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Subject: Re: New Beginnings

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The sound of the alert, signaling an incoming rescue call, woke Vince from his slumber. He reached out and turned on the bedside lamp. Throwing back the sheet, he climbed out of the bed and walked toward the dresser.

"What's that?" Lana asked, propping herself up on one elbow.

"IR has received a rescue call," Vince told her, pulling a t-shirt on over his head. As he was already wearing sweatpants, he figured he was presentable enough to show up in the lounge. Before he had a chance to say or do anything else though, Lea came running into the room through the bathroom that separated her room from her parents.

"What's the noise?" she asked fearfully, throwing her arms around her father's legs.

"It's nothing to worry about, Poppet. Just a call for Daddy to report to work," he told her, unwrapping her arms from his legs and picking her up.

"Does it have to be so loud?"

Vince laughed at his daughter's comment as he walked over to the bed. "Why don't you spend the rest of the night with Mommy?" he told her, putting her down. The little girl wasted no time settling down in the bed.

"Be careful," Lana told her husband as he headed for the bedroom door.

"Don't worry. They probably won't even send me out this time. Get some sleep," he told her, blowing her a kiss before disappearing through the door.

Navigating through the dark apartment to the door, Vince waited for the lift. When it arrived he stepped inside and headed for the ground floor.

Interrupted Sleep . . . written by icarus1982