KILLING EVE S1E2 EVE & CAROLYN

INT: RESTAURANT

Carolyn sits at a table waiting for Eve. Her eyes are closed as if she is meditating or sleeping.

EVE

Carolyn?

CAROLYN

Eve. Hi.

EVE

Oh, sorry, were you, um...

CAROLYN

Sit down.
I was just...

EVE

Oh, I know.

CAROLYN

Sit down.

Eve's leg knocks into the table as she sits.

EVE

Sorry.

CAROLYN

I'm not very good at "How are you?", et cetera, so I'm just gonna dive in.

EVE

Oh, sure.

CAROLYN

Y-You're from Connecticut?

EVE

Oh, uh, yes. Correct.

Well, I was born here, but I moved there when my parents separated.

EVE (CONT'D)

And when my father died, I came back and I basically married my dad.

No, I mean, he's not...he's nothing like my...He's much more, um, physical. Around the house.

Um, I'm a little on edge.

CAROLYN

Eve, you know when something like this happens and someone gets...

EVE

Fired?

CAROLYN

Yes. Fired.

Their computer and hard drive get swept.

EVE

Oh, God.

Carolyn pulls out a folder and places it in front of Eve.

CAROLYN

They found this.

Eve pages through the folder.

EVE

Oh.

Oh. (LAUGHS)

Oh, I thought you were gonna pull out all the pictures we took of Frank eating. (CHUCKLES)

CAROLYN

Did you compile this on your own?

EVE

Yes.

CAROLYN

No one asked you to do it?

EVE

No.

CAROLYN

Has anyone else seen it?

EVE

I mean... No.

CAROLYN

Why did you do this?

Eve calls to the waiter.

CAROLYN

Can I get a gin and tonic?

WAITER

We don't open the bar in the mornings.

CAROLYN

Two gin and tonics, please.

WAITER

Yes, madam.

CAROLYN

You seem to know a lot about female assassins.

EVE

Yeah, well, I, um...I used to study criminal psychology and I was just interested in what makes a per... a woman able to... um...I-It's not a... You know what, I'm... I'm just a fan.

CAROLYN

Why did you compile these specific cases?

EVE

Well, I, um...Uh, I was... I was... (CHUCKLES NERVOUSLY)
Sorry.

I was aware...

CAROLYN

Say it.

EVE

I believe there is a female assassin operating internationally and she's targeted a number of influential people. She doesn't have a signature, but she certainly has style and I don't know who or what is behind her, but I don't think she's slowing down and just that interested me, I quess. But also apparently makes me a fantasist and a crackpot and completely on my own. And frankly, I don't give a shit anymore. She is outsmarting the smartest of us and for that she deserves to do or kill whoever the hell she wants. I mean, if she's not killing me, then frankly it's not my job to care anymore.

The waiter brings their drinks.

EVE

(SIGHS) Thank you.

CAROLYN

Can I show you something?

Carolyn hands Eve a picture.

EVE

What is this?

CAROLYN

Well, from what I can gather from this morning, it's your hunch all over my wall.

EVE

Did you do this?

CAROLYN

Sort of. I have someone who keeps tabs on anything that might lend itself to the theory.

CAROLYN (CONT'D)

No trace. No pattern.

But most importantly, no one owning up to it and someone usually does.

EVE

But is this not something you're supposed to be looking into officially?

CAROLYN

I tried. But there was a lack of enthusiasm for it which could read two ways. I'm a naturally suspicious person and I have a budget to exercise that. This is an unofficial, official tap on the shoulder.

EVE

Aren't there more qualified people?

CAROLYN

I want you.

EVE

Why?

CAROLYN

Well, your research clearly speaks for itself, you're intuitive and you make insane suggestions.

EVE

Thank you.

CAROLYN

And you've been fired, so no one cares about what you do next.

I mean that in the nicest possible way.

EVE

Oh, thank you.

CAROLYN

There's hardly any money, there's no ladder. You're completely deniable.

EVE

It's like I'm looking inside of my brain.
And you want me to...

CAROLYN

Find her.

She's on a payroll, there's a pattern, we just haven't worked it out yet. But if we get her, it'll be a start. Essentially, we've been gathering the evidence. I need people to put it together now.

EVE

People?

CAROLYN

You can have two.
I'd recommend small ones.