***Sweat***

Audition Sides – Jessie

*Absolutely no expectation for you to have this memorized. Give it all you’ve got and don’t be afraid! – Cleopatra*

God, that was a summer, huh? A lot of fun. Wasn’t thinking about anything, I figured I’d be at Olstead’s for six to eight months max. Can you believe it? I was collecting Green Stamps the whole year, remember Green Stamps? I was gonna trade ‘em in for backpack, a tent. Had like ten thousand of ‘em. I was going to hitch my way across the country with my boyfriend, Felix. (. . .) God. Me. Felix. That was so long ago. We were gonna do Alaska, camp, live clean, you know, and save enough money to get to India. Live in an ashfram for while, then bum along the hippie trail. Istanbul, Tehran, Kandahar, Kabul, Peshawar, Lahore, Kathmandu. Places. Still remember ‘em all. I used to say ‘em every night like a mantra, a prayer (. . .) God. . . That was the plan.