

# "REN"

## REN SIDES

{ REN 19, stylish, artsy, rebellious Manhattan prep school girl who's full of fun and adventure. She zooms up to Erica on a skateboard.

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REN

Can't stop! Can't stop! CAN'T STOP!

She plows into Erica knocking them both to the ground.

ERICA

I guess you couldn't stop.

REN

I'm so sorry, are you okay? This is my first time riding a skateboard.

ERICA

Except for the part where you plowed into me, I never would've known.

REN

Aww, that's so nice of you to say. Here, take my sweater. Your knee is bleeding.

Ren rips off her sweater and hands it to Erica.

ERICA

Is this cashmere?

REN

Probably. It was my mom's. She's silly and fancy.

ERICA

I don't wanna ruin her sweater with my knee blood.

REN

Don't worry about it. Plus, the blood will give it a story. Some cute guy will come up to me and say "you got blood on your sweater," and I'll say "You're dumb and observant," and he'll be my boyfriend for a few weeks, and I'll have you to thank.

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ERICA  
Wow. I don't know anyone like you.

REN  
Thanks! I'm Ren. It's short for Lauren which is a terrible family name. I have a racist grandma named Lauren that's drinking gin in Providence right now.

ERICA  
She sounds fun.

REN  
She's not. That's why I'm trying to re-brand myself in college.

ERICA  
I'm Erica. Or Ca? Yeah, that doesn't work.

REN  
Really? I love it. Anyway, what should we do now?

ERICA  
Oh. I didn't know we were hanging out.

REN  
You're my new best friend. We do everything together. Except skateboard.

She tosses the skateboard in a nearby trash can and they head off.

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