

## **RABBIT HOLE MONOLOGUES**

### **IZZY MONOLOGUE**

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(Izzy is talking to Howie and asking why her sister Becca is mad at her)

“So it’s just the baby then. The fact that I’m having a baby. She thinks I can’t do it, right? I’m not cut out to be a good mother? I know I’ve been a screw-up, but people get their act together. And maybe I’m not as organized as Becca, or homey, or whatever...but I’m a capable person who can raise a child, and look after it and protect it. I resent the feeling I get from her, and you too sometimes, honestly, that I don’t *deserve* the baby. Or that I’m not mature enough, or smart enough or something, to take care of it. I mean, my god, if my mother could do it, how hard could it be?”

### **BECCA MONOLOGUE**

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(Becca and Howie are fighting about Danny. Becca has just accidentally taped over a videotape of Danny and Howie and Howie is furious with her)

“Do you really not know me, Howie? Do you really not know how utterly impossible that would be? To erase him? No matter how many things I give to charity, or how many art projects I box up, do you really think I don’t see him every second of every day? And okay, I’m trying to make things a little easier on myself by hiding some of the photos, and giving away the clothes, but that does *not* mean I’m trying to erase him. That tape was an accident. And believe me, I will beat myself up about it forever, I’m sure. Like everything else that I could’ve prevented but didn’t.”