

A Satisfied Ever After

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Cast

Beautiful Princess: Pretty, spoiled, gradually becomes more angry, determined.

Prince Charming: Obnoxious, handsome, more of a wimp than people think, oblivious.

Evil Witch: evil.

Fairy Godfather: guy, sensitive about his outfit he has to wear.

Scene 1

(Scene One opens with Beautiful Princess pacing the stage very frustrated and angry. She is basically having a small fit. She stops after several paces and speaks to the audience).

Beautiful Princess: *(bluntly, hysterically)* I hate boys. *(continues to pace)* But then again, *(a little erotic)* I love boys. I am a princess so I basically get whatever I want whenever I want. But that...that annoying, handsome, obnoxious, charming, jerk is the one thing I want that I can't get! He won't notice me. No matter how short my skirts are, how long my hair is, how many times I bat my eyes, or giggle desperately, Prince Charming refuses to pay me, Beautiful Princess, any attention! I don't know what else to do, what else to wear, what else to...*(brilliant idea strikes her)* Wait a minute...In nearly every known fairytale, the prince wins the princess's heart by saving her from some disaster...so...why not switch the roles? That's it! Evil Witch! Evil Witch. Come here right now!

(Evil Witch enters stage, spinning, running, and dancing around while cackling evilly).

Evil Witch: Evil Witch at your serv- wait a minute...*(searches Beautiful Princess up and down to be sure of her identity)* Beautiful Princess? Aren't we usually mortal enemies?

Beautiful Princess: Yes, we are, but this time, I need your help. I need you to do something to Prince Charming so I can save him.

Evil Witch: Ooooh. What kind of something?

Beautiful Princess: *(morbid, slightly insane)* Something evil.

Evil Witch: *(excited)* Evil?

Beautiful Princess: Evil! *(both start cackling insanely)* Okay, that's enough. I want you to...*(thinking, grasping idea)* put him into a deep sleep!

Evil Witch: *(sarcastic)* Like sleeping beauty? Very original Princess.

Beautiful Princess: Hey! That's Beautiful Princess to you and shut up! This is my first evil scheme.

Evil Witch: *(bowing to princess)* Very well Beautiful Princess...You're the boss. I'll be back in a flash....

Beautiful Princess: Wait! Disguise yourself so he doesn't suspect anything!

Evil Witch: *(disappointed)* Very well...I'll never be given credit for my work! *(stops, takes a deep breath, and cackles her way off stage).*

Beautiful Princess: *(to audience, happily)* It won't be long now! *(exits).*

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Scene Two

(Prince Charming walks on stage, a little nervous).

Prince Charming: *(to audience)* Have you ever felt like someone's watching you? Planning something evil against you? I've felt that way all day. *(defensive)* It's not like I couldn't protect myself if I ever was in trouble. I'm Prince Charming after all. It's just... I can't risk anyone ruining this handsome face and well muscled body. Perhaps I need a body guard. But I can't let anyone know I'm worried...that could ruin my entire image. I know! Fairy Godfather! Where are you?

(Man in a dress and fairy wings enters stage, grumbling under his breath).

Fairy Godfather: *(sighs and bows)* Your Highness, Your wish is my command.

Prince Charming: *(humorous disbelief)* Dude, you're wearing a dress-

Fairy Godfather: *(defensive)* I know I'm wearing a dress! What do you want?

Prince Charming: I need protection.

Fairy Godfather: *(looks very uncomfortable)* I...I don't think I *(coughs)* should be the one to help you with that...If you feel you have a relationship...um...If you think you're ready-

Prince Charming: *(frustrated and a little embarrassed)* Not that kind of protection! *(sighs)* I have been feeling a little off. I need to be sure that if I am in danger and need help, someone will be there to help me. The problem is, *(gets aggressive)* I cannot let people know I need help so I am confiding in you to keep this all completely secret got it?

Fairy Godfather: *(pulling away from Prince Charming)* Yeah, got it. Just call if you need me.

(walks out, hulling up dress as he goes. Prince Charming sighs calmly and backs up slowly until he bumps into Evil Witch and screams in falsetto. She is wearing a really bad disguise).

Evil Witch: Hello my pretty! *(Prince Charming screams in falsetto once again and runs away. She uses her magic to halt him).*

Evil Witch: No, no, no, silly little boy.

Prince Charming: Wh-who-who ar-are y-y-you?

Evil Witch: It's not important who I am! What is important is what I'm going to do...

(Evil Witch starts circling Prince Charming and chanting while he cowers).

Evil Witch: Little Prince, sleep deep sweet boy,
dark nights break the heavy eye.
May you have a dreamless slumber
from now and until you die!

(As she finishes singing, Prince Charming yells for Fairy Godfather but falls asleep. Beautiful Princess skips on stage while singing or humming. She sees Prince Charming and smiles evilly).

Beautiful Princess: O look! Prince Charming has fallen into a deep sleep! I shall wake him from his slumber with *(puckers lips)* a kiss.

(Beautiful Princess walks over to Prince Charming, lifts his head and kisses him. He wakes gasping for air and looking around desperately. Finally he realizes Beautiful Princess is still holding him and smiling at him obsessively. He screams).

Prince Charming: What are you doing? Who are you?

Beautiful Princess: I am the Beautiful Princess and I just saved your life so now we can live happily ever after!

Prince Charming: Are you nuts? Get away from me! *(Prince Charming runs off stage nervous and scared. Beautiful Princess is very angry and sad).*

Beautiful Princess: Evil Witch! Get out here you...you...little wench!

(Evil Witch comes on stage cackling, running around and flying again).

Beautiful Princess; That's enough! You failed! He did not fall in love with me and it's your fault! Try again! This time get him to...eat a poison apple!

Evil Witch: *(smug)* Like Snow White-

Beautiful Princess: YES like Snow White! Deal with it now GO!

Evil Witch: Fine!

(Evil Witch leaves stage same way as before).

Beautiful Princess: *(towards audience, exasperated)* Boys! *(leaves stage)*

(Fairy Godfather enters stage exhausted).

Fairy Godfather: *(breathing heavily)* I-I'm h-here! What's wrong? *(looking around)* Prince charming? Yoo hoo! *(realizing no one is there, grumbles his way off stage)*

(Blackout)

Scene Three

(Prince Charming is on stage trying on crowns. He puts one on, flexes his muscles, and repeats this a few times. Evil Witch is wearing another bad disguise, sneaks up behind him and feels his biceps.)

Evil Witch: *(pleased)* Not bad.

(Prince screams)

Evil Witch: Would you like an apple?

Prince Charming: No thanks...

Evil Witch: No, Please, I insist!

Prince Charming: I don't want an apple! Fairy Godfather!

Evil Witch: *(becoming aggressive)* Listen you little punk! I've got a job to do so just eat the apple!

Prince Charming: Okay, Okay. God *(bites apple and cringes from taste)*

Evil Witch: SWALLOW!

Prince Charming: *(swallows after some difficulty)* Not bad. *(then passes out)*

(Witch leaves stage, Princess enters stage)

Princess: *(fake)* Oh No! The Prince is in trouble! If only there was someone to save him!
(quietly mimics shouting help) I guess it's up to me.

(Beautiful Princess kisses Prince Charming who awakes gasping and coughing)

Prince Charming: Whoa! That was some apple! *(tries to take another bite)*

Beautiful Princess: *(throws apple across stage)* Oh! My prince! We've found each other at last!

Prince Charming: *(freaked out once more)* Ahhh!! Get away from me!*(leaves stage)*

Beautiful Princess: Evil Witch! This is the last straw! A dragon! Send a dragon after him!

Evil Witch: *(consoling)* Princess, I think you should accept he does not love you. There are

plenty more fish in the sea. If it's not meant to be, it's not meant to be. There's someone out there who loves you for you!

(Long Pause).

Beautiful princess: That only happens in reality Evil Witch, never in fairytales. Get a dragon now!

Evil Witch: Fine!

(Evil Witch dramatically leaves stage).

Beautiful Princess: *(extreme frustration, towards audience)* ARGHHHH!*(leaves stage)*

(Fairy godfather runs on stage late again).

Fairy Godfather: D-don't start w-without m-me! It's hard to run in these heels. Okay. What's the problem? *(looks around, realizes prince is nowhere, walks off stage angrily again)*

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Scene Four

(Prince Charming is on stage weight lifting but cannot seem to budge the weights. Evil Witch enters stage with a dragon puppet and attacks the prince).

(Prince screams and runs away).

Evil Witch: *(voice of dragon)* I am a dragon! I will destroy you!

(Dragon chases prince around stage until he calls out to his fairy godfather again. Princess enters stage with a sword and slays the dragon).

Princess: I have slayed the dragon! Now, I'm going to explain something to you and you're going to listen. I'm a beautiful Princess, You are a charming prince. We are supposed to fall in love and live happily ever after! Now kiss me!

(Prince runs off stage more terrified then ever).

Princess: *(fuming)* Evil Witch! I have had enough! You are fired!

Witch: I'm fired!!

(Witch and Princess take part in hand to hand combat until Witch says a spell to change Princess into a frog).

Evil Witch: Ugly, slimy, covered green!
A princess in words, but a frog is seen!

(Witch leaves stage and Princess sits like a frog).

Princess: Oh ribbit no! Ribbit. I've been turned into a frog! Gross! Oh! Perhaps my prince will ribbit save me ribbit. Prince Charming! ribbit.

(Prince Charming walks on stage and sees princess).

Prince Charming: Not you again *(tries to run)*

Princess: Wait! Just kiss me and I'll be a princess again!

Prince Charming: Ah...Can't...sorry. *(runs off stage)*

(Princess sobs first quietly and then louder and louder. Fairy Godfather comes on stage late again and sees princess).

Fairy Godfather: *(comes on stage extremely exhausted. He's yelling and gasping desperately for breath.)* I-I'm here. I-I'm too old for this. Excuse me miss. You. see. Prince?

Princess: I have actually. I've had enough of that boy.

Fairy Godfather: So have I.

Princess: If you turn me back into a princess, I will get him back for both of us!

Fairy Godfather: Very Well. He needs to be taught a lesson. *(taps her head hard with the wand.)* There, You are now a princess again!

Princess: Thanks Fairy Godfather!*(leaving stage, then pauses)* You know you're wearing a dress right?

Fairy godfather: Forget about the dress! Go!

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Scene Five

(Beautiful princess enters stage wearing black ninja tope around head and war make up. Prince Charming is bent over tying his shoe. Beautiful Princess walks in slowly and gets ready to stab him with her sword but he gets up just as she is about to hit him and she misses).

Beautiful Princess: Prince Charming! I challenge you to a duel! Draw your sword!

Prince Charming: Very well. Since you obviously can't take a hint, I have no other choice then too defeat you! On guard!

(They fight fiercely).

Beautiful Princess: We wouldn't be having this well choreographed sword fight if you would just love me!

Prince Charming: I don't like you that way!

Beautiful Princess: Why not? I'm pretty!

Prince Charming: You try too hard, plus you're just not my type!

Beautiful Princess: Fine! If we can't live happily ever after, you're not going to live at all!

(Jabs at him with sword but misses again. They fight a little more. Then Beautiful Princess and Prince Charming both shout for "Evil Witch" and "Fairy Godfather," respectively, in unison. Both Fairy Godfather and Evil Witch come on stage angrily from opposite sides of stage).

Fairy Godfather/Evil Witch: How dare you call me after all you have put me through!

(Fairy Godfather and Evil Witch see each other and fall in love. Beautiful Princess and Prince Charming are still fighting, now hand to hand combat and shout their names again. Fairy Godmother and Evil Witch take their wands and kill Prince Charming and Beautiful Princess, respectively. They then run towards each other in slow motion).

Fairy Godmother/Evil Witch: I love you!

Evil Witch: You don't mind my big nose and hairy wart?

Fairy Godfather: Of Course not! And you don't mind my dress and high heels?

Evil Witch: It is a little weird but I'll deal with it!

(They both hug/kiss and turn to walk off stage together, holding hands)

Fairy Godfather: Do you think we can ever live happily ever after?

Evil Witch: Happily? I'm not sure. *(squeezes his butt and looks towards audience, pleased)* But definitely satisfied!

(Blackout)

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