

# AAKOZIIWIGAMIG

## EPISODE 7

### CAST

ERNIE	Roger Roulette	WENDY	Wanda Levasseur
JOHN	Frankie Beaulieu	CAMERON	Chris King
SAM	Aandeg Muldrew	AMANDA	Virginia Pateman
CAROL	Wanda Barker	BABY	Brian Cochrane
ANNA	Barb Nepinak	WILSON	Weston Sutherland
EVE	Anna Parenteau	WAITRESS	Dawnis Kennedy
ROB	Corey Whitford		

### RECAP 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 GOOVID. ZHEMAAK ODASAAWAAN NIBEWINING IMAA AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG. AAPIJI OJAANIMENDAM WENDY. GIIWE NDAWAA. GAKINA GO OJENIMENDAMOOG.

## SUMMARY OF EPISODE 7

MARK is in ICU and rather quickly succumbs to Covid. WENDY is unable to attend to him or his funeral. Everyone at the hospital is in shock over the news even though they knew he was sick. The BABY and ERNIE are continuing to talk to each other. ERNIE has recovered from his asthma due to remembering his childhood experience. He is not being released because he has been taking extra sleeping pills that ROB has been sneaking in for him. He fell at night and had a concussion. So he's being kept in the hospital. The BABY is happy about that. EVE is discharged and has had a no contact order on ROB. The BABY is still in the hospital until the paperwork is finished and ANNA can take him. ROB is back to going to the Mookobii, visiting the WAITRESS who is still giving him the cold shoulder. He talks her into applying for a job at the hospital as a Desk Clerk. She agrees to send in her application. He is applying for a SECURITY MAN job too.

NARRATOR: Dennis

7-1. MARK is now very sick. He is in the ICU where the very ill people are looked after. He is on oxygen.

AAPIJI GICHI-AAKOZI MARK. GII-BIINDIGANAA EZHI-BEZHIGOOSHING, GAA-ASINDWAA GAA-NIINAMIZIWAAD. GII-ZAKAABIIGISHIN JI-GASHKITOOD JI-BAGIDANAAMOD.

BACKGROUND SOUNDS: ICU MACHINES, BEEPING OF HEART. PEOPLE BUSTLING ABOUT. BACKGROUND VOICES.

CAMERON - Chris

Just one person is allowed to go in there to check his oxygen.  
Just you, CAROL. Be careful.

BEZHIG ETA BAGIDINAA JI-BIINDIGED IMAA JI-WAABAMAAD  
MARK-AN. GIIN ETA, CAROL. AYAANGWAAMIZIN.

CAROL- Wanda B

I'll be careful. Help me tie this gown at the back.

N-GA-AYAANGWAAMIZ. DAGA DAKOBIDAMAWISHIN OWE.

SOUNDS OF MACHINES AS CAROL ENTERS THE ROOM. BEEPING SOUNDS.

CAROL- Wanda B

Hello, MARK. It's me, CAROL. Maybe you can hear me. I'm checking to see how you're feeling, that you're breathing okay. WENDY has been sent home to self-isolate herself. Be strong, MARK. Don't be afraid. We love you. I'll be back later.

BOOZHOO, MARK. NIIN CAROL. MAAGIZHAA GINOONDAW. NI-NAANDO-GIKENDAAN AANIIN ENAMANJI'OYIN, WEWENI JI-BAGIDANAAMOYIN. WENDY GII-GIIWENIZHAWAA, JI-NISHIKEWABID ENDAAYEG. MASHKAWENDAN, MARK. GEGO ZEGIZIKEN. GIZHAWENIMIGOO. NAAGACH MIINAWAA NIN-GA-BIIZHAA.

NARRATOR- Dennis

This disease is very unpredictable. Sometimes a person can get over it in two weeks, not feeling that uncomfortable. Other times, it can overtake a person very quickly and kill. This is what happened to Mark.

AAPIJI ZANAGAN OWE AAKOZIWIN GOOBID GAA-IZHINIKADEG. AANIND AWIYAG MAAGIZHAA MIDAASOGON ETA AAKOZIWAG. MII EZHI-MINO-AYAAWAAD. AANIND IDASH GICHI-AAKOZIWAG, WIIBA ONISIGONAAWAA. MII GAA-IZHISED MARK. ZHEMAAK GII-GICHI-AAKOZI. OGII-NISIGON GOOBID.

BEEPING SOUND COMES TO A STOP. SILENCE.

NARRATOR: Dennis

And so MARK passed away, he who had saved so many lives in this hospital.

MII SA APANE MARK GII-ISHKWAA-BIMAADIZID. WIIN NIIBIWA GAA-GII-BIMAAJI'AAD GAA-AAKOZINID IMAA AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG.

7.2. NARRATOR: Dennis

WENDY is sitting in a small office with CAROL. She is crying inconsolably knowing that her husband MARK has left this world. CAROL speaks to her.

WENDY NAMADABI OZHIBII'IGEWIGAMIGOONSING. CAROL OWIIDABIMAAN. GICHI-MAWI WENDY, GIKENDANG GII-NAGADAKIINID OWIIDIGEMAAGANAN. CAROL OGANOONAAN WENDYAN.

CAROL - Wanda B

I'm so sorry this is happening, Wendy. It's so terrible. But for the safety of our patients and our fellow staff here, you will have to

go home immediately and isolate yourself for 2 weeks. Don't see anyone at your home. Tell us if you feel sick. You know. We will look after things here, make sure MARK will be taken care of.

AAPIJI NIMINJINAWEZ GAA-IZHISEG, WENDY. AAPIJI GICHI-IZHISE. NDAWAA DASH GIIN ZHEMAAK GI-GA-GIWE OZAAM GIDAYAANAADOG GEGIIN IWE AAKOZIWIN. GEGO AWIYA WAABAMAANKEN ENDAAYIN. WIINDAMAWISHINAAM GIISHPIN AAKOZIIMANJI'OYIN. GIGIKENDAAN IWE. NIN-GA-NANA'ITOOMIN GAKINA GEGOON OMAA, MARK JI-NA'ININD WEWENI.

WENDY- Wanda L

I never thought he'd get sick. He was always so healthy.

GAAWIIN DA-AAKOZISII NGII-INENIMAA. APANE GO GII-MINO-AYAA.

7-3. NARRATOR: Dennis

All the staff that work at that hospital are overcome with emotion, sad. And they are also very afraid. AMANDA, WILSON and SAM are sitting outside on benches. Their heads are down, not looking at each other, and they are sitting far apart.

GAKINA GICHI-MAANENDAMOOG IMAA AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG GAA-ANOKIIWAAD. GAYE ZEGIZIWAG. AGWAJIING NAMADABIWAG AMANDA, WILSON GAYE SAM. AJIDAWIKWEBIWAG. WAAWAASA GO NAMADABIWAG.

AMANDA- Virginia

And so what are we going to do? We are all going to have to be checked in case we have Covid.

GIINAWIND DASH AANIIN GE-IZHISEYING? MII GAKINA JI-NANAANDO-GIKENIMIGOOYING MAAGIZHAA AWIYA GOOBID AYAAGWEN.

WILSON- Westin

Even though we've been wearing our masks all the time.

AANAWI GAKINA GIDAYAAMIN AANGWIINGWEPIZONAN.

SAM- Aandeg

Even though. I always saw MARK wearing his mask. And he still got sick.

AANAWI. GEWIIN MARK BIZHISHIG NIN-GII-WAABAMAA E-GIGIGISHKANG AAGWIINGWEPIZON. GIYYAABI DASH GII-AAKOZI.

AMANDA- Virginia

This sickness is pretty scary.

AAPIJI ZEGENDAAGWAN IWE AAKOZIWIN.

SAM- Aandeg

No one had it for the longest time. And then suddenly one doctor is dead from it.

GINWESH GAAWIIN AWIYA GII-AAKOZISII. NOONGOM DASH EZHI-WANI'ANG BEZHIG MASHKIKIWININI.

AMANDA – Virginia

Are your relatives okay?

MINO-AYAAWAG NA GIINAWAA GIDINAWEMAAGANIWAAG?

WILSON- Westin

Pretty much so.  
ENIWEG IGO.

SAM – Aandeg

Me too. How about you?

GENIIN. GIIN DASH WIIN?

AMANDA – Virginia

Just my dad has heart disease.

NDEDE ETA ODE'ING AAKOZI.

7-4. NARRATOR: Dennis

Inside the staff lounge, CAROL, CAMERON AND JOHN are sitting, far apart. They are looking very distressed too.

BIINDIG GAA-IZHI-ANWEBIWAAD MASHKIKIWININIWAG MASHKIKIWIWIKWEWAG NAMADABIWAG CAROL, CAMERON GAYE JOHN.

CAROL – Wanda B

This morning a bird flew into open door at my house.

ZHEBAA AJINA GII-BIINDIGESE BINESHII ENDAAYAAN.

CAMERON- Chris  
That's no good when that happens.

GAAWIIN ONIZHISHINZINOON IWE GII-IZHISEG.

JOHN- Frankie  
Were you related to MARK?

GI-GII-INAWEMAA NA MARK?

CAROL – Wanda B  
Yeah, our mothers were sisters.

EYA. NIMAAMAANAANIG GII-WIIJKWE'INDIWAG.

JOHN - Frankie  
That's why that bird flew in your house, to tell you something  
would happen to your relative.

MII GAA-GII-ONJI-BIINDIGESD BINESHII. GII-DIBAAJIMO  
GEGOON JI-IZHISED GIDINAWEMAAGAN.

CAMERON - Chris  
That's what we believe in too where I come from.

MII KO GENIINAWIND, EHZHA DEBWE'ENDMAANG GAA  
ONJIIYAAN.

7-5. NARRATOR: Dennis

In EVE's room the BABY and ERNIE are in there too. ANNA is there too and no one is saying too much.

EVE GAA-IZHI-NIBAAD, GEWIINAWAA IMAA AYAAGWAG ABINOOJIIYENS GAYE  
ERNIE. ANNA GAYE IMAA AYAA. GEWIINAWAA GAAWIIN AAPIJI GICHI-  
GAAGIIGIDOSIIWAG.

EVE - Anna  
What happened that you're still here, ERNIE?

AANIISH GAA-IZHISEYIN GIIYAABI OMAA WENJI-AYAAYIN, ERNIE?

ERNIE - Roger  
You mean, why am I still alive?

AANIIN NA GIIYAABI WENJI-BIMAADIZIYAAN?

EVE (LAUGHING) - Anna

No! I thought you were getting well.

GAAWIIN! AAZHA MINO-AYAA GI-GII-INENIMIN.

ERNIE - Roger

I was getting well. But I was given some medication to make me sleep at night. And when I went to the bathroom at night, I walked into the door and fell. I almost bust my head open when I fell.

NI-MINO-AYAANAABAN. NIN-GII-MIINIGOO DASH  
MASHKIKI JI-NIBESHKAAGOWAAN DIBIKAG.  
EDIBIKAG DASH NIN-GII-NOONDE-ZAAGA'AM. NIN-GII-  
BITAAKOSHKAAN ISHKWAANDEM. NIN-GII-BANGISHIN.  
GEGAA NIN-GII-BAASISHTIGWAANESHIN GII-BANGISHINAAN.

BABY – Brian C

Boy, you sure have some awful things happen too. Or were you beating yourself up in your sleep, in a nightmare?

Wiinge gegiin gigiibi-gichi-maazhise. Gemaa gi-gii-miigaanidiz giinibaayin,  
giwashkwengoshiyin.

ERNIE - Roger

Maybe. Those sleeping pills ended up doing me wrong. How about you?

MAAGIZHAA. AANJIGO NIN-GII-MAANISHKAAGON  
NIBE-MASHKIKI. GIIN DASH WIIN?

EVE - Anna

I'm just about ready to go.

AAZHA GEGAA NIN-GA-MAAJAA.

ANNA – Barb

And I will take JAMES with me. SWEET BABY JAMES.

NIIN DASH NIN-GA-MAAJIINAA JAMES. SWEET BABY JAMES.

BABY – Brian C

I don't want to leave ERNIE behind. Let's take him with us.

Gaawiin ni-wii-naganaasii Ernie. Maajinaadaa.

ANNA - Barb

Ask him.

GAGWEJIM.

BABY – Brian C

Would you come with us? My aunt is rich. You can marry her.

Gi-daa-wijjiwinaam na? Gichi ozhooniyaami ndoozis. Gi-daa-wiidigemaa.

ERNIE, ANNA (LAUGHING) Roger/Barb  
Oh my goodness. You talk nonsense, JAMES.

AANIIN NAA. NOOJIGO GIDIKID, JAMES.

BABY – Brian C  
Would you come with us?

Gi-daa-wijjiwinaam na?

ERNIE- Roger  
Well, I like talking to you.

NIMINWENDAAN AKO GII-GAAGIIGIDOYING.

ANNA- Barb  
You certainly can come with us if you wish.

BIZANIGO WIIJIIWISHINAAM INENDAMAN.

ERNIE - Roger  
Okay. I am just living by myself. He's so easy, hahahaha.

HAAM SA. NI-MICHI-BEZHIGOOOWAB ENDAAYAAN.  
EPIICHI NAA WENDIZID. HAHAAAA

NARRATOR: Dennis  
SAM and WILSON come walking in.

BIINDIGEWAG SAM GAYE WILSON.

WILSON - Westin  
Who's being so easy?

AWENESH AWE GAA-WENDIZID?

NARRATOR: Dennis  
They all laugh.  
GAKINA BAAPIWAG.

ANNA - Barb  
These guys are saying funny stuff as usual.

OGO NOOJIGO IKIDOWAG AAZHA.

SAM - Aandeg  
It's good to laugh. Too much grief.



ONIZHISHIN JI-BAAPING. OZAAM NIIBIWA MAANENDAMOWIN.

7-6. NARRATOR: Dennis

Later on, maybe 8 days, Wendy is sitting inside her house. She doesn't cry every day now but she talks to MARK as if he were there. They had talked about what they were going to do in the summer. They would fix their house and plant a larger garden. They were going to go camping.

NAAGACH, MAAGIZHAA NISHWAASO-DIBIK, WENDY NAMADABI BIINDIG ENDAAD. GAAWIIN NOONGOM ENDASO-GIIZHIG MAWISII. OMICHI-GAGANOONAAN MARKAN DAABISHKOO IMAA E-AYAANID GIIYAABI. O-GII-NITAA-DAZHINDAANAAWAA WAA-IZHICHIGEWAAPAN APII NIIBININIG, E-WII-WAZEZHITOOWAAPAN OWAAKAA'IGANIWAA, E-WII-GITIGEWAAPAN. GAYE E-WII-IZHAAWAAPAN BAGWADAKAMIG.

WENDY - Wanda L.

It will be good to do some planting. Lots of flowers.  
.... Mark, everyday I remember you.

DA-ONIZHISHIN NIIBING JI-GITIGEYAAN. NIIBIWA WAABIGWANIIN.  
.... MARK, ENDASO-GIIZHIG GIMIKWENIMIN.

Percy's song (the talking part).

WENDY – Wanda L

MIINAWAA NGODING GI-GA-WAABAMIN, MARK.

7-7. NARRATOR: Dennis

Back in the hospital, CAROL comes in to tell EVE that she would be leaving immediately EVE has all her things with her and ready to go. ANNA would look after the BABY. The paperwork was done. The BABY seems to be taking this all in stride. He knows what's happening around him.

AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG DASH BI-BIINDIGE CAROL, JI-WIINDAMAWAAD EVE-AN JI-MAAJAANID. ONIIJAANISAN DASH AANA O-DA-GANAWENIMAAN. ANI-ZAAGA'AM EVE, ODAYA'IIMAN ODAKONAANAN. GAAWIIN GEGOON INENDAZII ABINOOJIIYENS. OGIKENDAAN AANIISH ENAKAMIGANINIG.

ANNA - Barb

I'll go home for a short while, JAMES. I will come to pick you up in the morning. Don't go anywhere! Kidding.

AJINA NIN-GA-GIWE. WAABANG GI-GA-BINAANSIKAWIN, JAMES.  
GEGO NGOJI IZHAAKEN. ANISHAA GIDININ.

NARRATOR: ROB comes walking in just then after EVE has gone. He looks around. ROB ONJI-BIINDIGE. AAZHA GII-ONJI-MAAJAA EVE. AYINAABI.

ROB - Corey

Where's my wife? She's not here. What are you doing here, ANNA?  
You're holding my child.

AANDI NIWIIW? GAAWIIN OMAA AYAASII. AAN EZHICHIGEYIN  
GIIN OMAA, ANNA? GIDAKONAA NINIIJAANIS.

ANNA - Barb

EVE left. You won't see her again because you used to beat her up.  
I have custody of JAMES.

GII-MAAJAA EVE. GAAWIIN MIINAWAA GI-GA-WAABAMAASII  
OZAAM AKO GII-MIIGAANAD. NIIN NIN-GA-GANAWENIMAA JAMES.

ROB - Corey

I did receive papers yesterday. I didn't pay attention to them.  
I wouldn't hit EVE.

NIN-GII-ODISIGON OZHIBI'IGAN BIJIINAAGO. GAAWIIN DASH  
NIN-GII-DEBWETANZIIN. GAAWIIN NIN-DAA-BAKITEWAASII EVE.

BABY – Brian C

I used to hear you beating up my mother.

Gi-gii-noondawin gosha gii-miigaanad nimaamaa.

NARRATOR: Dennis

ROB just sits there, looking angrily at ERNIE sitting there.

NDAWAA MICHI-NAMADABI ROB. ONISHKAABAMAAN ERNIE-WAN ENAMADABINID  
IMAA.

ROB - Corey

Quit staring! This is none of your business. Maybe it's you who did this.

GINIBAAZAAB! GAAWIIN GIIN OWE GIBABAAMIZIWIN. GEMAA GIIN  
OWE GAA-IZHICHIGEYIN ERNIE.

ANNA - Barb

Leave ERNIE alone. It's not him. Okay ERNIE I'll see you tomorrow. I'm  
Going to take JAMES where they keep the babies. Don't do anything  
Rash, ROB. Try to do things right from now on.

ANISHAA GIBABAAMIMAA ERNIE. HAAW SA ERNIE, WAABANG  
GIGA-WAABAMIN. NI-NANDO-ASAA JAMES WEDI GAA-IZHI-NIBAAD.  
GEGOO GEGOON MAANAKAMIGIZIKEN, ROB. GAGWE-  
MINOCHIGEN.

NARRATOR: Dennis

So ROB walked out of the room He was angry.

APANE ROB ZAAGIDA'ADOO. NISHKAADIZI

7-8. NARRATOR: Dennis

ROB headed to the bar right away. He ordered a beer right way.

APANE MINIKWEWIGAMIGONG IZHAA. ZHEMAAK ONANDODAN BIITEWAABO.

WAITRESS - Dawnis

What's happening, ROB?

AANIIN ROB?

ROB - Corey

Lots of bad things happening at the hospital. One doctor died yesterday. And I lost custody of my son. And my wife left. Tomorrow ANNA will take my son away to look after him.

GICHI-MAANAKAMIGAN WEDI AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG. GII-ISHKWAA-BIMAADIZI MARK, MASHKIKIWININI. GAYE NIWANI'AA NINIIJAANIS. GAYE NDIKWEM. GII-MAAJAA EVE. WAABANG DASH ANNA O-DA-ODAAPINAAN NGOZISAN.

WAITRESS - Dawnis

Don't be sad. And don't get drunk. That's the cause of your troubles, drunkenness.

GEGO MAANENDANGEN. GEGO GAYE GIWASHKWEBIIKEN. MII GAA-ONJI-MAANZHISEYIN ( MAJISEYIN) GIIN. MINIKWEWIN

ROB - Corey

Maybe you're right. A little.

GIDEBWE MAAWIIN. BANGII.

NARRATOR: Dennis

GINWESH IMAA NAMADABI ROB. GAAWIIN DASH AAPIJI GICHI-MINIKWESII. BANGII ETA. GEGAPII OGANOONAAN INI IKWEWAN.

ROB - Corey

This is what I'm going to do. I will apply for a job at the hospital. The Security Man is going away for awhile. I'll take over for him And then maybe they'll keep me after.

MII OWE GE-IZHICHIGEYAAN. NIN-GA-GAGWE-MIKAAN ANOKIWIN AAKOZIIWIGAMIGONG. AJINA DA-MAAJAA JOHN, GAA-NAAGAJICHIGED IMAA. MAAGIZHAA BIGIIWED N-GA-MIINIGOO ANOKIWIN NAWACH GINWESH.

WAITRESS- Dawnis

That would be nice. Yes, do that.

DAA-ONIZHISHIN IWE IZHICHIGEYIN.

ROB - Corey

That's what I'll do.

MII GE-IZHICHIGEYAAN.

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