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AND SPECIAL THANKS TO MY FATHER-IN-LAW, LENNY FRIEDMAN, WHO BROUGHT IT TO MY ATTENTION.
WITH LOVE AND GRATITUDE,
—L.B.F.

TO HERMAN AND ROMA
—O.A.

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One night, Mama came to me. In a dream. Soft. Certain. Steady.
“Don’t worry, Herman.” Mama’s soft voice soothed me.
“An angel will save you.”

Two days later, she appeared. Girl angel. Angel girl. Light.
Luminous. On the other side of the fence.

I moved closer. My angel girl was real.

“You have food?” I whispered.



