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SYNOPSIS

After his revenge-porn website leads to a teen suicide, Jake Kinney is given a second chance as an online correspondent for a major news outlet in desperate need of new readers. On Remembrance Day, he's tipped about an amnesiac who showed up at a church on the Canada-US border with no memory of who he is or how he got there. Kinney feels that the youth is faking his amnesia. Before he can figure out why, Kinney is assigned to cover a grisly murder in a remote resource town along BC's infamous 'Highway of Tears.' Up north, a confrontation with the local logging company leads Kinney to suspect that the amnesic and the murder case are connected, but he must face his own demons to prove it.

SHORT SYNOPSIS

A journalist tries to connect a coincidence: a troubled teen that was found near a US-Canada border crossing and a grisly murder in a small, resource community over 1,000 kilometers away.

TAGLINE

We forget the past to hide the truth.

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INSPIRED BY REAL-LIFE EVENTS

- Our mystery/thriller feature is inspired by two, recent police cases: accused, serial-killer Cody Legebokoff's fourth murder along the Highway of Tears (2011) and a "Mr. Nobody" amnesia-case that occurred in Vancouver (2005).
- Since 1968, eighteen women have been reported missing or dead along Highway 16 between Prince George and Prince Rupert in British Columbia, Canada.
- Locals believe the number of missing or murdered women is closer to 40
- The Highway of Tears remains one of the greatest, unsolved cold cases in North America.

OUR STRANGE COINCIDENCE

 Producer/Director Steve Adams grew up in a small community along The Highway of Tears and used to babysit accused, serial-killer Cody Legebokoff in the 1990s.

FILMMAKING TEAM

- Sean Horlor (Writer/Director) is an award-winning author and the host/creator of the television reality series *Don't Quit Your Gay Job*.
- Steve Adams (Director/Producer) is a digital, travel journalist and the co-founder of Steamy Window Productions.
- Sean Cox (Producer/Cinematographer) is a music video director and teaches the next generation of filmmakers at the Vancouver Film School.



Sean Horlor



Steve Adams



Sean Cox