

KAY AND FOX EXIT.
KAY LOOKING BACK AT PALOMA WITH A "LET
HER HAVE IT" LOOK. ONCE DOOR CLOSES,
PALOMA TURNS TO THERESA.

THERESA

What's going on?

PALOMA

"What's going on?" You really have to
ask?

THERESA

I get it. You think Fox and I...?

PALOMA

(OVER) Let me talk, Theresa.

THERESA

Please...

PALOMA

You and I have had our little ups and
downs over the years, but it never really
bothered me because I knew deep down how
much we loved each other.

THERESA

Of course we do - we're sisters.

PALOMA

(ROLLS ON) Even though we aren't
anything alike, that was cruel, too,
because we respected each other. I felt
like you knew who I was and I knew who
you were.

THERESA

I do...you do...

PALOMA

No, that's the problem. It turns out I
don't know you at all. I looked up to
you, Theresa. I thought you were the
"good one", the one I ought to be more
like. And now I find out you're nothing
but a liar and a thief and a...tramp!

THERESA

How dare you?! You've got the completely
wrong idea about me being here with...

PALOMA

(OVER) You know how much I like Fox! How
could you do this to me?! What kind of
sister are you?! How could you go after
Fox when you knew how much I wanted to go
out with him myself? How could you hate
me so much?

THERESA

I don't hate you at all! And I wasn't going after Fox!

PALOMA

Oh, really? I hate to break it to you but I saw you through the window with my own eyes. Did you already kiss him or were you just about to?

THERESA

Of course not! Neither one! There's nothing going on between us at all!

PALOMA

Right. That's why you two were alone in your room. Not to mention being wrapped in each other's arms when I walked in on you a minute ago!

THERESA

Okay, I can see where you got the wrong idea but...

PALOMA

It's not an idea, Theresa! It's what I saw!

THERESA

But it's not what it looked like!

PALOMA

Why did you have to take the one thing that made me happy? That made me special? I will never forgive you for this, Theresa. I will hate you forever!

THERESA IS CRUSHED AS PALOMA WALKS OUT.