

(SHREK)

IT'S A BIG BRIGHT BEAUTIFUL WORLD.
I SEE IT NOW, I'LL LET IT IN.
I'LL TEAR DOWN A WALL
AND CLEAR A SPOT FOR TWO
TO BE WITH YOU.

(SHREK finishes. Did it work?)

FARQUAAD

Booooooooooooooooooooooooooooo!

(turns to Fiona)

Are we ready, darling?

(FIONA looks from Shrek to Farquaad, and up to the rose window. Then, barely a whisper...)

FIONA

I can't.

(rushes off)

VOICE OF PINOCCHIO

Stop the wedding!

#20b – Stop The Wedding

(Pandemonium as FAIRYTALE CREATURES storm in with protest signs. They're angry. GUARDS drag Fiona – or her body double – back on. She and Shrek are kept apart.)

FAIRYTALE CREATURES

This guy is a sham! Up with fairies! Power to the cookies! I wanted to be zi flower girl! Etc.

FARQUAAD

Ew! Filthy wedding, crashers!

(regarding Shrek)

Stop him! Stop him!

PINOCCHIO

We've taken your abuse for the last time, Farquaad!

BABY BEAR

Well no more!

WITCH

It ends today!

PIG #1

Power to zi piggies!

MAMA BEAR

We demand our homes back!

PINOCCHIO

And our rightful place in Duloc! Right, guys?

FAIRYTALE CREATURES

(adlibbed rally cries)

Yeah! This guy's a zealot! He'll pay for what he's done! Etc.

FARQUAAD

How *dare* you freaks interrupt my wedding?!

PINOCCHIO

Freaks, eh? Well, I guess it takes one to know one.

FARQUAAD

What?

PINOCCHIO

Be prepared to have your mind blown.

(He gestures. The FAIRYTALE CREATURES part, and a very grumpy DWARF steps forward.)

DWARF

Hiiiiii-hoooooooooh!

FARQUAAD

(reels a bit)

Daddy?

(The CROWD gasps.)

DWARF

I suppose my invitation was lost in the mail?

FARQUAAD

Well maybe if you hadn't abandoned me in the woods!

DWARF

Abandoned you? You were twenty eight, and living in my basement!