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# THE CROWN

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"Pride & Joy"

Elizabeth and Philip go on an exhausting world journey. Margaret takes over some of her sister's official duties and tries to liven things up.

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## **EPISODE CAST**

Claire Foy	...	Queen Elizabeth II
Matt Smith	...	Philip, Duke of Edinburgh
Victoria Hamilton	...	Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother
Vanessa Kirby	...	Princess Margaret
John Lithgow	...	Winston Churchill
Pip Torrens	...	Tommy Lascelles
Harry Hadden-Paton	...	Martin Charteris
Ben Miles	...	Peter Townsend
Billy Jenkins	...	Prince Charles
Nicholas Rowe	...	Jock Colville
Daniel Ings	...	Mike Parker
Lizzy McInnerny	...	Bobo Macdonald
James Hillier	...	Equerry (Buckingham Palace)
Will Keen	...	Michael Adeane
Anthony Edridge	...	Equerry (Clarence House)

1

00:00:34,360 --> 00:00:37,760  
-Ask my daughters to come and see me.  
-Yes, ma'am.

2

00:00:44,040 --> 00:00:47,120  
Girls, it's too soon. I can't do it.

3

00:00:48,000 --> 00:00:49,040  
I'm not strong enough.

4

00:00:49,120 --> 00:00:51,400  
[Margaret] That's why you have  
two grown-up daughters.

5

00:00:51,480 --> 00:00:54,400  
To step in for you  
in situations like this. I'll do it.

6

00:00:54,480 --> 00:00:56,880  
Thank you but that makes no sense.

7

00:00:59,240 --> 00:01:02,160  
The speech is for Papa about Papa.  
I would like to do it.

8

00:01:02,880 --> 00:01:03,960  
It's right I do it.

9

00:01:04,040 --> 00:01:07,440  
You don't enjoy public speaking,  
whereas I do.

10

00:01:07,520 --> 00:01:11,640  
-And I was Pa...  
-What? Favorite?

11

00:01:13,480 --> 00:01:17,440  
-[Margaret] Are you going to deny it?  
-Your father didn't have a favorite.

12

00:01:17,520 --> 00:01:23,560  
He adored you both.

Did so equally. As any good father would.

13

00:01:24,600 --> 00:01:27,800  
[Margaret] Mummy, you decide, then.  
As head of the family.

14

00:01:27,880 --> 00:01:34,520  
But she's not head of the family. I am.  
And I will make the speech.

15

00:01:48,440 --> 00:01:50,440  
-Ma'am.  
-Thank you.

16

00:01:50,520 --> 00:01:51,600  
Thank you.

17

00:01:57,120 --> 00:02:02,600  
Six years ago, I heard the moving words  
which my father spoke

18

00:02:02,680 --> 00:02:06,520  
when he unveiled the statue  
of King George V.

19

00:02:06,600 --> 00:02:10,639  
I did not think then  
that in so short a time,

20

00:02:10,720 --> 00:02:13,120  
I should be called to take his place.

21

00:02:15,360 --> 00:02:20,480  
But, it is with pride  
that I unveil this noble statue today.

22

00:02:49,280 --> 00:02:52,000  
[thunder rumbles]

23

00:03:12,800 --> 00:03:14,800  
[car engine starts]

24

00:03:20,720 --> 00:03:21,960  
Ma'am...

25

00:04:51,000 --> 00:04:53,440  
[man] We have been flagging our concern  
for some time.

26

00:04:53,520 --> 00:04:58,920  
These latest events, internationally,  
merely strengthen our view.

27

00:04:59,000 --> 00:05:01,680  
But sending the Queen  
on this forthcoming tour,

28

00:05:01,760 --> 00:05:04,560  
in the current climate,  
would be to put the Sovereign

29

00:05:04,640 --> 00:05:07,040  
in an unacceptable level of danger.

30

00:05:07,120 --> 00:05:11,160  
What is it you would have the Queen do?  
Stay at home

31

00:05:11,240 --> 00:05:15,480  
in the wake of minor incidents  
prosecuted by an insurgent rabble?

32

00:05:15,560 --> 00:05:21,160  
What kind of signal would that send?  
The Crown does not back down.

33

00:05:21,240 --> 00:05:23,760  
If Britain had made a habit  
of backing down,

34

00:05:23,840 --> 00:05:27,720  
the world would already be  
living under the yoke of fascist tyranny

35

00:05:27,800 --> 00:05:29,400

and we wouldn't have an empire at all.

36

00:05:29,480 --> 00:05:33,760

Then might I suggest  
we bypass Gibraltar altogether?

37

00:05:33,840 --> 00:05:36,920

[Adeane] It's an approach  
which I would favor too.

38

00:05:37,000 --> 00:05:41,040

She's not ready for something  
on this scale. She's not yet up to it.

39

00:05:41,120 --> 00:05:46,080

Especially with so many of our dominions  
demanding independence.

40

00:05:46,160 --> 00:05:50,280

-We must be considerate of her.  
-Patronize her.

41

00:05:50,360 --> 00:05:53,680

-No, that's not what I'm saying, sir.  
-Yes, it is.

42

00:05:56,480 --> 00:05:59,880

[Hartnell] Bermuda. Jamaica. Australia.  
Ceylon. Uganda.

43

00:05:59,960 --> 00:06:02,120

It's going to be hot, Your Majesty.

44

00:06:02,200 --> 00:06:05,360

To that end, we've been working  
a great deal with organza,

45

00:06:05,440 --> 00:06:08,200

crepe de Chine and shantung silk.

46

00:06:08,280 --> 00:06:11,440

We also wanted to feature something  
particular to each location,

47

00:06:11,520 --> 00:06:15,920  
so we thought  
sprigs of native wild flowers

48

00:06:16,000 --> 00:06:18,520  
indigenous to each country  
that you're visiting.

49

00:06:18,600 --> 00:06:23,640  
So, on Her Majesty's arrival in Sydney,  
we propose a white organza dress

50

00:06:23,720 --> 00:06:25,960  
scattered with pale yellow  
wattle blossom.

51

00:06:26,040 --> 00:06:28,720  
How many dresses are there?

52

00:06:28,800 --> 00:06:31,280  
-One hundred.  
-One hundred.

53

00:06:32,040 --> 00:06:33,560  
-And hats?  
-Thirty-six.

54

00:06:33,640 --> 00:06:35,600  
-Pairs of shoes?  
-Fifty.

55

00:06:37,240 --> 00:06:40,840  
Isn't this all a bit much?  
Couldn't we try to economize?

56

00:06:40,920 --> 00:06:44,160  
It is. It was a directive  
from the government itself,

57

00:06:44,240 --> 00:06:46,000  
from the very top of the government.

58

00:06:46,720 --> 00:06:51,320  
To put our best foot forward  
for Great Britain. Our very best foot.

59

00:06:57,800 --> 00:07:00,640  
It is an absurd pantomime,  
the whole thing.

60

00:07:00,720 --> 00:07:02,560  
I don't know why anyone  
can't see beyond it.

61

00:07:02,640 --> 00:07:05,400  
Actually, I thought the  
old ostrich feathers rather suited you.

62

00:07:05,480 --> 00:07:08,720  
-You should wear those more often.  
-[man] Up straight, please.

63

00:07:08,800 --> 00:07:10,320  
20 years ago, Britain had influence

64

00:07:10,400 --> 00:07:12,880  
and control over one-fifth  
of the world's population.

65

00:07:12,960 --> 00:07:15,640  
You look where we are now in India,

66

00:07:15,720 --> 00:07:21,520  
Pakistan, South Africa,  
Iraq, Jordan, Burma, Ceylon:

67

00:07:21,600 --> 00:07:23,920  
all independent.

68

00:07:24,000 --> 00:07:27,400  
But nobody wants to face it  
or deal with it, so...

69

00:07:27,480 --> 00:07:30,600



they send us out  
on the Commonwealth roadshow.

70

00:07:30,680 --> 00:07:33,760  
Like giving a lick of paint  
to a rusty old banger

71

00:07:33,840 --> 00:07:37,960  
to make everyone think  
it's all still fine. But it's not.

72

00:07:38,760 --> 00:07:41,520  
The rust has eaten away  
at the engine and the structure.

73

00:07:42,680 --> 00:07:44,960  
The banger is falling apart.

74

00:07:46,400 --> 00:07:48,000  
But no one wants to see it.

75

00:07:49,400 --> 00:07:52,360  
That's our job, that's who we are.

76

00:07:52,440 --> 00:07:53,960  
The coat of paint.

77

00:07:56,000 --> 00:08:00,920  
If the costumes are grand enough,  
if the tiara's sparkly enough,

78

00:08:01,000 --> 00:08:04,400  
if the titles are preposterous enough,

79

00:08:04,480 --> 00:08:07,720  
the mythology incomprehensible enough,  
then all must still be fine.

80

00:08:07,800 --> 00:08:09,920  
-Are we nearly finished yet?  
-Not quite, sir.

81

00:08:10,000 --> 00:08:12,320  
Four hours we've been here already  
for a costume fitting.

82

00:08:12,400 --> 00:08:15,560  
Uniform, sir, not costume.

83

00:08:15,640 --> 00:08:19,880  
[Philip] You wear uniforms to battle.  
This is a costume fitting.

84

00:08:24,280 --> 00:08:26,320  
[Lascelles] It's just a formality,  
Your Majesty,

85

00:08:26,400 --> 00:08:29,560  
confirming your temporary assumption  
of duties as Councilor of State

86

00:08:29,640 --> 00:08:31,760  
while Her Majesty is abroad.

87

00:08:31,840 --> 00:08:36,159  
You are so kind to still look after me  
from your retirement.

88

00:08:36,240 --> 00:08:38,200  
How much is still in the diary?

89

00:08:40,000 --> 00:08:42,760  
Well, I went through it with Major Adeane

90

00:08:42,840 --> 00:08:45,200  
and we tried to throw out  
as much as we could

91

00:08:45,280 --> 00:08:48,280  
but there will still be the usual  
Privy Council meetings of course,

92

00:08:48,360 --> 00:08:51,560  
some investitures  
and military inspections.

93

00:08:51,640 --> 00:08:54,320  
Couldn't we give some of it  
to Princess Margaret?

94

00:08:54,400 --> 00:08:56,840  
I'm just thinking  
she's had a tough time of it lately.

95

00:08:56,920 --> 00:09:00,880  
Being allowed to shine a bit  
might be good for her.

96

00:09:00,960 --> 00:09:03,200  
Get her back on track.

97

00:09:08,040 --> 00:09:11,000  
Besides, I had rather hoped  
to disappear up to Scotland for a while.

98

00:09:11,080 --> 00:09:14,800  
And Margaret could deputize for me.

99

00:09:17,880 --> 00:09:20,840  
[Townsend] The office is tucked away  
in a remote part of the embassy

100

00:09:20,920 --> 00:09:22,520  
where no one will see me.

101

00:09:22,600 --> 00:09:25,200  
-So what do you do all day?  
-Oh, nothing!

102

00:09:25,280 --> 00:09:27,520  
They can't keep you there  
and give you nothing to do.

103

00:09:27,600 --> 00:09:33,800  
-I beg to differ, nothing is all I do.  
-Are you at least alone in the office?

104

00:09:33,880 --> 00:09:36,840  
Oh, no, Sergeant Hewitt is here.  
He's just walked in.

105  
00:09:36,920 --> 00:09:40,600  
-[gasps] Can he hear you?  
-Oh, yes.

106  
00:09:40,680 --> 00:09:43,600  
-Does he watch you?  
-Oh, yes.

107  
00:09:43,680 --> 00:09:46,720  
-Is that the point of Sergeant Hewitt?  
-It is the only point.

108  
00:09:46,800 --> 00:09:49,240  
Oh, God, how awful.

109  
00:09:52,040 --> 00:09:53,240  
Well, it's not forever.

110  
00:09:54,160 --> 00:09:57,840  
Feels like it, though. Two years.

111  
00:09:59,400 --> 00:10:00,400  
[sighs]

112  
00:10:03,440 --> 00:10:06,440  
Without you to protect me. Guide me.

113  
00:10:09,440 --> 00:10:14,000  
I feel quite... unanchored without you.

114  
00:10:15,040 --> 00:10:19,520  
Yes, but it's what we agreed to do,  
to help your sister.

115  
00:10:21,760 --> 00:10:23,520  
Then we shall be free.

116  
00:10:31,800 --> 00:10:33,640

[dog barks]

117

00:10:36,320 --> 00:10:38,480  
Well, that's it. That's me off.

118

00:10:39,280 --> 00:10:42,200  
See you when you're back  
from the tour in...

119

00:10:42,280 --> 00:10:43,280  
23 weeks.

120

00:10:46,080 --> 00:10:49,480  
-Well, call me if you need anything.  
-Yes.

121

00:10:49,560 --> 00:10:50,960  
You won't, of course.

122

00:10:52,880 --> 00:10:55,120  
-You don't need me anymore at all.  
-Yes, of course I do.

123

00:10:55,200 --> 00:10:57,960  
No, you don't. Neither of you does.

124

00:10:58,040 --> 00:11:01,640  
I have two grown-up daughters quite  
capable of looking after themselves now.

125

00:11:03,480 --> 00:11:07,080  
-Who is it that you're staying with?  
-The Vyners.

126

00:11:07,160 --> 00:11:11,000  
Up in Caithness at the Northern Gate?  
Dunnott Head?

127

00:11:11,080 --> 00:11:12,800  
Goodness. That's the end of the earth.

128

00:11:12,880 --> 00:11:16,080

Yes. A chance to really  
get away from it all.

129

00:11:17,960 --> 00:11:21,600

-Have a good think.

-About what?

130

00:11:23,840 --> 00:11:25,000

Everything.

131

00:11:26,360 --> 00:11:30,600

Well, don't think too much or too deeply.

It just gets one in a muddle.

132

00:11:32,720 --> 00:11:34,400

Oh, by the way, I've arranged for Margaret

133

00:11:34,480 --> 00:11:37,360

to deputize for me while I'm gone,  
as Head of State.

134

00:11:37,440 --> 00:11:40,600

-Why?

-Well, someone needs to do it.

135

00:11:40,680 --> 00:11:42,520

Can't have people  
turning up for knighthoods

136

00:11:42,600 --> 00:11:44,320

and some civil servant handing them out.

137

00:11:44,400 --> 00:11:46,560

-Well, if you think she's up to it.

-Up to what?

138

00:11:46,640 --> 00:11:49,840

Standing still, looking pretty and putting  
a sword on a few people's shoulders?

139

00:11:49,920 --> 00:11:52,440

-And making speeches?

-Which will be written for her.

140  
00:11:52,520 --> 00:11:53,840  
And turning up on time.

141  
00:11:53,920 --> 00:11:56,280  
There are people  
who will get her where she needs to be.

142  
00:11:56,360 --> 00:11:58,120  
And behaving herself.

143  
00:11:59,600 --> 00:12:01,120  
She will be fine.

144  
00:12:01,840 --> 00:12:04,640  
And you, if you'll allow me  
for just one moment?

145  
00:12:04,720 --> 00:12:07,360  
-Please.  
-You need to give Margaret some room.

146  
00:12:07,440 --> 00:12:11,360  
Some space in which to shine.  
She needs to shine, that one.

147  
00:12:12,840 --> 00:12:14,720  
And, as elder sister,

148  
00:12:14,800 --> 00:12:18,000  
you ought to be confident  
and generous enough to respect that.

149  
00:12:18,080 --> 00:12:19,240  
I am.

150  
00:12:20,560 --> 00:12:22,400  
Are you?

151  
00:12:42,720 --> 00:12:44,200  
On your knees.

152

00:12:44,280 --> 00:12:46,440  
-Is that absolutely necessary?  
-Course!

153

00:12:46,520 --> 00:12:50,240  
I want to be sure I know  
what I'm doing before you go.

154

00:12:50,320 --> 00:12:51,320  
All right.

155

00:12:53,600 --> 00:12:55,400  
I hope you have a steady hand.

156

00:12:55,480 --> 00:12:59,560  
You seem uncharacteristically jumpy.  
Guilty conscience, perhaps?

157

00:13:01,400 --> 00:13:04,120  
-Why should I have a guilty conscience?  
-Have a think.

158

00:13:05,880 --> 00:13:08,760  
-If you mean Peter and his posting...  
-Banishment.

159

00:13:08,840 --> 00:13:11,600  
That wasn't my doing, I was simply  
acting on the government's advice.

160

00:13:11,680 --> 00:13:13,440  
The idea came from your henchman.

161

00:13:13,520 --> 00:13:15,640  
-Now, that's a little firm.  
-Was it?

162

00:13:15,720 --> 00:13:19,520  
-Yes. And it's the flat edge, remember?  
-Oh, sorry.

163

00:13:20,320 --> 00:13:24,640



-So how is he?

-Peter? He's getting on with it.

164

00:13:24,720 --> 00:13:28,200

Uncomplainingly.

Because that's what strong men do.

165

00:13:29,760 --> 00:13:31,720

But it's a lonely existence in Brussels.

166

00:13:31,800 --> 00:13:35,840

No real job, stuck in a small flat,  
followed by photographers,

167

00:13:35,920 --> 00:13:39,560

having to steer clear of all the parties,  
steer clear of all the traps.

168

00:13:39,640 --> 00:13:42,600

-What traps?

-Traps being set for him.

169

00:13:42,680 --> 00:13:47,520

Those who would wish to lead him astray.  
Catch him in a compromising position.

170

00:13:47,600 --> 00:13:49,880

Those who would cheer  
the dissolution of our friendship.

171

00:13:49,960 --> 00:13:53,000

-Margaret, you're imagining things.

-Am I?

172

00:13:53,080 --> 00:13:55,920

Yes. And anyway, it's not for much longer.

173

00:13:56,000 --> 00:13:57,000

Two years?

174

00:13:57,080 --> 00:13:59,400

Yes, but the first three or four months  
will fly by

175

00:13:59,480 --> 00:14:01,720  
while you're kindly filling in for me.

176

00:14:01,800 --> 00:14:04,480  
-I'll try not to upstage you.  
-How kind.

177

00:14:04,560 --> 00:14:06,880  
I can't promise I won't bring  
my own character to it.

178

00:14:06,960 --> 00:14:08,480  
Well, I never expected anything less.

179

00:14:08,560 --> 00:14:10,640  
That's the advantage  
of having a character to bring.

180

00:14:11,640 --> 00:14:15,680  
Too much character,  
an excess of character.

181

00:14:15,760 --> 00:14:19,400  
Now, look at me and tell me you didn't  
say that without a little bit of envy.

182

00:14:21,240 --> 00:14:24,160  
Just remember  
who you're standing in for when I'm gone.

183

00:14:24,240 --> 00:14:25,880  
My characterless sister.

184

00:14:27,200 --> 00:14:30,040  
Your Queen. Not a showgirl.

185

00:14:33,640 --> 00:14:35,640  
[cheering]

186

00:14:47,200 --> 00:14:50,640  
[reporter] ...were introduced to the

people of Bermuda for the very first time.

187

00:14:50,720 --> 00:14:52,680

The Royal couple then flies to Jamaica....

188

00:14:52,760 --> 00:14:55,480

[continues indistinctly]

189

00:15:21,880 --> 00:15:24,640

[Churchill] The last time  
you departed on this tour,

190

00:15:24,720 --> 00:15:29,160

it was cruelly cut short  
by the death of your dear father.

191

00:15:29,240 --> 00:15:32,440

In his final months,  
the King told me many times

192

00:15:32,520 --> 00:15:35,800

that he could feel it all slipping away.

193

00:15:35,880 --> 00:15:39,200

The Empire, our place in the world.

194

00:15:39,280 --> 00:15:44,240

He saw this tour as a chance  
to keep each dominion close,

195

00:15:44,320 --> 00:15:46,720

preserving that Empire.

196

00:15:46,800 --> 00:15:50,720

So take him with you in spirit. Let his--

197

00:15:53,080 --> 00:15:57,840

Let his example guide you.  
His thoughts influence you.

198

00:15:59,200 --> 00:16:02,440

-I will.

-And, if I may...

199

00:16:03,880 --> 00:16:08,200

Never let them see  
the real Elizabeth Windsor.

200

00:16:09,840 --> 00:16:13,040

The cameras, the television.

201

00:16:13,120 --> 00:16:18,880

Never let them see  
that carrying the Crown is often a burden.

202

00:16:19,800 --> 00:16:26,280

Let them look at you...  
but let them see only the eternal.

203

00:16:32,000 --> 00:16:35,240

-Thank you, Winston.  
-Your Majesty.

204

00:16:53,000 --> 00:16:55,000

[cheering]

205

00:17:37,480 --> 00:17:39,840

[Doris] Well done! You made it!

206

00:17:39,920 --> 00:17:43,240

[Queen Mother] If it was easy  
to come here, everybody would.

207

00:17:43,320 --> 00:17:45,400

Thank God it isn't, and they don't.

208

00:17:46,480 --> 00:17:48,520

-[Vyner] Will you want a rest?  
-Certainly not!

209

00:17:48,600 --> 00:17:52,800

I've been sitting for hours.  
I want a nice, long walk!

210

00:17:52,880 --> 00:17:54,600  
Or, better still, a ride!

211  
00:18:09,080 --> 00:18:10,840  
[Queen Mother] Go on! Go.

212  
00:18:28,440 --> 00:18:31,440  
[Queen Mother] Oh, Scotland! The beauty!

213  
00:18:31,520 --> 00:18:34,680  
I'd almost forgotten what it feels like  
to have the spirits lifted.

214  
00:18:34,760 --> 00:18:38,160  
Well, you're welcome to stay any time  
to get away from it all.

215  
00:18:38,240 --> 00:18:41,920  
You'd soon grow sick of me.  
You know what they say, "Guests and fish!"

216  
00:18:42,000 --> 00:18:44,360  
[laughing]

217  
00:18:44,440 --> 00:18:47,640  
Or you could become a neighbor.  
There's a castle along the coast for sale.

218  
00:18:48,840 --> 00:18:51,760  
They're threatening to tear it down.  
The owner can't afford to keep it up.

219  
00:18:51,840 --> 00:18:55,200  
Oh, chap called Imbert-Terry.  
Strange fellow.

220  
00:18:55,280 --> 00:19:00,600  
Rumor is, that on occasion, he sings  
to the seals that swim past the castle.

221  
00:19:00,680 --> 00:19:02,440  
[laughs]

222

00:19:02,520 --> 00:19:04,040  
Oh, how queer.

223

00:19:07,400 --> 00:19:09,600  
Has it been very difficult?

224

00:19:13,600 --> 00:19:14,640  
It has.

225

00:19:16,440 --> 00:19:21,080  
I don't want to sound self-piteous  
but loss has followed loss.

226

00:19:21,160 --> 00:19:23,520  
First and foremost, the loss of a husband.

227

00:19:24,520 --> 00:19:28,680  
Then the loss of a home,  
having to leave the palace.

228

00:19:31,040 --> 00:19:34,160  
The loss of motherhood,  
as daughters become adults.

229

00:19:35,920 --> 00:19:40,440  
Loss of a routine, a sense of purpose.  
The loss of a Crown.

230

00:19:42,240 --> 00:19:47,720  
Imagine, 17 years' experience as Queen  
and being the head of the family.

231

00:19:47,800 --> 00:19:49,800  
Bertie was a wonderful husband and father,

232

00:19:49,880 --> 00:19:52,320  
but he needed  
a great deal of help as King.

233

00:19:52,400 --> 00:19:54,880  
And then we lose him and,

234  
00:19:54,960 --> 00:19:58,040  
at precisely the moment  
when they should be giving me more to do,

235  
00:19:58,120 --> 00:20:00,840  
stop me falling into despair,  
they take it all aw--

236  
00:20:06,000 --> 00:20:07,400  
They take it all away...

237  
00:20:11,240 --> 00:20:15,880  
They put it all into the hands of a girl  
who's totally unequipped for it.

238  
00:20:23,640 --> 00:20:26,480  
I'm so sorry. So sorry.

239  
00:20:28,080 --> 00:20:31,800  
[Elizabeth] "Bermuda will always have  
a distinguished position

240  
00:20:31,880 --> 00:20:34,080  
within the British Commonwealth.

241  
00:20:34,160 --> 00:20:39,320  
A position which will, I trust,  
remain unshaken by the storms

242  
00:20:39,400 --> 00:20:41,120  
through which the world is passing.

243  
00:20:41,200 --> 00:20:47,560  
My husband and I have been deeply touched  
by the welcome we have received here.

244  
00:20:47,640 --> 00:20:54,400  
Bermuda holds and will always hold  
a warm place in our hearts."

245  
00:20:54,480 --> 00:20:56,240  
May God bless you all.

246  
00:20:56,320 --> 00:20:59,040  
[cheering]

247  
00:21:04,720 --> 00:21:09,240  
I thought that went well, Ma'am.  
Message delivered loud and clear, I'd say.

248  
00:21:09,320 --> 00:21:12,240  
"Stay loyal or die."  
Is that it now? Can we knock off?

249  
00:21:12,320 --> 00:21:13,800  
I'm afraid not, sir.

250  
00:21:13,880 --> 00:21:17,560  
Without wishing to rush you, Ma'am, we  
do need to move on as quickly as possible.

251  
00:21:17,640 --> 00:21:19,760  
Yes, of course.

252  
00:21:22,320 --> 00:21:24,040  
-[knocking]  
-[Adeane] Your Majesty?

253  
00:21:24,120 --> 00:21:26,200  
So sorry, Ma'am,  
I really can't manage any faster.

254  
00:21:26,280 --> 00:21:28,040  
-Please don't worry.  
-Ready for you, Ma'am.

255  
00:21:28,120 --> 00:21:30,040  
Give her a chance!

256  
00:21:30,120 --> 00:21:34,400  
It's like being in the navy again.  
Eight minutes. Not nine, not seven.

257  
00:21:34,480 --> 00:21:36,960



[Adeane] Then to the next location  
where you'll make a speech

258

00:21:37,040 --> 00:21:38,760  
to ex-servicemen at the Royal Yacht Club,

259

00:21:38,840 --> 00:21:42,560  
then by ferry to visit a school near  
Mangrove Bay on the west of the island.

260

00:21:42,640 --> 00:21:46,080  
Then you will host a garden party here  
at the Governor's House,

261

00:21:46,160 --> 00:21:47,360  
for a thousand or so guests,

262

00:21:47,440 --> 00:21:50,480  
where we're hoping to find a moment  
for the ceremonial planting of a tree.

263

00:21:50,560 --> 00:21:53,840  
[Philip] Will we find a moment  
during any of this to use the lavatory?

264

00:21:53,920 --> 00:21:55,800  
I do hope tomorrow's better.

265

00:21:55,880 --> 00:21:57,520  
I'm afraid not, sir.

266

00:21:57,600 --> 00:22:00,400  
Up at 4:30 for a 6 a.m. flight to Jamaica.

267

00:22:03,360 --> 00:22:06,320  
[Philip] Here we go again,  
waving like lunatics.

268

00:22:06,400 --> 00:22:10,480  
Oh, God, with any luck, one day,  
they'll all own television sets

269

00:22:10,560 --> 00:22:12,880  
and they won't come out like this again.

270

00:22:12,960 --> 00:22:16,120  
Ma'am, Sir, just before we take off,  
I thought I might go through

271

00:22:16,200 --> 00:22:18,640  
the itinerary for our first day  
in Jamaica.

272

00:22:18,720 --> 00:22:21,120  
-Goody.  
-Yes. Do sit down, Michael.

273

00:22:21,200 --> 00:22:24,520  
Thank you. We arrive at noon  
to be greeted by the Governor

274

00:22:24,600 --> 00:22:26,800  
and representatives  
of the West Indian islands.

275

00:22:26,880 --> 00:22:30,440  
A guard of honor will be formed  
by the Jamaican Constabulary...

276

00:22:34,640 --> 00:22:39,400  
[reporter] This is the picture  
we shall never forget in Jamaica.

277

00:22:39,480 --> 00:22:44,240  
The lovely lady and the tall, handsome  
figure of the sailor, her husband.

278

00:22:45,320 --> 00:22:49,880  
So near to all the children  
that they can almost be touched.

279

00:22:49,960 --> 00:22:51,960  
-So graceful and so near...  
-[knocking]

280

00:22:52,040 --> 00:22:54,240  
[page] Colonel Charteris thought  
you might like to see

281

00:22:54,320 --> 00:22:55,840  
the speech for tomorrow night, Ma'am.

282

00:22:55,920 --> 00:22:59,000  
-Give you a chance to prepare.  
-Thank you.

283

00:23:06,240 --> 00:23:07,240  
[Margaret] Oh, dear.

284

00:23:08,800 --> 00:23:12,080  
-Would you bring me a pencil, please?  
-Ma'am?

285

00:23:12,160 --> 00:23:16,640  
And ask Colonel Charteris if he'd be so  
kind as to come and see me in the morning.

286

00:23:22,760 --> 00:23:27,360  
From all over the West Indies, people  
have come here today for this ceremony,

287

00:23:27,440 --> 00:23:30,240  
expressing their loyalty to her.

288

00:23:39,440 --> 00:23:41,440  
-[page] Good morning, sir.  
-Good morning.

289

00:24:00,400 --> 00:24:03,080  
[knocking, door opens]

290

00:24:03,160 --> 00:24:05,960  
-Come in, Martin.  
-Your Royal Highness.

291

00:24:07,320 --> 00:24:09,760  
The speech for the Ambassador's  
reception tonight.

292

00:24:09,840 --> 00:24:11,080  
Yes, Ma'am?

293

00:24:11,160 --> 00:24:13,920  
This was written for my sister.  
Very well written.

294

00:24:14,000 --> 00:24:16,080  
-Thank you.  
-Manifestly for her.

295

00:24:16,160 --> 00:24:20,080  
In her register, reflecting her character,  
if that's the right word.

296

00:24:20,160 --> 00:24:23,120  
As we both know,  
I have a different character.

297

00:24:23,200 --> 00:24:24,280  
Indeed.

298

00:24:24,360 --> 00:24:27,240  
And, since I shall be deputizing  
for my sister tonight,

299

00:24:27,320 --> 00:24:31,960  
I was wondering if I might make  
one or two minor adjustments to the text?

300

00:24:32,040 --> 00:24:34,760  
-Ma'am?  
-Give it a bit more color.

301

00:24:34,840 --> 00:24:38,320  
Make it feel a bit more like me.  
And breathe a little life into it.

302

00:24:38,400 --> 00:24:40,960  
I'm sure Her Royal Highness appreciates...

303

00:24:43,760 --> 00:24:49,040  
there'll be important people  
at the reception tonight.

304

00:24:49,120 --> 00:24:51,760  
Different backgrounds,  
different sensibilities.

305

00:24:51,840 --> 00:24:57,040  
The speech has been carefully calibrated  
to avoid giving offence.

306

00:24:57,120 --> 00:24:59,400  
And I'd suggest to avoid entertaining too.

307

00:24:59,480 --> 00:25:03,200  
It's not the Sovereign's place  
to entertain.

308

00:25:03,280 --> 00:25:04,440  
And I'm not the Sovereign.

309

00:25:04,520 --> 00:25:08,360  
I understand that  
but you will be there in her place.

310

00:25:19,600 --> 00:25:23,440  
What about the State Diadem tiara?  
Or the Cambridge Lovers' Knot?

311

00:25:23,520 --> 00:25:26,360  
Those are Her Majesty's  
and for State occasions.

312

00:25:26,440 --> 00:25:28,560  
Her Majesty won't mind.

313

00:25:28,640 --> 00:25:33,120  
Besides, are people not coming tonight  
expecting to meet a Queen?

314

00:25:33,200 --> 00:25:35,120  
-Yes.

-Shouldn't we be giving them one?

315

00:26:08,960 --> 00:26:11,200  
[Margaret] Your Excellencies...

316

00:26:11,920 --> 00:26:16,200  
I am delighted to be here tonight,  
deputizing for my sister, the Queen,

317

00:26:16,280 --> 00:26:18,920  
who is fortunate enough  
to be on her travels,

318

00:26:19,000 --> 00:26:22,600  
somewhere between Bermuda,  
Jamaica and Fiji.

319

00:26:22,680 --> 00:26:25,160  
Distracted, no doubt,

320

00:26:26,080 --> 00:26:31,040  
by waving fields of sugar cane  
and graceful palms,

321

00:26:31,120 --> 00:26:34,920  
by deep blue water  
beyond white coral sands.

322

00:26:35,000 --> 00:26:39,160  
By dramatic green hills,  
thick with vegetation,

323

00:26:39,240 --> 00:26:43,400  
and the subtle rhythms  
of dancing and singing.

324

00:26:43,480 --> 00:26:47,320  
But more vivid, more brilliant even,

325

00:26:47,400 --> 00:26:51,640  
than the colors of those lovely islands  
or the echoes of that music

326

00:26:51,720 --> 00:26:56,800  
or the welcome of cheerful and friendly  
people wherever my sister may travel,

327

00:26:56,880 --> 00:27:00,720  
is what I see as I look out  
from this stage tonight.

328

00:27:00,800 --> 00:27:02,600  
[laughter]

329

00:27:02,680 --> 00:27:08,680  
As I look out at all of you tonight.  
My... don't you all look wonderful!

330

00:27:09,760 --> 00:27:11,760  
And shimmering.

331

00:27:11,840 --> 00:27:14,760  
And positively exotic.

332

00:27:14,840 --> 00:27:18,600  
And what fine company  
we have here tonight!

333

00:27:18,680 --> 00:27:21,880  
Our ambassador to the United States  
of America, Sir Roger Makins.

334

00:27:21,960 --> 00:27:23,920  
The only honest thing  
to come out of Washington.

335

00:27:24,000 --> 00:27:26,600  
[laughter]

336

00:27:26,680 --> 00:27:31,160  
Our dashing ambassador,  
Alec Kirkbride, in Libya.

337

00:27:31,240 --> 00:27:34,360  
This one's single, ladies.

338

00:27:34,440 --> 00:27:36,840  
Oh, and of course Sir Charles Peake  
and his wife from Greece.

339

00:27:36,920 --> 00:27:39,640  
A country  
which has brought us many things.

340

00:27:39,720 --> 00:27:44,080  
Philosophy, democracy,  
my brother-in-law.

341

00:27:44,160 --> 00:27:46,160  
[laughter]

342

00:27:48,600 --> 00:27:51,600  
So to all of you, I say welcome!

343

00:27:51,680 --> 00:27:53,920  
As a rule,  
the food here is pretty ordinary.

344

00:27:54,000 --> 00:27:55,960  
The wine is usually rather good.

345

00:27:56,040 --> 00:28:00,040  
And I have made sure  
there is plenty of it.

346

00:28:00,120 --> 00:28:04,480  
So I have no doubt  
we will have a wonderful evening.

347

00:28:05,440 --> 00:28:06,560  
Thank you.

348

00:28:06,640 --> 00:28:08,640  
[applause]

349

00:28:18,240 --> 00:28:20,080  
[Margaret] It felt so good.



350

00:28:20,160 --> 00:28:23,200  
My sister talks all the time  
of how she isn't suited to it, well...

351

00:28:23,280 --> 00:28:27,320  
-I was born for it.  
-I know.

352

00:28:27,400 --> 00:28:29,880  
I told them to put as many engagements  
in the diary as they like

353

00:28:29,960 --> 00:28:30,960  
for the next few months.

354

00:28:31,040 --> 00:28:32,600  
Investitures, The Royal Ballet,

355

00:28:32,680 --> 00:28:34,360  
-The Debutantes ball.  
-Well, why not?

356

00:28:34,440 --> 00:28:37,600  
Oh, couldn't you come  
and watch me in action? Just once.

357

00:28:37,680 --> 00:28:39,920  
If I thought it were without risk,  
I would in a flash,

358

00:28:40,000 --> 00:28:41,720  
-but if the papers get hold--  
-Darling...

359

00:28:41,800 --> 00:28:45,160  
The papers love us. The people are for us.

360

00:28:45,240 --> 00:28:48,440  
-Hm.  
-In their eyes we can do no wrong.

361

00:28:52,320 --> 00:28:55,120  
[Philip] There will be no sleeping, sir,  
there's a civic hall to visit.

362  
00:28:55,200 --> 00:28:59,920  
Not to mention the ribbons to be cut.  
And oh, the lunches to be consumed!

363  
00:29:00,000 --> 00:29:03,480  
-Ready?  
-No. Almost. You go ahead.

364  
00:29:07,200 --> 00:29:10,320  
Just give me a moment, please, gents.  
I'll be right with you. Okay? Thank you.

365  
00:29:10,400 --> 00:29:11,400  
Right.

366  
00:29:16,640 --> 00:29:17,800  
What's the matter?

367  
00:29:21,600 --> 00:29:24,360  
There was an ambassadors' reception  
in London last week.

368  
00:29:24,440 --> 00:29:27,120  
Apparently,  
Margaret was dazzling and brilliant.

369  
00:29:27,200 --> 00:29:29,800  
Would you have preferred  
she make a mess of it?

370  
00:29:30,560 --> 00:29:31,720  
No.

371  
00:29:34,120 --> 00:29:35,680  
Perhaps.

372  
00:29:36,400 --> 00:29:38,320  
-Is that awful of me?  
-Yes.

373

00:29:38,400 --> 00:29:40,520  
Well, now you know,  
you didn't marry a saint.

374

00:29:40,600 --> 00:29:43,520  
I knew that. But I wouldn't worry,  
I have great faith in her.

375

00:29:43,600 --> 00:29:45,960  
-In Margaret?  
-In her ability to mess things up.

376

00:29:46,040 --> 00:29:49,160  
-In the long run.  
-Or outshine me.

377

00:29:49,240 --> 00:29:51,800  
-And mess things up.  
-And outshine me.

378

00:30:01,360 --> 00:30:02,840  
That's unlike you.

379

00:30:04,840 --> 00:30:05,880  
I'm sorry.

380

00:30:11,480 --> 00:30:14,040  
You know, there is a danger  
we might be overdoing it.

381

00:30:14,120 --> 00:30:19,840  
Perhaps it would be prudent,  
to take a few things out.

382

00:30:19,920 --> 00:30:24,840  
I mean, 57 Australian towns in 58 days.

383

00:30:24,920 --> 00:30:27,400  
Maybe we don't visit all of them.

384

00:30:32,520 --> 00:30:33,520

No.

385

00:30:35,000 --> 00:30:36,000

No.

386

00:30:36,960 --> 00:30:38,400

We keep every appointment.

387

00:30:40,160 --> 00:30:42,800

No cancellations. Not one.

388

00:30:46,920 --> 00:30:49,560

[Adeane] I'm afraid the day does hold  
some challenges, Ma'am.

389

00:30:49,640 --> 00:30:52,920

The route's ten miles  
and the streets are already packed.

390

00:30:53,000 --> 00:30:55,400

-Well, how long will it take?

-I've allowed two hours.

391

00:30:55,480 --> 00:30:57,920

Two hours! In a hundred degree heat?

392

00:30:58,000 --> 00:31:01,480

I could ask them to increase  
the planned driving speed a little.

393

00:31:01,560 --> 00:31:04,960

-But I think the horses might struggle.

-No, we'll be fine. Thank you.

394

00:31:57,360 --> 00:32:00,080

[reporter] Here she is at last,  
amongst us.

395

00:32:01,400 --> 00:32:04,640

Charming our people in city after city.

396

00:32:05,920 --> 00:32:11,160

Afternoon in Sydney first.  
Then, good hearted Adelaide.

397

00:32:12,960 --> 00:32:17,680  
On to venerable Hobart, nestling  
at the cool feet of Mount Wellington.

398

00:32:21,800 --> 00:32:24,200  
That's it. The Castle of Mey.

399

00:32:25,640 --> 00:32:27,600  
Isn't she bonny?

400

00:32:29,520 --> 00:32:31,240  
Oh, yes!

401

00:32:34,480 --> 00:32:36,480  
And what a view!

402

00:33:05,440 --> 00:33:08,960  
-[Vyner] Captain Imbert-Terry.  
-Commander Vyner.

403

00:33:09,880 --> 00:33:12,200  
Lady Doris. And...

404

00:33:14,920 --> 00:33:15,920  
We've met.

405

00:33:17,440 --> 00:33:20,040  
-I don't think so.  
-Yes, yes.

406

00:33:20,120 --> 00:33:25,240  
Yes, your...your face, it's very familiar.

407

00:33:25,320 --> 00:33:27,920  
Don't say a thing, it'll come to me.

408

00:33:28,000 --> 00:33:31,080  
-May we come in?  
-Yes, yes.

409

00:33:34,240 --> 00:33:37,160  
[Imbert-Terry] Well, if you were  
to be interested in the property,

410

00:33:37,240 --> 00:33:39,680  
I'm going to be entirely honest.

411

00:33:39,760 --> 00:33:45,840  
The roof does need a...  
does need a bit of work.

412

00:33:45,920 --> 00:33:49,000  
One or two windows  
might need replacing and the...

413

00:33:49,080 --> 00:33:52,440  
the electricity does need,  
well, installing.

414

00:33:52,520 --> 00:33:56,200  
And there's no dining room to speak of.  
Nor bathrooms.

415

00:33:56,280 --> 00:34:00,120  
And I've sold off  
most of the good shooting and fishing.

416

00:34:00,200 --> 00:34:02,160  
Oh, dear. You're really not a salesman.

417

00:34:02,240 --> 00:34:06,400  
In fact, the place is in such a state,  
I'd sooner make a gift of it.

418

00:34:07,240 --> 00:34:09,719  
I'm afraid I'd be quite unable to accept.

419

00:34:09,800 --> 00:34:11,639  
Why not?

420

00:34:11,719 --> 00:34:14,760

It'd be frowned upon.  
Something to do with who I am.

421

00:34:15,800 --> 00:34:20,280  
You're an actress. A famous film star.

422

00:34:20,360 --> 00:34:22,360  
-No.  
-A singer, then.

423

00:34:22,440 --> 00:34:23,520  
No.

424

00:34:23,600 --> 00:34:26,880  
It's on the tip of my tongue!

425

00:34:30,280 --> 00:34:35,560  
[Imbert-Terry] It dates back to  
the mid 17th century.

426

00:34:35,639 --> 00:34:39,960  
It was in the... it was in the same  
family for 14 generations.

427

00:34:40,040 --> 00:34:45,159  
We bought the place in 1929, and my wife  
and I had 11 very happy years here.

428

00:34:45,239 --> 00:34:47,760  
But then, the war came and the place...

429

00:34:51,960 --> 00:34:57,040  
-The solution is obvious. Stop smiling.  
-No.

430

00:34:57,120 --> 00:35:00,160  
The trouble is, I have the sort of face  
that if I'm not smiling

431

00:35:00,240 --> 00:35:02,200  
then everyone says, "Oh, isn't she cross?"

432

00:35:02,280 --> 00:35:06,320  
No, that's not...  
Look, what do you think, doctor?

433  
00:35:06,400 --> 00:35:11,200  
It's a spasm. The muscles are  
overworked. Rest ought to fix it, though.

434  
00:35:11,280 --> 00:35:14,200  
-Like I said. Stop smiling.  
-No.

435  
00:35:14,280 --> 00:35:17,640  
I have an engagement this evening.  
So, what can be done?

436  
00:35:17,720 --> 00:35:22,120  
Well, I could inject  
the affected area with a relaxant.

437  
00:35:22,200 --> 00:35:24,120  
You'd have to watch yourself  
with soup, though.

438  
00:35:24,200 --> 00:35:27,480  
You might find you have less control  
chewing and drinking.

439  
00:35:27,560 --> 00:35:30,240  
And it's not a long-term solution.

440  
00:35:30,320 --> 00:35:34,720  
-Oh. All right. I'll have the injection.  
-[Philip] Oh. Good God.

441  
00:35:34,800 --> 00:35:37,200  
What, and dribble soup  
all over your dress?

442  
00:35:37,280 --> 00:35:40,240  
Do you know, the other night,

443  
00:35:40,320 --> 00:35:43,000



I woke up with my right arm out  
from under the bedclothes.

444

00:35:43,080 --> 00:35:47,680  
Do you know what I'd been doing?  
I'd been waving to the crowds in my sleep.

445

00:35:49,440 --> 00:35:50,440  
Right.

446

00:35:53,480 --> 00:35:56,960  
Hold still, please, Your Majesty.

447

00:36:08,200 --> 00:36:10,760  
[reporter] American planes,  
guns and ammunition

448

00:36:10,840 --> 00:36:12,840  
are helping the French  
and Vietnam forces.

449

00:36:12,920 --> 00:36:16,000  
Russian and Chinese weapons  
are aiding the Viet Minh.

450

00:36:19,160 --> 00:36:21,000  
Princess Margaret dons white overalls

451

00:36:21,080 --> 00:36:23,800  
when she visits Calverton Colliery  
in Nottinghamshire.

452

00:36:23,880 --> 00:36:26,520  
Her visit to the coalface  
a quarter of a mile underground

453

00:36:26,600 --> 00:36:28,440  
is included in her tour of the colliery

454

00:36:28,520 --> 00:36:31,760  
which is recognized as one of  
the most modern in Europe.

455

00:36:31,840 --> 00:36:35,440  
After almost an hour underground,  
the Princess brings back a souvenir,

456

00:36:35,520 --> 00:36:37,880  
a piece of coal she hewed herself.

457

00:36:37,960 --> 00:36:40,400  
[man] Did you enjoy the mining,  
Your Royal Highness?

458

00:36:40,480 --> 00:36:44,480  
I did, very much.  
Although, it was jolly dusty down there.

459

00:36:44,560 --> 00:36:48,280  
Some even went into my mouth  
but I can assure you, it tasted delicious.

460

00:36:48,360 --> 00:36:50,160  
[man] Having experienced the conditions,

461

00:36:50,240 --> 00:36:52,320  
do you have sympathy  
for the miners that work there?

462

00:36:52,400 --> 00:36:54,240  
One couldn't fail  
to have sympathy for anyone

463

00:36:54,320 --> 00:36:57,120  
who has to spend  
their working life down there.

464

00:36:57,200 --> 00:37:00,160  
It's intolerably dark and hot  
and cramped.

465

00:37:00,240 --> 00:37:03,560  
To my eyes, it seemed conditions  
are still very perilous

466

00:37:03,640 --> 00:37:08,040  
for these poor, brave men  
who work underground for so very little.

467  
00:37:08,120 --> 00:37:10,520  
What would you say  
to the authorities regarding the matter?

468  
00:37:12,240 --> 00:37:15,400  
-I have nothing further to say.  
-Who's the coal for?

469  
00:37:19,400 --> 00:37:21,240  
I have someone very special in mind.

470  
00:37:23,000 --> 00:37:24,600  
[man] Group Captain Townsend?

471  
00:37:27,240 --> 00:37:31,800  
-Are you missing him?  
-Yes, I am. Very much.

472  
00:37:31,880 --> 00:37:36,280  
[man] And are you missing your sister,  
Her Majesty, the Queen?

473  
00:37:37,600 --> 00:37:40,160  
-Not quite as much, no.  
-[laughter]

474  
00:37:49,840 --> 00:37:51,920  
-[Townsend] Why on earth did you say that?  
-What?

475  
00:37:52,000 --> 00:37:54,520  
-That you missed me.  
-I did! And I do.

476  
00:37:54,600 --> 00:37:56,800  
-I know but that wasn't wise.  
-Why not?

477  
00:37:59,600 --> 00:38:06,280

Darling, you can't use a public occasion  
to take a dig at your sister like that.

478

00:38:06,360 --> 00:38:10,960  
-Oh, don't you start too.  
-It's just... the Palace won't like it.

479

00:38:11,040 --> 00:38:13,560  
And we need the Palace on our side.

480

00:38:15,360 --> 00:38:18,400  
Who is it you think  
you'd be letting down, anyway? A koala?

481

00:38:19,840 --> 00:38:24,000  
This whole thing is a circus.  
It's a miserable circus.

482

00:38:24,080 --> 00:38:28,840  
Trudging from town to town  
and we're the dancing bears.

483

00:38:32,800 --> 00:38:35,440  
-What are you doing?  
-I'm taking back this small pleasure.

484

00:38:35,520 --> 00:38:39,080  
-You've taken away too much.  
-No! No, no! Those things will kill you!

485

00:38:40,560 --> 00:38:44,120  
Yeah. Forty a day your father smoked  
and now I know why. Poor bastard.

486

00:38:44,200 --> 00:38:46,520  
Yeah, he probably took one look  
at this tour and thought,

487

00:38:46,600 --> 00:38:48,720  
"D'you know what?  
I'd be better off with cancer."

488

00:38:48,800 --> 00:38:49,800

Shut up!

489

00:38:53,000 --> 00:38:58,360  
What is it you're trying to prove?  
What is it you want to hear him say?

490

00:38:58,440 --> 00:39:02,400  
"Bravo, Lilibet. Manage the whole tour."

491

00:39:02,480 --> 00:39:06,720  
"Lilibet never lets you down.  
Ticked every box."

492

00:39:06,800 --> 00:39:09,160  
Never put a foot wrong."

493

00:39:09,240 --> 00:39:12,920  
"Now, finally,  
I love you more than I love Margaret."

494

00:39:13,000 --> 00:39:14,840  
Get out! Get out!

495

00:39:14,920 --> 00:39:18,880  
-Don't touch me. Oh, Christ!  
-Get out!

496

00:39:19,560 --> 00:39:22,760  
-Philip! Don't you dare come back here!  
-Don't be ridiculous! Christ!

497

00:39:57,680 --> 00:40:00,520  
-Let me go and have a word.  
-No.

498

00:40:04,840 --> 00:40:05,960  
I'll do it.

499

00:40:13,840 --> 00:40:20,600  
I'm sorry for that little interlude.  
I'm sure it must happen in every marriage.

500

00:40:22,840 --> 00:40:27,360  
Now, what would you like me to do?  
For your newsreel?

501

00:40:49,400 --> 00:40:50,880  
Another gift for Your Majesty.

502

00:40:54,520 --> 00:40:55,520  
Thank you.

503

00:40:57,480 --> 00:40:59,640  
[Churchill] Your Royal Highness...

504

00:40:59,720 --> 00:41:05,200  
when you appear in public performing  
official duties, you are not you.

505

00:41:05,280 --> 00:41:06,320  
Of course I'm me.

506

00:41:06,400 --> 00:41:10,840  
Expressing political opinions  
about working conditions in mines,

507

00:41:10,920 --> 00:41:13,760  
that business at Sadler's Wells.

508

00:41:13,840 --> 00:41:16,680  
And no one wants you to be you,  
they want you to be it.

509

00:41:16,760 --> 00:41:19,120  
A statue? A thing?

510

00:41:19,200 --> 00:41:22,600  
The Crown.  
That's what they've come to see. Not you.

511

00:41:23,600 --> 00:41:28,600  
The minute you become yourself,  
you shatter the illusion, break the spell.

512

00:41:28,680 --> 00:41:34,520  
What people want is someone to inhabit it.  
Not be frightened of it.

513  
00:41:34,600 --> 00:41:36,960  
Make it flesh and blood. Bring it to life.

514  
00:41:37,040 --> 00:41:40,800  
Your uncle, Edward VIII,  
threatened to do just that,

515  
00:41:40,880 --> 00:41:44,080  
impose his individuality  
on the institution.

516  
00:41:44,160 --> 00:41:45,360  
Bring it to life!

517  
00:41:45,440 --> 00:41:48,480  
And he almost destroyed it in the process!

518  
00:41:48,560 --> 00:41:51,480  
You can't seriously be comparing this  
to the Abdication?

519  
00:41:51,560 --> 00:41:56,840  
No, but I've decided that all remaining  
Royal engagements in the Queen's absence

520  
00:41:56,920 --> 00:41:58,720  
should be carried out by the Queen Mother.

521  
00:42:01,480 --> 00:42:03,800  
-My mother is in Scotland.  
-So I gather.

522  
00:42:03,880 --> 00:42:08,200  
But I sent someone to bring her back.  
Right away!

523  
00:42:11,160 --> 00:42:12,720  
Your Royal Highness.

524

00:42:18,360 --&gt; 00:42:20,400

-[Imbert-Terry] We said 11.

-What time is it now?

525

00:42:20,480 --&gt; 00:42:23,160

Well, it's nearly noon.

526

00:42:23,240 --&gt; 00:42:26,800

Goodness, and I set off in such good time.

527

00:42:26,880 --&gt; 00:42:29,280

-Did you come along the coast?

-I did.

528

00:42:29,360 --&gt; 00:42:35,040

You didn't factor in the wind.

You were into the wind this morning.

529

00:42:35,120 --&gt; 00:42:38,200

-Wasn't I just?

-The good news is, you'll fly back.

530

00:42:40,000 --&gt; 00:42:41,640

Now...

531

00:42:45,640 --&gt; 00:42:50,040

I've, um, I've had a chance

to do some thinking.

532

00:42:50,120 --&gt; 00:42:52,640

I've spoken to my lawyers

and I've come up with a sum

533

00:42:52,720 --&gt; 00:42:58,680

that I think is a fair price

for this magnificently-situated castle.

534

00:42:58,760 --&gt; 00:43:00,280

Yes, yes, go on.

535

00:43:00,960 --&gt; 00:43:05,200

Brace yourself. One hundred pounds.



536

00:43:07,200 --&gt; 00:43:11,960

-What?

-Oh, I'm sorry. Is that too dear?

537

00:43:12,040 --&gt; 00:43:14,600

-No, it's absurd.

-On the contrary, it's entirely fair,

538

00:43:14,680 --&gt; 00:43:17,880

given it'll end up  
costing you tens of thousands.

539

00:43:17,960 --&gt; 00:43:21,320

-Are you sure?

-No. The question is, are you sure?

540

00:43:27,960 --&gt; 00:43:32,440

-I am.

-All right. Congratulations.

541

00:43:32,520 --&gt; 00:43:37,320

-I hope you'll be very happy here.

-Thank you. I have a feeling I will be.

542

00:43:37,400 --&gt; 00:43:39,480

I can get the place cleared out  
inside a week.

543

00:43:39,560 --&gt; 00:43:41,440

Oh, only if you've somewhere to go.

544

00:43:41,520 --&gt; 00:43:44,600

I do. My sister's a few miles  
down the coast.

545

00:43:44,680 --&gt; 00:43:49,240

Now, will I walk you back to the Vyners?

Down wind?

546

00:43:49,320 --&gt; 00:43:50,720

That'd be lovely.

547

00:44:05,440 --> 00:44:10,400  
[messenger] Your Majesty,  
forgive me for disturbing you.

548

00:44:10,480 --> 00:44:12,400  
I come from the Prime Minister.

549

00:44:13,760 --> 00:44:15,840  
He asks that you return  
to London immediately.

550

00:44:15,920 --> 00:44:19,320  
-Whatever for?  
-This is all the information that I have.

551

00:44:23,080 --> 00:44:24,560  
It seems I must go.

552

00:44:27,200 --> 00:44:28,400  
Oh, my gosh.

553

00:44:30,240 --> 00:44:32,320  
It's finally come to you.

554

00:44:33,920 --> 00:44:37,400  
Why on Earth didn't you say, Ma'am?

555

00:44:37,480 --> 00:44:40,400  
Because people always make such a fuss.

556

00:44:41,800 --> 00:44:43,480  
And stop being themselves.

557

00:44:45,240 --> 00:44:47,280  
And you would have doubled the price.

558

00:44:47,360 --> 00:44:48,520  
[both chuckle]

559

00:44:48,600 --> 00:44:50,520  
Spoken like a true Scotswoman.

560

00:44:50,600 --&gt; 00:44:52,200

[laughs]

561

00:45:20,560 --&gt; 00:45:22,880

[Elizabeth] Now, my speech at Valletta.

562

00:45:22,960 --&gt; 00:45:26,200

There was one adjustment  
that I would like to make.

563

00:45:26,280 --&gt; 00:45:29,720

I would like to refer to Malta  
as "my island of happy memories."

564

00:45:34,120 --&gt; 00:45:35,440

Very good, Ma'am.

565

00:45:36,080 --&gt; 00:45:38,760

I shall have the text retyped  
for your approval.

566

00:45:38,840 --&gt; 00:45:40,200

Thank you.

567

00:45:44,320 --&gt; 00:45:49,520

Ma'am, there do remain some  
security concerns about Gibraltar.

568

00:45:49,600 --&gt; 00:45:50,840

What concerns?

569

00:45:51,760 --&gt; 00:45:56,160

Death threats were sent to all the leaders  
of the major political parties,

570

00:45:56,240 --&gt; 00:45:59,520

telling them that,  
if our tour were to go to Gibraltar,

571

00:45:59,600 --&gt; 00:46:01,120

our safety can't be guaranteed.

572

00:46:03,160 --> 00:46:05,600  
[Philip] I told them we should pull out.

573

00:46:05,680 --> 00:46:07,120  
-Why?  
-What do you mean, why?

574

00:46:07,200 --> 00:46:11,480  
Because I don't much fancy shuffling the  
streets of Gibraltar like a sitting duck.

575

00:46:13,280 --> 00:46:17,600  
No. Pulling out at this late hour  
would make us look weak.

576

00:46:17,680 --> 00:46:20,440  
And it would be a great disappointment  
to the people of Gibraltar.

577

00:46:20,520 --> 00:46:23,720  
-I say we go.  
-I say we don't.

578

00:46:29,760 --> 00:46:33,480  
I am aware that I am surrounded by people

579

00:46:33,560 --> 00:46:35,600  
who feel that they could do  
the job better.

580

00:46:37,520 --> 00:46:42,000  
Strong people with powerful characters,  
more natural leaders,

581

00:46:42,080 --> 00:46:45,440  
perhaps better-suited to leading  
from the front, making a mark.

582

00:46:45,520 --> 00:46:49,640  
But, for better or worse,  
the Crown has landed on my head.

583

00:46:49,720 --> 00:46:51,400  
And I say we go.

584

00:46:59,640 --> 00:47:02,800  
[commentator] The Royal Yacht Britannia  
sails towards Gibraltar.

585

00:47:02,880 --> 00:47:06,360  
Visible on deck, Her Majesty the Queen,  
and the Duke of Edinburgh.

586

00:47:06,440 --> 00:47:12,320  
Accompanying Britannia, 15 A-class  
destroyers from the Mediterranean fleet.

587

00:47:12,400 --> 00:47:16,280  
-..shoot with a 21-gun salute.  
-[cheering]

588

00:47:16,360 --> 00:47:18,720  
A powerful signal  
to the people of Gibraltar

589

00:47:18,800 --> 00:47:22,920  
of the Queen and the British Empire's  
enduring support.

590

00:47:46,960 --> 00:47:51,520  
...magnificent tour has already marked  
Her Majesty as a woman of destiny.

591

00:47:53,480 --> 00:47:58,360  
Her return to London after 50,000 miles  
by air, land and sea

592

00:47:58,440 --> 00:48:03,000  
is a triumph of diplomacy  
at a challenging time for the Empire.

593

00:48:04,200 --> 00:48:08,400  
Not a single item of the enormous list  
of engagements has been missed.

594

00:48:10,160 --> 00:48:12,280  
Millions have seen  
and greeted their Queen

595

00:48:12,360 --> 00:48:15,280  
as she leaves the Commonwealth  
charmed and united.

596

00:48:19,120 --> 00:48:22,160  
It is already clear  
that Her Majesty will occupy a place

597

00:48:22,240 --> 00:48:25,080  
among the famous queens of history

598

00:48:25,160 --> 00:48:29,200  
and promises a renewed role for Britain  
in the modern world.

599

00:48:30,760 --> 00:48:34,600  
The Empire secure  
across the four corners of the earth,

600

00:48:34,680 --> 00:48:38,560  
marking the start  
of a new Elizabethan age.

601

00:48:38,640 --> 00:48:40,640  
[crowd cheers]

602

00:48:49,440 --> 00:48:50,800  
-Hello.  
-Your Majesty.

603

00:48:55,760 --> 00:48:58,200  
Aha! Yes!

604

00:49:01,800 --> 00:49:04,680  
-[Adeane] Ma'am. Prime Minister's arrived.  
-Ready, go!

605

00:49:04,760 --> 00:49:06,320

-Thank you.

-I'm fast.

606

00:49:06,400 --> 00:49:09,600

-[Charles] Daddy! I'm going to get you.

-No, no, no! Chair! Chair!

607

00:49:10,800 --> 00:49:13,400

-Mind the dogs!

-You can't get away from me!

608

00:49:14,840 --> 00:49:16,840

[Equerry] The Prime Minister,  
Your Majesty.

609

00:49:18,680 --> 00:49:21,400

-Congratulations, Your Majesty.

-Thank you, Winston.

610

00:49:21,480 --> 00:49:24,720

-An unqualified triumph.

-A narrow escape, I say.

611

00:49:24,800 --> 00:49:26,520

It could so easily have gone  
the other way.

612

00:49:26,600 --> 00:49:30,760

But it didn't, and has put us  
right back where we belong.

613

00:49:30,840 --> 00:49:32,960

Higher, in fact.

614

00:49:33,040 --> 00:49:36,480

And, before the tour,  
our great nation was in danger

615

00:49:36,560 --> 00:49:42,760

of losing much of its status,  
our influence, our standing.

616

00:49:42,840 --> 00:49:49,040

-Your courage and conviction prevailed.  
-This time, perhaps.

617

00:49:49,120 --> 00:49:52,920  
But, in time, they will, surely,  
grow tired of it. Grow tired of us.

618

00:49:53,000 --> 00:49:58,520  
Only if the Crown  
and the people representing the Crown

619

00:49:58,600 --> 00:50:01,920  
make mistakes, errors of judgement.

620

00:50:02,000 --> 00:50:04,080  
-My dear sister?  
-Yes.

621

00:50:05,720 --> 00:50:07,920  
What would you have me do?

622

00:50:16,280 --> 00:50:18,640  
-Thank you, Ma'am.  
-Your Majesty?

623

00:50:18,720 --> 00:50:21,800  
-Her Royal Highness is on her way.  
-Thank you.

624

00:50:23,760 --> 00:50:27,120  
It's all right. I have been here before.

625

00:50:27,200 --> 00:50:28,880  
I do know the way.

626

00:50:39,640 --> 00:50:42,400  
-What, in there?  
-Yes, Ma'am.

627

00:50:44,000 --> 00:50:45,480  
[scoffs]

628



00:51:03,800 --> 00:51:05,160  
Goodness!

629

00:51:16,720 --> 00:51:19,800  
-What have I done to deserve this?  
-The brief was simple.

630

00:51:21,080 --> 00:51:26,200  
Perform minor ceremonial tasks  
with a minimum of fuss.

631

00:51:26,280 --> 00:51:27,960  
Not end up all over the newspapers.

632

00:51:28,040 --> 00:51:30,720  
I can't help it  
if they want to write about me.

633

00:51:30,800 --> 00:51:33,600  
Well, it would help  
if you didn't give them what they crave.

634

00:51:33,680 --> 00:51:36,280  
-Character and excitement.  
-Instability and drama.

635

00:51:36,360 --> 00:51:39,160  
Well, at least I give them something.  
You give them nothing.

636

00:51:39,880 --> 00:51:42,680  
-I give them silence.  
-Silence is nothing.

637

00:51:42,760 --> 00:51:46,840  
-It's the absence of noise.  
-Emptiness. Blank page.

638

00:51:46,920 --> 00:51:49,600  
-Which allows others to shine.  
-But the monarchy should shine.

639

00:51:49,680 --> 00:51:52,920

The monarchy, yes. Not the monarch.

640

00:51:54,760 --> 00:51:59,120  
-Reparations will need to be made.  
-To whom?

641

00:51:59,200 --> 00:52:00,800  
To the people you offended.

642

00:52:02,440 --> 00:52:04,880  
A general, to whom,  
when asked if you'd like to dance,

643

00:52:04,960 --> 00:52:08,200  
you replied, "Yes, but not with you."

644

00:52:08,280 --> 00:52:10,760  
I believe there was also a debutante  
you managed to make cry,

645

00:52:10,840 --> 00:52:13,040  
and the dancers of Sadler's Wells,

646

00:52:13,120 --> 00:52:17,160  
whom you refused to meet  
after arriving late for the performance.

647

00:52:17,240 --> 00:52:19,680  
You showed individuality.

648

00:52:19,760 --> 00:52:23,400  
And that made people panic.  
They don't want individuality.

649

00:52:23,480 --> 00:52:28,080  
The last person who showed "character"  
almost took the ship down.

650

00:52:30,720 --> 00:52:33,080  
You are enjoying this.

651

00:52:33,160 --> 00:52:35,360

-Not a bit.  
-Yes, you are.

652

00:52:38,960 --> 00:52:41,560  
Admonishing your unruly young sister.

653

00:52:44,280 --> 00:52:46,040  
Have you ever thought  
how it must be for me?

654

00:52:46,120 --> 00:52:49,480  
Many times. At great length. Wistfully.

655

00:52:49,560 --> 00:52:54,640  
You have a role, a clear set of rules.  
All you have to do is follow them.

656

00:52:54,720 --> 00:52:58,120  
Margaret, you have freedom.  
All you have to do is enjoy it.

657

00:52:58,200 --> 00:52:59,800  
You think that I am free?

658

00:52:59,880 --> 00:53:03,360  
To be constantly in your shadow.  
Constantly the overlooked one.

659

00:53:03,440 --> 00:53:06,520  
-It looks like heaven to me.  
-What you have looks like heaven to me.

660

00:53:14,400 --> 00:53:16,400  
[Margaret] Two sisters  
who envy one another.

661

00:53:18,080 --> 00:53:20,080  
[Elizabeth] We wouldn't be the first.

662

00:53:25,680 --> 00:53:27,120  
Pride and Joy.

663

00:53:29,520 --> 00:53:33,800  
-Remember? What Papa called us.  
-Yes.

664  
00:53:35,520 --> 00:53:38,640  
"Elizabeth is my pride  
and Margaret is my joy."

665  
00:53:39,840 --> 00:53:42,200  
"But Margaret is my joy."

666  
00:53:44,720 --> 00:53:48,000  
I'm sorry. I have to claim  
the few victories I'm left with.

667  
00:53:49,720 --> 00:53:52,080  
And we're not disputing it, surely?

668  
00:53:53,480 --> 00:53:56,200  
-What?  
-That I was Papa's favorite.

669  
00:54:03,720 --> 00:54:06,080  
There's a cruel truth to it, isn't there?

670  
00:54:06,160 --> 00:54:09,480  
When there are two sisters  
so close in age,

671  
00:54:09,560 --> 00:54:12,680  
the more one becomes one thing,  
the more the other...

672  
00:54:12,760 --> 00:54:17,520  
necessarily becomes the opposite  
and vice versa.

673  
00:54:17,600 --> 00:54:19,800  
It's the way of things.

674  
00:54:19,880 --> 00:54:23,280  
If one is the Queen, must be the source  
of honor and all that is good,

675

00:54:23,360 --> 00:54:27,400  
the other necessarily becomes  
the focus of the most...

676

00:54:29,080 --> 00:54:30,760  
creative malice.

677

00:54:32,120 --> 00:54:33,200  
Evil sister.

678

00:54:34,080 --> 00:54:37,800  
-No one says you're evil.  
-Next to you, I will always be evil.

679

00:54:39,040 --> 00:54:40,200  
Feckless...

680

00:54:41,520 --> 00:54:42,600  
Lost...

681

00:54:44,240 --> 00:54:45,800  
Lesser thing.

682

00:54:50,320 --> 00:54:53,640  
And yet you spend so much time  
telling me that I'm a lesser thing.

683

00:54:56,200 --> 00:54:58,400  
Only to give myself a moment's peace.

684

00:55:09,320 --> 00:55:10,760  
Would you consider doing it for me?

685

00:55:11,840 --> 00:55:14,520  
-Just from time to time.  
-What?

686

00:55:14,600 --> 00:55:18,000  
Putting a foot wrong.  
The occasional mistake.

687

00:55:18,080 --> 00:55:20,800  
Let the side down.

688

00:55:20,880 --> 00:55:24,160  
So I might not be so conspicuous a failure  
by comparison.

689

00:55:24,240 --> 00:55:27,440  
-You're tired.  
-No, I'm not. Not tired.

690

00:55:30,800 --> 00:55:33,600  
I'm just asking for a future I can bear.

691

00:55:40,720 --> 00:55:41,720  
Margaret...

692

00:55:47,080 --> 00:55:49,600  
Do I have your word  
that those apologies will be made?

693

00:55:54,320 --> 00:55:56,800  
We can help you draft letters  
or make statements.

694

00:56:02,480 --> 00:56:04,360  
No need.



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