

Meet: Katherine Mayfair

4356 Wisteria Lane, Fairview, Eagle State

Katherine Mayfair, an old friend of Susan Mayer's, returned to Wisteria Lane with her younger second husband, Adam, and teenage daughter, Dylan. Katherine was close-lipped about her past, including the fate of her first husband, Wayne Davis, and why Dylan didn't remember anything about growing up in Fairview, such as former best friend Julie Mayer.

Katherine's flair for baking and gardening began a heated rivalry with the neighborhood's resident homemaker extraordinaire, Bree, until the two teamed up to create a successful catering company.

Her ex, Wayne, an abusive policeman, was not dead as many believed, but alive and well. He wanted to get to know his daughter Dylan better, but Katherine was dead-set against it. The big secret Katherine has been hiding: the real Dylan died in a tragic accident as a little girl and rather than deal with Wayne, Katherine adopted a lookalike from a Romanian orphanage. Wayne, demanding answers, held Katherine hostage, but Katherine shot and killed him.



The residents of Wisteria Lane insisted the shooting was in self-defense, proving they considered Katherine one of their own.

Her marriage with Adam ended after revelations of an affair proved to be true. Katherine then found an unexpected romance with Mike Delfino, which put a strain on her relationship with Susan, who'd never gotten over her ex.

Next Sunday

On next Sunday's "Desperate Housewives," it was teased that Katherine Mayfair attempted suicide. Saddened by the harsh words Mike Delfino threw at her--admitting her never loved her and had always thought of Susan when they were together--Katherine took a butcher knife and seemingly harmed herself.

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Well, that will have to wait till next week.

And next week is a big episode for "Desperate Housewives." Producer Marc Cherry has promised that a character will die in Sunday's fall finale. There will also be a massive plane crash that hits Wisteria Lane hard.

Could Katherine be the one "housewife" who leaves the show in a body bag? It's not clear, but the series does appear to have been spinning its wheels regarding Mayfair's storyline as of late. An integral

component to the show's plot just two seasons ago, Katherine was reduced to the "other girl" last season before going all Terri Schuester crazy in season six.

Still, there are a lot of possibilities as to who might bite the dust. Could it be Angie's son Danny, who attempted suicide himself? Could it be Nick or even Angie herself, who admitted in Sunday's episode that she had killed a man?

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