

GET IT WHILE YOU CAN

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AN ORCHESTRAL YANKEE DOODLE PLAYS. EMPTY WORN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL STADIUM. WE FLOAT TOWARD THE PRESS BOX. AN ENORMOUS UNITED STATES FLAG HANGS FROM IT, ILLUMINATED BY A LONE LIGHT. SLOW ZOOM INTO THE FLAG--

SIMONE (V.O.)

Every year in the grand ole U.S. of A about 3 million people graduate from high school. You figure at least 1.5 million of these graduates are females. Of these female graduates, an elite remnant are bound to become professional jersey chasers...therefore my competition increases.

EXTREME CLOSE ON THE FLAG. INSTEAD OF 50 STARS IT IS PATTERNED WITH 50 HIGH HEELS.

FADE IN:

INT. DRESSING ROOM - NIGHT

DOORS OPEN. We see the silhouette of a woman, obscure to us because of the dimly lit room.

SIMONE (V.O.)

So I stay on top of my game. Dress no bigger than a size 6.

EXTREME CLOSE as curvaceous hips swivel into a skin tight dress.

SIMONE (CONT'D)

Fingers forever fresh with sparkles, perfectly manicured.

EXTREME CLOSE on meticulously manicured diamond encrusted nails.

SIMONE (CONT'D)

Hair and weave never cheap. Always top notch.

EXTREME CLOSE on jet black long silky hair, she styles it gently.

SIMONE (CONT'D)

Because in this world, the world that really matters, that can be the difference between the sweet thrill of victory...

CUT TO:

INT. BANK VAULT - DAY

From behind we see a gorgeous woman. She's surrounded by an infinite number of one hundred dollar bills. She throws bills into the air, makes it rain, drops to her knees in total bliss.

SIMONE (V.O.)
Or the agony of defeat.

INT. HIGH FASHION CLOTHING STORE - DAY

From behind we see the same gorgeous woman, fur coat in hand. She stands before a cashier ready to check out. She swipes her credit card through the Card Reader.

The display reads "DECLINED".

The woman totally devastated, bows her head in shame.

BACK TO:

INT. DRESSING ROOM - NIGHT

ALL LIGHTS UP. Head on we finally see SIMONE LADEAN, late 20s, caramel skin, a captivating beauty, wearing a skin tight midnight blue dress.

SIMONE (V.O.)
So I focus in. I keep my eyes on the prize. The prize that all us women want. The most coveted object in the game...I'm talking about the ring.

INT. BIG WHITE ROOM - DAY

Empty except for a HUGE LARGE-SCALE DIAMOND RING, center room, \$ sign engraved on it.

SIMONE (V.O.)
And not just any ring, but the ring of a highly successful filthy rich pro athlete. And I'm willing to do almost anything to get it. So as they say in the athletic world..."Let the games begin".

A WHISTLE BLOWS.

EXTREME SLOW MOTION. Beautiful women come from out of nowhere. They rush toward the mega diamond. They push, they pull, some even bite at ankles. It's pure chaos in this free for all.

The ring close at hand, many stretch toward it with all strength, striving to grasp it like a running back reaching for a 1st down--

CUT TO BLACK:

INT. LUXURIOUS MIAMI HOTEL - NIGHT

We glide through the lobby passing legions of gorgeous groupies, eyeing a select few multimillionaire athletes. We hear several SNIPPETS OF CONVERSATIONS as these beautiful masters of manipulation go to work.

Nearby we see JA'DARIUS SMITH, late 20's, dreadlocks, tattooed neck, in a suit tailored to a tee. He looks at his platinum watch.

Enter Simone, breath taking in every way imaginable. ALL EYES ON HER.

She makes a beeline toward Ja'Darius. They meet. He greets her with a modest kiss on the cheek.

JA'DARIUS
(scanning her body)
Hey there thick.

SIMONE
Good evening. Ready to talk terms?

INT. LUXURY HOTEL ROOM - LATER

Simone and Ja'Darius sit across from each other, separated by a long table. In front of each of them a lap top, a short stack of documents.

Simone reels off facts--

SIMONE
Last season: yards per catch- down.
Receptions over 50 yards- down.
Touchdown receptions- down. Also an
FYI, I know about the monthly child
support payments to Aubrina and
Luciana and the failed investments
in inflatable water rafts.

JA'DARIUS
What that got to do with us?

SIMONE
Helps determine your net worth, which
in this case equals more leverage
for me.