

Screenplay

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CONTEXT: AMOS decides not to join in with his friends in shoplifting. He knew that it was wrong. Yet, a part of him is unsure and he doesn't want to be looked down by them.

EXT. OUTSIDE 7ELEVEN - DAY 2

AMOS is standing a distance away from the store. He glances over at the convenience store as the boys seem to be taking awhile.

Cutaway: The boys are taking items in the store.

AMOS hesitates but decides to walk over to the store to check.

Just as he is walking, a passer-by in front stops in his tracks outside the shop. The man is staring into the store.

Cutaway: The boys continues with their stealing, not noticing the man outside the store.

The man is alarmed by the boys' actions which he noticed through the glass walls. He walks towards the door.

AMOS alarmed, shouts from a distance.

AMOS
Hey Uncle! (shouts, rushing over.)

The man didn't seem to hear him. He was pointing into the store, trying to catch the attention of the shopkeeper. He was about to pull open the door.

MAN
Hey- (pointing)

AMOS
HEY! UNCLE! UNCLE!!! (pats him on the back)

The man half-turns around to Amos, right in front of the entrance.

MAN
Ah? (over his shoulder)

(cont'd)
Sorry sir, please help me?! Erm, my phone has no battery. I need to make-

Amos quickly slips his phone into the back pocket of his pants.

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MAN

What? Ok-

The man tries to turn back, but Amos quickly added.

AMOS

Sorry sir, can I just borrow your
phone? I need to make a call. My
phone battery is flat. Its urgent.

MAN

Ok- Give me a sec-

The man looks frustratedly at him, his body already
half-turned but he still looks back into the store.

AMOS (TONE: LYING, SURE)

So sorry uncle! its really urgent.
My mother... she is in the
hospital. Please!

The man sighs at him, and takes out his phone. (big phone)

AMOS (SMILES)

Oh! Thank you so much uncle!

Amos takes the big phone, but it genuinely slipped out of
his hand by accident.

The phone crashed onto the floor.

MAN

Haiyo! (finally turns around
towards Amos)

AMOS

Oh my gosh, sorry!

LEADER, FOLLOWER and SMART came out of the store. They saw
AMOS and MAN. AMOS squats to pick up the phone.

AMOS

Sorry sir! I am soo sorry about it!
(squatting)

The man walks over to look at his phone.

Squatting, Amos makes eye contact with the boys, hinting
them to leave.

The boys scurries away.

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AMOS returns it to the man. The man checks his phone. He turns back and looks through the glass door. The boys were nowhere in sight, in and outside of the store.

AMOS
Uncle, I am so sorry!

MAN
Be careful next time!

AMOS
Ok! Sorry sir!

Man walks into the store. AMOS walks away from the store. His phone vibrates in his pocket and he takes it out.

(cont'd)
Thanks! Joining us?

AMOS stops in his tracks, he looks away from his phone. He isn't sure if he did the right thing. He breathes out heavily.