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Season One

Ictus

Season 1

Episode Number: 1

Season Episode: 1

Originally aired: Friday July 29, 2022
Writer: Veronica West
Director: Sam Miller
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Victoria Morgan (Alexandra), Theresa Wong (Miranda), Stefania Indelicato (Michelle), Chiara Zanni (Kate), Derek Kwan (Paramedic #1), Don Mike (Paramedic #2), Dimitri Vantis (Cab Driver), Patrick Sparling (Male Coast Guardsman), Sherilyn Allen (Danielle), Veenu Sandhu (Anika), Bo Martynowska (Medical Assistant), Cole Vigue (Li-Bo Bartender), Ingrid Libera (Maya), Mélanie Solano (Young Woman), Ahmad Sharmrou (Older Man), Andrew Bursiaga (Hotel Waiter / Pedestrian), Debra Norton-Miller (Pedestrian in Chinatown), Michael Vargas (Party Guest)
Summary: A woman's struggle to remember and understand everything that led up to the suicide moment and the quest to rebuild her life.



The episode starts with Sophie trying to piece her life together again after a horrific accident. She doesn't remember anything that happened and is suffering from panic attacks. Her therapist believes she should try neurofeedback, which is a new form of therapy.

Now, the story goes that Sophie jumped off a bridge and tried to kill herself. But if she has a perfect family and a good job... why would she do that?

Compounding these niggling issues further is the way Sophie's interpreting

things in her life. Everything just feels... off. She doesn't vibe with her friends, her clothes are alien to her and a strange guy at a bar happens to be watching her. This man eventually confronts her, claiming that her husband, James, isn't being wholly truthful and implores them to talk in private.

We later learn that this strange man is Officer Thomas Baden and he drops a matchstick box in her purse with an address. Ignoring that for now, Sophie heads back to work and checks out her file on the computer. There, she reads that she had no prior history of mental illness and was brought in with multiple fractures.

Sophie was also put in an induced coma to control the swelling. It's clearly a horrific ordeal and no wonder Sophie doesn't remember it. However, there's also another part of this file that hints toward possible domestic violence too.

When James leaves on a work trip, Sophie quizzes Caroline (her friend) over the cause of her broken arm. Apparently Sophie slipped and fell outside Chanel. But Sophie is not so sure. So what really happened?

Well, the clue may well lie with Officer Baden. He was assigned to her case and is the one who wrote the report about the domestic violence.

Sophie's neurofeedback sessions go ahead, where she sees slivers of memories from the incident. Her therapist warns that she can't trust her fractured memories, and according to her, Sophie could well have been hurt and unhappy a long time ago. At least, that's what her suicide note says anyway.

That night, Sophie attempts to log into her laptop. It's an Apple laptop by the way, if you hadn't guessed from the camera hovering over "Apple password ID" twice so far this episode.

Anyway, Sophie is the one who holds the secrets here, given she eventually logs in and notices a video of her and Baden together. Sophie was clearly having an affair on her husband.

Out for a run, Sophie ends up falling into mystery drama cliché territory. She finds a coast-guard who just so happens to be heading off the pier at the exact moment she runs up. Not only that, but she also has a photographic memory of Sophie and what happened to her. Apparently Sophie was saying back then that a man pushed her from a boat and that her name is Tess. What is going on?

Muscle Memory

Season 1
Episode Number: 2
Season Episode: 2

Originally aired: Friday July 29, 2022
Writer: Erica L. Anderson
Director: Sam Miller
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Christin Park (Victoria), Stefania Indelicato (Michelle), JP Padda (ICU Doctor), Rosalba Perez (Recovery Room Nurse), Umar Khan (EMT #1), Linnea Currie-Roberts (EMT #2), Jo-Ann Fernandes (Gloria), Micah Solis (Owner's Son), Sebastian Kroon (Trail Guide), Nyalinglat Latjor (Caroline's Assistant), Frank Scozzari (Haight Street Local)
Summary: Her suspicions of her husband growing, Sophie attempts to get away from James and learn the real truth about their marriage.



The episode starts with Sophie continuing her therapy, this time turning her attention to hypnotherapy. She's slipping back into old memories, trying to establish a baseline that she can work off to try and piece together the missing moments of her life. It's all fragments at this point but she does remember a dark figure standing, seemingly watching her fall off the boat. Was Sophie pushed?

Sophie's therapist, Hannah, believes this is just a manifestation of her subconscious and a way of trying to justify what

she did. Sophie doesn't see it that way. She's becoming ever-more suspicious of her partner James. Her partner who, I may add, she's been cheating on.

Anyway, Sophie decides to look into James' history and, specifically, his trip to Portland he went on several months back. Apparently there's no record of it on the work system, which only compounds Sophie's concerns. So naturally, she tries to access the accounts to look into this further. Only... she's locked out and can't get in.

During dinner, Sophie probes James about her being locked out from their bank cards. James admits that after the accident he had to file for conservatorship. It's a standard procedure for those suffering from memory loss and having attempted to commit suicide. James promises to try and figure something out though.

At therapy the next day, Hannah believes that she and James should get away and go on holiday. It could well be good for them, but instead of actually going with James, Sophie lies and decides she'll go with Caroline instead.

Caroline and Sophie show up at the summer vacation house, where we learn the latter actually used to show up on her own quite a lot to help her think.

The house also overlooks a stable which holds numerous horses. So while Caroline deals with a business call, Sophie heads off riding a horse. In doing so though, she happens to flash to memories including whoever this Tess is. It seems to hint that she was in an accident of some kind. Eventually though, Sophie does come back to the house and reflects on what she's been through.

Meanwhile, Baden continues to investigate on his own off the clock. He manages to get hold of a USB stick that apparently holds GPS coordinates and a litany of other details about "him". And this is clearly about James, right?

Well, it sure seems that way, and as we cut across to James we see him checking the CCTV footage for the summer house. James also has serious work issues as it seems there are discrepancies with the finances. He's called in to a big meeting in the morning to discuss this but he seems jittery and out of sorts.

Sophie continues to look into her husband, learning from Victoria at his work that this trip was allegedly in connection with the National Investment Partners forum. And guess where the summit was held? Portland. However, James doesn't seem to be in the pictures. So where was he during this time?

When Sophie heads off to question Caroline, she notices her on the stairwell on the phone to James, warning that Sophie is remembering things and they need to get their story straight. So she runs outside to Baden, who encourages her to join him so he can tell her everything he knows.

New Person, Same Old Mistakes

Season 1

Episode Number: 3

Season Episode: 3

Originally aired: Friday July 29, 2022
Writer: Tony Saltzman
Director: Kevin Rodney Sullivan
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Theresa Wong (Miranda), Nia Cummins (Mackenzie Isen), Trey Helten (Tattooed Guy), Ash Lee (Officer Roger), Arjun Malik (Shawn Pareksh), Josh Collins (Lennox House Bartender), Charlotte Kavanagh (Stacey), Paul Lazenby (Dangerous Guy), Cooper Bibaud (Drug Dealer #1), Daryl Ducharme (Drug Dealer #2), Keon Lyn (Drug Dealer #3), Markian Tarasiuk (Elliot)
Summary: Caroline's betrayal has Sophie doubting who—and what—to believe. Sophie looks to Baden for answers, and a motive is finally revealed.



The episode starts with Sophie questioning Baden about their affair. He deflects that though and brings up the evidence he's found thus far. According to Baden, James bought a plane ticket a day before the accident but the plane manifest doesn't see him on there. Furthermore, GPS records on his car hint that he was half a mile from the pier.

Sophie wants to arrest James for lying about his alibi, but without hard proof then there's not much they can go on. However, Baden believes it could be

linked to their affair. He and Sophie had been seeing each other for several months but Sophie got reckless toward the end and made it more obvious they were sleeping together. Could it be that James was aware of their affair and wanted to kill Sophie as revenge?

While they mull over their options, Baden brings up the burner phone she apparently has, as Sophie leaves and heads home, desperate to find it. And she eventually does, inside a yellow bag.

When she switches the phone back on, numerous messages from the pair flash up, with Sophie clearly into this affair and using every moment she could to have some alone time.

Anyway, James is no saint in this either, given he's checking up on Sophie constantly, trying to log in to her computer and even bringing her wine up in the bathroom while she's in the bath. James eventually leaves her to it after a rather uncomfortable chat, although he does briefly touch on the conversation he had with Caroline about her memories coming back.

In the morning, James heads off to work where he learns there's an internal investigation about to get underway. The investigator is MacKenzie Isen and she's looking for unaccounted money in the business. Given James' sketchy attitude toward this, it wouldn't surprise me if we learn he's the one responsible.

Meanwhile, Sophie heads off to the police station looking to speak to Baden. It turns out Baden was never assigned to her case, it was actually an officer called Linda Johnson. According to him, there's no one by that name working at the SFPD.

Baden eventually catches up to Sophie outside and points out that he's working undercover in narcotics. The guy on the desk was just keeping up pretences and protecting his identity.

Although Baden also lied about his job, Sophie goes all-in on trusting the man she was having an affair with.

According to Baden, Sophie hadn't been happy for a long time and it seems that's the reason for their affair. Sophie also tries to justify her actions, claiming her life is hollow.

Sophie heads home and finds Caroline waiting for her. She admits to missing out a part of the story from the past. Apparently Sophie and James were going through a rough time and Caroline ended up sleeping with James. Sophie's memory loss and accident felt like a "second chance" for everyone.

Sophie also apparently rang her that morning at the pier and left a voice message. This message doesn't really say very much other than that she was with James and he walked off.

That night, Sophie attends a work party with James but takes some time to go and message Baden, informing him that James was at the pier that night. As for James, he's super stressed about the finances. Baden just happens to show up at the bar, where he puts on a persona and pretends that he's working "with Cyprus". The thing is, James doesn't know who Baden is, meaning he had no idea about their affair after all.

After drinking himself into a stupor, Harrison catches up with James who's crying and a mess upstairs. He asks about the investigation, where James points out that he "found an opportunity" but unfortunately he's been screwed over. He tried to replace the money but now everything is going to come tumbling out in the messiest way possible.

Sophie also learns about the missing money through Baden and believes James may have tried to kill her because of this. Sophie is dead-set on her story that she didn't commit suicide. And then decides, while talking to Baden, to lean forward and kiss him, cheating on her husband again.

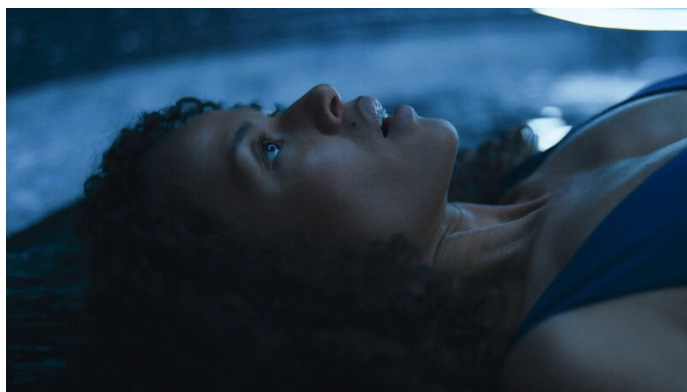
Psychogenic

Season 1

Episode Number: 4

Season Episode: 4

Originally aired: Friday August 05, 2022
Writer: Leigh Ann Biety, Glenise Mullins
Director: Kevin Rodney Sullivan
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Gregory S. Csiszar (Palace Bartender), Clare Filipow (Clinic Receptionist), Andres Joseph (Todd), Brittany Mitchell (Call Girl), Cameron Park (Salesperson), Christin Park (Victoria), Andrew Bursiaga (Hotel Waiter / Pedestrian), Jordan Dannish (Train Passenger / Server)
Summary: Sophie pushes the boundaries to speed up her memory in hope of bringing forward any deep dark secrets buried in her mind. Sophie is determined to find out the truth about 'that' night.



Sophie is clearly fed up with these gaping holes in her memory and decides to sidestep her most trusted confidants, independently tackling the dilemma once and for all. She researched a treatment clinic called Encounter that promises to help treat trauma and recover memory. She will need money to access this wellness business though and with James in charge of her finances, Sophie has to be smart to get ahead.

Meanwhile, Baden plans to incriminate James further and tells Sophie he

has someone inside. She worries that her husband won't get a real prison sentence, as it's just his word against his, but Baden reassures her that justice will be served. The couple then kiss, hiding from the public eye behind a stone pillar. Their relationship seems set to begin again, as her psychotic husband falls out of favor.

In therapy, Sophie's shrink, Hannah, worries about her patient's constant need to confront the past. Sophie wants answers and mentions the experimental clinic. She needs Hannah to approve the treatment, because James will never agree to this alternative clinic without her approval. Hannah refuses, calling her reckless and dangerous. She tells Sophie that to recover she has to work hard, there are no easy answers and no quick fixes.

Sophie ignores her therapist's advice and decides to sell her jewelry to raise funds. The wellness clinic costs five thousand dollars to join and Sophie pays cash. She then toured the facilities and asked about her current situation. She lies and says her memory loss was caused by a freak accident and not a suicide attempt. The guide mentions the use of hallucinogens to form new connections in the brain and Sophie literally dives into the process. In a shallow pool, she relives moments from her past, including her argument with an agitated James and the kissing of an unknown woman.

Baden strikes a drug deal with James' assistant, Todd, which he later uses to frame the man, presumably for juicy intel. Sophie formulates her own plan, hoping to get some first-hand answers from James. She books them into a hotel suite at their wedding venue and flirts with her problematic partner, toasting their anniversary. James is distracted during the evening, Todd

calling him to clarify the arrival of the investigators. James tells him to block them as much as possible. He needs more time. Caroline has agreed to transfer four million to him, but he is still short of five million.

In the hotel bathroom, Sophie pays an escort to kiss her, hoping to rekindle a dormant spark. She is unsure of her own sexuality after the memory of kissing a girl returns. Sophie is further confused by this kiss and asks James to show her the ballroom. He talks about his frustrations with memory loss and how he misses the old Sophie. She kisses him and they retire to the suite for more privacy. Sophie capitalizes on the vulnerable husband and brings up the subject of the investigation. James confesses and admits that the business is down eleven million dollars. Unbeknownst to the scammer, Sophie recorded the entire conversation, which she then takes to Baden.

As the fourth episode draws to a close, Sophie meets Hannah again. The shrink tells Sophie that she is concerned about her patient's erratic and impulsive behavior. Hannah spoke with James about this regression and contacted the wellness clinic. Hannah ordered the clinic never to treat Sophie again or it would risk being closed. Sophie is stunned by this betrayal. Hannah adds that Sophie's mother suffered from a psychotic disorder, which could be genetic. She worries that the hallucinogens are greatly affecting Sophie's mental state. Sophie leaves after telling Hannah not to trust her husband.

It Comes in Waves

Season 1

Episode Number: 5

Season Episode: 5

Originally aired: Friday August 12, 2022
Writer: Dan Lee West
Director: Sam Miller
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Markian Tarasiuk (Elliot), Andres Joseph (Todd), Christin Park (Victoria), Cole Vigue (Li-Bo Bartender), Seth Whittaker (Town Car Driver), Elinet Louicius (Party Bartender), Darren Adams (Li-Bo Bartender #2), Rose Marel (Brunette), Donny Lucas (Ferry Worker), Angela Ringstead (Smiling Female Guest), Harry Johal (James' Friend #1), Desirée Mon-suraté (James' Friend #2), Josh Jones (James' Friend #3), Serenity Grace Russell (Young Sophie), Shola Fagbamila (Sophie's Mother)
Summary: A risky choice lands Sophie in the throes of a hallucinogenic trip that makes her question what kind of person she really is—or was.



Sophie sits on the beach as she remembers the beach when she was a child with her mom. Baden joins her, and she tells him about her mom's illness.

Harrison tells James he got a loan to cover some of the stolen money. While the two go out for lunch, Todd sneaks into James's office to copy the files from his computer for Baden.

After Baden leaves Sophie at his place to retrieve the information from Todd, Sophie steals pills from his medicine cabinet.

After the files fail to yield anything Baden can use, Todd tells him that James also has a laptop.

Sophie and James prepare to attend Caroline's gala, and James tells her that she has been acting erratically before Sophie admits she knows about the affair. Sophie proceeds to take the pills she took from Baden before leaving.

Baden calls Sophie and asks her to disable the alarm at her home so he can get information off the laptop. Sophie is able to hijack James's phone long enough to do so, and Baden gets inside the house.

While at the gala, Sophie increasingly loses touch with reality as she imagines herself by a shimmering lake and sees herself within a painting. She eventually leaves and heads to the lounge she used to frequent. There she has a conversation with the woman she keeps getting flashes of before snapping out of her trip when the woman's face is covered in blood.

Sophie sees the woman again at a club with her face covered in blood and leaves to walk around the city.

James goes home looking for Sophie, and Baden narrowly avoids being caught. Baden gets into James's laptop and discovers that the day before Sophie's accident, James sent 3.1 million to a bank in Tess's name.

After leaving to search the streets for Sophie, James comes home and is confronted by Baden. The two then sit outside and wait for Sophie to come home.

Sophie finds herself at the pier near the ferry, where she seemingly jumps in. The following day she wakes and walks home, ignoring Baden and going into her home with James. She asks him if the embezzlement was him covering for Sophie, and he tells her it was.

The Myth of California

Season 1
Episode Number: 6
Season Episode: 6

Originally aired: Friday August 19, 2022
Writer: Leigh Ann Biety, Raven Jackson
Director: Sam Miller
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Christin Park (Victoria), Victoria Morgan (Alexandra), JP Padda (ICU Doctor), Al McFoster (Party Guest), Bill Pozzobon (Businessman), Roger Haskett (Rich Older Man), Serge Houde (Vince Hawkins), Andrew Francis (Greg Billimack), John Shaw (Neurologist), Parveen Dosanjh (Officer Linda Johnson), Iman Wamboi (Assistant), Anthony Themoleas (Venture Capitalist)
Summary: James is finally honest with Sophie about their marriage and their past. His betrayals run deep, but not as deep as her own.



James introduces to a potential client at a fancy bar and Sophie is the waitress who serves him the expensive wine. The investor leaves, but James strikes up a conversation with the chatty waitress instead. She talks about risk taking and the two walk over to him to get more intimate. James keeps his boss's house and tries to impress Sophie with the rich bachelor pad. Sophie sees through all her lies and gets to know the real person underneath.

Sophie reveals snippets of her past to James over the next few weeks. Mention-

ing life in London and other European cities. Her mother died when she was young and she never really knew her father. Sophie is an independent woman, who has learned to fend for herself. When the couple begin to become more of an object, Sophie is introduced to James's friends, Caroline and Harrison. She begins to spread lies about James, hoping to improve his status within the company. A wealthy investor buys his lies and James quickly rises through the ranks.

James lands a huge promotion, but Sophie can't help it. She continues to compliment her boyfriend, always putting on that fake facade. Harrison sees through her lies and unsuccessfully calls her a con artist. Sophie took the limelight and made James the hit, but when he asks her to stop with all the lies, she storms off. It was there that she met Baden that fateful night and began her lustful affair. In retaliation, James starts his own affair, cheating on Sophie with Caroline.

Sophie and James recognize their affairs and try to move forward with a fresh start. Sophie says it's over with Baden and James agrees to see Caroline much less often. Even if Sophie was still up to something. She casually mentions a possible new client that James can network with. James jumps at this potentially huge opportunity. However, something is wrong with the deal. The client never receives the \$11.2 million transaction. James was played.

Sophie continues the act, but James does his own detective and realizes that she tricked him all along. He follows her to the bank, where she hid the money and then confronts her on the day of her accident. Sophie admits to having planned a getaway, she still orchestrated a long scam. James is heartbroken, having truly loved her. He walks away and then finds his letter at

home. James is then informed that Sophie is in the hospital and has attempted suicide. He is told about his long-term memory loss and the doctor advises him to take it as a fresh start.

The episode ends with James telling Sophie, in the present, that he still loves her and wants things to work out. Sophie is in shock from the story and recognizes that she was a horrible person, there is no other way around it. But the mystery remains, was she pushed or did she jump?

It Was Always Going to End This Way

Season 1
Episode Number: 7
Season Episode: 7

Originally aired: Friday August 26, 2022
Writer: Martin Zimmerman
Director: Jennifer Morrison
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Andres Joseph (Todd), Monique Helbig (Police Inspector), Ellie Harvie (Executive), Sarah Hayward (Commuter), Gregory Tunner (Man on the Boat)
Summary: Sophie must end the investigation into her own crimes, and she realizes there's only one explanation left for what happened on the ferry.



The episode starts with Sophie back in therapy after her big breakthrough. She apologizes to Hannah and confronts her past, believing once and for all that she really did jump off the pier... but is that really the true story?

Sophie speaks to Baden in confidence after her session, bringing up the evidence he has against her and James. She wants him to hold off for a while, getting cold feet about this as there are "innocent people" about to get caught in the cross-fire. Baden agrees to give her 24 hours.

Back home, Sophie is compounded with more problems. James has been called into work by the Financial Crimes Unit. They've received a tip-off about the internal investigation and want to look closer into this. James tries to keep a calm head, but Sophie continues to tumble further down the rabbit hole, pointing out that Baden has access and knows about the fraud.

It turns out it was Todd who spoke to Baden and leaked all. Harrison and James confront him about it on the roof at work demanding to know everything he's told Baden.

Meanwhile, Sophie tries to withdraw \$3.1 million in an account under the name of Tess Caldwell. This happens to be Sophie's alias of course. She heads to the bank but has to answer a series of security questions. And naturally, it seems she gets the first question wrong. It doesn't look good and Sophie eventually gets cold feet when the clerk decides to go and speak to her supervisor.

Time is undoubtedly running out and Baden gathers together all his evidence and prepares to post it. Sophie deliberates over what to do and believes a solution could be for her to come clean and confess. That way, if Baden sees that it's her that's going to get hurt the most, he may hold off. James isn't so sure.

Sophie shows up to see Baden and admits she's the one who stole the funds. Baden questions why she's trusting James so much. Sophie refuses to let someone else take the fall for what she's done, admitting that she's getting her memories back now and doesn't want to live with the guilt.

Baden starts to question his own motives in the wake of all this and eventually decides they should run away together. He urges Sophie to come with him and leave everything behind. Before we hear a reply, Sophie leaves his place. However, there are bigger issues here.

An earlier call from Harrison confirms that Baden isn't the squeaky clean undercover cop we thought he was (shock horror, right?) Harrison actually hired him to look into Sophie. The only

reason nothing came of it is because he started following, stalking and eventually romancing her. James decides to "take care" of this, realizing he can't trust this dishonest man and forcing Baden into physical submission and not posting this evidence.

After shredding evidence of his stalking, Sophie confronts Baden about who he really is. Sophie demands Baden destroy the evidence otherwise she's going to tell the police about the blackmail and entrapment. "You can't do this!" Baden says but Sophie spits back, pointing out that it's not up to him anymore, she's playing damage control.

Back home, Sophie speaks to James and admits that she's been seeing a recurring figure of someone on the edge of the pier. That black figure from way back earlier in the season returns — and James believes her. He suspects that it's Baden responsible for pushing her in a jealous fit of rage.

That night, Baden shows up at the restaurant with some pretty gnarly injuries across his face. Someone has blown his cover and as a result, he's a wanted man. Baden promises he's not there to hurt anyone and hands over a USB stick. Naturally, a fight breaks out between Baden and James. just after this.

On that USB stick though happens to be evidence confirming Sophie fell off the boat. A dark figure rushes to her location but it's way too blurry to make out exactly who that may be. Rushing up to Baden's apartment, Sophie finds the place has been broken into. It seems the drug ring has caught up to him and he's taken outside in a body bag.

See You on the Other Side

Season 1

Episode Number: 8

Season Episode: 8

Originally aired: Friday September 02, 2022
Story: Dan Lee West, Veronica West
Teleplay: Veronica West
Director: Tucker Gates
Show Stars: Gugu Mbatha-Raw (Sophie), Oliver Jackson-Cohen (James), Ari Graynor (Caroline), François Arnaud (Harrison), Millie Brady (Eliza), Marianne Jean-Baptiste (Hannah), Stephan James (Baden)
Guest Stars: Stephan James (Baden), Markian Tarasiuk (Elliot), Ian Tracey (Inspector Sager), Christin Park (Victoria), Martin Dorsla (Patrol Officer), Kuba Oms (Bank Employee), Sofie Calvert (Eliza's Friend), Anup Sehdev (Customs Officer), Scott Mendonca (Luxe Party Bartender)
Summary: Sophie seems ready to move forward, but can she accept a life with James while questions about her past still linger?



The episode starts with Sophie running. It's been several weeks since Baden's murder, and she makes her way to Baden's empty apartment, struggling to hold back tears as the memories of the past taunt her mind.

She continues running, making it back home where James is chatting to Inspector Seager from SFPD. He's there about Baden, and specifically the fight that happened earlier in the night. Sophie brings up the affair, but the officer is already aware of this. In fact, he decides to

question Sophie alone at the dining table.

It turns out Seager has also been investigating and believes the jump could well have been deliberate and she may have been "waiting for the right moment and place." Just before he leaves, he hands over his card to Sophie, encouraging her to ring and urging her to go back to the beginning and look deeper into this as there could well be more to the story than meets the eye.

James confronts Harrison about what's been going on and urges him to stop getting involved as he only makes things worse. It would appear that he could be involved in Baden's murder but we'll have to wait and see on that account.

As for Sophie, she has a bath and submerges herself under the water. It doesn't seem to work — at least not on the surface (no pun intended.) Although on a side note that dripping tap is very annoying.

Sophie decides to throw some of her things away, failing to see their emotional significance and wanting to get rid of extra stuff she doesn't need. Sophie urges James to stand by her side through this, believing they can come out of this stronger together.

Back at therapy, Hannah is pleased with Sophie's progress. Hannah admits this case was uncharted territory for her and wasn't sure it would even work. But it would seem like it has and after thanking Hannah, Sophie leaves.

That night, a big work do gets underway and Sophie ends up giving a scathing assessment of Harrison. His smug demeanour and believing he's a good guy; one of these days James will see him for who he really is. Harrison's smile disappears completely upon hearing this.

Sophie's happiness appears to be a front as she drives her car over to the bridge later that day and goes for another run. The next scene, we cut to James who receives a call from the police. Sophie's things have been found and James is forced to answer honestly about Sophie's history of suicide. It would seem like it's happening again but we'll have to wait and see if this is really true.

Back home, a note is left for James. Opening it up, Sophie blames him for Baden's death and confirms they can't come back from that. She's decided to do what she should have done before.

Caroline shows up to comfort James in the morning, pointing out she's done this before and she could come back. Not only that, but Hannah too believes Sophie may have committed suicide given she exhibited all the signs before leaving; telling people the truth, being overly happy etc.

Off the back of this, James struggles to get his life back in order. Harrison confronts James about Sophie's behaviour but James bites back, venomously pointing out that he pulled the trigger and killed Baden, as well as messing up his marriage. James took the fall for him as he didn't want Harrison to go to jail for life, knowing that Sophie would protect him and not his colleague.

Back home, James receives another bombshell reveal. It turns out the \$3.1 million in that account was actually Caroline's. James is rattled and shows up at the bank. There, he learns the account holding that money doesn't exist. James realizes that Sophie may well have taken the money out and run.

James manages to get into Sophie's Apple account and notices a video from Sophie. She tells him nonchalantly that they're not good for each other. "An innocent man died because of what you did" I mean innocent is doing a lot of heavy lifting here given he was stalking her, but I digress. Sophie believes James deserves all of this as he lied and changed their life when she woke up.

Flashbacks reveal more of Sophie's behaviour. It turns out she found a blue key with the word "terminus" on. This belonged to a storage warehouse just across the street. Heading there, she finds a single bag is on the floor. And that bag holds a phone, cash and one contact — Eliza Huntley. There's also Tess' passport too. It's everything she needs to get away.

We then return to James, who hears Sophie sign off with a goodbye and a "see you on the other side." As for Sophie, she adopts her Tess persona and makes it back to the UK. James leaves her a message though, pointing out that he loves her and her past is a dangerous place to visit. And we end on a cliffhanger as a woman leaves a bar (presumably this Eliza Huntley character) and asks Tess just what she's doing there.

Actor Appearances

A

Darren Adams	1
0105 (Li-Bo Bartender #2)	
Sherilyn Allen	1
0101 (Danielle)	

B

Cooper Bibaud	1
0103 (Drug Dealer #1)	
Andrew Bursiaga	2
0101 (Hotel Waiter / Pedestrian); 0104 (Hotel Waiter / Pedestrian)	

C

Sofie Calvert	1
0108 (Eliza's Friend)	
Josh Collins	1
0103 (Lennox House Bartender)	
Gregory S. Csiszar	1
0104 (Palace Bartender)	
Nia Cummins	1
0103 (Mackenzie Isen)	
Linnea Currie-Roberts	1
0102 (EMT #2)	

D

Jordan Dannish	1
0104 (Train Passenger / Server)	
Martin Dorsla	1
0108 (Patrol Officer)	
Parveen Dosanjh	1
0106 (Officer Linda Johnson)	
Daryl Ducharme	1
0103 (Drug Dealer #2)	

F

Shola Fagbamila	1
0105 (Sophie's Mother)	
Jo-Ann Fernandes	1
0102 (Gloria)	
Clare Filipow	1
0104 (Clinic Receptionist)	
Andrew Francis	1
0106 (Greg Billimack)	

H

Ellie Harvie	1
0107 (Executive)	
Roger Haskett	1

0106 (Rich Older Man)

Sarah Hayward	1
0107 (Commuter)	
Monique Helbig	1
0107 (Police Inspector)	
Trey Helten	1
0103 (Tattooed Guy)	
Serge Houde	1
0106 (Vince Hawkins)	

I

Stefania Indelicato	2
0101 (Michelle); 0102 (Michelle)	

J

Stephan James	1
0108 (Baden)	
Harry Johal	1
0105 (James' Friend #1)	
Josh Jones	1
0105 (James' Friend #3)	
Andres Joseph	3
0104 (Todd); 0105 (Todd); 0107 (Todd)	

K

Charlotte Kavanagh	1
0103 (Stacey)	
Umar Khan	1
0102 (EMT #1)	
Sebastian Kroon	1
0102 (Trail Guide)	
Derek Kwan	1
0101 (Paramedic #1)	

L

Nyalinglat Latjor	1
0102 (Caroline's Assistant)	
Paul Lazenby	1
0103 (Dangerous Guy)	
Ash Lee	1
0103 (Officer Roger)	
Ingrid Libera	1
0101 (Maya)	
Elinet Louicius	1
0105 (Party Bartender)	
Donny Lucas	1
0105 (Ferry Worker)	
Keon Lyn	1
0103 (Drug Dealer #3)	

M

Arjun Malik.....	1
0103 (Shawn Pareksh)	
Rose Marel.....	1
0105 (Brunette)	
Bo Martynowska.....	1
0101 (Medical Assistant)	
Al McFoster.....	1
0106 (Party Guest)	
Scott Mendonca.....	1
0108 (Luxe Party Bartender)	
Don Mike.....	1
0101 (Paramedic #2)	
Brittany Mitchell.....	1
0104 (Call Girl)	
Desirée Monsuraté.....	1
0105 (James' Friend #2)	
Victoria Morgan.....	2
0101 (Alexandra); 0106 (Alexandra)	

N

Debra Norton-Miller.....	1
0101 (Pedestrian in Chinatown)	

O

Kuba Oms.....	1
0108 (Bank Employee)	

P

JP Padda.....	2
0102 (ICU Doctor); 0106 (ICU Doctor)	
Cameron Park.....	1
0104 (Salesperson)	
Christin Park.....	5
0102 (Victoria); 0104 (Victoria); 0105 (Victoria); 0106 (Victoria); 0108 (Victoria)	
Rosalba Perez.....	1
0102 (Recovery Room Nurse)	
Bill Pozzobon.....	1
0106 (Businessman)	

R

Angela Ringstead.....	1
0105 (Smiling Female Guest)	
Serenity Grace Russell.....	1
0105 (Young Sophie)	

S

Veenu Sandhu.....	1
0101 (Anika)	
Frank Scozzari.....	1
0102 (Haight Street Local)	
Anup Sehdev.....	1
0108 (Customs Officer)	
Ahmad Sharmrou.....	1
0101 (Older Man)	
John Shaw.....	1
0106 (Neurologist)	
Mélania Solano.....	1
0101 (Young Woman)	
Micah Solis.....	1
0102 (Owner's Son)	
Patrick Sparling.....	1
0101 (Male Coast Guardsman)	

T

Markian Tarasiuk.....	3
0103 (Elliot); 0105 (Elliot); 0108 (Elliot)	
Anthony Themoleas.....	1
0106 (Venture Capitalist)	
Ian Tracey.....	1
0108 (Inspector Sager)	
Gregory Tunner.....	1
0107 (Man on the Boat)	

V

Dimitri Vantis.....	1
0101 (Cab Driver)	
Michael Vargas.....	1
0101 (Party Guest)	
Cole Vigue.....	2
0101 (Li-Bo Bartender); 0105 (Li-Bo Bartender)	

W

Iman Wamboi.....	1
0106 (Assistant)	
Seth Whittaker.....	1
0105 (Town Car Driver)	
Theresa Wong.....	2
0101 (Miranda); 0103 (Miranda)	

Z

Chiara Zanni.....	1
0101 (Kate)	