Looking for Lewinsky

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after the scandal
is like grasping for fish
bare-handed.
Pale, blind fish in
oil-dark caves.

*New York Magazine*
did a puff piece:
she’s in the city
with a handbag line.

She has roses on her wall,
her mugs, her doormat,
her smiling face: petals
fanning out where eyes
should be. Writing parodies.

But no. The article wasn’t
dated and it’s old. Now
she’s living in England.

The infamy was too much so
she ran away and got a Master’s
degree in Social Psychology.

In *Jewcy* there’s a blurb,
“Will a Nice Jewish Guy
PLEASE Marry Monica
Lewinsky?” She’s so lonely
and marriage and kids are
“probably the most important
thing” to her.

I cry when I see a picture
of her at 39. Dressed in oil-
black, half-smiling with
dried-up, panicked eyes,
planning to write a ‘reveal-
all’ book because she’s
still single and wants revenge—
or that’s what the *Enquirer* said.