

SYNOPSIS

Jordan O'Neil is a Navy topographic analyst who is chosen as a test case for the presence of women in combat. Royce, her boy friend doesn't agree with Jordan's decision to accept that opportunity and join in the combat training. Consequently, the relation between O'Neil and her boy friend isn't good because of their argument. Royce is so emotional when Jordan persists to join combat training. He doesn't believe that a woman is capable completing the training. Moreover, he tells O'Neil that the other trainees will not want her there. What Jordan doesn't know is that she is being sold out by stubborn Texas Senator, Lilian Dehaven who is being black mailed by the Defense Department with politically deadly support closing unless O'Neil falls the program. Aware that she is making history and knowing that 60% of all male trainees will fail the rigorous training, Lt. O'Neil struggles to prove herself physically and mentally worthy of becoming a Navy SEAL.

Jordan O'Neil then decides to join the training, namely the Spec-Recon training. There are many tests that O'Neil has to deal, such as eyes tests, blood tests, urinalysis, and pregnancy tests. She is able to go through all these tests. The first day of the training, she meets the other trainees; they are Miller, Mc Cool, Slutnik, Cortez, Flea, Stamm, England, Newberry, and Wickwire. Unfortunately, most of them are misogynists. O'Neil and the other trainees have to have hard and sadistic drills during the training, for example routine beach run, a long stroll and atomic sit ups. As the misogynists, all the trainees don't want to share a table with Jordan in

dinner table. There is Ensign Blondell, a female mess steward. They become best friends.

The instructor, Master Chief John James Urgayle is a very stiff instructor. He is a misogynist too. In the combat training, O'Neil gets much sex discrimination, such as "gender norming", a standard procedure for all females in physical training causes. O'Neil calls this procedure "double standard", because she gets the separate quarters and the deferential treatment. Then, she asks the C.O for "one standard", the same rules for everyone, without differentiating the gender. Not all the trainees can complete the training, such as Miller and England, they have to out of the training.

Joining O'Neil as the female candidates for Spec-Recon program is actually such an infringement on civil liberties. If the constitution knows about this thing, either the C.O or Lilian Dehaven will get the trim. The public then knows because there is a photographer that is successfully getting some photos of O'Neil in the hard physical combat training. Dehaven is afraid if the public knows about this matter. So she tries to make O'Neil fail in the training. Then, O'Neil faces the issue that she is lesbian and she has to be out of the training. After getting out of the training, she tries to meet Dehaven and asks her to explain to the C.O that she isn't lesbian. Finally she gets the justice and come back to the training. Moreover, she leads her crew in a real war.