

SNOW WHITE

By Katherine Brookes and Anthony James

AUDITION PIECE 1 'FAIRY NUFF'_F

Righteous Fairy in training and Queens Sister.

- Fairy Nuff** Good evening one and all, and welcome to the county of Gaylee Common, a place you can leave your front door open and nice ornaments in your front garden. Not like Galley Common! No Gaylee Common is a much more fantastical destination. Anyway, welcome. My name is Fairy Nuff and unfortunately that specimen over there is my sister, Queen Teresa
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- Fairy Nuff.** Well look I'm being honest. You are vain, callous, self centred and if I may be frank, EVIL!
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- Fairy Nuff.** I am not jealous of your good fortune dear sister, just suspicious of your methods and motive. It is unfortunate that the King died mysteriously so soon after the wedding.
- Queen Teresa.** (*With Mock Sadness to the audience*) Oh yes, indeed it was a terrible thing, boo hoo, and who'd have thought food poisoning could be so...well...terminal.
- Fairy Nuff.** Who indeed, and as for your step daughter, you hardly see the girl, and she was heartbroken when her father died.
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- Fairy Nuff.** No harm shall befall Snow White Sister, I will see to that.

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AUDITION PIECE 2 'Timmy'

Dame Flatulia's well meaning, if inept younger son. (In love with Snow White)

Timmy. Hello ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls...and welcome to the village of 'Lower Piddle' in the county of Gaylee Common'. My name is Timmy, and me and my mother work in the palace. My mum's the royal cook. She's away at the moment, but is on her way back right now so you'll meet her later. Oh and I'm the Royal Washer Upper!

Chorus laugh then two small children detach themselves from the main group.

Child 1. Who you talking to Timmy?

Timmy. I'm talking to all these lovely people watching.

Child 1. But there's nobody there.

Timmy. Nobody there, there's loads of people.

Child 1. You're weird you are!

Child 1 scans the audience, obviously not seeing them as Timmy does and mimes To Child 2 that Timmy is not all there! They then return to the chorus.

Timmy Anyway where was I! Oh yes 'Royal Washer Upper', I know it's not much of a job but it beats some of the jobs I've had. My first job was making pieces for chess boards, I worked knights! Then I worked in a bank, but that didn't end well, you see an old lady came in and asked if I'd check her balance, so I pushed her over! I am planning to further my career, I quite fancied being an explorer, or a reality TV star, I'm not sure which one yet!

Child 2 detaches itself from the chorus.

Child 2. My friend says you're a bit mad and you talk to invisible people!

Timmy. I do not talk to invisible people. I'm talking to all these lovely people here...
(*indicating audience*)

The child scans the audience, again not seeing them,

Child 2. (*To themselves*) One slab short of a patio if you ask me!

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AUDITION PIECE 3 'Dame Flatulia'

Good natured palace cook on the look out for husband number 8.

Dame Flatulia Yoo Hoo, hello everybody. Oh you can do better than that! Yoo Hoo (*Hopefully the audience will respond*) Now that's better, I'm Dame Petulia Fatulia and I'm the palace cook. I've just returned from a food finding mission abroad, which is quite nice, but there were a lot of foreigners there! You see with all this Brexit stuff going on I thought I'd better get some new suppliers for my kitchen. Well you just don't know do you. Apparently some foods are going to be much harder to find. Anyway I've got French bread from France, German Sausage from Germany Ham from Hamburg, Swede from Sweden... and a rash from the Netherlands.

Ooo and those continental men, very NICE. You see, since I lost my husband I've been on the look out for a replacement. Now don't be sad, when I said 'Lost my Husband' I took him with me into the lingerie department in Debenhams and we haven't seen him since! Frankly he was a little odd, so I'm always on the look out for husband number 8, yes I have been married a few times before!

(She gets a big hanky out spits on it and try's to wash Timmy's face)

Timmy Mum, getoffff.

Child 1 & Child 2 move forward again.

Dame Flatulia. Don't getoffff yer mother you mucky pup. What have you been doing, you're filthy. Now who were you talking to?

Timmy. Well I was talking to these lovely people here! (*Indicating audience*)

Child 1 reappears and tugs on the Dame's dress.

Child 1. Dame Flatulia, your son's nuts! (*Child produces bag of nuts and hands them to dame*)

Dame Flatulia. Thank you dear. (*To Timmy*) Now what have I told you about leaving your nuts where anyone can get their hands on them?

Timmy Mum, Snow Whites back!

Dame Fatulia (*excited*) The Princess, back home! Oh how wonderful...Oooooo you know what this means Timmy?

Timmy (*Puzzled*) No

Dame Fatulia It means a welcome back CAKE!!!

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AUDITION PIECE 4 'Lord Chamberlain'

The evil Queens exasperated Lord Chamberlain.

L. Chamberlain. People of the village of Lower Piddle in the county of Gaylee Common, this is a royal decree. (*clearing his throat importantly*) From this day onwards, taxes will rise by 10%. Failure to comply with this new ruling will result in the loss of all goods and properties which will pass to the state. Terms and Conditions apply!

Timmy You can't raise the taxes again, you only raised them last week.

Dame Fatulia. (*Going up to the Lord Chamberlain and grabbing him by the lapels AKA Eric Morecambe*) Now listen Sunshine, you know these poor villagers just haven't got that kind of money don't you!

L. Chamberlain. (*Nervously*) Look it's nothing to do with me. It's the queen; she is a woman with needs!

Dame Flatulia I'm a woman with needs, and right now, I need, (*spinning arm like a prize fighter*) to knock your block right off.

L. Chamberlain (*Whimpering*) But Dame Fatulia, the queen, she needs...she needs a whole new wardrobe.

Dame Fatulia Well why didn't you say so. We women do need our expensive clothes.

Timmy. (*Incredulous*) Mum!

Dame Flatulia (*Thoughtful*) And we've got a spare wardrobe in the storeroom. I'm sure we can spruce it up a bit and give it a wipe over.

L. Chamberlain No, no when I said wardrobe I meant...

Timmy. Mother!

A villager steps in to restore order

Villager. Look, we just haven't got that kind of money!

L. Chamberlain. Ahem! Right, this is a royal decree and as such is now the Law of this land. Failure to comply will be met with the most rigorous retaliation!

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AUDITION PIECE 5 'Magic Mirror'

Rather inept and good hearted genie trapped in a magical mirror

Magic Mirror Oh hello everyone, I'm the Magic Mirrorwell I'm a genie trapped inside the Mirror. The queen tricked me many years ago and I've been stuck in that mirror ever since...and boy it hurts your back...aww it's nice to be able to stretch my legs. I can only appear when she's not near, and unfortunately I HAVE TO TELL HER THE TRUTH. It's part of my sentence that while I'm in the Mirror I cannot lie to the person looking into it, even if I want to...oh ayup, someone's coming.

Queen Teresa storms on

Queen Teresa (*Screeching*) How DARE that tiny Trollope question my authority I am Queen, I am all powerful, I am beautiful...yes beautiful Mirror, Mirror on the stand, who is the fairest in the land?

Magic Mirror Hello testing 1...2...3. Ah ha, it's you queenie...erm...a bit of bad news I'm afraid, are you sitting down, er...Oh queen you are fair tis true, but there is another more fair than you!

Queen Teresa WHHHHAAAAATTTT!!!

Magic Mirror It...it's alright though, because the person more beautiful than you is your own stepdaughter Snow White. (*Nervously*) Yay...

The queen exits angrily and the dame enters

Dame Fatulia It's the queens magic mirror...lets give it a go...erm...right Mirror mirror see my face, does it make your poor heart race.

Magic Mirror Dear Dame Fatulia, I see your face, it's quite a rocky pitted place And no matter how much slap you smear, it's always going to bring a tear.

Dame Fatulia Well I've never been so insulted.

Magic Mirror I find that hard to believe!

Dame Fatulia Well I never!

Dame exits and the Magic Mirror Re-appears

Magic Mirror Oh now look, I've upset Dame Fatulia and she's really a lovely lady. It is true she has a face like the back-end of a bus that's been hit by a lorry!, but that's not the point, beauty is skin deep and Dame Fatulia has a good heart and that's where beauty really lies.

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AUDITION PIECE 6 'Snow White'

A beautiful and intelligent princess

- Snow White** Queen Teresa, may I enter?
- Queen Teresa** Of course, darlink. Darlink, how good to see you. I didn't expect to see you back so soon!.
- Snow White** It's been two years! Two long years away from my home and the people I love dear stepmother!
- Queen Teresa** Yes, yes, and what are your plans now? Going to travel are we? See the world, maybe? The North Pole...Antarctica?
- Snow White** No actually. I thought I might stay here for a while, check how my father's kingdom is being managed. I see you've raised the taxes 6 times while I've been away.
- Queen Teresa** (*Becoming angry*) Well the Kingdom needs to be run correctly. Strong and stable leadership costs money.
- Snow White** You've cut the amount of palace guards, you've stopped payments to the poor, and you've even closed the school and the hospital!
- Queen Teresa** All very costly, and what for? a bunch of free-loading peasants.
- Snow White** (*Outraged*) Those peasants as you call them are our people, our loyal subjects, our friends. Good honest hard working people who have made our kingdom great.
- Queen Teresa** Oh calm down dear.
- Snow White** Calm down! I will not calm down. My father may not have seen through you but I can. You do not care about our people or this kingdom. All you care about is yourself!
- Queen Teresa** (*Ominously*) So that's what you think is it Snow White?

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AUDITION PIECE 7 'Prince Jeremy'

Handsome, good hearted and single.

- Prince Jeremy** Come along Bob, we must get to the village of Lower Piddle before it gets dark. I can't believe we've gotten so lost along the way.
- Bob.** I told you not to trust GOOGLE MAPS your highness. You'll always end up in a field or falling off a cliff if you trust those new fangled things.
- Prince.** Fancy having to call for assistance, how embarrassing, and my mobile's out of charge now. What a trip. All I wanted to do was find true love. I mean, how hard can it be?
- Bob** How hard indeed Sire, but why this sudden need to find 'True Love'?
- Prince** Because there are no suitable Princesses in our kingdom and I am not getting any younger. Plus my father has very poor taste in women and I know that if I don't find a suitable princess soon he will choose one from our kingdom and I do not wish to be married to someone I don't love, or at the very least, like the look of. According to rumour this Queen is the fairest in the land, and if she's as beautiful as people say she is then it's worth a shot.
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- Prince.** Who indeed Bob, who indeed. Do you know I'd be lost without you Bob.
- Bob** Er, but we are lost Sire!
- Prince** Silence, I can hear someone or something coming this way. I have heard that this Gaylee Common is full of mysterious creatures and bandits, Quick, let us conceal ourselves, over there.

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AUDITION PIECE 8 'Queen Teresa'

An evil, powerful queen who is quietly plotting to kill Snow White

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- Queen Teresa.** Of course dear sister, of course no harm will come to dear Snow White. Now off you pop, I think I can hear a kitten trapped in a tree somewhere.
- Fairy Nuff exits reluctantly*
- Queen Tereasa.** Has she gone, oh she's so boring, and why should I tear myself away from my mirror. It's magic you see. Mirror, Mirror in my hand, who is the fairest in the land?

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(Princess Roberta in Disguise) The Prince's sister and right hand man!

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AUDITION PIECE 10 'Chip Oakenwood'

Head of the woodcutters.

- Queen Teresa** So this is the leader of the miserable tax avoiding woodcutters!
- Chip** Woodcutters without whom this palace would freeze in the winter!
- Queen Teresa** Oh, he has spirit this peasant. Lord Chamberlain, maybe we should detain all his people in the palace dungeons for a few months or so, maybe his spirit will be broken by the suffering of his people.
- Chip** You are a monster, and the old King didn't deserve you.
- Queen Teresa** Sticks and Stones dear woodcutter, sticks and stones...now I have a request of my loyal subject, a request that will ensure your people remain free, and that their extensive debt to me is wiped clean.
- Chip** I'm listening?
- Queen Teresa** I have a very troublesome stepdaughter; I would like her to disappear while walking in the Enchanted Forest.
- Chip** Disappear?
- Queen Teresa** I want her taken into the forest and killed (*should be booing here so queen can react*)... and I want her heart brought back here as proof!
- Chip, Lord Chamberlain and Guards simultaneously emit a...*
- All.** Errrrrrrrrrr!
- Guard 1** That's gross!
- Guard 2** That's disgusting!
- Chip.** Your insane!
- Queen Teresa** SILENCE (*to audience*) and you lot.(*To Chip*) Take Snow White into the forest and kill her, or your family and friends can rot in my dungeons. The choice is yours.
- Chip.** It seems I have no choice.
- Queen Teresa** That's correct Woodcutter. (*mood swinging to cheerful*) Well that's all settled then. Wonderful. I'll have Snow White sent for.

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AUDITION PIECE 10 'Dwarf'

Members of an exiled Girl Band!

- Beyonce** Hey girls there's someone in Kylie's bed!
- Cher** What again!
- Snow White** Hello, ooo I'm so sorry, I must have fallen asleep.
- Cher** I think its the breaking and entering we're more concerned about.
- Beyonce** You're familiar, I know your face
- Snow White** I'm Princess Snow White from the palace.
- Cher** Well what are you doing here in the middle of the enchanted forest? It's no place for a royal Princess.
- Beyonce** It's no place for a talented, vivacious party loving member of an all girl pop band either.
- Snow White** I remember you, you were top of the pops.
- Cher** That's right! We had fame, fortune, fast cars and fashion till your evil step mother banished us here.
- Beyonce** I even had my own perfume.
- Cher** Oh we all had perfumes named after us dear!