9 HATS — SELF-VIDEO CASTING CALL

ANONYMOUS ROLE SIDES • CHARACTER NAMES INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

SELF-TAPE: Choose the role that fits you. Perform naturally. A reader may read the other lines. Full-body, head-to-toe framing required.

FEMALE • AGE 21–30

PERSONALITY: Warm, playful, affectionate, supportive and emotionally grounded. Cares about the lead and his future.

FEMALE: “I gotta go.”
MALE: “Already?”
FEMALE: “Yes. Some of us actually have jobs.”
MALE: “I’ll see you later.”
FEMALE: “You better.”

FEMALE • AGE 16–19

PERSONALITY: Young, observant, innocent and curious. Emotionally attached to the lead and not afraid to call him out.

FEMALE: “You okay?”
MALE: “I’m good.”
FEMALE: “You don’t look good.”
MALE: “Go do your homework.”
FEMALE: “You’re lying.”

MALE • AGE 40–60

PERSONALITY: Calm, wise, protective and street-smart. A father figure who sees the lead’s potential and wants him to choose better.

MALE: “You still thinking about school?”
MALE: “Every day.”
MALE: “Then don’t let this place change your mind.”
MALE: “It’s not that easy.”
MALE: “Nothing worth having is.”

MALE • AGE 22–30

PERSONALITY: Confident, persuasive, charismatic and street-smart. Makes dangerous opportunities sound appealing.

MALE: “I got something for you.”
MALE: “What kind of something?”
MALE: “The kind that puts money in your pocket.”
MALE: “I’m not trying to get locked up.”
MALE: “Then don’t get caught.”

MALE • AGE 30–40

PERSONALITY: Quietly intimidating, cold and dangerous. Loyal to his organization. Speaks with control rather than overacting.

MALE: “You been asking too many questions.”
MALE: “I’m just trying to understand.”
MALE: “Understanding gets people killed.”
MALE: “Is that supposed to scare me?”
MALE: “It should.”

MALE • AGE 30–40

PERSONALITY: Intelligent, controlled, observant and psychologically sharp. Studies people carefully and applies pressure without losing composure.

MALE: “Do you know someone named Dre?”
MALE: “I know a lot of people.”
MALE: “That’s not what I asked.”
MALE: “Then ask me something I can answer.”
MALE: “Careful.”

MALE • AGE 30–50

PERSONALITY: Powerful, calculating, controlled and intimidating. Always seems several moves ahead and carries natural authority.

MALE: “You remind me of somebody.”
MALE: “Who?”
MALE: “Yourself.”
MALE: “That doesn’t make sense.”
MALE: “It will.”

MALE • AGE 18–30

PERSONALITY: Nervous, vulnerable, inexperienced and desperate. Feels trapped in something bigger than himself; fear should feel real.

MALE: “I didn’t know what I was getting into.”
MALE: “Then you should’ve stayed out.”
MALE: “You don’t have to do this.”
MALE: “Yes. I do.”

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