

FLASHBACK

Shay is coming in with her college books in her hand. She looks way different than she does now more innocent.

She begins to take out her books and start her studies. The door opens and incomes her boyfriend, FRED.

FRED
(Intoxicated)
Where have you been all day?

SHAY
I told you I had class.

FRED
Oh, you think you're one of them smart
bitches?

SHAY
No, Fred, I have to turn in this
business proposal for class.

FRED
Why do you want to go to school
anyway? You think you are too good for
me, don't you?

SHAY
No, Fred I don't I'm doing this for
us.

FRED
What us? You don't see me in no damn
class.

SHAY
I mean I'm doing it so we can build
our family

Shay comes over to try and reassure her statement to Fred.

SHAY
Babe, When I graduate with my degree.
We can start our own business.

FRED
So you can leave me?

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SHAY

I'm not going anywhere.

FRED

You looking at 'dem college niggas,
arent you.

SHAY

No Fred. I'm not.

Fred grabs Shay by the neck.

FRED

Don't fucking lie to me.

SHAY

I'm not lying.

FRED

Why is this school shit so fucking
important in the first place. I ain't
been to no college. You see I'm doing
ok. See I knew I shouldn't fuck with
you.

SHAY

Please Fred you're hurting me.

FRED

Bitch I'll kill you.

SHAY

Please stop.

Fred begins to press harder. Shay is turning red as if she is
about to faint.

She gets enough strength to knee Fred in his nuts.

He lets her go and she runs out of the house.

FADE OUT