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The mistake she could have avoided

Once upon a time not very long ago, a 17-year-old girl called Emma woke up on a rainy Wednesday morning to go to school. It was her favorite day of the year, the last day of school and her birthday. She was very excited to figure out what her friends would do for her.

When she got to school, everyone was gathered around her locker waiting for her, when she got there everybody screamed and congratulated Emma. Her BFF called Laura gave her a discount card on her favorite store, Emma was so happy.

The bell rang so they headed to class. At lunch all her group of friends gave her a chocolate cake and sang to her Happy Birthday!

At the last period of class, Laura told her to meet her at her house at 3:00pm so they could go to the cinema.

Emma got home, changed her uniform for comfy clothes and left for Laura's house; when she got there, there were a bunch of kids from school; a weird thing, Emma was surprised all of them were going to the cinema, so she asked Laura: "are we all going to the movies?" she answered excitedly "no, we are going to do something so much better... we are going to a CONCERT!"

Emma was surprised, petrified it was her first concert without her parents, she didn't even know if they would let her go. All of the boys were coaxing her, "Emma lets



go we will have a great time, and it's your birthday". Emma finally agreed but with one condition: she needed to be home before 2:00 am.

They went to the concert, Emma was nervous at the beginning but she started relaxing and having a good time.

At 12 pm, Laura took out a bottle labeled: "VODKA"... Alcohol taught Emma. Laura started offering everyone. Emma said NO like three times but they started telling her offensive things like: "poor baby, baby of mom and dad, you're a chicken, it is not a drug or something" Emma didn't believe what her friends were telling her she didn't want to be called a baby or a chicken because she knew she was neither of those things, after a while she got tired so she said: "alright, alright I'll have some. That some became into 2,3,4 huge drinks of VODKA. Emma fainted when she woke up she was in the hospital, Emma didn't understand what had just happened, she was confused, dizzy and with a huge pain in her stomach. When she turned to the right, there were her parents staring at her with a huge face of disappointment. Emma asked what had happened they told her that she had an illness in her kidney, produced by the alcohol they had given her.

She was amazed how her life changed in so little time and all because of of her stupid friends. Emma asked the doctor if there was any cure for the illness she had the doctor answered with a sad face: "NO honey, I'm sorry, you could not drink any liquor again, and you would have to

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live connected to a tube for the rest of your life" Emma sobbed as hard as she could, she begged the doctor, her family all of them had the same sad look on their face.

"There's nothing else we can do for you," said her father regretfully.