing this. it'll be so much easier for me to just pass everything off... I hate it when I see ppl I care in trouble, pain, and all that bad stuff. although I'm ~~so~~ nowhere near being religious and all, I'll pray for mommy t'night.
"Sigh" time for bed...

9/9

I had a pretty busy day today. I had the car today. I went to gp's ~~the~~ shop to get the Camry w/ my baby. He is the sweetest person I have ever met. I love him so much. I spent half the day cuddling to him \hearts I've never been so happy in my life! ~~the~~ Well, anyways, we got back to school, me + my baby spent the day together ^Or often we got 20pc Chicken McNuggets + went to see the boys' Varsity soccer game ^G^ Nina + Mac are ~~so~~ getting back together \hearts It's all good, as long as I have my share of love ^lol^ You don't know how much I love him.. so much!! Night \hearts

Have you ever been so happy that a pin would burst you open?? I have. Oh my goodness... how can I love him more?? But the MOST amazing thing is that I keep on loving him more and more w/ each passing moment \hearts No words will ever be enough to describe his love, his beauty, his sweetness, his gentleness, his touch, his warmth, his soft and yet edge ways. I love him so much! My heart is filled with him, and that's the way I want it. If this is the way it feels to love someone, I want to be in love with him forever.

How could I spend a night, knowing he wouldn't be there in the morning?
He is every + anything I could ever want, any + everything I never knew,
any + everything I have always dreamt about, any + everything I have
only heard about; any + everything that would fill my life with smile +
love P. I LUV YOU!!!! How can I say those three words so
that it would express How much I love him? Should I scream it out
loud? Now, I'm near tears now because I have never been this happy
in my life. I don't know what to do ^G^ Adnan, I love you so much!!!
All the happiness you're given me... it's priceless. How can one be this happy?
So totally speechless?? I want to look into her eyes now, and I wish I can
feel her lips on mine. ^G^ Oh dear... I've fallen so deep in love ^g^ but you
know what? Love makes life brighter, better, happier + all that good stuff. ^G^
Baby, I love you so much! How would I ever repay you for this
permanent smile + you gave my face? Just the thought of ~~you~~^{you} keeps
me going for the day. I I love you so much!!! Ahhhhhh.
what? Can't I let out some scream of joy? ^g^ Oh boy...
I'm now full, sleepy, and swimming in love ^g^ Ok... night!

10/7 Tues

Well, I AM a lazy writer. But I just read over every single entries & I decided to take my time away from college app., scholarship app., etc. Well, for few days up to last Friday, she was going to move out of his house. And for the longest time, I felt guilty as hell for being a part of that severed tie between him & his mother. But he didn't move out of his house, as I just found out, because his father is pretty sick.

Very late night ~~(2)~~ ~~(3)~~ ^{yawning} 1-3-98

Who would have thought we would end like this? Who would have imagined the amount of pain that comes with a broken heart? I know I'm doing the right thing. Call me selfish, but this pain is way less than what it would be if we stayed together, more hostility at his house. I ~~still~~... loved you. Oh screw it. I still love you. I would give anything to be in your arms. But my heart's not that strong.....

forgive me, love. All the pain, I promise you.
would end soon, and you'll move on.

I Need sleep...

12/3 (12am)

exactly a month later... Work is going smoothly as I wanted. School is pretty ok and all, and most importantly, I love Adnan. To me, it's so much of a surprise. I am just like my beloved mumsey. I can't settle. But this is different. This feels so real, so cloving, and ever so amazing.

It's so amazing... I feel like I can't love him anymore other I already do. But everytime I see his smile, my heart melt like the day of the Prom, when I knew I was falling in love with him. When I close my eyes, I swear I see his smiling face and see him mouth those three words that sends my heart spiraling. This is a true & a genuine love filled with caring, warmth, & occasional desires ↴ But nothing can turn my heart away from him, cause he has my heart. I can't be any happier, but yet I keep on being happier. I can't help smiling, and yet I can't stop myself

Let me count Top 8 reasons

The ways U don't you

From the bottom of my heart

Where all my words are true.

8

I like this very poem I write

You ~~sing~~^{wrote} me beautiful words

That makes this feel so right

7.

Your warm & deep kisses

As intense as your quickening pulse

Something I wouldn't miss.

6.

Your sweet thoughts & actions

Everything from the bottom of your heart

A proof of your shows ~~and~~ your affection

5.

The caring of your heart

Always looking out for me

Right from the start.

1. ~~beas~~ Love

2. smile

3. ~~sex~~ sweetness

4. caring

5. sweetness

6. Kisses

7. poems

8

4. ~~the~~ joy

A certain point of pleasure
Is special & overwhelming
~~Nothing can be~~
~~It cannot be measured~~

3. The smile on your lips

One special one for me

I know you are for keeps

2. The love U feel

The love you give me

~~I know it's~~

feels like a dream, but real

1. No explanation can be given

How much U love you

But it's definitely worth livin.

from the tears of joy that I can't control.

I love you Adnan... and every moment we spend together, closer we are to that day, when I'll wake up in your arms to find myself complete and my life fulfilled. To us... always....

12/6

What's the matter with me? everytime I close my eyes, I see my baby. But I keep on thinking about someone else... Don Clineinst. Why? I don't know. Why? I ~~do~~ do like him, as a co-worker + also maybe as a friend. But I keep want to get closer to him. I don't know what is the matter with me. A part of me keeps me from Don because of Adnan. A part of me keep on thinking about Don. I'm going to have to get my thoughts straight. I do love Adnan. But today, I kept on imagining Don over my body instead of Adnan. Don, Don, Don, Don, Don. Why do I keep on thinking about your baby blues + your smiles? Don is what I would go for in my past... blonde blue eyes, white, built, sexy, and nice Camaro. But me! I'm taken. I love Adnan. Oh dear...

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Dial 1 first, cause he lives in
Bel-Aire

Would I get over this spell? I love Adnan. I love him. He is everything I could want. In realistic way. Not to sound bad or anything. Tall, dark, + handsome. But not mature though. Don is mature, old enough. Adnan wants someone older like me; I want someone older like Don. What the hell am I saying? I love Adnan. I found myself and happiness with him. I can't do this!

12-7

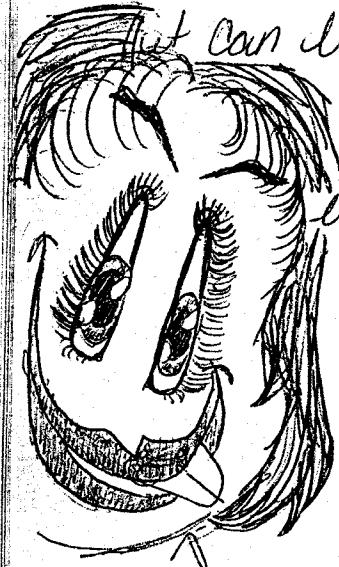
Donald Clinchinst. Oh why? Why are you on my mind? I love Adnan. But Don... he + Adnan are complete different people, and I can't compare them. Compare what?? I LOVE ADNAN! But all I could think of when Adnan was kissing me, was Don's baby blues... his crooked smile... his blonde/brown hair. What the hell am I doing? DON... Oh dear... why me? I love you, Adnan. But... I don't know why I'm having these thoughts. I love you, Adnan. You have given me something to smile about every morning. You gave me love... so much love I would have ~~thought~~ never imagined to come to me. He loves me + would love me 'till the end of the world. He would give me love until his heart stops beating. I love him. That's why it's so confusing for me, to keep on thinking about Don. Me + Don don't have any chance. But... I don't know... well I know is that I love Adnan... but can't be faithful to him? I want to... What Me + Adnan have

I look at you,
looking at me.
Now I know why they say
The best things are free.

I

Angel of mine.

Angel of mine - These words stick well
always stay on my mind
and in my heart.



* NEVER write w/ erasable pen, cause
it can be erased! with a little rub

And that's going to be
erased ↑

that will be erased too ↑

That too ↑

That too ↑

Me in 2000 costumes ↑ That too

Later!! That too That too ↑

is something genuine, real, & rare. I would have to die twice before I find someone who would love me as much as he does. I love you, Adnan... so much... but why Don?

12/8

Today, Adnan asked me what is it about him that keeps me loving him. No more sweet, but things about him & him only. Then, I realized that there is no one but him for me. I knew then, that I was utterly in love... Crapily in love. I want to tell him about Don. But I can't.

12/9

I found myself sighing of disappointment when I couldn't see Don's car LC. I swear his Camaro was out there. I miss his baby-blues. What the hell am I saying? I love you, Adnan. You have me so happy & loved. Nothing & no one would ever replace you. But then why Don?

I couldn't imagine my life without Adnan's warm brown eyes, his itchy mustache, his soft hair, his perfect body, the look of love in his eyes, the warm voice that says "I love you." I'm too tired. I want to go to sleep now. I've been thinking about Don for hours now. It's already 12:35am.

12/100

Sorry, I fell asleep on you ^1^ anyways, I finally got myself back together. Today, I went to my baby's track meet at 5th Old memories ^1^ Anyways, I love Adrian so much, so much that it's hard to say that I love him brings tears to my eyes. I love you to death! I wrote him an e-mail. I saw him at peaks, when he ran that 4x2. He is so dedicated to running, it made him seem very sexy ^1^ I tingled as usual when he kissed me + sighed when I drove away from him. No more Don. I knew, as I always have, that Adrian's warm smile is the one I can't live without. You love the one you can't live without. I can't imagine my life without his smile, his touch + most importantly, his love. I feel so guilty though... about Don. I don't know why I'll still I had such thoughts. It's all because of Mo + her ideas, I really... kinda want to tell Adrian about the whole Don thing. But I am so afraid. What if it pushes him away? Would he forgive me? Would he still love me? I would die without this love. I'll just keep secret. But what if he finds out + hates me? Nooo.. I can't tell him.

he wouldn't forgive me, cause I don't forgive myself. I can't believe myself at ALL!! Maybe I should commit suicide. Should I get on my knees + beg for forgiveness? Would he forgive me? Or would he build up his walls again? I love you so much, Adnan. What have I done? Why do I keep on hurting you? I swear I don't mean to. Would you find it in your heart to forgive me? You are my one + only... forever!!

(Pretty late) 12/13

I picked up smoking again. Me + [redacted] were talking outside + he offered me a cigarette.

I hate the way they taste) but I get to stay out side with him.

12/15

I am going to finish this paper no matter what. It's already 1:30am, and I have been all over this paper for hours and hours! I hate doing papers. I think I'm going to fall asleep. Who cares what Thomas Hardy thought of women? I can't think straight with my sleepiness so late. I NEED COFFEE! Shoot. I hate teachers who give papers before the break. That reminds me, I have to work on Mr. Yonlin's paper. What was my topic again?!?

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12/22/98

Oh my goodness. Today, it snowed. I guess I'm getting my wish of a white Christmas! But, I really didn't ask for ~~all~~ this. Today, I got into a minor accident. You know how when I go from 695 to 795 - take the ramp to get to the Mall. Well, the ramp goes downhill. Well, it splits into right for right turn & left 2 lanes for left turn. ~~I~~ I took the right as usual, but my car slipped and skidded into the curb on the left. It was so horrible.

* 9:am in the morning

12/24/98

I know I fall asleep at the weirdest times. I guess I was worn out & tired. Anyways, the car is in the parking lot of Owings Mills mall. Don & Adnan took a look at my van & told me not to drive it... unanimously. Arrgh! Mommy is going to be mad. But I swear, it's not my fault. I hope my grandfather says otherwise.... I REALLY, REALLY, HOPE.

* Tired + sleepy - 2:00 am.

I just got home. Work ended at 10, but Slave asked me if I wanted dinner. I said sure, + we went to Ruby Tuesdays at Owings Mills. He had a shot of Cognac, although I tried to stop him. I would NEVER drink when I have to drive me home.

12/29

HAPPY 99!! Ready to party + Graduate Anyways, I gotta tell you about yesterday. Guess who had a date with Donald R Clineologist III ?? ME!! On Thursday, 12/31, I picked up Adnan from his work + dropped him off at Sears so he could pick up the car. I thought of waiting for him, but for some reason, I HAD to go up to OMM. When I got there, I saw his Camaro, which was surprising since ~~it was~~ he wasn't working that day. Well, when I was going to pull up next to his car, he was walking toward his car. I stopped + talked to him, flirting around with him as usual. Well, he actually let me drive his car around OMM. What a car. Well, we flirted around a little more + ~~ate~~ finally decided

1/2/99

Graduate

What
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you
call
my
comfort

Donald R Clinequist, III

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Don
Don

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Richard

go for dinner on the first. I mean, what a day to start a new year. Well, I got to work on the first.. wait? I spent the new year's eve @ Aisha's with Krista + the crew, amber, Becky + D, Shawn + Ryan. But the guys had to leave at 2. But I fell asleep around 1 cause I had to wake up at 9 to get to work. When I got there, Den was there, of course. He was cute + funny. Cool? I found my favorite open. Anyways, he changed into green sweater and jeans. His sweater made his green eyes look so incredible, since his eyes turn green to blue to gray. He has real beautiful eyes. Real beautiful. Well, after work, we went to all the way up to Aberdeen. We got to Olive Tree, where we sat + ate. I had crab cake, which was really good. I loved it! Mr. Den had a fun conversation. We were talking about a lot of things, from LensCrafters to cars to his name.. Donald ^{Robert} ~~Donald~~ ^{Robert} Clinchurst, III. Wow... I don't think I've ever felt this weird before. But I really do think I like him. We came back to the OMM, + we just sat + talked. I really wanted him to kiss me, but not... he's too much of a gentleman for that. Now... what a guy. He is so kind, caring, intelligent,

The image is a black and white artwork. It features a central, dense, swirling pattern composed entirely of the word "Don" written in different styles of handwriting and cursive. This pattern is oriented vertically. In the upper left quadrant, there is a large, bold, stylized drawing of a hand holding a small, round object, possibly a ball or a piece of fruit. In the lower right quadrant, there is a large, flowing, cursive script that reads "I miss you, baby". The overall composition is dynamic and expressive.

Incredibly cute, funny, amusing, & very down to Earth.

1/6/99

I just got back from the movies with Don. I really do like him so much.

1/12/99

I love you, Don. I think I have found my soul mate. I love you so much. I fell in love with you the moment I opened my eyes to see you in the break room for the first time.

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