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INT. GLAMPING RV - DAY

Picking up where we left off, Sunset balks, examining her wristband, so confused.

1 SUNSET SHIMMER
...Starswirl Day One...?

2 PINKIE PIE
(bursting in the door)
What do you call a PostCrush fan with three eyes? PINKIE PIE!!!

Pinkie bounces over, pushing her out the door. Still in bed, Fluttershy scratches her head.

3 FLUTTERSHY
...I don't get it.

EXT. ENTRANCE - STARSWIRL FESTIVAL - DAY

<SPLAT>! Sunset's boot steps right into a MUD PUDDLE. She stumbles, still reeling.

4 SCI TWI
You okay...?

5 SUNSET SHIMMER
...I'm... not sure...

6 PINKIE PIE
A line? This day's already amazing!

Dazed, Sunset gets in line with the others. She looks over, not exactly surprised to see the longer line move faster.

7 SUNSET SHIMMER
...What's going on?

8 RAINBOW DASH
You said it, Sunset.
(to the Security Guard)
What's with these long lines, man?!

Sunset looks up-- this is familiar. She finishes his line--

SECURITY GUARD
Security is an art... It can't be rushed!

SUNSET SHIMMER
(overlapping)
"...It can't be rushed."

Sci Twi cocks her head... That was weird.

CUT TO:

EXT. STARSWIRL FESTIVAL GROUNDS - DAY

The girls take in the wonderland of the festival. Sunset walks as in a dream. Pinkie Pie spots the TANDEM BIKE BOOTH.

9 PINKIE PIE
WIN A TANDEM BICYCLE!?
(fading as she goes)
...All I have to do is guess how many candies are in the... (etc.)

Sci Twi stays with Sunset, concerned.

10 SUNSET SHIMMER
Anyone else having serious *DejaVu*?

11 SCI TWI
Nope... just *Deja-V-*<u>You</u>.
(then, ashamed...)
I'm sorry, is this a serious issue?

INT. NEON GARDEN - LATER

Sunset and Sci Twi walk and talk, wandering the maze...

12 SUNSET SHIMMER
I don't know how to explain it, but I did all of this yesterday.

13 SCI TWI
We were at school yesterday.

14 SUNSET SHIMMER
Oh no, we've lost Pinkie Pie again.

CUT TO:

EXT. NEON GARDEN EXIT - LATER

Sunset and Sci Twi finally emerge from the maze with PP behind them. A FESTIVAL ARTIST hefts a RED "WATER" BALLOON.

15 FESTIVAL ARTIST
Who wants to be part of an art show?

PINKIE PIE
I DO! I--!

SUNSET SHIMMER
NO--!

But it's too late-- <SPLAT>! They're covered in red paint when the balloon hits nearby canvas. Off Sunset's <SIGH>...

CUT TO:

EXT. BATHROOMS - LATER

Sunset and Sci Twi finish cleaning themselves off with paper towels, throwing the colorful used one into a GIANT PILE.

16 SCI TWI
If this already happened, couldn't you have warned us about the paint?

Suddenly <PINKIE PIE> laughs O.S. Sunset grins-- "Ah-ha!"

17 SUNSET SHIMMER
Pinkie Pie just splattered paint and it looks EXACTLY like Rarity with a pirate moustache. How's that?

18 SCI TWI
THAT would prove it, for sure.

Sunset gestures "After you." They enter the bathroom. <SUPER DRAMATIC MUSIC>.

19 SCI TWI (CONT'D)
SERIOUSLY...!?

20 PINKIE PIE (O.S.)
What... it's washable!

CUT TO:

EXT. FESTIVAL GROUNDS - LATER

Sunset, Sci Twi, and Pinkie Pie walk towards the food trucks.

21 SCI TWI
It's possible that yesterday a snag in the fabric of space-time could cause a temporal point - i.e. today - to fold in on itself, and thereby repeat! Quite fascinating, really.

Sci Twi looks up: Pinkie Pie stares blankly. Sunset explains.

22 SUNSET SHIMMER
Time loop.

23 PINKIE PIE
TIME LOOP! ...Classic Sunset.

24 SUNSET SHIMMER
But why only me? The only time I was alone was on the RV when I wished--

She trails off, ignoring Pinkie's expectant look...

25 PINKIE PIE
...For more wishes?! Solid choice.

26 SUNSET SHIMMER
This might sound crazy, but I think Equestrian Magic is giving me another chance to see PostCrush.

Sci Twi and Pinkie Pie stare... then nod/shrug.

27 SCI TWI/PINKIE PIE
Not that crazy. / Seen crazier.

28 PINKIE PIE
Wait, why didn't you see PostCrush?

29 SUNSET SHIMMER
"Mistakes were made."

30 PINKIE PIE
Aww, don't beat yourself up. I promise we will see them together tonight, or so help me I--! <SNIFF> What's that smell? <BIG SNIFF>. Could it be?

Sunset reacts as Pinkie Pie spots PUFFED PASTY'S CHURRO CART--

31 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Puffed Pastry's exclusive Star-crusted Cinnamon-dipped Churros!
(off Sunset's glare)
Now's prrrrobably not the best time to go get one.

32 SUNSET SHIMMER
It's not. Let's get moving, so nothing goes wrong for PostCrush.

33 PINKIE PIE
(as the other go, sotto)
On the other hand, if I get TWO,
then Sunset could have one with me.
NO! I WILL NOT GIVE IN!

ANGLE ON: Sunset and Sci Twi walking, pausing when they hear--

34 PINKIE PIE (O.S.) (CONT'D)
But I can't resist!

Sunset <GASPS>! HITCHCOCK DOLLY BACK/ZOOM IN on her face.

35 SUNSET SHIMMER
OKAY, THIS IS THE WORST POSSIBLE
TIME FOR CHURROS!

PP runs for the cart. Sunset dives after her and they TUMBLE O.S. and <CRASH>! Pinkie and Sunset look up to see the glare of THE SECURITY GUARD... covered in churro-dust.

36 PINKIE PIE
Our bad.

37 SUNSET SHIMMER
No, HER bad! You saw whose bad it
was, right, sir...?

EXT. FESTIVAL GROUNDS - LATER

Sunset/Pinkie escorted out. SNIP, wristbands get cut. Sunset watches the wristband fall again. She reddens, angry.

38 ANNOUNCER (O.S.)
Lemme hear three big cheers for two
best friends who got back together for
one incredible night. PostCrush!

39 PINKIE PIE
Maybe you'll get another another
chance.

Off PINKIE'S guilty face... we PAN UP TO THE STARS and hear <POSTCRUSH MUSIC> that is revealed as PRE-LAP SOUND FROM...

INT. GLAMPING RV - MORNING

Sunset's <POSTCRUSH ALARM> blaring! Her eyes shoot open. She pops up and opens the door to see Rarity, already awake, fitting a cute FESTIVAL HAT on SPIKE. Sunset's face-- Did it happen again!? Rainbow Dash runs toward the RV, excited...

40 RAINBOW DASH
Starswirl Day one, come and get it!

She <THWACKS> a Happy Sunset in the butt.

41 SUNSET SHIMMER
THANK YOU--! Oww!! Thank you!

42 RAINBOW DASH
Oops, heh-- sorry... I'll be more
careful from now on.

43 PINKIE PIE
(running up to them)
What do you call a PostCrush fan
with three eyes? PINKIE PIE!!!

44 SUNSET SHIMMER
No time for jokes! I'm gonna head
out on my own today. LATERS!

Pinkie Pie is SUPER-SUPER-SAD to watch Sunset run off.
...Still in bed, Fluttershy sits up.

45 FLUTTERSHY
But weren't you supposed to see
PostCrush together...?
(scratching her head)
Also... I don't get it.

EXT. FESTIVAL GROUNDS - LATER

<SPLAT>! Sunset's boot splatters mud. Sci Twi helps her up.

46 SCI TWI
You okay...?

47 SUNSET SHIMMER
Fine-- You mind kinda sorta keeping
Pinkie Pie busy for the day? Thanks!

EXT. STARSWIRL FESTIVAL GROUNDS - DAY

<BEEP>! Wristbands get scanned. The girls take in the
wonderland of the festival while Sunset charges ahead.
PUSH IN ON Pinkie Pie, watching with a confused look...

EXT. STARSWIRL FESTIVAL GROUNDS - VARIOUS

--Sunset runs right past the maze, dodging Pinkie Pie who gives chase!

48 PINKIE PIE
You found me!
(as Sunset runs past)
OH OKAY NOW I'LL FIND YOU...!

--Sunset runs past the Paint Party Guy, as Pinkie Pie pops up from behind a wall and gets Heisman-ed out of the way--

49 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
(to the Festival Artist)
I'M HAVING FUN WITH MY FRIEND! OOF!

--She charges past the food trucks where PUFFED PASTRY is whisking batter that will eventually become CHURROS, escaping from PP who stops to lick the batter, then looks up...

50 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
(starting to get sad)
Sunset, are you... ditching me?

EXT. MAIN STAGE - LATER

...Finally Sunset gets to the main stage. It's empty. Sunset slides to her knees and throws her arms wide, grateful.

51 SUNSET SHIMMER
Universe, I promise to make the most of this do-over do-over.

EXT. MAIN STAGE - LATER

52 ANNOUNCER (O.S.)
Lemme hear <u>three</u> big cheers for <u>two</u> best friends who got back together for one incredible night. PostCrush!

<WILD CROWD CHEERING>. It's showtime! Sunset clings to the front row barrier just as K-Lo and Su-Z are revealed, in tableau, ON-STAGE. They lean back-to-back. CROWD <CHEERS>.

53 SUNSET SHIMMER
We did it! PostCrush Roll Call!

Sunset crosses her arms to lean Back to Back with Pinkie, but she falls with no there for her. Sunset awkwardly notices Snips/Snails, Lyra/Bon-Bon, etc, all posing like PostCrush.

She shrugs it off. Then-- PostCrush <PLAYS>, K-LO on guitar and Su-Z on drums. We FADE DOWN the sound and focus on Sunset-- It's everything she hoped it would be. Flashing lights. Choreographed dance. K-Lo <SINGS> holding a hand out for the audience to touch! Sunset reaches-- her fingertips almost touching--! But K-Lo pulls away, going into an amazing guitar solo! One of her guitar strings SNAPS! A STAGEHAND hurriedly brings her another. She continues her solo. Sunset <CHEERS!> As the guitar solo ends, she TOSSES HER PICK into the audience-! Sunset jumps up and CATCHES IT! FLASHING LIGHTS FADE WHITE.

EXT. GLAMPING RV - LATER

Loopy from the rush, Sunset saunters back to the RV, holding her guitar pick. She finds the Mane 6 roasting marshmallows and flops down in a camping chair with a <CONTENTED SIGH>.

54 RAINBOW DASH
There she is! Lone wolf, awooo!

REVEAL Pinkie, sitting with a rope around her waist. The other end is connected to... a DUMMY SUNSET SHIMMER, propped up in the chair next to her, complete with a MARSHMALLOW STICK. The stick begins to tilt and Pinkie quickly readjusts.

55 RAINBOW DASH (CONT'D)
(re: Sunset and PP's socks)
<u>Your</u> socks got knocked off, but YOURS are still on-- what gives?

56 SUNSET SHIMMER
...We lost track of each other.

Rarity clocks that and gives a withering look of disapproval.

57 PINKIE PIE
Me, lose track of Sunset? HA! But she's been right here the whole time, right, Actual Sunset Shimmer?
(does a SS impression)
Right Pinkie Pie! By the way your roasting technique is flawless.
(as PP)
Why thank you. Oooh, looks like got a little fire on ya, there, Sunset. Lemme put it out for you because I'm always there for you.

Pinkie Pie STOMPS AGGRESSIVELY ON THE DUMMY, repeating--

58 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
I'M YOUR FRIEND! I'M YOUR FRIEND! (etc)

Watching that, Rarity turns to Sunset... throwing shade.

59 RARITY
How was the show...?

Sunset leans back in her chair, wistful.

60 SUNSET SHIMMER
It was... perfect.

61 RARITY
I was being judgmental, darling.
What's the point of throwing shade
if no one's there to catch it...?

62 SUNSET SHIMMER
Sorry, too blissed out from the show
to care right now. Talk tomorrow...?

She smiles and we PAN UP TO THE STARS and DISSOLVE TO:

INT. GLAMPING RV - DAY

The Mane 7 snooze. Close on Sunset as her <ALARM BLARES the familiar POSTCRUSH SONG>. She stretches and opens the door--Rarity puts her hat on Spike. RD runs toward her...

63 SUNSET SHIMMER
(This can't be happening.)
...It can't be... It's still...

64 RAINBOW DASH
Starswirl Day 1, come and get it!

Again, Sunset's <THWACKED> in the butt by Rainbow's totem.

END PART TWO