

I TOLD YOU

The sound of a person panting.

In the background muffled sounds.

The face of a girl covered in tears.

The child is crying terribly.

The scene begins to span out and shows the child sitting on the edge of a bed rocking and with her arms folded across her chest.

The curtained window behind shows a faded scene of people outside.

She turns her head back slightly, too afraid to look at the people outside her window, but only looks back at the window.

Her room with tattered wallpaper.

The scene opens around the window and an old green, army green, armchair was on one wall and an old braided oval rug was on the floor between the bed, chair and window.

A five and dime store porcelain crucified Jesus was hanging on the wall above her bed and an old but clean flowered mismatched sheets and spread were on the bed.

The girl was so terrified.

She rocked back and forth in such anguish of pain in her heart and a large knot on her head.

She touched the bloodied knot on her head.

The girl was so afraid to look at the window.

The scene changes.

The panting was heard more.

The bloody face of a man was blurred but the crowd around him was very large and throwing and shouting at him.

His bloody face was looking at the little girl.

He fell down on his knees.

He looked at the little girl and said, "Kathy I'm coming."

He pushed himself up from the cobble stone streets.

Stones thrown hitting him on his face and knocking the crown of thorns further into his skull.

The whip of the executioner could be heard hurling through the air and striking the bloodied robe he had on.

He pushed himself up and looking at the little girl he said, "I told you. I promised you. I will defend you and die for you and rise for you."

The little girl began to say, “JESUS, JESUS, JESUS”.

As she called His name because the people outside was rushing in her yard and to her window.

A man was standing in her room with his back to her door.

He was looking at her.

He said, “I told you I would be with you and defend you.”

The little girl suddenly fell back on the bed and went to sleep with her legs hanging over the bed.

The man leaned over the sleeping girl and kissed her on the forehead and said, “I love you Kathy.”

He turns he head and look at the people at the window.