

WOODEN SWORDS CLASH. HENRY GETS "HIT."

133 YOUNG HENRY
I'm hit! Oh, farewell world.
Now...I die.

HENRY CLUTCHES HIS CHEST AND FALLS DRAMATICALLY.

134 YOUNG ELIZABETH
That's not how you die. You need to
make it look real. Like this.
Now...I die.

ELIZABETH PLAY-SWOONS TO THE GROUND.

135 YOUNG HENRY
That didn't look real.

136 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Yes it did.

137 YOUNG LUDWIG
Henry, Elizabeth - let's play!

12 EXT. WARTBURG CASTLE GARDEN - CONTINUOUS

138 COUNT WALTHER
(Entering)
Little Princess.

Side 2

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139 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Oh, Count Walther! We're playing
Crusades. Don't you think I die
better than Henry?

140 COUNT WALTHER
Little Princess, I have bad news.

141 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Is it very bad?

142 COUNT WALTHER
Your mother...has passed away.

143 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Mama is dead?

144 COUNT WALTHER
Yes, she...well she -

145 YOUNG ELIZABETH
But Mama isn't old.

146 COUNT WALTHER
No...

147 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Did she fall ill?

148 COUNT WALTHER
Your mother was slain.

149 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Oh!

150 COUNT WALTHER
A group of Hungarian nobles
attacked her. Your father
was...away on a campaign.

151 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Our own people killed Mama?

152 YOUNG HENRY
Live by the sword, die by the
sword!

153 YOUNG LUDWIG
Brother, that is very unkind.

154 YOUNG HENRY
What? It's in the Bible!

COMPLETELY INCONSOLABLE, ELIZABETH RUNS AWAY.

155 COUNT WALTHER
Your father will hear about this,
Henry.

156 YOUNG AGNES
Elizabeth, come back!

157 YOUNG LUDWIG
Let me go after her. Elizabeth!

LUDWIG RUNS AFTER HER. ELIZABETH IS CRYING.

158 YOUNG LUDWIG (CONT'D)
I am so sorry about your mother.
And Henry. I...um. Oh! I have a
gift for you. I bought it when I
was away traveling with my father
last week. It's a hand carved
wooden comb.

He presents it.

159 YOUNG LUDWIG (CONT'D) (CONT'D)
Do you like it?

160 YOUNG ELIZABETH
Mama used to comb my hair!

ELIZABETH BURIES HER FACE IN HIS CHEST.

161 YOUNG LUDWIG
Oh! Oh, Elizabeth, I'm sorry. I
don't know what to say.

162 YOUNG ELIZABETH
(Muffled)
I. Don't. Know. How...

163 YOUNG LUDWIG
What?

164 YOUNG ELIZABETH
I don't know how!

165 YOUNG LUDWIG
How what?

166 YOUNG ELIZABETH
How to do what my mother told me:
*"Have I not commanded you? Be
strong and of good courage; be not
frightened, neither be dismayed;
for the Lord your God is with you
wherever you go."* I don't know how,
Ludwig. I don't know how.

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MUSIC SWELLS.

13 OUTRO

outro music

167 PETER
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168 NARRATOR
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