

Gilda

Pause.

Did I do something to you at some point?

Mattie No –

Gilda Something I did that I didn't realise –

Mattie You didn't do anything –

Gilda Because I didn't *want* to be Captain –

Mattie I know –

Gilda And I'm well aware I'm terrible at it but I *have* to do it.

Mattie / You're n –

Gilda And you get to take the piss and not listen and have fun – don't you think *I'd* like to do that too?

Mattie / I –

Gilda You just leave me with Cole who is *no one* to talk to, *I* don't like him either but if I didn't talk to him I wouldn't talk to *anyone* –

And how am I supposed to be in charge if you both think I'm this total dickhead

Mattie / I don't –

Gilda who can't do anything right and doesn't get the jokes and makes you do work you don't want to do –

Well fuck me for trying to get us home, for trying to keep us together after everything that happened,

And –

And I can't *do* this, I can't *be* in charge or Acting Captain or whatever the paperwork says I have to be – I'm just / supposed to be studying *rocks*, I can't, I can't –

Mattie Please don't – Gilda –

Gilda.

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I'm sorry.

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Okay?

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Are you crying?

Gilda No –

Mattie You're breathing weird –

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Gilda I'm - Fine.

Pause.