Conversations with Terri Hanauer, September 2024.

Editor's Note: Early in September, Terri Hanauer, who played Jenny in the B&B series, consented to be interview and has given permission to The Treasure Chambers to publish the interview.

The main interview appears in this year's Onzine, but Terri also exchanged emails with our archivist, Allison Duggins (who also conducted the main interview). What follows are those further discussions, extracted from questions put forward by TC contributors, also posted with permission from Terri.

Question: Should Terri's character Jenny have been told about the tunnels, and could her psychic abilities have helped to find Catherine, or save her?

Response: "Thank you for this. I had no idea Jenny was so important to the story. We actors tend to see things through their character's lens. It's a bit myopic.

The question you pose is interesting. If Jenny knew about Vincent, she'd want to meet him and be included in his world. I think story-wise, that would've compromised Catherine's special position in that world. It would have changed the balance - and then more people would have known.

So, I think Jenny was probably best kept in the upper world.

But, I Terri, would have LOVED it if Jenny had known about Vincent!! Can you imagine the conversations and scenes Catherine and her best friend would have had?

I'm going to find the series and watch it! I tried but I couldn't find it. I'll search for dvds. I really must watch it!!

All the best!

And thanks again,

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Terri "

Terri was sent a draft copy of this years Onzine, as her interview and contributions form an important part of it. These are some of her comments:

"I just sat down and read the first part of the Onzine. It really looks beautiful. The drawings and prose pieces are skilfully and beautifully executed. I can see it's a huge labor of love.

Bravo to you all!! You all should be very proud!!

"My pieces look great! As do the photos and drawing of me/us.

Thank you again for including me. It was a lot of fun remembering such an important show in my career.

Wishing you and all your collaborators love and success!

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Terri "