

FADE IN:

Jen cough from time to time. She is in pain but serene.

ABBY

Don't you miss it? Won't you come back  
east once before...

JEN

I doubt it.

ABBY

You aren't...

(Beat)

JEN

Don't mush out again. This is all about  
closure. For everything there is a  
season.

ABBY

Oh Christ, she's quoting The Doors.

JEN

Not The Doors. It was The Byrds.

ABBY

No. Jim Morrison.

JEN

Huh uh. The guy with the glasses in The  
Byrds. What's his name. "To everything  
turn, turn, turn."

ABBY

Maybe you're right.

JEN

I'm always right.

ABBY

Ecclesiastes. You ever read that?

JEN

Yeah. I read it.

ABBY

You ever get, you know. Into that?

JEN

Not born again. Is that what you mean?

ABBY

No. Not that. I was wondering if you ever, you know, prayed.

JEN

Yes. I pray.

ABBY

You think he listens to you?

JEN

Sure. She listens.

ABBY

Why doesn't she do something then? Why??  
Is she sitting around with her head in  
her whatsit?

JEN

For everything there is a season.

ABBY

And you're an autumn so we should dress  
you in fucking earth tones when we take  
you to the morgue.

JEN

A time to live and a time to die.

ABBY

A time to jerk off and a time to kiss  
up.

JEN

Play nice.

ABBY

Can't. I'm mad at him. Her. Whatever

JEN

This is the life I had. It wasn't bad.

ABBY

It wasn't long enough. IT WASN'T LONG  
ENOUGH!

Abby hit a mark there and Jen, taken aback starts slowly crying. Both look away from each other, and take a moment to recover from the truth.