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ADOPTION LETTER.

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REF.NO. RF1 - GENUINE LETTER FROM PAULA TO EDDIE IN OCTOBER LAST YEAR
AFTER FINDING OUT ABOUT HIS AFFAIR.

Dear Ed,

Yet again, I find it easier talking to you through pen & paper. I know things haven't been good lately and I don't know if it would ever get better. Today is the 2nd important day of my life, and its strange I don't know how I feel. I feel happy yhet so sad. I know you need time to make your mind up but Ed that feeling of insecurity is always going to be with me. My legs and body were like jelly on Tuesday night when you told me there was someone else, even if we were to get back, I will always have that at the back of my mind, going to work, wondering why you were late (if you were) wondering if there is anyone else you'd fancy enough to leave me, knowing at the moment you have feelings for someone else. You were the first man who (out of all the others) before Tuesday had never looked at another woman never wanted another woman, how wrong I was, you probably were no different. At first I thought maybe it was a friendship feeling/relationship. But today you confirmed she loved you, how would you feel if I told you some bloke loved me. Questions keep flying through and round my head. How did it go this far? How have you told each other your feelings? Have you kissed/touched?. Where have you got together to talk? I know I'm torturing myself but I can't help it.

Unfortunately the baby has come when I am at my lowest ever in my life. I really don't know what to do, I don't know whether to bring it up myself or pack my job in, move away and give someone the chance to adopt. I know from today I have got to pick myself up before I lose the little nipper altogether. Whatever I do in 8 months time I will let you know what it was, son or daughter.

I still love you more than ever, that hurts its funny you said this woman thing has been going on for 5 months. I also felt I lost you 4 months ago when the house started to get us down. I don't think you Mum & Dad like me anymore. I know Dad says things to Dave' about me. I know you still love me, but obviously not enough to have feelings elsewhere. I know you were right ringing tonight but I thought it would be best to tell you how I feel, I'm sorry I can't really wait, but I'm sure you'll appreciate why, stress and upset is no good for me and the little one at this moment, I knowthe first 3 months are important.

I hope I hear from you soon if not Take Care, look after yourself, don't worry about me, I'll make sure I take it easy. I'll be in touch when I know when its due.

Love Paula & xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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P.S. I am very very sorry. (1) for making you unhappy, (2) for wasting another episode in your life (3) Being Pregnant. PPS. I keep getting that slip out I just can't believe it. PPPS. I haven't wrote this to hold you to ransom (I swear that on my life).