QUEEN CHARLOTTE

a BRIDGERTON story

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"Crown Jewels"

Charlotte demands a declaration from George ahead of the future king's arrival. Lady Danbury and Princess Augusta cross swords over the Great Experiment.

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1 00:00:23 --> 00:00:26 [tense, somber music playing]

> 2 00:00:35 --> 00:00:37 [door creaks open]

> 00:00:42 --> 00:00:44 [inhales deeply]

00:00:45 --> 00:00:47 [exhales deeply]

5 00:00:49 --> 00:00:51 [door creaks open]

00:00:53 --> 00:00:56

Doctor. It does you honor that you came so quickly.

7 00:00:56 --> 00:00:57 Your Highness, I should inform you--

8 00:00:57 --> 00:00:59 I do not have time for pleasantries.

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00:00:59 --> 00:01:02
I returned to Buckingham House this afternoon,

10 00:01:02 --> 00:01:05 only to be told that Her Majesty is no longer residing there.

11 00:01:05 --> 00:01:08 It seems she has moved to Kew to be with the king. 12

00:01:08 --> 00:01:13

You told me that His Majesty required intensive private treatments.

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00:01:13 --> 00:01:14

I did, Your Highness.

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00:01:14 --> 00:01:17

Then perhaps you would like to offer me some sort of explanation.

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00:01:17 --> 00:01:20

Inform me

of the next course of treatments?

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00:01:20 --> 00:01:21

I cannot.

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00:01:21 --> 00:01:22

You cannot? Doctor!

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00:01:23 --> 00:01:25

I cannot, as I'm no longer His Majesty's doctor.

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00:01:26 --> 00:01:27

Oh, nonsense. Of course you are.

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00:01:27 --> 00:01:29

I have been dismissed.

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00:01:29 --> 00:01:30

Dismissed?

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00:01:31 --> 00:01:32

That is not possible.

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00:01:32 --> 00:01:34

The king would not do such a thing.

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00:01:34 --> 00:01:35

What is he up to?

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00:01:37 --> 00:01:39

It is not the king, Your Highness.

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00:01:41 --> 00:01:43

She did this?

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00:01:44 --> 00:01:45

[pleasant music plays]

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00:01:45 --> 00:01:48

[Lady Whistledown] Dearest gentle reader.

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00:01:48 --> 00:01:51

As winter turns to spring,

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00:01:51 --> 00:01:55

England wakes

to welcome nature's abundance.

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00:01:57 --> 00:02:00

I am so pleased you decided to ask me to join you on a walk.

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00:02:00 --> 00:02:03

-[both chuckle]

-I do enjoy the winter.

33

00:02:03 --> 00:02:05

But I have been longing for the weather to turn.

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00:02:05 --> 00:02:07
Today is the first fine day.

35 00:02:08 --> 00:02:09 -Perfect for a stroll. -Yes.

36 00:02:09 --> 00:02:10 [chuckles]

37 00:02:12 --> 00:02:13 Agatha.

38 00:02:14 --> 00:02:15 I...

39

00:02:16 --> 00:02:20 am contemplating... starting anew.

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00:02:21 --> 00:02:22 Why, Violet Bridgerton.

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00:02:24 --> 00:02:26
 -Hurrah for you.
-Only contemplating.

42 00:02:27 --> 00:02:29 I try to imagine it.

43 00:02:29 --> 00:02:33 Another... Another man besides Edmund.

> 44 00:02:33 --> 00:02:36

He is all I have ever known. We were children together. He was...

45 00:02:39 --> 00:02:40 I had a great love.

46 00:02:41 --> 00:02:42 I do not expect another.

47 00:02:43 --> 00:02:45 Yet I suppose my standards are high.

00:02:45 --> 00:02:49
You have a right
to high standards, Violet.

00:02:49 --> 00:02:52

It is a great adventure you embark upon.

50 00:02:52 --> 00:02:53 [Violet sighs]

51 00:02:54 --> 00:02:55 [chuckles]

52 00:02:55 --> 00:02:58 Enjoy every moment.

53 00:03:00 --> 00:03:03 Now, do I need more?

54 00:03:03 --> 00:03:05 -There is a bit of a chill in the air. -Hm.

55 00:03:05 --> 00:03:07 I shall ring for my pelisse.

56 00:03:09 --> 00:03:10 [exhales sharply]

57 00:03:13 --> 00:03:14 [chuckles softly]

58
00:03:15 --> 00:03:17
[pensive instrumental music builds]

59 00:03:17 --> 00:03:18 [chuckles lightly]

60 00:03:22 --> 00:03:24 [laughing] Oh, how lovely.

61 00:03:24 --> 00:03:25 [chuckles]

00:03:25 --> 00:03:27
Are these from your travels?

63 00:03:29 --> 00:03:32 Or do your children send these your way?

64
00:03:43 --> 00:03:46
[Lady Whistledown]
One can find gardens in bloom

66 00:03:50 --> 00:03:53 Discoveries are everywhere. 67

00:03:54 --> 00:03:57

Mother Nature is sharing her secrets.

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00:04:05 --> 00:04:07

There! I am now warm enough.

69

00:04:07 --> 00:04:08

[both chuckle]

70

00:04:08 --> 00:04:10

-Shall we walk?

71

00:04:12 --> 00:04:13

Let us walk.

72

00:04:15 --> 00:04:20

Sadly, the royal house

remains infertile ground.

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00:04:20 --> 00:04:25

It seems as if a certain

continued lack of fruitful bounty

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00:04:25 --> 00:04:29

has left a despondent chill

in the palace halls.

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00:04:30 --> 00:04:33

Brimsley, this crown is breaking my neck.

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00:04:33 --> 00:04:36

It is gloriously regal

to behold, Your Majesty.

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00:04:36 --> 00:04:38

I am so hot.

78 00:04:38 --> 00:04:40 We are all hot.

 $79 \\ 00:04:40 \longrightarrow 00:04:42$ I cannot breathe in this position.

80 00:04:42 --> 00:04:44 Move! Switch places with me.

00:04:44 --> 00:04:45
I will not move. This is my spot.

82 00:04:45 --> 00:04:47 Cease talking.

83 00:04:48 --> 00:04:49 None of it has any significance.

84
00:04:50 --> 00:04:52
Without an heir,
this portrait will be meaningless.

85 00:04:53 --> 00:04:56 A faint relic in a dusty storage room.

> 86 00:04:57 --> 00:05:00 Our lineage will be a page in a history text.

87 00:05:00 --> 00:05:03 -Mother, you are being most unfair. -Am I?

> 88 00:05:04 --> 00:05:06

Has anyone created a baby yet?

89

00:05:06 --> 00:05:10

Is there any fruit to show for all of my efforts on your behalf?

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00:05:11 --> 00:05:15

As the eldest... have you been of any assistance to the Crown in this manner?

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00:05:15 --> 00:05:16

[Georgie] I...

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00:05:16 --> 00:05:20

Uh... I think what Georgie is trying to say,
Mother, is that he--

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00:05:20 --> 00:05:23

Is that his brothers

continue to fail in their duties

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00:05:23 --> 00:05:25

as you have failed in yours.

95

00:05:25 --> 00:05:27

Paint faster.

96

00:05:27 --> 00:05:29

That we might end this nightmare.

97

00:05:30 --> 00:05:32

Poses.

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00:05:32 --> 00:05:34

[children sighing quietly]

00:05:35 --> 00:05:37 Will His Majesty be joining us soon?

100 00:05:40 --> 00:05:41 [sighs deeply]

101 00:05:41 --> 00:05:44 [Lady Whistledown] This author has it on good authority

102 00:05:44 --> 00:05:49 that the queen's growing displeasure was on full display

103 00:05:49 --> 00:05:52 at a recent family portrait sitting.

> 104 00:05:52 --> 00:05:53 You may continue.

105 00:05:53 --> 00:05:54 [painter] But...

106 00:05:56 --> 00:05:57 I need... [scoffs]

107 00:05:58 --> 00:05:59 They are gone.

108 00:06:00 --> 00:06:03 Are you saying Her Majesty is not sitting for her portrait?

> 109 00:06:03 --> 00:06:04 Well...

> > 110

00:06:06 --> 00:06:07 No.

111 00:06:09 --> 00:06:10 -No.

-The family are right there.

112

00:06:10 --> 00:06:14

Happy and graciously providing you with a reputation of excellence.

113 00:06:14 --> 00:06:16 I see them.

114 00:06:17 --> 00:06:17 Do you not?

115 00:06:19 --> 00:06:20 I do see them.

116 00:06:21 --> 00:06:23 [Lady Whistledown] One has to wonder,

117 00:06:23 --> 00:06:26 will Queen Charlotte's relentless pursuit of a royal heir

118 00:06:27 --> 00:06:29 be the royal family's undoing?

119 00:06:29 --> 00:06:33 Or can a mother's love conquer all?

> 120 00:06:36 --> 00:06:38 [theme music playing]

00:07:04 --> 00:07:07 A warm meal and a bath must be a balm.

122

00:07:09 --> 00:07:11

You seem more yourself. You look better.

123

00:07:14 --> 00:07:15

Do you... Do you feel better?

124

00:07:16 --> 00:07:18

You should not have come.

125

00:07:19 --> 00:07:20

I was most happy to come.

126

00:07:21 --> 00:07:22

-No.

-I am so sorry.

127

00:07:24 --> 00:07:26

I should have come sooner. Do not fear.

128

00:07:26 --> 00:07:27

-I shall remain by your side--

129

00:07:28 --> 00:07:30

Charlotte. Listen to my words.

130

00:07:30 --> 00:07:31

You should not have come.

131

00:07:33 --> 00:07:34

I do not want you here.

132

00:07:34 --> 00:07:35

George.

133

00:07:35 --> 00:07:37

Go back to Buckingham House, please.

134

00:07:40 --> 00:07:43

Do you hear me?

I said, "Go back to Buckingham House."

135

00:07:44 --> 00:07:46

That is where you live.

That is where you belong. Go.

136

00:07:49 --> 00:07:50

I do not want you.

137

00:07:51 --> 00:07:53

I want never to see you. Leave.

138

00:07:55 --> 00:07:56

[shouts] Get out!

139

00:07:58 --> 00:08:00

-I order you!

-No. No, George.

140

00:08:00 --> 00:08:03

-Charlotte!

-You cannot force me away. I will not go.

141

00:08:03 --> 00:08:04

I command it! Go!

142

00:08:04 --> 00:08:05

I will stay!

143

00:08:06 --> 00:08:07 I command it.

144

00:08:10 --> 00:08:12 -Please, Charlotte. Please go. -No.

145

00:08:12 --> 00:08:14 -Charlotte, you're not listening to me. -I am.

146

00:08:15 --> 00:08:18 I have heard that you wish I had not come.

147

00:08:18 --> 00:08:20
That you want me to go.
That you do not want to see me.

148

00:08:20 --> 00:08:23
What I have not heard
is that you do not love me.

149

00:08:25 --> 00:08:27 I have been suffering

150

00:08:27 --> 00:08:30

and alone and believing I am a failure

151

00:08:30 --> 00:08:32 as a wife and as your queen

152

00:08:32 --> 00:08:35 because you stay from me as though I am a disease.

153

00:08:36 --> 00:08:40

And then today, it suddenly occurred to me

that perhaps there is another reason.

154 00:08:40 --> 00:08:41 A better reason.

155

00:08:42 --> 00:08:45
Perhaps you stay away from me because you care for me.

156

00:08:47 --> 00:08:50
Perhaps you stay away because you love me.

157

00:08:53 --> 00:08:54
Do you love me?

158

00:08:55 --> 00:08:57

I'm trying to protect you.

159

00:08:57 --> 00:08:59 -Do you love me? -I... I cannot.

160

00:09:00 --> 00:09:01
We cannot... This conversation is...

161

 $00:09:02 \ --> \ 00:09:04$ -I can't do this. I never wanted to marry.

-Do you love me?

162

00:09:04 --> 00:09:06 Charlotte. Please, stop!

163

00:09:06 --> 00:09:08

Is it because you do not believe that I could love you?

164

00:09:09 --> 00:09:10 I do.

165

00:09:13 --> 00:09:15 I love you, George.

166

00:09:16 --> 00:09:19
 I love you so much
that I will do as you wish.

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00:09:19 --> 00:09:22

If you do not love me,
say you do not love me, and I will go.

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00:09:22 --> 00:09:23
I will go back to Buckingham House.

169

00:09:23 --> 00:09:26

And we can live our separate lives, and I will have this baby alone,

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00:09:26 --> 00:09:29

and I will make do
and fill my days and survive.

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 $00:09:29 \longrightarrow 00:09:31$ All on my own. I will do that.

172

00:09:31 --> 00:09:34

But first, you have to say that you do not love me.

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 $00:09:37 \longrightarrow 00:09:40$ You have to tell me that I am utterly alone in this world.

174

00:09:43 --> 00:09:44

I am a madman.

175

00:09:45 --> 00:09:49

[scoffs] I am a danger. In my mind, there are different worlds creeping in.

176

00:09:49 --> 00:09:50

The heavens and Earth collide.

177

00:09:50 --> 00:09:52

-I do not know where I am.
-Do you love me?

178

00:09:52 --> 00:09:54

You do not wish

a life with me for yourself.

179

00:09:54 --> 00:09:56

-No one wishes that.

-George!

180

00:09:56 --> 00:09:59

I will stand with you

between the heavens and the Earth.

181

00:09:59 --> 00:10:02

I will tell you where you are.

Do you love me?

182

00:10:02 --> 00:10:03

I love you!

183

00:10:03 --> 00:10:04

[gentle music plays]

184

00:10:04 --> 00:10:06

[sighs]

185 00:10:06 --> 00:10:07 From the mo...

186 00:10:09 --> 00:10:10 [Charlotte sighs]

187 00:10:10 --> 00:10:11 From the moment I saw you

188 00:10:11 --> 00:10:14 trying to go over the wall... I have loved you desperately.

189 00:10:14 --> 00:10:17 I cannot breathe when you are not near. I love you, Charlotte.

> 190 00:10:18 --> 00:10:19 My heart calls your name.

191 00:10:25 --> 00:10:27 [George sobbing quietly]

192 00:10:34 --> 00:10:35 [softly] I wanted to tell you.

> 193 00:10:38 --> 00:10:40 I wanted you to know.

> 194 00:10:43 --> 00:10:45 This... madness

195 00:10:45 --> 00:10:48 has been my secret my entire life.

196 00:10:49 --> 00:10:52 This darkness is... is my burden.

> 197 00:10:54 --> 00:10:55 You bring the light.

> 198 00:10:58 --> 00:10:59 George.

> 199 00:11:00 --> 00:11:02 It is you and me.

> 200 00:11:03 --> 00:11:04 We can do this.

201 00:11:05 --> 00:11:06 Together.

202 00:11:36 --> 00:11:38 When will he come, our little king?

> 203 00:11:38 --> 00:11:39 Soon.

> 204 00:11:41 --> 00:11:42 Very soon.

205 00:11:48 --> 00:11:50 [whispers] Hello, little king.

> 206 00:11:53 --> 00:11:54 -Hello. -[Charlotte sighs]

> 207 00:12:06 --> 00:12:08

[Coral] More solitude?

208 00:12:08 --> 00:12:09 Yes.

209

00:12:09 --> 00:12:11
Your cloak makes a fine blanket

210

00:12:11 --> 00:12:13
 if you decide
to have solitude on the ground.

211 00:12:13 --> 00:12:14 Coral!

212 00:12:15 --> 00:12:16 He was kind?

213 00:12:16 --> 00:12:18 He was joyful.

214 00:12:18 --> 00:12:19 I felt joy.

215 00:12:19 --> 00:12:20 Then I'm glad for you.

216 00:12:46 --> 00:12:47 Lady Danbury.

217 00:12:47 --> 00:12:48 Lord Ledger.

218 00:12:49 --> 00:12:50 I am Violet. 219 00:12:50 --> 00:12:51 Hello, Violet.

220

00:12:51 --> 00:12:53

What are you doing all the way out here?

221

00:12:53 --> 00:12:55
Getting out of Mother's hair.

222

00:12:56 --> 00:12:58

But how can we be in her hair when our house has 20 rooms?

223 00:12:58 --> 00:12:59 [chuckling] Violet.

224

00:13:00 --> 00:13:02
It is nice to see you, Lady Danbury.

225 00:13:02 --> 00:13:04 It is nice to see you too.

226

00:13:04 --> 00:13:07

I wish we might see one another again, but I understand how busy you are.

227

00:13:07 --> 00:13:10

And how busy you are... with Violet.

228

00:13:11 --> 00:13:12

Yes.

229

00:13:12 --> 00:13:15

-She's growing into a fine young lady.

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00:13:15 --> 00:13:19

Perhaps one day, she will have an unimpeachable reputation much like yours.

231 00:13:20 --> 00:13:21 Yes.

232

00:13:21 --> 00:13:25

My reputation is... quite respected.

233

00:13:26 --> 00:13:27

What every lady dreams of.

234

00:13:34 --> 00:13:37

I wish you much happiness.
On this fine day.

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00:13:37 --> 00:13:39

I wish you happiness as well.

236

00:13:40 --> 00:13:41

On this day.

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00:13:43 --> 00:13:45

Um... So...

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00:13:48 --> 00:13:50

I wanted to thank you

239

00:13:50 --> 00:13:55

for your... kindness...

after my husband passed.

240

00:13:56 --> 00:14:00

Lady Danbury, it is your kindness for which I should be showing gratitude.

241

00:14:02 --> 00:14:04 Goodbye, Lord Ledger.

242

00:14:05 --> 00:14:07 Goodbye, Lady Danbury.

243

00:14:08 --> 00:14:11 [somber music playing]

244

00:14:14 --> 00:14:15 [exhales sharply]

245

00:14:20 --> 00:14:21 All is well.

246

00:14:21 --> 00:14:23
He has dismissed his doctor.

247

00:14:23 --> 00:14:24 He has a new doctor.

248

00:14:24 --> 00:14:26 Oh. That is good.

249

00:14:26 --> 00:14:27 What is his name?

250

00:14:27 --> 00:14:29

I do not remember names. I am female.

251

00:14:29 --> 00:14:30 Of course. Apologies.

252

00:14:30 --> 00:14:33

They are staying at Kew, both of them?

253 00:14:33 --> 00:14:34 All is well.

254 00:14:34 --> 00:14:36 -So says the king? -He is the king.

255 00:14:36 --> 00:14:38 You have laid eyes on him?

00:14:38 --> 00:14:39
-Spoken to him?
-I am his mother.

00:14:40 --> 00:14:42 -I do not speak to my mother. -Nor I to mine.

> 258 00:14:42 --> 00:14:43 Dreadful woman.

259 00:14:43 --> 00:14:45 All is well. He is the king.

260 00:14:45 --> 00:14:47 What of the future arrival?

261 00:14:47 --> 00:14:49 The baby? The baby is well.

262 00:14:49 --> 00:14:50 All is well. [chuckles]

263 00:14:51 --> 00:14:52 Then it is settled.

264

00:14:52 --> 00:14:55
I will let Parliament know
he is available for an address.

265 00:14:56 --> 00:14:57 Of course.

266 00:14:57 --> 00:14:58 [whimsical music plays]

00:15:03 --> 00:15:05 -[door opens] -[exhales softly]

00:15:05 --> 00:15:07 [whimsical music ends]

269 00:15:08 --> 00:15:10 [doors opening]

00:15:11 --> 00:15:14

The Prince Regent and your daughter are here to see you, Your Majesty.

271 00:15:15 --> 00:15:16 Ladies, away.

272 00:15:18 --> 00:15:19 Children, come.

273 00:15:23 --> 00:15:25 What is the trouble now?

274 00:15:25 --> 00:15:27 Or is there good news?

275

00:15:27 --> 00:15:28
There is no news.

276

00:15:29 --> 00:15:30 This is, um--

277

00:15:30 --> 00:15:32

We come on behalf of all of us.

278

00:15:33 --> 00:15:35

-Your children.

-You represent the family, do you?

279

00:15:36 --> 00:15:36 Yes.

280

00:15:37 --> 00:15:40

Your siblings have entrusted you as their champions.

281

00:15:40 --> 00:15:43

Please do tell me what this is about.

282

00:15:44 --> 00:15:47

Mother, we only want to have a discussion about this baby.

283

00:15:47 --> 00:15:49

-This--

-No, not a discussion.

284

00:15:50 --> 00:15:52

Your baby race is cruel.

285

00:15:52 --> 00:15:53 Cruel?

286

00:15:53 --> 00:15:56
You focus on nothing else.
Georgie is grieving.

287

00:15:56 --> 00:15:58
-His daughter is dead.
-I am well aware.

288

00:15:58 --> 00:16:01
Yet you have shown him
not one moment of real kindness.

289

00:16:01 --> 00:16:04 No regard or compassion.

290

00:16:04 --> 00:16:07
You've shown none of us regard or compassion.

291

00:16:08 --> 00:16:10

Do you know how hard we have worked

292

00:16:10 --> 00:16:13

to provide you with your precious heir?

293

00:16:13 --> 00:16:15 The herbs, the tonics?

294

00:16:16 --> 00:16:19

Do you know how many babies I have lost

295

00:16:19 --> 00:16:21

before they were ready to be born?

296 00:16:21 --> 00:16:22 I did not.

297 00:16:24 --> 00:16:25 You lost babies?

298 00:16:25 --> 00:16:27 We have all lost... [inhales]

299 00:16:30 --> 00:16:31 We are trying, Mother.

300 00:16:33 --> 00:16:36 I know this is a difficult task,

301 00:16:36 --> 00:16:37 but I ask a great deal of you

302 00:16:38 --> 00:16:42 because I know each one of you can rise to the occasion.

> 303 00:16:42 --> 00:16:43 You do not know us.

> 304 00:16:44 --> 00:16:45 Any of us.

305 00:16:46 --> 00:16:49 You do not learn about us. You do not care for what we care for.

306 00:16:49 --> 00:16:50 Our happiness is not your goal.

307

00:16:51 --> 00:16:52 Nonsense.

308

 $00:16:52 \longrightarrow 00:16:54$ I want what is best for you.

309

00:16:55 --> 00:16:58

-As your mother--

-You have never been a mother.

310

00:17:00 --> 00:17:02

I have done all I could for you.

311

00:17:02 --> 00:17:04

If you understood the sacrifices,

312

00:17:04 --> 00:17:07

how hard I have worked to make sure you each...

313

00:17:07 --> 00:17:09

[somber music playing]

314

00:17:09 --> 00:17:11

I have been an excellent mother.

315

00:17:11 --> 00:17:13

No. You have been our queen,

316

00:17:14 --> 00:17:16

but you have never really been our mother.

317

00:17:20 --> 00:17:23

[somber music fades out]

318

00:17:28 --> 00:17:30

I am off to work in the fields.

319

00:17:31 --> 00:17:34
We are cycling millet.
Would you like to join me?

320

00:17:34 --> 00:17:37

Never. I shall stay here and grow our king.

321

00:17:43 --> 00:17:45 George. Oh. Uh, you received a letter.

322 00:17:46 --> 00:17:47 Where is it?

323 00:17:47 --> 00:17:48 Here.

324 00:17:48 --> 00:17:50 -Ah. -From Princess Augusta.

325

00:17:51 --> 00:17:53 My mother is writing me.

326 00:17:54 --> 00:17:55 Well...

327 00:18:08 --> 00:18:09 [clears throat]

328 00:18:09 --> 00:18:10 [Charlotte chuckles]

329 00:18:13 --> 00:18:14 Oh, you are beautiful.

330

00:18:15 --> 00:18:17 [claps] My wife is beautiful.

331 00:18:17 --> 00:18:18 [door opens]

332 00:18:19 --> 00:18:20 [door shuts]

333

00:18:29 --> 00:18:31
Did you want to say something, Reynolds?

334 00:18:31 --> 00:18:33 No, Your Majesty.

335 00:18:33 --> 00:18:34 [clears throat]

336 00:18:37 --> 00:18:38 Speak.

337

00:18:38 --> 00:18:41

His Majesty has good days and down days.

338 00:18:41 --> 00:18:42 He did.

339

00:18:42 --> 00:18:44

Now that I am here, his days are good.

340 00:18:45 --> 00:18:46 He is well.

341

00:18:46 --> 00:18:48
He is better. Is he not?

342

00:18:49 --> 00:18:51 He is better now.

343

00:18:51 --> 00:18:53
But perhaps caution would be--

344

00:18:53 --> 00:18:54 Reynolds. Let him be.

345

00:18:54 --> 00:18:56
All he needed was his wife,

346

00:18:56 --> 00:18:59

and a routine,

and to get rid of that dreadful doctor.

347

00:18:59 --> 00:19:00 He is well.

348

00:19:18 --> 00:19:19
Will it last?

349

00:19:20 --> 00:19:21 And will he stay as he is?

350

00:19:23 --> 00:19:24 Well?

werr:

351

00:19:26 --> 00:19:27 One can hope.

352

00:19:28 --> 00:19:29
Reynolds,

353

 $00:19:30 \longrightarrow 00:19:32$ if it lasts, they would have one another.

354

00:19:33 --> 00:19:35
Yeah, they will be together,

355

00:19:35 --> 00:19:37 have a marriage, grow old as one.

356

00:19:38 --> 00:19:40 We would serve them together.

357

00:19:41 --> 00:19:42

A lifetime.

358

00:19:43 --> 00:19:44
Yeah.

359

00:19:45 --> 00:19:46 A lifetime.

360

00:19:46 --> 00:19:48 [gentle music plays]

361

00:19:52 --> 00:19:53 It is possible.

362

00:19:57 --> 00:19:58
But truly possible?

363

00:20:00 --> 00:20:01 I do not know.

364

00:20:04 --> 00:20:04

Perhaps.

365

00:20:09 --> 00:20:11

Great love can make miracles.

366

00:20:17 --> 00:20:18

It can.

367

00:20:27 --> 00:20:29

Thank you for seeing me, Your Highness.

368

00:20:30 --> 00:20:32

Thank you

for paying me a visit, Lady Danbury.

369

00:20:33 --> 00:20:34

Hm.

370

00:20:40 --> 00:20:44

I am so glad that you met Lord Danbury, the new Lord Danbury.

371

00:20:44 --> 00:20:45

Did I?

372

00:20:46 --> 00:20:49

I know I met your son. Very handsome.

373

00:20:49 --> 00:20:50

Hm.

374

00:20:52 --> 00:20:53

I have been told

375

00:20:53 --> 00:20:57

that you had the honor

of a visit by Her Majesty.

376

00:20:57 --> 00:20:59
The queen was kind enough to offer her sympathies

377

00:20:59 --> 00:21:03

upon the loss of my dear husband, the late Lord Danbury.

378

00:21:03 --> 00:21:05 Yes, my condolences.

379

00:21:05 --> 00:21:08 Losing a husband is... inconvenient.

380

00:21:08 --> 00:21:09 [pensive music plays]

381

00:21:09 --> 00:21:12

The queen must be very fond of you

382

00:21:13 --> 00:21:15

to come out during her confinement.

383

00:21:16 --> 00:21:17

Yes.

384

00:21:17 --> 00:21:18

Yes.

385

00:21:26 --> 00:21:29

As it is a fact that my son will inherit his father's title--

386

00:21:29 --> 00:21:30

Is it?

387 00:21:30 --> 00:21:32 Is it not?

388

00:21:32 --> 00:21:36
Whether or not the Great Experiment will go on past this generation

389
00:21:36 --> 00:21:39
is something
only His Majesty can determine.

390 00:21:39 --> 00:21:41 Such a complicated debate.

391 00:21:41 --> 00:21:42 I see.

392 00:21:43 --> 00:21:44 [Augusta] Of course,

393 00:21:45 --> 00:21:48 I am sure I could expediate your answer

394
00:21:48 --> 00:21:51
if you have information that may be useful.

395
00:21:54 --> 00:21:57
I am not sure what information
I could possibly possess

396
00:21:57 --> 00:22:01
that one as brilliant as Your Highness could not obtain yourself.

397

00:22:04 --> 00:22:07

I believe the matter of title inheritance

398

00:22:08 --> 00:22:10 shall be difficult to settle.

399

00:22:12 --> 00:22:13
More tea?

400

00:22:14 --> 00:22:18

I'm sure you could give Princess Augusta the smallest of details.

401

00:22:18 --> 00:22:20

Pears! Her Majesty asked for pears while she was here.

402

00:22:20 --> 00:22:24

I will not engage with the princess. I've promised the queen friendship.

403

00:22:24 --> 00:22:26 If you are friends,

404

00:22:26 --> 00:22:29

perhaps you could

ask Her Majesty to intervene.

405

00:22:29 --> 00:22:31

She seems so kind. I'm sure she--

406

00:22:31 --> 00:22:33

Her Majesty has gone away to Kew.

407

00:22:33 --> 00:22:36

I cannot simply turn up at Kew.

408

00:22:36 --> 00:22:39

She's with child. She's in a state.

409

00:22:39 --> 00:22:42

I cannot do anything

that might cause her upset or worry.

410

00:22:42 --> 00:22:44

She has enough of that as it is.

411

00:22:44 --> 00:22:45

What does that mean?

412

00:22:45 --> 00:22:47

Well, there are the rumors to consider.

413

00:22:47 --> 00:22:48

Rumors?

414

00:22:48 --> 00:22:50

Well, I'm hearing that

415

00:22:51 --> 00:22:53

the Palace stands not on firm ground.

416

00:22:53 --> 00:22:56

That the king is ill or injured or...

417

00:22:56 --> 00:22:59

Well, there is something amiss with the king.

418

00:22:59 --> 00:23:01

-Coral, that is gossip.

-[scoffs]

419 00:23:01 --> 00:23:02 No!

420

00:23:02 --> 00:23:04
I'm not a person for gossip.

421
00:23:04 --> 00:23:07

If I were, I'd say I've heard from several kitchen maids

422

00:23:07 --> 00:23:11

that members of the House of Lords are concerned for the king's welfare.

423 00:23:11 --> 00:23:13 There is talk that the Palace is in jeopardy.

424 00:23:13 --> 00:23:15 But you are not one to gossip.

> 425 00:23:15 --> 00:23:16 Never.

426
00:23:17 --> 00:23:19
I certainly cannot
ask Her Majesty for help if that is true.

427 00:23:20 --> 00:23:22 [pensive music plays]

428 00:23:22 --> 00:23:24 [driver chattering]

429 00:24:04 --> 00:24:05 [indistinct conversation]

430

00:24:08 --> 00:24:09 [Augusta] This is tedious.

431

00:24:10 --> 00:24:13

You will tell the king that his mother is waiting.

432 00:24:14 --> 00:24:15 Now!

433

00:24:19 --> 00:24:21 I do not understand.

434

00:24:21 --> 00:24:23
The king is not receiving visitors at this time.

435 00:24:23 --> 00:24:25 I am not a visitor.

436

00:24:25 --> 00:24:28

You are most welcome
to return some other time in the future.

437 00:24:28 --> 00:24:29 I am here now.

438

00:24:29 --> 00:24:31 George is not available now.

439

00:24:32 --> 00:24:34 -Does he know I am here? -He is occupied.

00:24:34 --> 00:24:35 I may be forced to worry

441

00:24:35 --> 00:24:38

that you are holding the king against his will, which would be--

> 442 00:24:39 --> 00:24:40 -Treason. -Yes.

> > 443

00:24:40 --> 00:24:44

It could be considered treason if you do not allow me to see him.

444

00:24:44 --> 00:24:46 The king does not wish to receive at this time.

445

00:24:46 --> 00:24:47 You dare to speak for him.

446

00:24:48 --> 00:24:49 You are not the king.

447

00:24:49 --> 00:24:52 No, but I am your queen.

448

00:24:53 --> 00:24:54

Well,

449

00:24:55 --> 00:24:58

you certainly have become comfortable.

450

00:24:58 --> 00:25:00

You chose me well.

451

00:25:01 --> 00:25:04 [tense music builds slowly]

452

00:25:04 --> 00:25:07
You carry just one king in your womb.

453

00:25:07 --> 00:25:11
The other king, George,
 I carried that king.

454

00:25:11 --> 00:25:14

And while your little king can hide out cozy and warm

455

00:25:14 --> 00:25:16 in the embrace of your belly,

456

00:25:16 --> 00:25:18 my king cannot.

457

00:25:19 --> 00:25:22

How do you not know what I have always understood?

458

00:25:23 --> 00:25:26

From the moment a king is born, there is no hiding for him.

459

00:25:27 --> 00:25:29

There is no room for illness or weakness.

460

00:25:30 --> 00:25:31 There is only power.

461

00:25:32 --> 00:25:35

I have done all I can to ensure his power,

462

00:25:35 --> 00:25:36 and you are undoing it.

463

00:25:36 --> 00:25:38
That is not true--

464

00:25:38 --> 00:25:40
He is not even trying,
and you are allowing it.

465

00:25:40 --> 00:25:43
You cannot allow him to hide.

466

00:25:43 --> 00:25:45
His Crown will not survive.

467

00:25:46 --> 00:25:47
He has a country.

468

00:25:47 --> 00:25:50 He has people. He must rule.

469

00:25:50 --> 00:25:52 Lord Bute is waiting.

470

00:25:53 --> 00:25:56
The government is

growing restless and suspicious.

471

00:25:57 --> 00:25:59
George must face Parliament.

472

00:26:07 --> 00:26:08 This is on you now.

473 00:26:11 --> 00:26:12 He is yours.

474 00:26:16 --> 00:26:19 [door opens and closes]

475 00:26:21 --> 00:26:22 [tense music ends]

476 00:26:25 --> 00:26:28 Charlotte. How goes the day?

> 477 00:26:28 --> 00:26:29 Your mother was here.

478 00:26:31 --> 00:26:33 -I do not want to see her. -I know.

479 00:26:34 --> 00:26:35 I sent her away.

480 00:26:37 --> 00:26:38 However, we must away as well.

481 00:26:39 --> 00:26:40 Back to Buckingham House.

482 00:26:41 --> 00:26:44 -[George] Charlotte---You have to address Parliament.

 $\begin{array}{c} 483 \\ 00:26:45 \ --> \ 00:26:46 \\ \end{array}$ The people need their king.

00:26:50 --> 00:26:51 Mm.

485

00:26:54 --> 00:26:55 Ungrateful.

486

00:26:56 --> 00:26:59

The most ungrateful whining children.

487

00:26:59 --> 00:27:01

How dare they speak to me that way.

488

00:27:01 --> 00:27:03

A better life

they could not have asked for.

489

00:27:04 --> 00:27:06

[sighs] I was

490

00:27:06 --> 00:27:08

a most extraordinary mother.

491

00:27:11 --> 00:27:14

I was a most extraordinary mother.

492

00:27:15 --> 00:27:16

[clears throat]

493

00:27:18 --> 00:27:18

Leave us.

494

00:27:21 --> 00:27:24

[door creaks open and closed]

495

00:27:24 --> 00:27:27

Your silence does not bode well for you.

496

00:27:28 --> 00:27:30

Your Majesty,

you are the greatest of queens--

497

00:27:30 --> 00:27:31

And mothers.

498

00:27:32 --> 00:27:35

You are the greatest of queens, yet you share one trait in common

499

00:27:36 --> 00:27:38

with all of the people here in the palace.

500

00:27:38 --> 00:27:40

You serve one person. The king.

501

00:27:40 --> 00:27:42

That is not a flaw.

502

00:27:42 --> 00:27:43

It is a gift.

503

00:27:43 --> 00:27:45

Everyone serves the king.

504

00:27:45 --> 00:27:48

We all care for His Majesty, above all.

505

00:27:49 --> 00:27:49

Not true.

506

00:27:50 --> 00:27:52

Brimsley, you care for me.

507 00:27:53 --> 00:27:54 Yes.

508

00:27:54 --> 00:27:57

And I will continue to do so until my last days.

509

00:27:58 --> 00:28:00
[soft instrumental music builds slowly]

510 00:28:04 --> 00:28:07 Brimsley... have you any family?

> 511 00:28:09 --> 00:28:10 Did you never marry?

> > 512

00:28:12 --> 00:28:14 Uh, no, Your Majesty.

513

00:28:16 --> 00:28:19

Who could I ever find who would be free to spend a lifetime with me?

514 00:28:21 --> 00:28:22 I am here.

515

00:28:25 --> 00:28:27

Everyone here cares for the king.

516

00:28:30 --> 00:28:31
Brimsley.

517

00:28:31 --> 00:28:32

Your Majesty.

00:28:33 --> 00:28:35 Send in my dressers.

519

00:28:37 --> 00:28:38 Yes, Your Majesty.

520

00:28:46 --> 00:28:47
[driver chattering]

521

00:29:18 --> 00:29:20
It's lovely to see you progressing.

522

00:29:20 --> 00:29:23
I do hope Your Majesty
has found the experience to be

523

00:29:23 --> 00:29:25 without too much discomfort thus far.

524

00:29:26 --> 00:29:27 It has been...

525

00:29:31 --> 00:29:35

Life at Kew,
it has not been without discomfort.

526 00:29:37 --> 00:29:38 And the king,

527

00:29:38 --> 00:29:42

he must be full of excitement surrounding the coming of his heir.

528

 $00:29:45 \longrightarrow 00:29:46$ It is good to be home.

00:29:47 --> 00:29:48
I have missed your company.

530

00:29:49 --> 00:29:51
Tell me, what have I missed while I was away?

531

00:29:52 --> 00:29:55

As for the ton, I have no gossip of consequence to share.

532

00:29:55 --> 00:30:00

I have been occupied tending to the estate in the wake of the death of my husband.

533

00:30:01 --> 00:30:02

Of course.

534

00:30:02 --> 00:30:05

You are mourning a great loss.

And the children?

535

00:30:12 --> 00:30:13

Is there anything I can do?

536

00:30:19 --> 00:30:20

This.

537

00:30:22 --> 00:30:24

Spending time with a friend helps.

538

00:30:25 --> 00:30:26

This is all I need.

539

00:30:27 --> 00:30:28

Wonderful.

540

00:30:28 --> 00:30:31

Now, I have asked the royal physician.

541

00:30:32 --> 00:30:34

And he says getting a baby out of me shall be quick and painless.

542

00:30:35 --> 00:30:36

You have babies.

543

00:30:37 --> 00:30:39

Tell me, does it hurt?

544

00:30:39 --> 00:30:43

Having children is

the worst pain imaginable.

545

00:30:43 --> 00:30:44

I knew it.

546

00:30:44 --> 00:30:46

[chuckles lightly]

547

00:30:46 --> 00:30:47

Wait, really?

548

00:30:49 --> 00:30:50

No.

549

00:30:50 --> 00:30:51

[light instrumental music plays]

550

00:30:52 --> 00:30:54

It only hurts a little.

00:30:54 --> 00:30:57

And you shall hardly remember it when it's over.

552 00:30:57 --> 00:30:59 [sighs in relief] Good.

553
00:31:09 --> 00:31:12
This may be my favorite place
in all of London.

554 00:31:12 --> 00:31:15 Oh! Look how tall those have grown.

555 00:31:15 --> 00:31:17 [Lady Danbury chuckles and sighs]

> 556 00:31:17 --> 00:31:18 -[Violet] Agatha. -Mm.

557
00:31:19 --> 00:31:22
You told me that your garden did not bloom

558 00:31:22 --> 00:31:24 until after Lord Danbury died.

559 00:31:25 --> 00:31:28 -What did you mean? -[scoffs] That is a change of topic.

560 00:31:28 --> 00:31:31 No, it is the return to topic. As I told you, I am contemplating.

561 00:31:31 --> 00:31:33 Do you want to marry again? 562 00:31:33 --> 00:31:35 Oh, well, I had not thought that far.

> 563 00:31:35 --> 00:31:37 -It would be quite a change. -Mm.

564 00:31:38 --> 00:31:41 -I do like my life as it is now. -Hm.

> 565 00:31:41 --> 00:31:43 And the children. Yet I...

566 00:31:45 --> 00:31:47 -I do not know. -[chuckles lightly]

567 00:31:48 --> 00:31:50 Was there ever anyone else for you?

> 568 00:31:51 --> 00:31:53 After Lord Danbury?

569 00:31:53 --> 00:31:55 Did you ever want to marry again?

570 00:31:55 --> 00:31:59 Or did you ever want to... take a lover?

> 571 00:32:00 --> 00:32:03 I wanted to feel alive.

572 00:32:03 --> 00:32:07 So, there was someone after Lord Danbury.

573

00:32:08 --> 00:32:10
I have lived a life. Yes.

574

00:32:11 --> 00:32:13
We are going to need
a... a quiet place to talk.

575 00:32:13 --> 00:32:14 Violet.

576 00:32:15 --> 00:32:18

I have loved and been loved.

577 00:32:19 --> 00:32:22 And that is all I shall say.

> 578 00:32:23 --> 00:32:26 -That is all? -I am discreet.

579 00:32:26 --> 00:32:29

Agatha, you have just told me...

580

00:32:31 --> 00:32:33 you were in love with a man after your husband.

581

00:32:36 --> 00:32:39 We are friends. Are we not?

582

00:32:43 --> 00:32:46
Did I ever tell you
about the queen's brother?

583 00:32:47 --> 00:32:50 You and... Queen Charlotte's brother?

584 00:32:50 --> 00:32:52 Mm.

585 00:32:53 --> 00:32:54 That is a surprise.

586 00:32:54 --> 00:32:58 Because... I am discreet.

587 00:33:03 --> 00:33:06 Lady Danbury, it is lovely to see you.

> 588 00:33:06 --> 00:33:07 And you.

589 00:33:09 --> 00:33:13

Uh, with the birth, it seems I may be in England longer than I expected.

590 00:33:13 --> 00:33:17 I... I wonder if I might call upon you.

> 591 00:33:17 --> 00:33:18 On me?

> 592 00:33:18 --> 00:33:19 Yes.

593 00:33:19 --> 00:33:22

You are out of mourning, or am I mistaken?

594 00:33:22 --> 00:33:24 I'm out of mourning. Yes. 595 00:33:25 --> 00:33:26 Then, may I call?

596 00:33:29 --> 00:33:30 [Lady Danbury inhales]

597 00:33:32 --> 00:33:35 I would like that... very much.

> 598 00:33:35 --> 00:33:37 [gentle music playing]

599 00:33:46 --> 00:33:48 Coral, I have solved my problem.

00:33:48 --> 00:33:51
You asked Her Majesty?
She will secure the title?

601 00:33:51 --> 00:33:53 No, I spoke to the queen's brother.

> 602 00:33:53 --> 00:33:55 Prince Adolphus?

603 00:33:55 --> 00:33:58 He would like to court me. I said yes.

> 604 00:33:58 --> 00:33:59 I shall marry him.

> 605 00:34:00 --> 00:34:01 He is German.

> 606 00:34:01 --> 00:34:03

He is a nice man.

607

00:34:03 --> 00:34:06

He runs his own land

and not because of an experiment,

608

 $00:34:06 \longrightarrow 00:34:08$ and his title is his own.

609

00:34:08 --> 00:34:11
But I thought... Lord Ledger?

610

00:34:13 --> 00:34:14 What of Lord Ledger?

611

00:34:30 --> 00:34:32

[George] I can feel you watching me.

612

00:34:33 --> 00:34:34 I like watching you.

613

00:34:34 --> 00:34:36

You make it more difficult for me to write.

614

 $00:34:37 \longrightarrow 00:34:39$ You are doing a fine job.

615

00:34:39 --> 00:34:41

-I am sure.

-This is a speech to Parliament.

616

00:34:41 --> 00:34:43

I can't do a fine job.

I must be brilliant.

00:34:43 --> 00:34:45

These are certainly
the words of a brilliant man.

618 00:34:48 --> 00:34:49 -And so are these. -Charlotte.

619 00:34:50 --> 00:34:51 Perhaps you need a bit of distraction.

620 00:34:53 --> 00:34:55 -Distraction? -Yes.

621 00:34:55 --> 00:34:58

-I believe I have the distraction to help.
-I do not need distraction.

622 00:34:58 --> 00:35:01 What I need is to deliver a perfect speech before all of Parliament.

623 00:35:01 --> 00:35:02 Or do you wish me to no longer be king?

624
00:35:03 --> 00:35:05
Perhaps I should surrender and offer them my head.

625 00:35:05 --> 00:35:07 Put an end to the monarchy.

626 00:35:07 --> 00:35:09 Let them call me Mad King George and laugh. 00:35:09 --> 00:35:10
-Is that what you wish?
-Stop.

628

00:35:10 --> 00:35:12 I am... My deepest apologies.

629 00:35:13 --> 00:35:14 I need this to...

630 00:35:15 --> 00:35:16 This is important.

00:35:16 --> 00:35:19

It might be best if we left the distractions for another time.

632 00:35:19 --> 00:35:20 George.

633 00:35:21 --> 00:35:22 Stop.

634 00:35:22 --> 00:35:23 Charlotte.

635 $00:35:23 \longrightarrow 00:35:26$ Oh... The baby. It is coming.

636 00:35:26 --> 00:35:27 Now?

637 00:35:27 --> 00:35:29 -I believe so. -Reynolds!

00:35:29 --> 00:35:31 -[exhales deeply] -Okay.

639

00:35:31 --> 00:35:34 [suspenseful music playing]

640

00:35:35 --> 00:35:37
-Get out of my path.
-Yes, Your Majesty.

641

00:35:37 --> 00:35:39 Where is he? Why has he not arrived?

642

00:35:39 --> 00:35:41

She cannot do this without a doctor.

She needs opium!

643

00:35:41 --> 00:35:44

I was searching for you to tell you the royal physician arrived.

644

 $00:35:44 \longrightarrow 00:35:45$ He's in with Her Majesty.

645

00:35:53 --> 00:35:55

[overlapping] God save the King.

646

00:35:55 --> 00:35:56

-Your Majesty.

-Your Majesty.

647

00:35:56 --> 00:35:57
[Charlotte moaning]

648

00:35:59 --> 00:36:01

Archbishop. Prime Minister. Hello.

649 00:36:01 --> 00:36:03 [Charlotte moaning]

650 00:36:03 --> 00:36:05 -Thank you for coming. -Your Majesty.

651 00:36:05 --> 00:36:06 Surely you are not entering the...

00:36:06 --> 00:36:09
There is womanly work afoot.

653 00:36:09 --> 00:36:10 We wait out here.

654 00:36:10 --> 00:36:11 [Charlotte moaning]

655 00:36:11 --> 00:36:13 Right. Yes.

656 00:36:18 --> 00:36:21 [Charlotte shouting]

657 00:36:24 --> 00:36:26 -[Charlotte moans] -[door opens]

658 00:36:27 --> 00:36:29 Your Majesty. She's asking for you.

> 659 00:36:30 --> 00:36:32 -I... -He cannot be in there.

660 00:36:33 --> 00:36:33 Your Majesty. 661 00:36:38 --> 00:36:40 Do you like being Archbishop of Canterbury? 662 00:36:41 --> 00:36:43 Would you like to remain Archbishop of Canterbury? 663 00:36:43 --> 00:36:46 -Your Majesty-o you believe you can remain Archbishop 00:36:46 --> 00:36:48 by defying the head of the Church of England? 665 00:36:49 --> 00:36:50 Move. 666 00:36:53 --> 00:36:56 [Charlotte groaning deeply] 667 00:36:56 --> 00:36:57 [midwife] Good. 668 00:36:58 --> 00:37:00

[Charlotte sighs]

669

00:37:03 --> 00:37:04
[chuckles lightly]

670

00:37:04 --> 00:37:05

You are here.

671 00:37:06 --> 00:37:07 Stay.

672 00:37:07 --> 00:37:10 I am here. Whatever comes. Whatever you need.

673 00:37:10 --> 00:37:11 [Charlotte] Ooh, the baby...

674 00:37:11 --> 00:37:12 [panting]

675 00:37:12 --> 00:37:14 He is... [panting]

676 00:37:14 --> 00:37:15 Ah!

677 00:37:15 --> 00:37:18 [shouting]

678
00:37:18 --> 00:37:20
[George] Doctor, what is happening?
What is to be done?

679 00:37:21 --> 00:37:21 Your Majesty.

00:37:22 --> 00:37:24 The baby is breached, coming feetfirst.

 $00:37:24 \ --> \ 00:37:25$ We have to await the natural evolution.

682 00:37:25 --> 00:37:27 How long?

683 00:37:27 --> 00:37:28 Well...

684 00:37:28 --> 00:37:30 -[Charlotte panting] -Okay.

685 00:37:31 --> 00:37:33 -You have been here before? -Four times, Your Majesty.

686
00:37:33 --> 00:37:35
-What are your thoughts?
-She's losing blood.

687 00:37:35 --> 00:37:38 That is natural. All normal.

> 688 00:37:38 --> 00:37:39 [shouting]

689 00:37:39 --> 00:37:41 Too much, it seems. If I may.

690 00:37:41 --> 00:37:43 It's all part of-- Nothing to do--

691
00:37:43 --> 00:37:46
Doctor, were we to leave
all decisions to nature, surely you...

692 00:37:46 --> 00:37:48

[shouting]

693 00:37:48 --> 00:37:49 [George] Charlotte.

694
00:37:50 --> 00:37:53
You are quite strong,
and you shall be fine. Remember that.

695 00:37:54 --> 00:37:56 -Hey. -[exhales]

696 00:37:56 --> 00:37:58 [calming music plays]

697 00:37:58 --> 00:37:59 I had a horse,

698
00:38:00 --> 00:38:03
my favorite as a boy,
and he was breached in his mare.

699 00:38:06 --> 00:38:08 The stable hands, they...

700 00:38:10 --> 00:38:13 I've seen it too, with sheep, with calves.

701
00:38:13 --> 00:38:17
There are ways to aid in this situation.
Are there not?

702 00:38:17 --> 00:38:18 There are methods, yes.

00:38:19 --> 00:38:22 -However, with a royal patient---Prepare them. Now.

704 00:38:23 --> 00:38:25 -I believe we shall need you moved. -Yes.

> 705 00:38:25 --> 00:38:26 Just there to the edge.

706 00:38:27 --> 00:38:28 One arm here.

707 00:38:29 --> 00:38:31 -Another here. -Okay.

708 00:38:31 --> 00:38:31 Hold tight.

709 00:38:32 --> 00:38:33 One. Two.

710 00:38:34 --> 00:38:36 -And... -[screaming]

711 00:38:36 --> 00:38:39 [crying]

712 00:38:41 --> 00:38:43 He is magnificent.

713 00:38:45 --> 00:38:46 How is Her Majesty? 714 00:38:47 --> 00:38:49 Taking a well-deserved rest.

> 715 00:38:49 --> 00:38:51 [baby cooing]

716 00:38:53 --> 00:38:55 [George hushing softly]

717 00:39:00 --> 00:39:01 Is he healthy?

718 00:39:02 --> 00:39:03 Are there any signs--

719 00:39:03 --> 00:39:04 Of what, Mother?

720 00:39:06 --> 00:39:07 I am only asking.

721 00:39:09 --> 00:39:11 He is our next king.

722
00:39:12 --> 00:39:15
Could he be anything but perfection?

723 00:39:18 --> 00:39:20 He is... perfection.

724
00:39:30 --> 00:39:33
-[Adolphus] He is a very strong baby.
-[Lady Danbury laughs]

725 00:39:33 --> 00:39:34 Intelligent.

726 00:39:34 --> 00:39:37 -You are a proud uncle. -[chuckles]

727 00:39:37 --> 00:39:39 And Her Majesty must be full of joy.

728 00:39:39 --> 00:39:41 Not that I've seen much of her.

00:39:41 --> 00:39:44
She and the king
are quite taken with one another.

00:39:44 --> 00:39:46
She hardly spares me a glance.

731 00:39:47 --> 00:39:49 Though I suppose with the baby, she…

732
00:39:49 --> 00:39:52
She is rather overwhelmed.
The demands of correspondence

733
00:39:52 --> 00:39:55
from allies and well-wishers
from Parliament must be daunting.

734 00:39:56 --> 00:39:57 Agatha.

735 00:39:58 --> 00:39:59 Agatha, are you all right?

00:40:00 --> 00:40:00 Yes.

737

00:40:01 --> 00:40:03

Apologies. I'm feeling a bit not myself.

738 00:40:04 --> 00:40:04 [sighs]

739

00:40:05 --> 00:40:07

Perhaps I think I've had too much sun.

740

00:40:08 --> 00:40:11 Oh. You should go home immediately and lie down.

741 00:40:11 --> 00:40:12 -Sit here. -Oh.

742 00:40:14 --> 00:40:16 I shall get the carriage.

743 00:40:16 --> 00:40:17 Thank you.

744 00:40:17 --> 00:40:19 [melancholy music playing]

745 00:40:26 --> 00:40:28 [exhales deeply]

746 00:40:29 --> 00:40:31 It is a surprise to see you again so soon.

> 747 00:40:32 --> 00:40:33

You have news?

748 00:40:34 --> 00:40:35 News?

749 00:40:35 --> 00:40:36 Of Buckingham House.

750 00:40:36 --> 00:40:38 I do not have news.

751 00:40:38 --> 00:40:40 Has there been a decision?

752 00:40:40 --> 00:40:41 A decision about what?

753
00:40:41 --> 00:40:45
About the title.
Is my son to be Lord Danbury?

754 00:40:45 --> 00:40:48 As I told you before, that is a decision

> 755 00:40:48 --> 00:40:50 only His Majesty can make.

756 00:40:50 --> 00:40:51 [exhales]

757
00:40:51 --> 00:40:55
I would think you would have news on that issue yourself.

758 00:40:55 --> 00:40:59 I am told you were there at the birth... of my grandchild.

759

00:40:59 --> 00:41:03

I cannot... I could not speak to the king or queen on such matters.

760

00:41:04 --> 00:41:05

Such a shame.

761

00:41:07 --> 00:41:08 I could be so helpful.

762

00:41:10 --> 00:41:14

Her Majesty is attempting to run the Crown. I am sure of it.

763

00:41:15 --> 00:41:16

What do you know? Hmm?

764

00:41:20 --> 00:41:21

[exhales]

765

00:41:22 --> 00:41:25

How unfortunate that you will not speak freely to me.

766

00:41:26 --> 00:41:30

We had a very fine arrangement, did we not?

767

00:41:30 --> 00:41:32

Were not all of your needs met?

768

00:41:32 --> 00:41:35

Would it not be a shame for you to lose

00:41:35 --> 00:41:38 the very fine estate in which you now reside? Mm.

770 00:41:39 --> 00:41:40 [sobs softly]

771 00:41:40 --> 00:41:41 [sniffles]

772 00:41:43 --> 00:41:44 [crying]

773 00:41:44 --> 00:41:45 Hush.

774 00:41:45 --> 00:41:47 [hesitates] Stop it.

775 00:41:47 --> 00:41:49 -Stop it! -[sniffs, sobs]

776
00:41:49 --> 00:41:51
No. Do not do that.

777
00:42:03 --> 00:42:05
-Pear brandy.
-[sniffling]

778
00:42:05 --> 00:42:07
I have it shipped in from Germany.
Now, drink.

779
00:42:08 --> 00:42:11
And cease from crying this instant, please.

780 00:42:12 --> 00:42:14 -I am sorry. I---[Augusta] No.

781

00:42:15 --> 00:42:19

I do not want to know your burdens or hear what problems plague your life.

782 00:42:20 --> 00:42:21 Nor do I care.

783

00:42:27 --> 00:42:29 When my dear husband died,

784

00:42:30 --> 00:42:34

I had to throw myself
on the mercy of his father, the king.

785 00:42:36 --> 00:42:37 A cruel, evil man.

786
00:42:37 --> 00:42:39
[intense music builds]

787

 $00:42:39 \longrightarrow 00:42:41$ My husband loathed him. Hm.

788 00:42:42 --> 00:42:44 I loathed him.

789

00:42:45 --> 00:42:47 He was vicious with Georgie.

790 00:42:49 --> 00:42:50 The bruises.

00:42:52 --> 00:42:54 I had bruises as well.

792

00:42:55 --> 00:42:59

There were no other options. So I endured.

793

00:43:01 --> 00:43:03

And over the years, I learnt

794

00:43:03 --> 00:43:05

I need not be content to surrender

795

00:43:06 --> 00:43:09

to the uselessness of female pursuits.

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00:43:10 --> 00:43:11

Instead,

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00:43:13 --> 00:43:14

I secured my son as King.

798

00:43:15 --> 00:43:18

I found a way to control my own fate.

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00:43:23 --> 00:43:24

I do not like you.

800

00:43:26 --> 00:43:28

However, you have been...

801

00:43:31 --> 00:43:33

an admirable adversary thus far.

802

00:43:34 --> 00:43:37

Our battles bring me satisfaction.

803

00:43:39 --> 00:43:42

So this... will not do.

804

00:43:42 --> 00:43:45

You are not allowed to come here and sob.

805

00:43:46 --> 00:43:47

You may not quit.

806

00:43:48 --> 00:43:50

Cover your bruises and endure.

807

00:43:50 --> 00:43:55

Do not lose control of your fate, Agatha.

808

00:43:58 --> 00:43:59

Now...

809

00:44:06 --> 00:44:07

tell me.

810

00:44:08 --> 00:44:10

How goes life at Buckingham House?

811

00:44:11 --> 00:44:12

[exhales]

812

00:44:14 --> 00:44:16

I believe that news depends on

813

 $00:44:16 \longrightarrow 00:44:20$

what is to become

of my son's title, Your Highness.

814 00:44:22 --> 00:44:23 Mm.

815

00:44:26 --> 00:44:28 [intense music fades out]

816 00:44:34 --> 00:44:35 [George sniffs]

817 00:44:37 --> 00:44:39 Where is Charlotte?

818 00:44:39 --> 00:44:40 She's on her way, Your Majesty.

> 819 00:44:42 --> 00:44:43 Here I am.

820 00:44:45 --> 00:44:46 [George] I've been waiting.

821 00:44:46 --> 00:44:48 I was with the baby. I'm not late.

> 822 00:44:48 --> 00:44:50 There is plenty of time.

823 00:44:51 --> 00:44:52 You look very handsome.

824 00:44:54 --> 00:44:55 Do you have your speech?

825 00:44:55 --> 00:44:56 [George] In hand.

00:44:56 --> 00:44:59
Though I'm rethinking
the middle section on the colonies.

827

00:44:59 --> 00:45:02
Parliament will appreciate all of your thoughts.

828

00:45:03 --> 00:45:03
You are ready.

829

00:45:11 --> 00:45:12 [George exhales deeply]

830

00:45:16 --> 00:45:17 Thank you.

831

00:45:18 --> 00:45:19 Off you go.

832

00:45:29 --> 00:45:31 -He is going to be brilliant. -Of course, Your Majesty.

833

 $00:45:32 \longrightarrow 00:45:33$ He is the king.

834

00:45:33 --> 00:45:36 [tense music builds slowly]

835

00:45:39 --> 00:45:42 [breathing deeply]

836

00:45:49 --> 00:45:50 [book shuts]

00:46:14 --> 00:46:16
[breathing forcefully]

838

00:46:37 --> 00:46:38
Your Majesty.

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00:46:51 --> 00:46:52 Your Majesty.

840

00:46:53 --> 00:46:54 Your Majesty.

841

00:46:55 --> 00:46:57 [door handle rattles]

842

00:47:00 --> 00:47:02 [tense music continues]

843

00:47:02 --> 00:47:05

What was it? Did his speech not go well?

844

00:47:05 --> 00:47:09

His Majesty did not deliver a speech. He never got out of the carriage.

845

00:47:09 --> 00:47:11

What do you mean he never got out?

846

00:47:11 --> 00:47:13
His Majesty could not get out of the carriage.

847

00:47:13 --> 00:47:15

Well, what happened? What did you do?

00:47:15 --> 00:47:17

-He seemed quite fine when he left here.
-He was not fine.

849

00:47:18 --> 00:47:20

[tense music recedes slightly]

850

00:47:23 --> 00:47:26

Your Majesty, forgive me.

Only, he was not fine.

851

00:47:26 --> 00:47:27

He was not.

852

00:47:29 --> 00:47:30

That was merely hope.

853

00:47:38 --> 00:47:39

Wait here.

854

00:47:48 --> 00:47:49

George.

855

00:47:52 --> 00:47:53

George, it is me.

856

00:47:55 --> 00:47:57

-[George] Charlotte?

-Yes.

857

00:47:59 --> 00:48:00

Reynolds told me what happened.

858

00:48:01 --> 00:48:02

I am here.

859 00:48:05 --> 00:48:06 George.

860

00:48:10 --> 00:48:12 George, where are you?

861

00:48:14 --> 00:48:15 [George] I am sorry.

862

00:48:34 --> 00:48:37

George, dearest. Can you come out for me?

863

00:48:37 --> 00:48:39 [tense music fades out]

864

00:48:39 --> 00:48:40 I want to.

865

00:48:41 --> 00:48:42
But I cannot.

866

00:48:45 --> 00:48:46
The heavens.

867

 $00:48:46 \longrightarrow 00:48:48$ They cannot find me under here.

868

00:48:50 --> 00:48:51 I am hiding.

869

00:48:52 --> 00:48:53

You are hiding from the heavens?

870

00:48:55 --> 00:48:58

-They are thwarted under here.

-George, all is well.

871 00:49:00 --> 00:49:00 No.

872 00:49:01 --> 00:49:03 All is very, very wrong.

873 00:49:19 --> 00:49:20 Tell me.

874 00:49:20 --> 00:49:23 [gentle music playing]

875 00:49:23 --> 00:49:25 I could not get out of the carriage.

> 876 00:49:26 --> 00:49:29 I could not even read the words on the page.

877 00:49:30 --> 00:49:31 I am not a king.

878 00:49:32 --> 00:49:35 -I'm no one's king. -You will do better next time.

> 879 00:49:35 --> 00:49:36 No.

> 880 00:49:36 --> 00:49:38 There is no better.

> 881 00:49:38 --> 00:49:39 There is no cure.

00:49:43 --> 00:49:44
This is who I am.

883

00:49:46 --> 00:49:49 I will be here sometimes. And sometimes I will be...

884

00:49:53 --> 00:49:54 You can leave me.

885

00:49:56 --> 00:49:58
I would understand,
and I would let you go.

886

00:49:58 --> 00:50:01 -George. I will not leave you. -You should.

887

00:50:01 --> 00:50:04 -I will not.

-You have half a husband, Charlotte.

888

00:50:06 --> 00:50:07 Half a life.

889

00:50:08 --> 00:50:10

I cannot give you
the future that you deserve.

890

00:50:11 --> 00:50:12 Not a full me.

891

00:50:13 --> 00:50:14 Not a full marriage.

00:50:15 --> 00:50:16 Only half.

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00:50:16 --> 00:50:17 Half a man.

894

00:50:17 --> 00:50:18 Half a king.

895

00:50:19 --> 00:50:20 Half a life.

896

00:50:20 --> 00:50:22
If what we have is half,

897

 $00:50:23 \longrightarrow 00:50:25$ then we shall make it the very best half.

898

00:50:27 --> 00:50:29
I love you. It is enough.

899

00:50:32 --> 00:50:33 I am your queen.

900

00:50:34 --> 00:50:37
And as long as I am so,
I shall never leave your side.

901

00:50:37 --> 00:50:38
You are king.

902

00:50:39 --> 00:50:42
You will be king. Your children will rule.

903

00:50:43 --> 00:50:45 Together, we are whole.

00:50:53 --> 00:50:56

It is quite dust filled under here.

905

00:50:57 --> 00:50:58
It really is.

906

00:50:59 --> 00:51:02

I am so sorry

that I did not give you a choice.

907

00:51:03 --> 00:51:05

That I did not tell you

the truth of who I was before we wed.

908

00:51:06 --> 00:51:07 You did tell me the truth.

909

00:51:09 --> 00:51:11

You said you were just George.

910

00:51:12 --> 00:51:13 That is who you are.

911

00:51:13 --> 00:51:15

Half king, half farmer,

912

00:51:16 --> 00:51:18

but always just George.

913

00:51:19 --> 00:51:20

That is all you need to be.

914

00:51:25 --> 00:51:28

I do not know how to repair what happened at Parliament.

915 00:51:29 --> 00:51:30 Mm. [sighs]

916

00:51:30 --> 00:51:32

I fear it will overtake my crown.

917

00:51:34 --> 00:51:36

If the Crown cannot go to Parliament,

918

00:51:37 --> 00:51:40

we shall bring Parliament to the Crown.

919

00:51:42 --> 00:51:45

Perhaps it is time we opened up the doors to Buckingham House.

920

00:51:53 --> 00:51:56

[birds chirping]

921

00:51:59 --> 00:52:00

[whispers] Shoo.

922

00:52:00 --> 00:52:02

She's being courted.

923

00:52:05 --> 00:52:07

[exhales deeply]

924

00:52:10 --> 00:52:12

You are quiet today.

925

00:52:13 --> 00:52:14

I do not mean to be.

 $00:52:15 \longrightarrow 00:52:18$ Come, tell me of your week's adventures.

927

00:52:18 --> 00:52:22 Um, I made some headway with trade agreements.

928

00:52:22 --> 00:52:24

The British are an interesting lot.

929

00:52:25 --> 00:52:28

-I do not speak of the ladies, of course.

930

00:52:28 --> 00:52:29 [chuckles lightly]

931

00:52:31 --> 00:52:32 Agatha.

932

00:52:32 --> 00:52:34

My business is complete.

933

00:52:34 --> 00:52:36

My nephew is born.

934

00:52:36 --> 00:52:39

I am... to return home soon.

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00:52:39 --> 00:52:41

I did not think you would stay.

936

00:52:42 --> 00:52:43

We shall see one another on your next visit.

00:52:44 --> 00:52:45 No. I...

938 00:52:47 --> 00:52:48 Um...

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00:52:53 --> 00:52:56

Would you consider returning home with me

940 00:52:56 --> 00:52:58 as... my wife?

941 00:53:01 --> 00:53:02 I...

942 00:53:04 --> 00:53:05 [exhales]

943 00:53:05 --> 00:53:07 -I...

-I know. I know. It is quite soon.

944

00:53:07 --> 00:53:11

You are barely out of mourning. We have only just begun to court, but...

945 00:53:13 --> 00:53:14 [exhales]

946 00:53:16 --> 00:53:19 I will not say words

with hearts and flowers

947

00:53:19 --> 00:53:22

because I know you are not a hearts-and-flowers woman.

948 00:53:22 --> 00:53:23 [inhales]

949

00:53:25 --> 00:53:27
But there is something here.

950 00:53:28 --> 00:53:30 Between us.

951 00:53:31 --> 00:53:33 I feel it.

952 00:53:33 --> 00:53:35 And I believe we could be happy together.

> 953 00:53:36 --> 00:53:38 [sighs] Adolphus.

954 00:53:39 --> 00:53:41 [gentle music plays]

955 00:53:55 --> 00:53:57 [softly] Do not answer me now.

> 956 00:53:58 --> 00:53:59 Think on it.

957 00:54:01 --> 00:54:03 I shall await your response.

> 958 00:54:11 --> 00:54:13 Yes, my lady?

959 00:54:13 --> 00:54:15 Ask Humboldt to open the attic.

00:54:15 --> 00:54:17 There's a... a crate.

961

00:54:17 --> 00:54:19 I will need one of the ones from my father's house.

962

00:54:19 --> 00:54:21 And, um... let the cook know

963

00:54:21 --> 00:54:24 that I am inviting Lady Danbury to tea on Friday.

964

00:54:27 --> 00:54:29

[Lord Bute] I would like to know.

965

00:54:29 --> 00:54:30 Were you aware?

966

00:54:31 --> 00:54:33

Of course I was aware. I am always aware

967

00:54:33 --> 00:54:36

-Am I not?

-You are often aware, but--

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00:54:36 --> 00:54:38

So you are aware of this?

969

00:54:38 --> 00:54:39

What do we talk about?

970

00:54:39 --> 00:54:42

They are throwing a ball

to introduce the new prince.

971 00:54:42 --> 00:54:44 A ball? Ah, yes, that.

972

00:54:44 --> 00:54:46 [chuckles lightly] It is a lovely idea.

973

00:54:46 --> 00:54:49

I do not believe
you had any knowledge of a ball.

974

00:54:49 --> 00:54:51
I had knowledge.

975

00:54:51 --> 00:54:52 You did not mention it to us.

976

00:54:52 --> 00:54:55
The Palace need not mention all news to you.

977

00:54:56 --> 00:54:57
I was made aware.

978

00:55:01 --> 00:55:02
You have lost control.

979

00:55:02 --> 00:55:04
I am the mother of the king.

980

00:55:04 --> 00:55:06 -[Lord Bute] You are not the queen. -I have control.

981

00:55:07 --> 00:55:09

[Harcourt] He could not address Parliament.

982

00:55:09 --> 00:55:12

They say he is farming his days away.

983

00:55:12 --> 00:55:15
[Lord Bute] How goes

His Majesty's medical state?

984

00:55:15 --> 00:55:16 He is in fine form.

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00:55:17 --> 00:55:18 \[Lord Bute] So says his doctor?

986

00:55:18 --> 00:55:21 I have control.

987

00:55:21 --> 00:55:22 The Crown is safe.

988

00:55:22 --> 00:55:26

Her Majesty has invited
the world to Buckingham House.

989

00:55:26 --> 00:55:30
The king will be on display.
If he cannot perform--

990

00:55:30 --> 00:55:31 He will perform.

991

 $00:55:31 \longrightarrow 00:55:34$

Parliament wants to discuss measures.

00:55:34 --> 00:55:35 I am holding them off.

993

00:55:35 --> 00:55:39

This ball is his first social appearance.

994

 $00:55:39 \longrightarrow 00:55:43$ The king must be... the king.

995

00:55:44 --> 00:55:46 [tense music playing]

996

00:55:51 --> 00:55:54 [up-tempo regal music playing]

997

00:56:34 --> 00:56:36 [both panting]

998

00:56:41 --> 00:56:44 [indistinct overlapping chatter]

999

00:56:55 --> 00:56:57 -The flowers are wrong. -They're not wrong.

1000

00:56:57 --> 00:56:59 -They're not the correct color palette.

-Did you choose?

1001

 $00:56:59 \longrightarrow 00:57:01$ I believe this is the queen's choice.

1002

00:57:01 --> 00:57:03
-It is His Majesty's ball.
-She is the hostess.

00:57:03 --> 00:57:05
-He is the king.
-She is the queen.

1004

00:57:09 --> 00:57:11

-The sculptures are in the wrong position.
-I'm walking away.

1005

00:57:14 --> 00:57:16 -Excuse me. Excuse me. -[woman] Yes, sir.

1006

00:57:16 --> 00:57:18 [Reynolds] May I see those?

1007

00:57:18 --> 00:57:19
[Brimsley scoffs]

1008

00:57:20 --> 00:57:21 [Reynolds] Mm.

1009

00:57:22 --> 00:57:24 -He is quite a handsome man. -Yes.

1010

00:57:24 --> 00:57:27
And you would not have
to worry about your future.

1011

00:57:27 --> 00:57:29

-Yes.

-Or the title issue.

1012

00:57:29 --> 00:57:30

Yes.

1013

00:57:30 --> 00:57:33

And it does signify that his sister is Queen Charlotte.

1014

00:57:33 --> 00:57:36
Imagine staying at the palace
 when we come to visit.

1015

00:57:36 --> 00:57:38

-Mm-hmm.

-I've been practicing my German.

1016

00:57:38 --> 00:57:40 Ich diene der Konigin.

1017

00:57:40 --> 00:57:43

That means, "I serve the queen."

1018

00:57:43 --> 00:57:47

You would be a queen. Never another moment's worry when you are royalty--

1019

00:57:47 --> 00:57:49 Stop talking, Coral!

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00:57:51 --> 00:57:52 [sighs deeply]

1021

00:57:52 --> 00:57:53
Thank you.

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00:57:54 --> 00:57:56
I'll be down in a moment.

1023

00:57:59 --> 00:58:02

-You are going to say yes to his proposal?
-Good night, Coral.

00:58:06 --> 00:58:08 [door opens and closes]

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00:58:09 --> 00:58:11 [breathes deeply]

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00:58:12 --> 00:58:14 [string section playing faintly]

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00:58:32 --> 00:58:35 [Charlotte] Ramsay is... odious.

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00:58:36 --> 00:58:38
But it is a very nice portrait.

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00:58:40 --> 00:58:42
A portrait for which I did not even sit.

1030 00:58:45 --> 00:58:46

I am an insertion.

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00:58:46 --> 00:58:47 It is still us.

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00:58:48 --> 00:58:50 -You and me. -Yes, but not real.

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00:58:51 --> 00:58:51 George.

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00:58:52 --> 00:58:54 [exhales deeply]

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00:58:59 --> 00:59:00

[softly] Look at you.

1036

00:59:03 --> 00:59:05 You are a rare jewel.

1037

00:59:05 --> 00:59:08 [gentle music playing]

1038

00:59:12 --> 00:59:13
[breathing shakily]

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00:59:32 --> 00:59:33
You and me.

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00:59:35 --> 00:59:36 You and me.

1041

00:59:38 --> 00:59:39 Are you ready?

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00:59:42 --> 00:59:43 Yes.

1043

00:59:46 --> 00:59:49 [regal dance music playing]

1044

01:00:22 --> 01:00:22 Violet!

1045

01:00:23 --> 01:00:25
A lady does not stretch her neck like a giraffe.

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01:00:25 --> 01:00:27 I want to see the queen.

01:00:27 --> 01:00:29

The queen has not yet made an appearance.

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01:00:30 --> 01:00:32

She behaves like a street urchin.

1049

01:00:32 --> 01:00:34

-She will humiliate us.

-She is perfect.

1050

01:00:35 --> 01:00:37

She'll bring us nothing but accolades.

1051

01:00:37 --> 01:00:40

I told you she's not yet ready to be out in society.

1052

01:00:40 --> 01:00:41

She's more than ready.

1053

01:00:43 --> 01:00:44

Is that not right, brains?

1054

01:00:44 --> 01:00:45

Yes, Father.

1055

01:00:47 --> 01:00:49

Oh, look! There's Lady Danbury.

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01:00:50 --> 01:00:51

She looks marvelous.

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01:00:51 --> 01:00:52

Hello!

01:00:59 --> 01:01:01 [fanfare playing]

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01:01:06 --> 01:01:08 Their Majesties, the king and queen.

1060

01:01:19 --> 01:01:23

If he cannot even face his people,
he is finished.

1061

01:01:35 --> 01:01:36 George. George.

1062

01:01:37 --> 01:01:39 -Do not feel any nerves. -I'm fine.

1063

01:01:42 --> 01:01:43 Do I not seem quite fine?

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01:01:43 --> 01:01:44 You are hurting my hand.

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01:01:50 --> 01:01:51 There.

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01:01:52 --> 01:01:53 Now.

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01:01:54 --> 01:01:56 Let us smile and wave.

01:01:57 --> 01:01:58 Ready?

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01:02:05 --> 01:02:07 [light applause swells]

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01:02:12 --> 01:02:14 And let us dance.

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01:02:30 --> 01:02:31 Charlotte.

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01:02:31 --> 01:02:32 Keep your eyes on me.

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01:02:34 --> 01:02:35 Do not look at them.

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01:02:36 --> 01:02:37
There is no one here but us.

1076

01:02:45 --> 01:02:48 [classical rendition of "Nobody Gets Me" playing]

1077

01:02:49 --> 01:02:50 You and me.

1078

01:02:50 --> 01:02:51
You and me.

1079

01:04:25 --> 01:04:28
[guests applauding]

1080

01:04:34 --> 01:04:36 [man] Well done.

01:04:43 --> 01:04:45 We thank you all for joining us

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01:04:45 --> 01:04:48 to celebrate the arrival of our new prince.

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01:04:49 --> 01:04:52
Unsurprisingly, given I am the Third,

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01:04:53 --> 01:04:55 we have chosen

to name him George the Fourth.

1085

01:04:55 --> 01:04:57 [laughter]

1086

01:04:58 --> 01:04:59 To your future king.

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01:04:59 --> 01:05:01 [all] To our future king.

1088

01:05:01 --> 01:05:03 -[distant] Cheers! -Cheers!

1089

01:05:03 --> 01:05:06
[indistinct murmuring]

1090

01:05:06 --> 01:05:08 [light classical music playing]

1091

01:05:09 --> 01:05:10 [chuckles]

01:05:42 --> 01:05:44 [light classical music fades out]

1093

01:05:50 --> 01:05:52

You dislike crowds as much as I do.

1094

01:05:53 --> 01:05:55

Another way we are a match.

1095

01:05:55 --> 01:05:56 [Lady Danbury] True.

1096

01:05:56 --> 01:05:58

I needed a moment to breathe.

1097

01:05:58 --> 01:06:00

It is such a crush out there.

1098

01:06:00 --> 01:06:01

[Adolphus] Mm.

1099

01:06:02 --> 01:06:06

My sister is... a shining success.

1100

01:06:06 --> 01:06:08

-Mm

-[Adolphus chuckles] I am happy for her.

1101

01:06:09 --> 01:06:13

It would be nice

to be happy for myself as well.

1102

01:06:13 --> 01:06:15

And for us.

01:06:16 --> 01:06:19 What would our life look like

1104 01:06:19 --> 01:06:20

if we married,

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01:06:20 --> 01:06:22 and I went back home with you?

1106

01:06:23 --> 01:06:28

-It is probably treason to say this here.
-[Lady Danbury chuckles]

1107 01:06:28 --> 01:06:29 But my province...

1108

01:06:31 --> 01:06:33 [whispers] ...is the greatest place in the world.

1109

01:06:33 --> 01:06:35

-[chuckles]

-The best people. The best food.

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01:06:36 --> 01:06:37 -That sounds nice. -It is.

1111

01:06:38 --> 01:06:42

I would rule, of course,

but you would have certain duties as well.

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01:06:42 --> 01:06:44

We are more egalitarian there.

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01:06:44 --> 01:06:47

Most of the wives at court are older than you,

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01:06:47 --> 01:06:50 but you will like them once you learn the language.

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 $01:06:50 \longrightarrow 01:06:51$ And it is good that you are young.

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01:06:51 --> 01:06:53 It means you can have more children.

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01:06:53 --> 01:06:55 More children. [chuckles]

1118

01:06:55 --> 01:06:58

Agatha. I will raise
the Danbury children as my own.

1119

01:06:58 --> 01:07:00
I will care for them as I do you,

1120

01:07:01 --> 01:07:02 but I must have an heir.

1121

01:07:04 --> 01:07:06 Perhaps two or three.

1122

01:07:06 --> 01:07:08
Two or three. Yes.

1123

01:07:09 --> 01:07:11
You can travel with me.

1124

01:07:11 --> 01:07:13

We can even come back here to England

1125

01:07:13 --> 01:07:16

every few years

if you're worried about missing home.

1126

01:07:16 --> 01:07:18

But you will not miss home for long.

1127

01:07:18 --> 01:07:21

There will be festivals

and balls and charities and--

1128

01:07:21 --> 01:07:22

No.

1129

01:07:23 --> 01:07:24

A... Agatha?

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01:07:26 --> 01:07:29

I cannot marry you.

1131

01:07:30 --> 01:07:31

I am sorry.

1132

01:07:33 --> 01:07:34

Uh... Um...

1133

01:07:36 --> 01:07:39

I... I have made you nervous with so much talk of change.

1134

01:07:40 --> 01:07:43

No. I cannot marry you,

1135

01:07:43 --> 01:07:47

but only because I cannot marry anyone.

1136

01:07:47 --> 01:07:50

[hesitates] You are a wonderful man,

1137

01:07:50 --> 01:07:53

and something in me had been awakened.

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01:07:53 --> 01:07:55

So I felt hopeful.

1139

01:07:55 --> 01:08:00

I believe if I said yes, this could be different.

1140

01:08:00 --> 01:08:02

Better. Likely it would be.

1141

01:08:02 --> 01:08:05

You would've saved me

from a thousand different problems.

1142

01:08:05 --> 01:08:09

You would've rescued me. You would've listened to me and cared for me.

1143

01:08:09 --> 01:08:12

Yet it does not change

what I know to be true.

1144

01:08:12 --> 01:08:15

I cannot marry you.

1145

01:08:15 --> 01:08:17

I cannot marry anyone.

01:08:17 --> 01:08:19
I never want to be married again.

1147

01:08:20 --> 01:08:23
Adolphus, I spent my life

1148

01:08:23 --> 01:08:26 breathing someone else's air.

1149

01:08:26 --> 01:08:28
I do not know any other way.

1150

01:08:28 --> 01:08:32

Now it is time that I learn to breathe all on my own.

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01:08:32 --> 01:08:34 [Adolphus] Agatha. Do not do this.

1152

01:08:35 --> 01:08:36 Look, you are...

1153

01:08:38 --> 01:08:41

This... This is
a terrible mistake you are making.

1154

01:08:48 --> 01:08:52

Perhaps... I am making a terrible mistake.

1155

01:08:53 --> 01:08:55 But it is mine to make.

1156

01:08:57 --> 01:09:00 I do hope you will forgive me.

1157

01:09:08 --> 01:09:10

[breathing deeply]

1158

01:09:17 --> 01:09:20 [takes a deep breath]

1159

01:09:23 --> 01:09:24 Thank you.

1160

01:09:35 --> 01:09:36 It is a lovely ball.

1161

01:09:37 --> 01:09:38

It is.

1162

01:09:39 --> 01:09:43
We enjoy hosting.
We shall... do it more often.

1163

01:09:44 --> 01:09:45 Good.

1164

01:09:46 --> 01:09:47 Yes.

1165

01:09:51 --> 01:09:54

I have only ever wanted him to be happy.

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01:09:54 --> 01:09:55 He is happy.

1167

01:09:57 --> 01:09:58
You make him happy.

1168

01:10:02 --> 01:10:03 Thank you.

01:10:04 --> 01:10:05 Your Majesty.

1170

01:10:09 --> 01:10:12
[classical rendition of
"I Will Always Love You" playing]

1171

01:10:22 --> 01:10:23 Shall we dance?

1172

01:10:24 --> 01:10:24 Yes.

1173

01:11:23 --> 01:11:25 -[guard] Excuse me, sir. -[music ends]

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01:11:25 --> 01:11:27
[Brimsley] What are you doing rustling about out here?

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01:11:28 --> 01:11:30

How dare you step away from your duties?

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01:11:30 --> 01:11:33 [guard] Apologies, sir. Her Majesty has visitors.

1177

01:11:34 --> 01:11:37
You have delivered your message.
You may go.

1178

01:11:38 --> 01:11:39
I will be along.

1179

01:11:44 --> 01:11:46

["I Will Always Love You" resumes]

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01:12:10 --> 01:12:12

[song fades out]

1181

01:12:12 --> 01:12:14

[Brimsley clears throat]

1182

01:12:18 --> 01:12:19

Edward.

1183

01:12:20 --> 01:12:21

Victoria.

1184

01:12:21 --> 01:12:24

Have you come to complain,

or have you come to see the new portrait?

1185

01:12:24 --> 01:12:26

No, Mother. We...

1186

01:12:27 --> 01:12:28

Well.

1187

01:12:29 --> 01:12:30

We come bearing news.

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01:12:32 --> 01:12:34

Your Majesty.

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01:12:38 --> 01:12:40

[gentle music builds slowly]

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01:12:42 --> 01:12:43

Are you quite sure?

1191 01:12:44 --> 01:12:45 Yes, Your Majesty.

1192

01:12:46 --> 01:12:49
I waited for quite some time, so there would be no doubt.

1193

01:12:49 --> 01:12:51
You will have your heir, Mother.

1194 01:12:54 --> 01:12:56 Oh! [sniffles]

1195 01:12:57 --> 01:12:58 [Edward] Uh, Mother.

1196 01:13:00 --> 01:13:01 Well done.

1197 01:13:02 --> 01:13:03 Both of you.

1198 01:13:03 --> 01:13:06 Victoria thinks it will be a girl.

1199 01:13:07 --> 01:13:09 I hope that will be all right with you.

> 1200 01:13:10 --> 01:13:11 A girl is wonderful.

1201 01:13:12 --> 01:13:16 And a strong queen is just what this country needs.

01:13:17 --> 01:13:20 [both giggling happily]

1203

01:13:21 --> 01:13:22 Thank you.

1204

01:13:25 --> 01:13:26 Thank you.

1205

01:13:29 --> 01:13:30 [Charlotte sighs] Oh.

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01:13:36 --> 01:13:37 [chuckling]

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01:13:46 --> 01:13:48 Lady Danbury.

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01:13:48 --> 01:13:49 Uh, Your Majesty.

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01:13:50 --> 01:13:52 Thank you so very much for the--

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01:13:52 --> 01:13:53 You refuse my brother.

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01:13:53 --> 01:13:55 Give him hope of union,

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01:13:55 --> 01:13:58 of happiness, then break his heart at my ball.

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01:13:58 --> 01:13:59
In my home.

01:13:59 --> 01:14:00 Your Majesty, I--

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01:14:00 --> 01:14:01 His humor may lack wit.

1216

01:14:01 --> 01:14:04
And yes, his condescendence knows no bounds.

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01:14:04 --> 01:14:07 He is, however, a person of fine character

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01:14:07 --> 01:14:08 and pure heart.

1219

01:14:09 --> 01:14:13

And someone in your position could find much worse options, could they not?

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01:14:13 --> 01:14:15
They could indeed, Your Majesty.

1221

01:14:16 --> 01:14:18 Please accept my apology.

1222

01:14:19 --> 01:14:21

-Tell me what I might do in order--Adolphus will survive.

1223

01:14:22 --> 01:14:25 What concerns me is what I am to do with you.

1224

01:14:26 --> 01:14:29

The fact that you did not come to me with your concerns.

1225

01:14:30 --> 01:14:33
Your fears regarding
your inheritance. Your title.

1226

01:14:33 --> 01:14:35
The fate of your family.
Of all the families recently titled.

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01:14:35 --> 01:14:37 [Lady Danbury] I apologize, Your Majesty.

1228

01:14:38 --> 01:14:41
I only didn't want to place
my burdens on top of your own.

1229

01:14:41 --> 01:14:43
Yours which seem so...

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01:14:45 --> 01:14:46
We are one Crown.

1231

01:14:47 --> 01:14:49
His weight is mine, and mine is his.

1232

01:14:50 --> 01:14:51 One Crown.

1233

01:14:52 --> 01:14:54 We rule for the welfare of all our subjects.

1234

01:14:55 --> 01:14:58

New and old. Rival and foe. Titled or not.

01:14:59 --> 01:15:03

You tell me my castle walls are too high.

I tell you they must be.

1236

01:15:03 --> 01:15:06

High as the sky,
if necessary, to protect you.

1237

01:15:07 --> 01:15:10
To protect all our worthy subjects.

1238

01:15:12 --> 01:15:15

I suggest you shift your fear into faith

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01:15:15 --> 01:15:18 and come to us with your concerns directly.

1240

01:15:18 --> 01:15:22

To do otherwise would suggest we are incapable of addressing them.

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01:15:22 --> 01:15:24
Unless that is what you believe.

1242

01:15:25 --> 01:15:26 Lady Danbury.

1243

01:15:29 --> 01:15:30 You may go.

1244

01:15:31 --> 01:15:32 I shall send for you soon.

1245

01:15:35 --> 01:15:36 Your Majesty.

01:15:38 --> 01:15:40 Oh, indulge.

1247

01:15:41 --> 01:15:43 For once. For me.

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01:15:43 --> 01:15:44 I'm ordering you.

1249

01:15:44 --> 01:15:46
I'm afraid my sworn commitment

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01:15:46 --> 01:15:49 to the welfare of the Crown outweighs your order, Your Majesty.

1251

01:15:50 --> 01:15:51 [George] Impossible.

1252

01:15:51 --> 01:15:53 Off with you.

1253

01:15:57 --> 01:15:59

Finally, someone who will drink with me.

1254

01:15:59 --> 01:16:02

-I will not.

-You refuse me as well.

1255

01:16:02 --> 01:16:03

-I do.

-Nonsense. You must.

1256

01:16:04 --> 01:16:05

I must not.

1257 01:16:06 --> 01:16:07 For a while.

1258

01:16:13 --> 01:16:14 [quard] Your Majesty.

1259

01:16:14 --> 01:16:15 The stakes are too high.

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01:16:16 --> 01:16:19
The fates of too many
rest on us securing your line.

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01:16:19 --> 01:16:20 Our line.

1262

01:16:24 --> 01:16:25 Charlotte.

1263

01:16:26 --> 01:16:28 [chuckles]

1264

01:16:32 --> 01:16:33
You and me.

1265

01:16:34 --> 01:16:35 And them.

1266

01:16:37 --> 01:16:38 And them.

1267

01:17:00 --> 01:17:02 -Agatha. -[both chuckle]

01:17:02 --> 01:17:03 Come in.

1269

01:17:03 --> 01:17:05

It's lovely to see you. [chuckles]

1270

01:17:05 --> 01:17:08

I wish it were a day for a stroll, but, oh, the weather.

1271

01:17:08 --> 01:17:11

The weather does not obey our wishes.

1272

01:17:11 --> 01:17:12

Come!

1273

01:17:12 --> 01:17:13

Sit over here.

1274

01:17:13 --> 01:17:15

Oh, those.

1275

01:17:15 --> 01:17:19

Those are my birthday hats.

I believe I may have told you about them.

1276

01:17:19 --> 01:17:20

[Lady Danbury] Yes, you did.

1277

01:17:21 --> 01:17:23

Your father made them for you.

1278

01:17:24 --> 01:17:25

Every year on your birthday.

01:17:26 --> 01:17:28 -Correct? -Yes.

1280

01:17:28 --> 01:17:30

-Huh.

-And I used to make them for Edmund.

1281

01:17:30 --> 01:17:34

And there are the ones I used to make for the children over the years.

1282

01:17:34 --> 01:17:36

You keep them all on display.

1283

01:17:36 --> 01:17:39

I did not always, but lately, I ...

1284

01:17:39 --> 01:17:42

I suppose I am feeling sentimental.

1285

01:17:42 --> 01:17:45

Look, these are the ones my father made.

1286

01:17:45 --> 01:17:46

[chuckles]

1287

01:17:47 --> 01:17:49

They are cheerful.

1288

01:17:50 --> 01:17:51

Are they not?

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01:17:51 --> 01:17:52

[Lady Danbury] Hm.

01:17:52 --> 01:17:54 They are. [chuckles]

1291

01:18:04 --> 01:18:05
I thought I'd enjoy them for a time

1292

01:18:05 --> 01:18:08

before I pack them back up, let them go.

1293

01:18:09 --> 01:18:10 You're packing them away?

1294

01:18:11 --> 01:18:13

Well, yes.

It is a rather large collection.

1295

01:18:16 --> 01:18:18

However, they are filled with memories.

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01:18:21 --> 01:18:23

Ones that I do not want to let go of.

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01:18:27 --> 01:18:29

[melancholy music playing softly]

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01:18:40 --> 01:18:41 Violet.

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01:18:43 --> 01:18:45 Oh. Goodness, the tea.

01:18:45 --> 01:18:47

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We should sit. [chuckles]

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01:18:47 --> 01:18:48

Violet.

01:18:51 --> 01:18:54
I believe you should
leave the hats where they are.

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01:18:55 --> 01:18:56 They are lovely.

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01:18:57 --> 01:18:59 As you say...

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01:19:00 --> 01:19:02 cheerful. [chuckles]

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01:19:06 --> 01:19:07 Yes.

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01:19:10 --> 01:19:11 [Lady Danbury] Hm.

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01:19:11 --> 01:19:13 [cheerful music plays softly]

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01:19:28 --> 01:19:30 [driver chattering]

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01:19:30 --> 01:19:32 [horses snorting]

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01:19:33 --> 01:19:35
[crickets chirping]

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01:19:48 --> 01:19:50 Do not hover, Brimsley.

 $01:19:50 \longrightarrow 01:19:53$ I'm quite capable of seeing him on my own.

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01:20:03 --> 01:20:05 [George murmuring]

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01:20:10 --> 01:20:11 George.

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01:20:11 --> 01:20:13

Do not bother me in... in... in the sky.

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01:20:13 --> 01:20:14 [Charlotte] George.

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01:20:14 --> 01:20:16
It is me. It is your Charlotte.

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01:20:17 --> 01:20:20

I have some news, George. Wonderful news.

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01:20:21 --> 01:20:22

George?

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01:20:22 --> 01:20:25

[George murmuring indistinctly]

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01:20:25 --> 01:20:26 George.

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01:20:26 --> 01:20:28

[George] To there... To there...

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01:20:30 --> 01:20:32

Or there. Could it be there?

01:20:33 --> 01:20:34 Or there.

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01:20:42 --> 01:20:44 [gentle music playing]

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01:20:46 --> 01:20:48 [Charlotte] Just George. Farmer George.

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01:20:58 --> 01:20:59 Come.

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01:21:00 --> 01:21:02 Hide from the heavens with me.

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01:21:09 --> 01:21:10 Charlotte.

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01:21:11 --> 01:21:13 -Why, hello. -Hello, George.

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01:21:17 --> 01:21:18 It is quiet here.

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01:21:20 --> 01:21:21 George.

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01:21:21 --> 01:21:22
We have succeeded.

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01:21:23 --> 01:21:25 Our son, Edward,

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01:21:25 --> 01:21:29

he has married, and his wife is with child.

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01:21:30 --> 01:21:32 Edward is going to be a father?

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01:21:32 --> 01:21:33

-Yes.

-[both chuckle]

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01:21:34 --> 01:21:36
Your line will live on.

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01:21:38 --> 01:21:39 Our line.

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01:21:42 --> 01:21:43
Our line.

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01:21:45 --> 01:21:47 [gentle music swells]

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01:21:51 --> 01:21:52 Thank you.

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01:21:57 --> 01:21:58
Thank you.

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01:22:14 --> 01:22:16 Fancy meeting you here.

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01:22:18 --> 01:22:20
[Charlotte laughs]

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01:22:21 --> 01:22:22 [George chuckles]

01:22:25 --> 01:22:27
You did not go over the wall.

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01:22:34 --> 01:22:35 [tearfully] No, George.

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01:22:37 --> 01:22:39
I did not go over the wall.

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01:23:04 --> 01:23:06 [gentle music fades out]

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01:23:14 --> 01:23:15 [closing theme music plays]

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