# Pitch (final)

When procrastination meets true love, chaos ensues. A lovable but scatterbrained boyfriend wakes up on the day he planned to propose to his girlfriend, only to realize he hasn't done - anything- to prepare. With less than 10 hours to pull off the perfect proposal, he races through their small college town to buy a ring, reserve a spot at their favorite lake, hire a photographer, and plan a romantic dinner—all without his girlfriend catching on. A heartwarming comedy about love, last-minute planning, and the lengths we go to for the people we care about.

#### **Treatment**

Title: One Day to Forever

## Logline:

A procrastinating boyfriend has less than 10 hours to plan the perfect proposal for his girlfriend, leading to a chaotic and hilarious race against time.

## Synopsis:

The story begins with a cozy scene of Bryan (the boyfriend) and Sophie (the girlfriend) cuddled up on the couch, talking about their future. Sophie mentions how she's always dreamed of a romantic proposal at sunset by Lion's Lake, their favorite spot in their small college town. Bryan smiles nervously, knowing he's been planning to propose on this exact day—but he's done absolutely nothing to prepare.

The next morning, Bryan wakes up in a panic, realizing it's -the day-. He scrambles to get everything done:

- 1. **The Ring:** He rushes to the local jewelry store, only to find it closed. Desperate, he convinces the owner to open early, but he's hilariously clueless about ring sizes and styles.
- 2. **The Location:** He calls the town's parks department to reserve Lion's Lake for the evening, but they tell him it's already booked for a yoga class. Bryan has to sweet-talk (and bribe) the instructor to let him use the space.
- 3. **The Photographer:** He reaches out to a student photographer on campus, but she's booked for a senior photoshoot. Bryan ends up hiring her quirky younger brother, who's more interested in taking artsy shots of ducks than capturing the proposal.
- 4. **The Dinner:** He tries to book a table at Sophie's favorite restaurant, but it's fully reserved. Bryan begs the chef to let him use the kitchen to cook a meal himself, leading to a series of kitchen disasters.

Throughout the day, Sophie is blissfully unaware of Bryan's frantic efforts. She thinks his odd behavior is just stress from work or school. Meanwhile, Bryan's best friend, Jack, tries to help but mostly adds to the chaos with his terrible advice.

By sunset, Bryan finally pulls it all together. At Lion's Lake, with the yoga class awkwardly watching from a distance and the photographer accidentally filming the ducks, Bryan gets down on one knee and proposes. Sophie is shocked, overjoyed, and says yes.

In the final scene, as they celebrate with a homemade dinner, Sophie asks how long Bryan has been planning this. He sheepishly admits, "About 10 hours." She laughs, hugs him again, and says, "That's so you."

#### Characters:

- **Bryan**: The protagonist. A lovable but procrastinating boyfriend who's deeply in love with Sophie but terrible at planning. His heart is in the right place, even if his execution is a mess.
- **Sophie**: The girlfriend. Sweet, supportive, and oblivious to Bryan's antics. She's the kind of person who sees the best in everyone, even when things go wrong.
- **Jack**: Bryan's best friend. A well-meaning but clueless sidekick who tries to help but often makes things worse.

### **Tone and Style:**

A lighthearted romantic comedy with a fast-paced, chaotic energy. The visuals should capture the charm of a small college town, with warm, golden tones during the sunset proposal. The humor comes from Bryan's misadventures and the contrast between his frantic planning and Sophie's calm, unaware demeanor.

### **Key Moments:**

- 1. Opening Scene: Bryan and Sophie talk about their future, with Sophie hinting at her dream proposal.
- 2. The Panic: Bryan wakes up, realizes it's the day, and starts his chaotic planning.
- 3. The Ring: Bryan's awkward interaction at the jewelry store.
- 4. The Location: Bryan bribes the yoga instructor to clear the lake.
- 5. The Photographer: The quirky younger brother's obsession with ducks.
- 6. The Dinner: Bryan's kitchen disasters while trying to cook.
- 7. The Proposal: The heartfelt (and slightly awkward) moment at Lion's Lake.
- 8. The Reveal: Sophie's reaction to Bryan's 10-hour planning.