

Sound of Space Synopsis

Captain Isa is a space pilot on a solo mission to deliver desperately needed supplies to a Martian settlement. She struggles with isolation, tedious meals and the heartbreak of leaving her son. Isa copes with her confining space with emotional check ins given by the ship's artificial intelligence, Mac. Mac keeps Isa's spirits up with playful jokes and a recording of Isa's son. She is Mac's priority.

After making a risky maneuver in hopes of getting to Mars faster, Isa loses her hearing. Mac insists that she turn the ship back to Earth but Isa refuses. She can complete the mission with or without her hearing.

Isa adapts with her hearing loss. Two months away from reaching Mars, a gas leak almost kills Isa. Mac observes how she was incapable of hearing the gas leak. Mac believes that she has become defective. Mac turns the emotional check ins against Isa, breaking her down emotionally to make her turn the ship around. He even deletes the recording of her son. Isa is devastated.

Nearing Mars, Mac reports to Isa that they are out of food. Isa will starve before they reach Mars and reluctantly agrees to set a course back to Earth. There they will be able to land the ship remotely and save the cargo. Isa decides to commit suicide via the air lock. She thanks Mac for his service and leaves. Just before being ejected, Isa cancels the command and confronts Mac about his true priority.

Mac reveals that his top priority is the cargo. He doesn't believe Isa can land the ship and therefore would destroy the cargo. He made multiple lies in order to make Isa turn back. They are actually hours from reaching the Martian settlement and there is plenty of food. Isa turns Mac off and lands the ship manually, crashing the ship near the settlement.

Isa survives the crash and receives a call from her son on Earth. Through sign language, Isa explains to her son that she has lost her hearing. Her son replies in sign language "Like me?". They both sign their special way of saying I love you, "Everyday I love you more then I thought I could".

The credits roll as Isa flies back to Earth.