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Lucy in Heaven is a fictional book that provides specific information about a young teenager struggling with a drug abuse problem. Starting with her sixteenth birthday, this young girl began to create a diary. She is a self-destructive young girl completely lost in her life, trying new things with new people <name = Pulse2012>. Alongside the books by Anonymous, the author, Beatrice Sparks is known for writing a diary format with the narrator's known. Since many people can read this book and think it's to encourage young teenagers to try new things, it's actually a story about all the bad things that can happen as a result of following your first drink. This young girl who lives in the upper upper class neighborhood was perfect to imagine for a good girl until she had one taste, one sip and couldn't look back <Pulse2012>. After the publication of this book, it received a lot of positive feedback and non-fictional feedback. Lucy became a very popular book among teenagers in heaven, with the intention of targeting teenagers <Klits2013>. Lucy in heaven was portrayed as a useful guide for young teenagers who try new things, confusing about where to go and meet new friends. The book focuses on drug abuse, but does not do a good job on anti-drug use<Ridley2013>. Although the book ends badly, it gives teenagers a sense of wanting to try new things based on her fun experience throughout her diary <Ridley2013>. THE NAME OF LUCY IN HEAVEN COMES FROM REFERENCING IT HIGH. The lyrics come from the song Lucy in Heaven with Diamonds written by the Beatles <Beatles>. One of the many things that said about this song was Who Were They? similar things written about Lucy by Sky <Beatles>. The song had many references to drugs, especially LSD, which stands for Lysergic acid diethylamide <Beatles>. With that said, there Beatrice Sparks found inspiration in the title of her book. PLOT SUMMARY Lucy in heaven, a young girl begins to make a diary of herself beginning her sixteenth birthday. She lives in Santa Monica, California with her mom, dad and brother. As she enters a yoga class she meets a very handsome surfer boy named Ross. Then she is introduced to her first half, then her first drink, then her result in doing heroin <Pulse2012>. Throughout the book, you get the environment to imagination everything this young girl goes through and how she lives through it day after day. She starts skipping class to get high or go drinking with her friends. Which soon led to severe drug abuse without her even understanding how she got there to start with <Klits2013>. She starts a party several days a week, gets very excited with her family and starts to distance herself from the world she once lived in. She starts the hangout with crowded much older than her who Definitely it wasn't in her best interest at heart. They just wanted a new friend to party with, but she saw them as her best friends <Klits2013>. Throughout the book, she receives a description of the intensity of the high she receives from all these drugs: alcohol, marijuana, cocaine, pills, heroin, LSD, etc.<Kirkus2012>. At the end of the book, that good girl from her sixteenth birthday really starts to go off the rails. The book ends with a descriptive death certificate, which is a young girl who was writing a diary of the high she receives on it <Pulse2012>. References [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] Lucy in the Sky[edit] This article Lucy in the Sky (book) is from Wikipedia. Its list of authors can be seen in its historical and/or page edithistory: Lucy in heaven (book). Articles copied from the draft Namespace on Wikipedia could be seen on the project Namespace from Wikipedia, not the main one. Teaser July 4th Dear Diary, it's funny. Who writes dear diary in a diary? I mean, who writes the diary at all? Am I not blogging? It's a lame, July 5 OK, so this won't be a diary. It's a magazine. I think it's the same, but the magazine sounds less like I'm riding a tricycle or something. Yesterday was my birthday, I turned 16. It's so weird sharing a birthday with your country. Always Fireworks: Never you. Mom always plans an actual birthday dinner, usually saturday night after July 4th, so I can have a day when we celebrate just me. It's fun, kinda like having two birthdays in the same week. We are not a great July 4 sinors... lead? Celebrants? People. Whatever it is, we are not big on 4 July. Usually in the afternoon we have friends from school more and go down to the beach to play volleyball. On the beach there are many nets directly down the hill, then we pull ourselves back up the canyon to our house to cook in the evening. My brother, Cam, invites his friends from the varsity football team. Mom gets my favorite cake

(the one with berries in it). After we goath to grilled meat and birthday cake, we all crowd on the balcony outside my parents' bedroom and watch the fireworks down the coast. You can see the display at the pier really well, and the cities just up to the coast shoot off too. Last year Cam (no one calling him Cameron except Mom) climbed onto the roof of the front porch so he could get a better view, but mom freaked out and said Cameron! Get. Down. This. Immediate. Mom's great about safety. I got a lot of cool gifts yesterday. Mom got me the swimsuit I tried at the mall last week. It's a really cute two-piece with boy shorts, and it's a fun, twisty top. Dad was there for me that he was taking me to get a license this week. I've been practicing with him in a parking lot near his office in college. He gave me a one full day with dad. From that, it says a good one driving exam for the DMV, followed by a festive meal in the restaurant holder's choice, and a \$100 shopping spree/gift card to keep the choice. He made it himself out of the red construction paper and drew this funny little stick figure forward. It should be him. He draws curly hair on the sides of a round head so that the little man is bald on top like he is. The coupon is kind of stylish, but so is my dad. I think it's funny. And cute. Kem got this diary for me. We're going to this yoga class together, and the teacher is this woman named Marty with bright eyes who talks about her birds a lot. She told us to get a journal and spend a few minutes each day from writing down our thoughts and feelings. I just looked back at everything I've written, and that's mostly thought. Not very much feelings. I'm not sure how I feel right now. I mean, I mean, I feel good? Happy? No, just fine. I feel good. I also feel like people who are birds are kind of weird. July 6 It's funny that Cam bought me this magazine. It's one of those things I would never have bought for myself, but secretly wanted to. I don't know how he knows it. I think that's what older brothers are supposed to do: read your mind. I mean, who actually goes out and tries the stuff that their yoga teacher says to do outside the classroom? Cam got the way of yoga last summer when he had a crush on this exchange student from England named Briony like Brian with y. (Really? Who name their kid that?) Anyway, she em won't send Cam during the day, so when he found out that she went to this yoga class, he started going to do the same. He bought a carpet and this little bag to carry it and just happened to show up in her class like Oh my God! Wow! What a coincidence. Briony never went out with her. I didn't even know she'd gone back to London until I teasing him about how he would be glad Briony didn't do anything like synchronized swimming. He was like Briony moved back to London right after the school got out. I asked him why he was still going to yoga, and he said he really liked it. And he said I was coming. I'm not sure why I did, really. I guess I was just bored last summer. But now we go to yoga together. It's this really great studio block off the Promenade, and they run it for donations. You just pay what you can or what you think the class is worth. I don't think I'd like it at first. It was hard and I got sweaty and slipped on my carpet and couldn't make any of the poses. But I sorta how to spend time with Cam. To whom am I writing this? It's not like someone reads this, but I do. That's exactly how it feels when Gram asks me to pray over dinner. I feel like I'm saying this stuff that is bouncing back at me at the ceiling and landing spinach salad. Cam probably didn't read my mind about about Journal. He's very smart. His early acceptance letter to this great college up north came last week. He'll be a biochem chief that just makes me want to lie down on the floor and curl up in the ball. He is a brainiac. And on top of that he is nice and enthusiastic, which tends to be dangerous. Last semester Mom always told me to ask Cam for help with my geometry homework. I did, but instead of telling me what to do, Cam always talks and talks and talks. It's like he knows so much about stuff and likes math so much that he has to say it all, not just the answer. I stopped asking questions. It's kind of annoys me. Just did it myself and didn't really understand. I have a C in geometry. You would have thought I'd fly into the building. (That's a bad thing to say, I guess. I mean, I know people died and everything, but it was a very long time ago.) Dad came unneeded. He is the chairman of the college's music department, where he works. He told me to sign up for training this summer with a student that his friend in the math department recommended. Our session starts in a few minutes. I was relieved when Nathan came first. I was afraid I got stuck with some strange math girl. Nathan is a freshman. He's from Nebraska and has brown hair that's abbreviated. He works a lot and he wears these polo shirts with sleeves that are tight right around his biceps. I just look at his hands a lot, not listen when he tries to help me find the answer. I want someone just to tell me the answer. Nathan's here. I have to go. Later... Omg. I TOTALLY JUST INVITED NATHAN TO MY BIRTHDAY DINNER. OMG OMG OMG and he said YES! It's totally crazy. I can't believe I actually said the words out loud. I didn't want to. We just sat at the dining table and he talked about the hypothesis at right angles, and while he was looking at the conveyor he used to draw the line, I was staring at his jaw line and noticed that they were almost at right angles, and the hypothesis at right angles to his jaw was that line of his cheek with a hole in the middle that he gets when he smiles, and then I heard myself saying you should come to my birthday dinner on Saturday, and then I realized that mom was looking right at me, like my hair was on fire, and I realized that I'd just invited an 18-year-old over for dinner in front of MY MOTHER. Omg. I just wanted to crawl under the table. But he stopped with his pencil stuck into the transporter and looked up, and then looked at Mom like he was looking to see if she'd heard it, and she smiled at him, sort of weak. I guess he took that sense that it was okay with him cause he looked me right in the eye and said, Sure. That would be fun. Now look at this triangle. I tried to look at that the rest of half an hour, but I have no idea what he said. When he left, I walked over to him at the door, and Mom said, Nathan, coming around 7:30. He said, Of course the thing, and you can call me Nate. He nodded at me before he climbed into his pickup truck and said, See you this weekend. Then he left. Just like that. I went running back to my bedroom and buried my head in my pillow and had one of those quiet screams where you just breathe out really hard but without sound; it's kind of a soft roar, but the excitement on the inside made me feel like my head would explode. I could hear my heart pounding in my ears, and I took a couple deep breaths, and then I remembered what Marty said in yoga this morning about trying to meditate and how to focus on the breath, so I sat down on the floor and crossed my legs like Marty was doing in front of the classroom, and I closed my eyes and took really deep breaths and tried not to think about it. I could do it for about 5 breaths at a time, but then I'd like to see that line with a hole in it behind my eyelids, and then the rest of his right angle jaw would appear, and I'd like to see a triangle fill the space on his face. I guess it's really not a big deal. My dad's two years older than my mom. Nate is only 18 and I'm 16 and it's not like he would be robbing a cradle or anything. I think I really like him. OMG I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT NATE IS COMING TO DINNER ON SATURDAY. July 8th I was just standing in my mirror trying on a couple of different options tonight. I passed my driver test and got my license yesterday (YAY! Omg. Finally), then Dad and I went shopping on the promenade. I'm a very good bargain buyer. Cam worked at Gap last summer and taught me never to ever pay the full price for anything cause they just mark that down every two weeks. Primary, secondary, clearance. Primary, secondary, clearance. Every week Tuesday night markdowns will come through from the home office, and we all run around with those price tag guns the next morning, noting down the tops that some bad dope had paid \$20 more than 12 hours ago. So, anyway, I got a lot of great stuff. Even Dad was surprised at how many items I got for \$100. Well, then I splurged a little and added \$40 of my savings to get those supercute sandals that I have been wanting. Anyway, I have all this stuff to try, and I felt myself doing that thing for me where I get to, where I get on like 12 different outfits and stand there and pick every one of them apart, and I end up standing in front of the mirror in my underwear with that pile of really cute clothes with tags still lying on the floor. I had just put on a second skirt I bought and could tell I was about to find something wrong with it, and then I just stopped, looked at myself, and thought: Don't be that girl. I'm just going to be that chick who always looks at the mirror whining about how she looks and having a breakup in the assembly room. I'm not a model or anything else, but I think I look good. I already showered and straightened my hair. It's not frizzy or even curly really, just have a few waves, and when you live so close to the waves it can get wavy. (God. Stupid joke.) Regardless, I stepped away from the mirror and saw my magazine sitting on my desk and I thought I'd write about it. I think it's a feeling. I'm not sure what kind of feelings I should be writing about here, but maybe that's what the crazy Marty bird lady talked about. I'm so excited about Nate coming over and I want to look really hot, but the excitement also feels like nervousness like I'm going to barf or something. Mom is downstairs putting a marinade on some shrimp that she's going to have dad grill, and the smell when I went through the kitchen made me feel like I was going to throw my toenails and I LOVE the shrimp. I know I look good in this skirt. Dad told me it looked far away when I came out of the dressed room to check it out in the mirror. He said it's him I'm-to-a-little-too-loud-so-other-people-present-will-hear-me-and-think-I'm-hilarious-when-really-I'm-just-torturing-my-daughter voice. I told him please be quiet and offer your opinion only on possible escape routes in case of fire, or a random stampede of wild bison. On all other issues, I respectfully asked him to please refrain from speaking to me until we had reached the cash wrap. I looked in the mirror again just now. This skirt works perfectly. Strange how excited and scared to feel like the same thing. July 8 – 11:30 a.m. I should have known. I would have known when he walked to the front steps with flowers and handed them to mom. But he made me a card with a joke about being pi on my birthday instead of a cake (guh-rooooon) and it had a \$25 gift card on iTunes in it. That was cool and so sweet about him, but he just signed his name. would've known when he didn't write anything personal. Just Happy B-Day! Nate. But he was really funny and sweet at dinner. He sat across from me and told us this whole hilarious story about when he was growing up in Nebraska and he and his brother raised sheep at a county fair. (Yes, yes. Apparently people still raise animals and take them to fairs where they win ribbons and titles and scholarships. Thanks, Charlotte's WEB.) One morning he and his brother went out to scoop food from these large 25-pound bags to feed the sheep, and there was a mouse in one of the bags that ran up the sleeves of his little brother's jacket. He told us about how he thought his brother was in possession of a demon as he kept screaming and shaking his hands and beating at his chest and running around in a circle while the mouse wriggled around inside his shirt. We everyone was crying, we laughed so hard, and Cam almost breathed a bite of shrimp that sent him into a coughing fit, which made the rest of us laugh even harder. He jumped up and helped me clear the table when mom asked who wanted dessert. When mom told him he didn't have to, he smiled at me and said, Oh yes, ma'am, I'm doing it. My mama would fly from Grand Island and smack me if I didn't. When we were in the kitchen, I started rinsing plates and he loaded them into the dishwasher like he lived here. We laughed and joking around and no one mentioned geometry. He was so easy to talk to, easy to be close. I didn't feel nervous even once. I couldn't help but wonder what it would feel like if we were married and it was our house and we were loading the dishwasher together. It's probably stupid, but it made me feel hope inside like maybe something like that was possible. When Nate bent down to put the final plate in the dishwasher, the necklace fell from his shirt. It was a tiny key on it, and I was about to ask him where he got it, but Mom came into the kitchen to get some coffee mugs and a French press. Nate tucked the necklace back into his polo before I could ask him about it, but I would've known. At the back of our house there is a long veranda that looks across the bottom of the canyon to the water. We ate dessert out there. Dad lit candles in the big lanterns on the outside of the table. Cam was sitting next to Nate and they talked football. Flickering made their skin glow like they were on the beach at sunset. Nate looked all sun-kissed and happy. I felt a leg-instinct mine just for a second under the table and my heart started running. I was glad that it was just candles outside in the dark cause I started to blush like crazy. I thought maybe Nate had touched my leg and I kept sliding mine a little closer toward him under the table, but his feet never touched mine again. It was almost 10 when he pulled out his phone and checked it, then said, Whoa. I have to go. I felt really bummed all of a sudden, and then silly. What was I hoping for? That he'll stay and take me to the beach? He stood up and shook my father's hand, then gave Cam one of those strange hugs that guys give to each other where they grab their hands like they're going to shake and then lean in and hug with their hands caught between them. He kissed my mom on the cheek and told me what a good cook she was. Then he looked at me and said, Will thou take me to my car? I put so many butterflies in my stomach, I thought they might start flying out of my ears. I said for sure, and realized that no one had really heard him ask that because Mom was pouring more wine and Dad was pouring more coffee and Cam was texting someone. So I slipped into the house out the door. He'd parked on the street, and when he got to the door of his pickup truck, he leaned against it and Up in heaven and said, Huh. I said, What? He told me that in Nebraska, you can see a lot of stars this night. I followed his gaze to the sky, but I knew there would be no stars. Here the sky just shines in this strange purply color even on the darkest night here. It's light pollution bouncing off of the sea layer, I said. This is what happens at night when 8 million people get stuck against the ocean. I turned and stood beside him with my back up toward the truck. He said it was funny, as you always hear about all the stars in Los Angeles, but at night in Nebraska, it's like the sky is covered with diamonds. Then he looked at me and I don't know what happened, but I just knew I had to feel his lips on mine. So I bent down and kissed him. Nate jumped as I'd shot him a Taser. He said, WHO, what are you doing? Omg! I was so embarrassed I couldn't even look at him. It was like we were having this PERFECT night, and then BLAM-O: I broke the spell. I am

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