

# DELORIS, EDDIE

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Eddie Souther

Act 1 Scene 4 - Police Station

Deloris: Wait a minute.

Eddie: What?

Deloris: I know you.

Eddie: Well I know you too, Doris Cater.

Deloris: It's Deloris Van Cartier now. As in Cartier's... I do know you—high school!

Eddie: Yeah, that was me.

Deloris: You had a crush on me.

Eddie: Yeah, that was me.

Deloris: I'd come around and you'd get so nervous... you started to sweat!

Eddie: No, that wasn't me.

Deloris: I called you Sweaty Eddie!

Eddie: Look I'd appreciate it if you didn't...

Deloris: Sweaty Eddie—damn!

Eddie: Look Doris.

Deloris: Deloris.

Eddie: Curtis Jackson needs to be put away. We've been working on this case for over a year. We got a lotta hidden film on him and you're not safe. If you saw Ernie get killed, you need protection and there's no protection like the Philadelphia police department... we need to hide you.

Deloris: You can't hide me, how you gonna hide me... how are you gonna hide this?

Eddie: Here's a picture of the last guy who talked. Or what's left of him. Look. (hands her picture)

Deloris: Oh my God. You gotta help me.

Eddie: Then you gotta be our witness.

Deloris: No way.

Eddie: Deloris, Curtis will kill you. We need you to testify so we can put him away.

Deloris: But what's gonna happen to me?

Eddie: We need a place he'd never think to look. And we gotta disguise you.

Deloris: You mean I gotta go incognito? (she puts on her sunglasses)

Eddie: Wait a minute.

Deloris: What?

Eddie: I got the perfect place. Let's go.