EVERYONE exits. SOPHIE rushes on.

SOPHIE

Sky!

SKY

(Turning away)

It's bad luck to see each other.

SOPHIE

It's all gone wrong anyway—Sky, look—you've got to help me.

SKY

Why, what's happened?

SOPHIE

It's a mess and it's all my fault—I know I shouldn't have but I read Mom's diary. I've got three possible Dads.

SKY

Oh my god!

SOPHIE

I invited them to the wedding. I thought I'd know who my father was as soon as I saw him, but I didn't, and now all three think they're my Dad and they're all expecting to give me away.

SKY

Wait a minute—go back a bit—you did what?

SOPHIE

I invited my Dads to our wedding. It was three months ago, I wasn't even sure they'd come.

SKY

Three months?

SOPHIE

You've got to help me.

SKY

Why didn't you tell me?

SOPHIE

I knew you wouldn't like it.

SKY

I thought we talked about everything, I thought we had trust, but you went behind my back for some stranger…

SOPHIE

No, it wasn't like that.

SKY

Is this what this big white wedding's for? A set-up so you can find your Dad?

SOPHIE

No—it's not that at all—

SKY

I wanted to take a boat to the mainland and just get married with a couple of witnesses, but you insisted on this fantasy wedding so you could play 'Happy Families' —

SOPHIE

—it's knowing who I am—I want to get married knowing who I am.

During the following dialogue SAM enters, unseen, and overhears —

SKY

Well, that doesn't come from knowing who your Dad is Sophie. That comes from you. How would you feel if I lied to you? I was marrying you because I loved you and I thought it was what you wanted. But I just don't know any more.

SOPHIE

You don't know if you love me?

SKY

I don't know if it's what you really want.

SAM continues his entrance. He stops, pretending to see them for the first time.

SAM

Sorry—I'm interrupting…

SKY

(Stepping away from SOPHIE)

No.

(To Sophie)

Listen, you think about it.

SKY exits. SOPHIE stares, then starts to follow —

SOPHIE

No, Sky—wait—