Reason with Doubt

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INT. GEORGIA STATE PRISON, EXECUTION CHAMBER - CONTINUOUS

The white room as all but empty with the exception of a few draped windows and medical trays. A PHONE is connected to the wall.

Front and center is a gurney with a variety of restraints. Troy is moved to the based and sits down.

A GUARD takes the first restraint and buckles it, and tightens it around his torso.

GUARD

Too tight?

TROY

It's fine.

Another guard takes off the shackles on his feet and places them in the holders, strapping them in.

They strap in the first arm, then the second. They finish tightening the rest of the restraints.

Two of the guards stand to the side. The other four guards wait for Pastor Ramsey who sits next to Troy.

The Pastor sits with him touching his shoulder.

PASTOR RAMSEY

Would you like to pray?

TROY

No... done enough of that.

Troy's breath is shallow. Nervous.

PASTOR RAMSEY

Take deep breaths.

He grasps Troy's hand. Troy looks at him. They share an understanding nod and the Pastor walks out with the other four guards.

Troy sits quiet. A long moment passes before.

A suited forty something old man with thick southern drawl walks in the room. He is WARDEN HUMPHREY (40's). He is followed by two nurses in scrubs.

With surgical precision, the nurses use cotton and alcohol to disinfect a vein in each arm. Then -- like a regular IV, they place two thick needles in each arm with tubes. The poison.

DE'JAUN (V.O.) (CONT'D)

A new vision. Not only for himself, but for the world.

EXT. GEORGIA STATE PRISON, FRONT LAWN - CONTINUOUS

Martina grips her son's hand hard. A grasp mixed with pain and love.

DE'JAUN (V.O.)

Justice... can fall into the trap of thinking it's gotta monopoly on the truth. And it soon degenerates into something twisted and horrifying.

MATCH CUT TO:

INT. HOSPITAL ROOM - NIGHT

De'Jaun grips his mothers hand hard with pain and love. He sits by her side... she is sick. Near the end.

DE'JAUN (V.O.)

Sometimes, justice must be rescued by something much deeper... Namely love.

CUT TO BLACK

DE'JAUN (V.O.)

--I am.

TITLES OVER BLACK:

Over one million signed petitions where submitted to the Georgia Board of Pardons calling for a stay in the Execution of Troy Anthony Davis.

Outspoken critics of Troy's execution included jurors from his original trial, the former warden of the Georgia State Prison where Troy was housed, President Jimmy Carter, Desmond Tutu, and Pope Benedict XVI.

Two months after the execution of her brother, Martina Davis-Correa lost her battle with breast cancer.

She is survived by her son De'Jaun, the first member of the Davis family to attend college.