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Hi Mimi. Hope you are doing ok.

I don't know what is going to happen at my preliminary hearing, obviously I'm nervous, afraid, scared. Because I feel like I've been gone for so long already, and I just want to come back home. And this is the only thing we don't know if it's going to happen, now, later or when and if.

I don't know how much Ryan told you, but in case you didn't know, they want me to cooperate against your son. Since the beginning, they've told us they could make from my charges something very simple and I wouldn't be charged with this, if I decided to cooperate with them. They know I'm not doing that, I don't have anything to cooperate with them, with what they say that happened. I know it didn't make them happy, so they will do anything to hold me here, anything for them to win. They've got it so far, right. I have no idea what they are making up, faking stuff, ~~lying~~<sup>lies</sup> etc. But whatever it is, we don't know, and we are not sure what is going to happen. Again, I just want to say how grateful I'm for you being you, for your love and support, for everything you've been doing for me. I would do anything to be with you guys again, in Brendan's arms. But if it's not possible, I loved him so much, and I tell him, I love him more each day, I'll love him forever, even when I can't. I would give my life for his, and I would never do anything to hurt him or against him. Whatever they're saying, whatever they want to believe, I don't care, I would take the blame for both of us. I want him to be happy, he deserves it. He is such an amazing man and person. He showed me love, care, affection, connection, warmth, everything. When I think about death, I can't think of a better way to die, than loving him, and thinking about me. He is 38 years old, and never imagined himself with a 22 years old, Brazilian, tiny person. But life surprises us. In the best way. If I die today, I would've been so happy this last year, with him. But I would still be wishing to be with him, to love more if given a chance. Maybe you think "is this letter for me or Brendan?"; lol, for you. But I'm not there so I want to make sure to remind you of my love for him.

Maybe we happened at the wrong time/moment/in a wrong way. But I believe everything happens for a reason, with purpose. I don't regret that, nothing about him or us. So, the same way I remind him everyday how handsome he is, and how much I love and miss him, I want you to feel that too, how special he is for me. Other day he told me he feels shy when I tell him "Do you know what?" and he says "what?" (as if he doesn't know what's coming huh) and I say "you are so handsome". I've been like this with him since always. And he still feels shy, it's cute lol. But he also told me he wasn't used to hear that before, that often, from anybody. So I told him "now you better get used to it". I still do it, everyday when we're on the phone or video chat. I believe even he's 38, has a lot experience, I could still teach him something, about love, affection, care, about himself. It makes me happy to know that. I've learned a lot with you guys. And I'll be thankful forever.

I love you, Mimi ♡

sorry ran out of time lol