Chapter 51

In Chapter 51 of "We Solve Murders," Bonnie, a teaching assistant, finds herself in a precarious situation at school, where the use of phones is frowned upon. Despite the general rule against bringing phones, many teachers discreetly use theirs during breaks. Bonnie, feeling her status doesn't permit such actions, hides in a cubicle of the girls' restroom to check her phone for updates. It's there that she receives a life-changing email from the "Bookings Committee."

The email offers her a job in São Paulo, Brazil, to create a three-minute promotional video for an organic paint brand with a staggering fee of $\pounds 20,000$. Initially disbelieving, Bonnie rereads the message to confirm the amount; the prospect feels unreal, given her modest lifestyle. This windfall has the potential to transform her life significantly.

As she processes the news, emotions overwhelm her, and tears flow. Memories of friends who encouraged her to dream of opportunities like this flood her mind. She reflects on her experiences with "impostor syndrome," the overwhelming doubt about her abilities, but musters the courage to pursue her dreams. Now, with this opportunity, she anticipates the consequences of leaving her teaching job and further embraces the potential change in her life.

The narrative captures Bonnie's aspirations and the conflict of leaving her current role for a remarkable opportunity, showcasing her excitement alongside feelings of guilt for abandoning her students and colleagues. The organic paint project intrigues her, as she didn't realize paint could be anything but organic. She begins to envision herself promoting the product on Instagram while preparing for her appearance in Brazil.

When a child knocks at the restroom door urgently needing to use the toilet, Bonnie, although guilty for prolonging her moment, dismisses her to relish this pivotal moment in her life. She contemplates shopping for new clothes and thinks fondly of the reaction her sister-in-law Clarissa will have, already imagining the pride she'll feel.

Finally, Bonnie texts her mother, expressing gratitude for her support while she confirms her acceptance of the job. She wraps up by confirming her participation through email, expressing curiosity about travel arrangements and the name of the paint brand. As she sends the email, Bonnie realizes her life is about to change indefinitely, thanks to Vivid Viral Media Agency.