

LEMMY

Jon! Jon!

PASTOR

He's up there.

LEMMY

Merriweather's been shot. Paul's
fixin' to escape.

Jonathan looks off in the direction of the jail. He can see commotion.

LEMMY

Mabel's in there too. She-

He's hesitant to say it.

JONATHAN

No. She's at home.

(beat, something sinking in)
Making supper...

He begins scaling down the roof.

LEMMY

I seen her myself. She's gone in
the jail with him.

He leaps the rest of the way down as Lemmy finishes telling this. Catching his breath, Jonathan refuses to believe this.

JONATHAN

Go home and see that she's there-

LEMMY

I told you, I seen her with my own
eyes.

JONATHAN

You heard what I said.

He regrets that Jonathan orders him around and he also regrets that he feels submissive to the fellow deputy. Jonathan draws his weapon.

PASTOR

What about the boy?

JONATHAN

He's safer here than anywhere else.

The deputy moves off towards the action. Lemmy pats the dust off his coat.