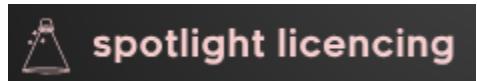




Granny Got Stuck In The Alexa Audition Pieces

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Cast List

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Chris	Gender Fluid
Frankie	Gender Fluid
Granny	Female
Dad	Male
Mum	Female
Officer 1	Gender Fluid
Officer 2	Gender Fluid
Dolly Parton	Female
Jose Feliciano	Male
Mariah Carey	Female
Michael Buble	Male
Brenda Lee	Female
Ariana Grande	Female

Duet Audition Piece: "Home for Christmas"

Characters: Chris and Frankie

[Setting: The living room of the family home, just before Granny gets stuck in the Alexa. The Christmas tree is sparkling with lights. Chris and Frankie are excitedly opening presents. The song represents their excitement and love for Christmas.]

Chris:

(Excitedly, holding a gift)

It's Christmas morning, can't you see?
The lights are twinkling on the tree!

The magic's here, it's in the air,
Come on, Frankie, come and share!

Frankie:

(Laughs, spinning around with a gift in hand)

The snow is falling, it's a sight!
Everything is pure and bright.
I can hear the bells a-ringin',
It's Christmas time, we'll keep on singin'!

Both:

(Harmonizing, lifting hands in excitement)

Home for Christmas, what a day!
All our dreams are here to stay.
Family gathered close and near,
Let's celebrate, spread Christmas cheer!

Chris:

(Excitedly)

I can't wait for Granny to arrive,
She's the life of Christmas, so alive!

Frankie:

(Laughing)

She's got her jokes, she's got her flair,
She'll be here soon, we'll share the air!

Both:

(Spreading arms out wide, smiling at each other)

Home for Christmas, filled with love,
Underneath the stars above.
We'll sing and dance, we'll laugh and play,
Let's make this Christmas last all day!

Chris:

(Pauses, looking fondly at Frankie)

A Christmas we will never forget,
A memory we won't regret...

Frankie:

(Nods)

With Granny here, it's heaven-sent!
Let's enjoy this moment... no event!

Both:

(Closing the song with a joyful, full-throated harmony)

Home for Christmas, hear our song,
Where the love is deep and strong!
Together here, we'll always be,
Home for Christmas, just you and me!

Solo Audition Piece: "Lost in the Alexa"

Character: Granny

[Setting: Granny finds herself stuck inside the Alexa world, wandering through different Christmas-themed scenes. She's confused and yearning to be with her family, but she also finds moments of joy as she encounters various musical legends. This solo highlights her feelings of homesickness and her desire to return to her loved ones.]

(Granny stands in a glowing, magical stage, looking around as if unsure of where she is. She starts to sing softly but with rising emotion.)

Granny:

(Singing gently, with a tone of wonder)

I thought I'd just hear some Christmas tunes,
But now I'm lost, surrounded by moons.
I never meant to wander far,
I just wanted a Christmas star.

(Pauses, looks around as if calling for her family)

Where's my family? Where's my home?
I'm stuck in this place, all alone...
I miss their laughter, miss their cheer,
I just want to be near.

(Starts to sing with more strength, feeling the joy of the music and the nostalgia)

But oh, I've met the stars tonight,
Dolly, Mariah, all shining bright!
I've danced with joy and cried with cheer,
But I need to get back... I need them near!

(Takes a deep breath, realizing she must leave and return to her family, but the emotions are still strong.)

Granny:

(*Singing with resolve, but with a bittersweet smile*)

I thought I'd be lost forever,
But I know now, this is just a tether.
Home's where the heart will always stay,
No Alexa can steal it away.

(*Softly, with a laugh in her voice as she remembers her family*)

They'll be waiting, they'll be here,
And that's what Christmas is, my dear.

(*Pauses and looks toward the exit, then starts to sing with optimism and joy as she heads toward it.*)

Granny:

So I'll find my way back home tonight,
Through the glow of this magic light.
Home for Christmas, where I belong,
Back to my family, where I'm strong.

(*With a big smile, as she heads toward the exit, the music swells.*)

Granny:

Home for Christmas, I'm on my way,
I'll be there soon, don't be afraid!
Family waiting, hearts so true,
This Christmas, I'm coming back to you!

(*Song ends with Granny stepping toward the exit as the lights brighten and the music fades.*)