## AAKOZIIWIGAMIG

## **EPISODE 6**

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<u>CAST</u>			
ERNIE	Roger Roulette	WENDY	Wanda Levasseur
MARK	EJ Fontaine	JOHN	Frankie Beaulieu
CAMERON	Chris King	TANYA	Tiffany Langan
WILSON	Westin Sutherland	SAM	Aandeg Muldrew
		AMANDA	Virginia Pateman
ANNA	Barb Nepinak	BABY	Brian Cochrane

## **5-1. NARRATOR**: (Recap of Episode 5)

NARRATOR: The Firefighters have put the fire out and left. A policeman wants to charge ERNIE for arson. MARK suspects that WENDY and CAMERON are having an affair. She denies it. BRENDA tells MARK and AMANDA that EVE will be leaving ROB. Then ERNIE has a severe asthma attack. He is near death. SAM comes by and he and CAROL get him some oxygen and into EVE's room. AMANDA is looking after her. She is making her play for MARK who is ERNIE's doctor. MARK tells her to not feel that way. Soon ERNIE is feeling better and he says hello to EVE. THE TALKING BABY greets him and begins a conversation with him. ANNA comes to visit her sister EVE. She is enthralled with the baby. EVE tells her about her pending separation with ROB. She asks if ANNA could look after the BABY while she goes away indefinitely. ANNA says yes, of course she will take the BABY and by the way, she tells EVE her big news that she won 2 million dollars in the lottery. They will be fine, she and the baby.

GII-AATAWE'IGEWAG IGI ININIWAG GAA-INANOKIIWAAD. GII-MAAJAAWAG DASH. ZHIMAGANISH ETA IMAA AYAA, E-ANAAMENIMAAD ERNIE-WAN E-GII-ZAKA'IGENID. MARK OGAGWEJIMAAN OWIIWAN GIISHPIN E-GIIMOOJIICHIGENID. GAAWIIN IKIDO WENDY. BRENDA WIINDAMAAGE EVE JI-NAGANAAD ONAABEMAN OZAAM EMIIGAANIGOD. ERNIE GICHI-OSOSODAM. GEGAA NIBO. SAM ZHIGO CAROL OBIMAAJI'AAWAAN, EVE GAA-IZHI-NIBAAD IZHIWINAA ERNIE JI-BIMISHING GEWIIN IMAA. AMANDA OMISAWENIMAAN MARK-AN, AANAWI E-WIIIDIGENID. GAAWIIN IWE NINDINENDAZIIN IDIGOON MARK-AN. WIIBA GO MINOMANJI'O ERNIE. OMAAJII-GAGANOONAAN ABINOOJIIYENSAN. ANNA O-BI-MAWADISAAN OSHIIMEYAN. EVE OGAGWEJIMAAN OMISEYAN JI-ODAAPINAAD ONIIJAANISAN, OZAAM E-WII-NAGANAAD ONAABEMAN. EYA, IKIDO ANNA. ZHIGO GII-GICHI-BAKINAAGE ZHOONIYAAN IKIDO ANNA. DA-MINO-BIMAADIZIWAG WIIN ZHIG BEBIIYENS.

## SUMMARY OF EPISODE 6

WENDY and her husband MARK grab a quick lunch. She's worried about him because he's been tired since last week. He sleeps as soon as he gets home. TANYA comes in to pick up her fiancé JOHN for lunch. They talk about their coming wedding happily. SAM and WILSON are on their way to ERNIE's room. ERNIE insists he did not start the fires. Then who did? ANNA is still there glowing over her good news. CAMERON happens to hear her talking about it. She talks about what she's going to do with her money. It will include the BABY. ERNIE remembers he used to torture baby birds when he was a boy. Maybe that is the cause of his trouble. He tells the BABY. They talk about it. Then AMANDA comes to tell them that MARK has been admitted into the hospital for Covid. He has a high fever and is in isolation. WENDY is upset. Everyone is upset.

WENDY ZHIGO MARK WIISINIIWIGAMIGONG WIISINIWAG. APANE AYEKOZI MARK. GAAWIIN MINOMANJI'OSII. BI-BIINDIGE TANYA, O-BI-WAABAMAAN JOHN-AN IMAA. ODAZHINDAANAAWAA GAA-WII-WIIDIGEWAAD. SAM ZHIGO WILSON ONANDO-MAWADISAAWAAN ERNIE-WAN. GAAWIIN NIIN NGII-ZAKA'AAWESII, IKIDO ERNIE. AWENEN DASH? GIIYAABI ANNA IMAA AYAA. JIIKENDAM GII-BAKINAAGED ZHOONIYAAN. EVE JIIKENDAM GEWIIN. CAMERON BIINDIGE. ERNIE OMIKWENDAAN GII-NITAA-GAGWAADAGI'AAPAN BINESHIIYENSA' GII-GWIIWIZENSIWID. MAAGIZHAA ONJINE ODIGOON ABINOOJIIYENSAN. MARK GANABACH ODAYAAN IWE G O O V I D. Z H E M A A K O D A S A A W A A N N I B E W I N I N G I M A A AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG. AAPIJI OJAANIMENDAM WENDY. GIIWE NDAWAA. GAKINA GO OJENIMENDAMOOG.

6-1. AMBIANCE: HOSPITAL SOUNDS. PEOPLE TALKING IN BACKGROUND.

MUSIC INTRODUCING THE SCENE.

NARRATOR: Dennis

WENDY and her husband MARK grab a quick lunch at the cafeteria. Wendy looks worried.

WENDY WAAGOSH ZHIGO ONAABEMAN MARK NAMADABWAG IMAA WIISINIIWIGAMIGOONSING. OJAANIMENDAMINAAGOZI WENDY.

BACKGROUND MUSIC: SOFT BUT OMINOUS.

WENDY- Wanda L Mark, why do you go to sleep as soon as you get home from work. You're always tired. Is something wrong with you? MARK, WEGONEN DASH ZHEMAAK WENJI ANDO GAWISHIMOWIN GII-DAGOSHINAN GII-ISHKWAA-ANOKIIYIN

## MARK- EJ

I don't know. All I know is that I want to sleep all the time. And I also have a sore throat right now. NAMANJIGO. BIZHISHIG NI-WII-NIBAA. NDAAKOZ GANABACH.

## WENDY- Wanda L

You should get checked right away. Someone can give you nasal swab right here. GIDIIZHA ZHEEMAAK JIIWABIMIGOWAN. AAWIIHA IMAA GIIGACHIKIJAANEYBINIGOO ZHEEMAAK!

### MARK- EJ

Okay. Maybe you're worried for nothing. Maybe I have the flu. HAAW SA. MAAGIZHAA GAYE NDAGIGOKAA. N-GA-IZHAA.

WENDY- Wanda L

l'm afraid, Mark. NIIGOOTAAN MARK.

MARK- EJ You're scared for nothing. Come here. ANISHAA GIZEGIZ. AMBE OMAA.

WENDY- Wanda L

I don't want to lose you. GAAWIIN GI-NOONIDE-WANI'ISINOON.

## MARK-EJ

Don't think that. In the springtime, we'll be gardening. And we'll eat vegetables all summer long. Flowers too! GEGO IWE INENDANGEN. ZIIGWANG GI-GA-GITIGEMIN. GI-GA-MIIJIMIN DASH GITIGAANAN GABE-NIIBIN. WAABIGWANIIN GAYE.

## WENDY- Wanda L

We'll eat flowers too? WAABIGWANIIN GIGAMIIJIMIN?

MARK (LAUGHS)- EJ You're silly sometimes. GI-WAWIIYADENDAAGOZ AKO.

BACKGROUND MUSIC: MORE UPBEAT. STILL BACKGROUND NOISE IN CAFETERIA.

NARRATOR: Dennis

TANYA comes in to pick up her fiancé JOHN for lunch. They talk about their coming wedding happily.

ONJI-BIINIDGE TANYA. O-BI-NAANZIKAWAAN GAA-WII-WIIDIGEMAAD JOHN-AN JI-IZHAAWAAD BAKAAN WIISINIIWIGAMIGONG. JIIKENDAMOOG. OJIINDIWAG.

JOHN- Frankie So happy to see you. You look beautiful. AAPIJI GIDOONIZHISH, TANYA. WAWAWAH!

TANYA (LAUGHS)- Tiffany

# WENDY- Wanda L So when's the big wedding, you guys? AANAPII DASH GE GICHI WIIDIGENDIIWAG?

TANYA- Tiffany We're going to talk about that during lunch. Not sure when exactly. N-GA-DAZHINDAAMIN IWE NAAWAKWE-WIISINIYAANG. GAAWIIN N-GIKENDAZIIMIN MASHI.

(SOUND OF CAT MEOWING)

JOHN- Frankie Where did that cat come from? I'll have to throw it out first. AANDI GAA-ONJISED AWE BOOZH? AKAWE N-GA-ZAAGIJIWEBINAA.

WENDY- Wanda L The cat must've snuck in quickly. AAWEY BOOZHENS, MAAGIZHA GIIGIMOOJI BIINDIGEY'IDOOG.

JOHN- Frankie

Okay, here we go. HAAW SA MAAJAADAA, TANYA.

WENDY- Wanda L Okay. See you later, JOHN. Try not to choke on your food. c! (LAUGHS)

JOHN- Frankie

Holy crow.

Hahaha. (EQUIVALENT OF 'HOLY CROW' 6-2. NARRATOR: Dennis SAM and WILSON are arriving at ERNIE's room.

SAM ZHIGO WILSON DAGOSHINOOG GAA-IZHI-BIMISHING ERNIE.

ERNIE- Roger Ah, the young doctors are arriving. You guys look very Intelligent. Are you's very intelligent? AAH, DAGOSHINOOG MASHKIKIIWININIINSAG. NIMINWENDAAN EBIINDIGEYEG. AAPIJI GI-NIBWAAKAAWINAAGOZIM. GINIBWAAKAAM NA?

SAM- Aandeg We're trying to pretend to be smart. NIN-DAANA-GAGWE-NIBWAAKAAKAAZOMIN.

ERNIE- Roger People are saying that I started the fires. But no! I'm getting tired of hearing them say that. NIIN NIN-GII-ZAKA'IGE NDIGOO. GAAWIIN DASH.

BABY- Brian C It's not you that started the fires. GAAWIIN GIIN GAA-GII-ZAKA'IGEYIN.

ERNIE- Roger You sound different! What happened to your voice. BAKAAN BANGII GIDINITAAGOZ. AAN GAA-IZHISEYIN?

## **BABY-Brian C**

I was sick for a short while here. I don't know what I had. When I woke up, when I got better, my voice was different. N-GII-AAKOZ AJINA OMAA. GAAWIIN NGIKENDAZIIN AANIIN GAA-INAAPINEYAAN. GII-GOSHKOZIYAAN, GII-MAAJII-MINO-AYAA'AAN, BAKAAN N-GII-INITAAGOZ.

SAM-Aandeg

That's odd. MAAMAKAACH.

#### WILSON- Westin

Do you see Amanda walking over there, Sam! Oooh she looks hot. GI-GII-WAABAMAA NA GAA-MADE-BIMOSED AMANDA, SAM? OOWAH! OZAAMI-DAGAKINAAGOZI.

## ERNIE- Roger

It's you guys that are doing this! It's your thoughts and feelings that are igniting things. You guys are lusting after that young nurse. Especially you, Wilson!

GIINAWAA GOSHA GAA-ZAKA'IGEYEG! GIDINENDAMOWINI-WAA GAA-ZAKA'IGEMAGAK. OZAAM GI-GICHI-MISAWENIMAA-WAA AWE MASHKIKIIWIKWENS. MEMINDAGE GIIN, WILSON! HAHAHA

## BABY- Brian C

You're right, Ernie! The mind is very powerful. Especially when it's lustful thoughts.

GIDEBWE GANABACH, ERNIE. AAPIJI MASHKAWENDAAGWAN INENDAMOWIN. MEMINDAGE BISHIGWAADENDAMOWIN.

**ERNIE-**Roger

You're a baby. What would you know about lustful thoughts?

GIDABINOOJIIYENSIW GIIN. AANIIN GIIN GE-ONJI-GIKENDAMAMBAND BISHIGWAADENDAMOWIN?

## BABY- Brian C

I know about a lot of things. I listen a lot. I have deep deep ears. NIIBIWA GEGOO GOSHA NINGIKENDAAN. NIN-GII-BIZINDAAGE JIBWAA-NITAAWIGIYAAN. AAPIJI GAYE NIN-GICHI-WIIMBITAWAGE.

## **ERNIE-**Roger

(LAUGHS) You're funny. GIWAWIIYADENDAAGOZ.

## WILSON- Westin

Very much so. AAPIJI IGO.

ERNIE- Roger They think I lit those fires. But I didn't. Someone is trying to frame me.

NIIN NDANAAMENIMIGOO JI-GII-ZAKA'IGEYAAN.

SAM- Aandeg Do you know anyone here that might try to do that to you? AWENEN OMAA EYAAD GE-ANAAMENIMIKIBAN?

## ERNIE- Roger

No. I don't know anyone here except you. And you wouldn't do that. GAAWIIN AWIYA BAKAAN NGIKENIMAASII OMAA. GIINAWAA ETA. GAAWIIN DASH GIINAWAA GI-DAA-IZHICHIGESIIM.

## WILSON- Westin

Whenever I see you, you're always out of breath. How could you be about starting fires? APANE GII-WAABAMINAAN BIZHISHIG GIWEK-WAANAAM.

AANIIN GE-ONJI-GASHKITOO'AMBAN JI-BABAA-ZAKA'IGEYIN?

SAM- Aandeg

It's mysterious. MAAMAKAACH.

OMINOUS MUSIC.

NARRATOR: Dennis AMANDA walks in. AMANDA BI-BIINDIGE.

#### AMANDA- Virginia

What's mysterious? WEGONEN GAA-MAAMAKAADENDAMEG? NIIN INA? (LAUGHS)

WILSON- Westin

The police think ERNIE set the fires but he was in his asthma attack at the time. ZHIMAAGANISHAG ODANAAMENIMAAWAAN ERNIE-WAN JI-GII-ZAKA'IGENID. GAAWIIN DASH AAPIJI OGASHKITOOSIIN JI-NITAA-BAGIDANAAMOD.

AMANDA- Virginia So who did? I'll see you guys later. AWENEN DASH GAA-GII-IZHICHIGED? BAAMAA GI-GA-WAABAMININIM.

## NARRATOR: Dennis

They just look at each other. ERNIE just looks at the ceiling. At the other side of the hospital room, EVE and ANNA are still talking. ANNA is happy about winning. CAMERON happens to hear her talking about it. He comes in.

MICHI-GANAWAABANDIWAG. ERNIE ISHPIMING INAABI. GWENAWI-IKIDO. IMAA DASH WIIN MINWENDAM ANNA E-GII-BAKINAAGED ZHOONIYAAN. CAMERON BI-BIINDIGE. HAPPY BACKGROUND MUSIC:

## ANNA- Barb

Maybe I'll buy a big boat. MAAGIZHAA GICHI-JIIMAAN NGA-ADAAWE.

CAMERON- Chris K Take me for a ride when you get your boat. BOOZI'ISHIIKAN MANIJIIMAANEYIN.

## ANNA- Barb

Of course. MENANGE.

CAMERON- Chris K Are you going to go on a trip somewhere? NGOJI NA GI-GA-IZHAA WAASA?

#### ANNA-Barb

I don't know yet. I'm going to keep little James here. He's too little to take on a trip somewhere. He just got born! GAAWIIN GANABACH. NGA-AYAAMIN OMAA. OZAAM AGAASHIIWI NGOJI WAASA JI-IZHAAD.

BABY- Brian C Let's go to Las Vegas. I want to win money too. LAS VEGAS IZHAADAA. NI-WII-BAKINAAGE GENIIN.

ANNA (LAUGHS)- Barb We're not going anywhere, my little one. GAAWIIN NGOJI GI-GA-IZHAASIIMIN.

BABY (CRIES) [USE GARNET'S CRYING]

WAAA'AA.

ERNIE-Roger He's pretending to cry! (LAUGHS) MAWIKAAZO!

ANNA-Barb

That's true. GEGET.

#### ERNIE- Roger

I remember when I was a kid. I found a nest and there were baby birds in there. And when they opened their mouths, thinking they were going to get fed, I stuck my finger in their beaks. One of them died because he couldn't breathe. I wonder if that has to do with my asthma. I feel like there's something blocking me and I can't breathe.

GEGOO NIMAAMIKAW. GII-GWIIWIZENSIWIYAAN NIN-GII-MIKAANAABAN WAZASON. GII-AYAAWAG BINESHIIYENSAG IMAA. GII-DAAWANIWAAD DASH NIN-GII-BOOJIGWANEWE-NAAG. BEZHIG GII-NIBO. GANAGE NIN-GII-ONJINE IWE GII-DOODAMAAN? DAABISHKOO KO GEGOO NIN-GIBISHKAAGON NINGWANDASHKWAANG NDINAMANJIW GII-OSOSODAMAAN.

### WILSON- Westin

Did your mom ever tell you not to do that to baby birds? GI-GII-ONJI'IG NA GIMAAMAA GAAWIIN IWE JI-DOODAWADWAA BINESHIIIYENSAG?

## ERNIE-Roger

Yeah, I was told not to do that. I think I did this to myself. Now that I am remembering it and talking about it, maybe It will stop.

MENANGE. GAAWIIN DASH NIN-GII-BIZINDAZII. NIIN GANABACH NIN-GII-ONJINE'IDIZ. MAAGIZHAA DA-BOONISE E-MIKWENDAMAAN EDAZHINDAMAAN.

#### SAM-Aandeg

I heard my Gookom say that too. N-GII-NOONDAWAA NOOKOM GEWIIN IWE E-IKIDOD.

(OMINOUS MUSIC)

## NARRATOR: Dennis

AMANDA walks in. She looks worried. BI-BIINDIGE AMANDA. OJAANENDAMINAAGOZI.

#### AMANDA- Virginia

Did you hear? Mark has been admitted. He has Covid. He has a very high fever. He's been feeling sick for a while. And WENDY has to stay at home by herself. GI-GII-NOONDAAM NA? MARK GII-BIINDIGANAA OMAA AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG. GOOBID IINZAN ODAYAAN. GICHI-GIZHIZO. GICHI-AAKOZI GAYE. GAAWIIN AWIYA JI-WAABAMAAD. WENDY DASH GII-GIIWE. JI-NISHIKEWABID.

WILSON-Westin He has been looking sick, that's what I thought. GII-AAKOZIWINAAGOZI, MII IWE GAA-INENDAMAAN.

SAM- Aandeg

You're right. GIDEBWE. GII-AAKOZIWINAAGOZI.

**ERNIE-**Roger

Oh my oh my. YOOHOO. MAANZHISE!

6-4. NARRATOR: Dennis

Everyone is upset and scared. CAMERON has come in too. GAKINA AWIYA GOSHKWENDAM. CAMERON GII-BI-BIINDIGE. ZEGIZIWAG GAYE. GAAWIIN GEGOO AWIYA IKIDOSII. NDAWAA ZAAGA'AM ANNA.

AMANDA- Virginia

What are we going to do? He was your doctor, Ernie. You'll get another doctor. AANIIN GE-IZHICHIGEYING. GIIN GI-GII-NAAGAJI'IG,

ERNIE. GI-GA-AYAAWAA BAKAAN MASHKIKIIWININI.

## CAMERON- Chris K

No one was sick with that for a long time. Now that Covid is back.

GAAWIIN AWIYA GII-AAKOZISII GINWESH. AAZHA DASH MIINAWAA BI-AYAAMAGAN IWE GOOBID AAKOZIWIN.

#### ANNA- Barb

I'll call you later, EVE. Bye, baby boy! NAAGACH GI-GA-GANOONIN, EVE. BAAMAA GI-GA-WAABAMIN BEBIIYENS!

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