

AERIAL TOLL MUSIC BOX

by

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Task Log

- ❑ Saturday 3/08/2025: Wonder reference pictures
- ❑ Sunday 03/09/2025: Wonder reference pictures and Midjourney prompt revision
- ❑ Monday: 03/17/2025: Midjourney
- ❑ Tuesday: 03/18/2025: Midjourney
- ❑ Wednesday: 03/19/2025: Midjourney
- ❑ Thursday: 03/20/2025: Runway
- ❑ Friday: 03/21/2025: Runway
- ❑ Saturday: 03/22/2025: Da Vinci
- ❑ Sunday: 03/23/2025: Da Vinci/Suno/11Labs
- ❑ Monday: 03/24/2025: Da Vinci/Suno/11Lab
- ❑ Tuesday: 03/25/2025: Edit/Review
- ❑ Wednesday: 03/26/2025: Edit/Review
- ❑ Thursday: 03/27/2025: Submission
- ❑ Friday: 03/28/2025: Upload to Dusty3D.com
- ❑ Saturday: Socials

Abstract

A 12-year-old girl is tragically killed in a car accident on her way to a carnival. Her spirit refuses to go with Death and stays on earth among the living not knowing she died.

She becomes attached to a newborn baby boy. She falls in love with him, unbeknownst to him, watching over him, as his guardian angel.

At 12-years-old The Boy attempts suicide by hanging himself from a tree. As death comes for The Boy, The Girl interjects and submits herself as payment for The Boy's mistake. Death accepts and takes her soul as payment. They boy lives and grows into a man, never knowing he was saved by an angel who loved him.

Setting

- A visual AI performance
- 12-year-old girl dances the story
- Sixteen scenes: 16:9 aspect ratio

Stage

- A 1920's empty dance hall: (Ref image 1)

- Hard wood floor
- The background
- A boundless solar system

Characters

- The Girl: Ref image 2
 - The Girl. A 12-year-old Caucasian girl
 - She looks like Black and White 1930's film
 - Avant guard dress, 1930s style
- Death: Undefined
 - Classical
 - Reaper
 - Glitches gold dust
- Male: The Boy
 - Caucasian
 - Multiple ages 0, 12, 30

Tools

- Copilot: Continual headset interaction like an assistant
 - Used to guide and navigate through the film creation process
- Wonder AI: To prompt images for Midjourney
- Midjourney: To prompt images for Runway
- Runway: For Video generation, audio generation, and edit on timeline
 - Primarily Turbo, some Alpha
- AI music generator: For the music

Dedication

This visual AI performance is dedicated to my cousin Kathy. I never met you, but I feel like I knew you. I look forward to meeting you in the afterlife.

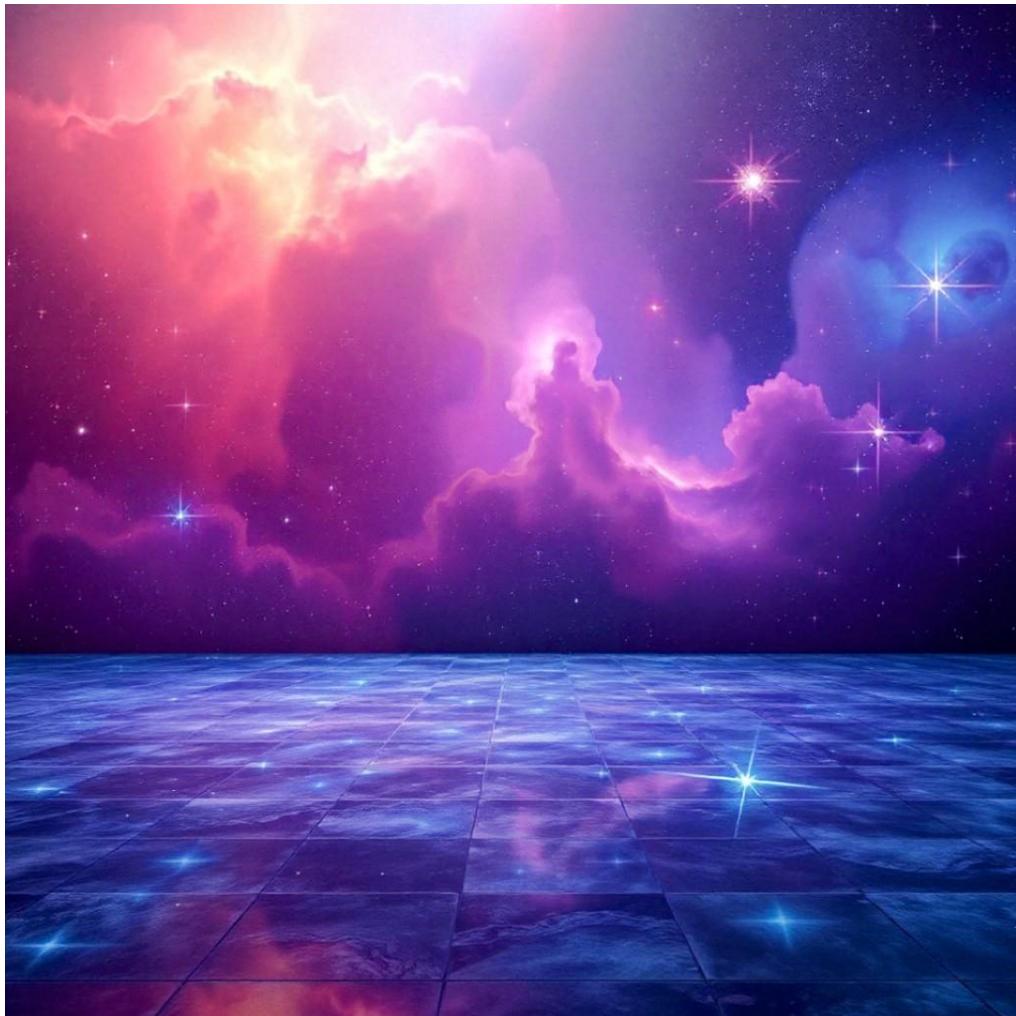
MIDJOURNEY

This is the Midjourney prompt along with reference image created in the Wonder AI application.

Style Guide

- **Scene and Lighting:** Surreal, ethereal tone with cosmic and ambient lighting. Subtle grading balances vivid galactic colors and monochromatic elements.
- **Color and Focus:** Emphasis on vibrant galaxy hues and contrasting color motifs.
- **Angle and Mood:** Dynamic use of wide-shots, medium shots, and close-ups, sustaining a dreamlike quality.
- **Style and Texture:** An interplay of raw textures, glitch effects, and soft, flowing movements.

Base Ref Image (Ref image 1)



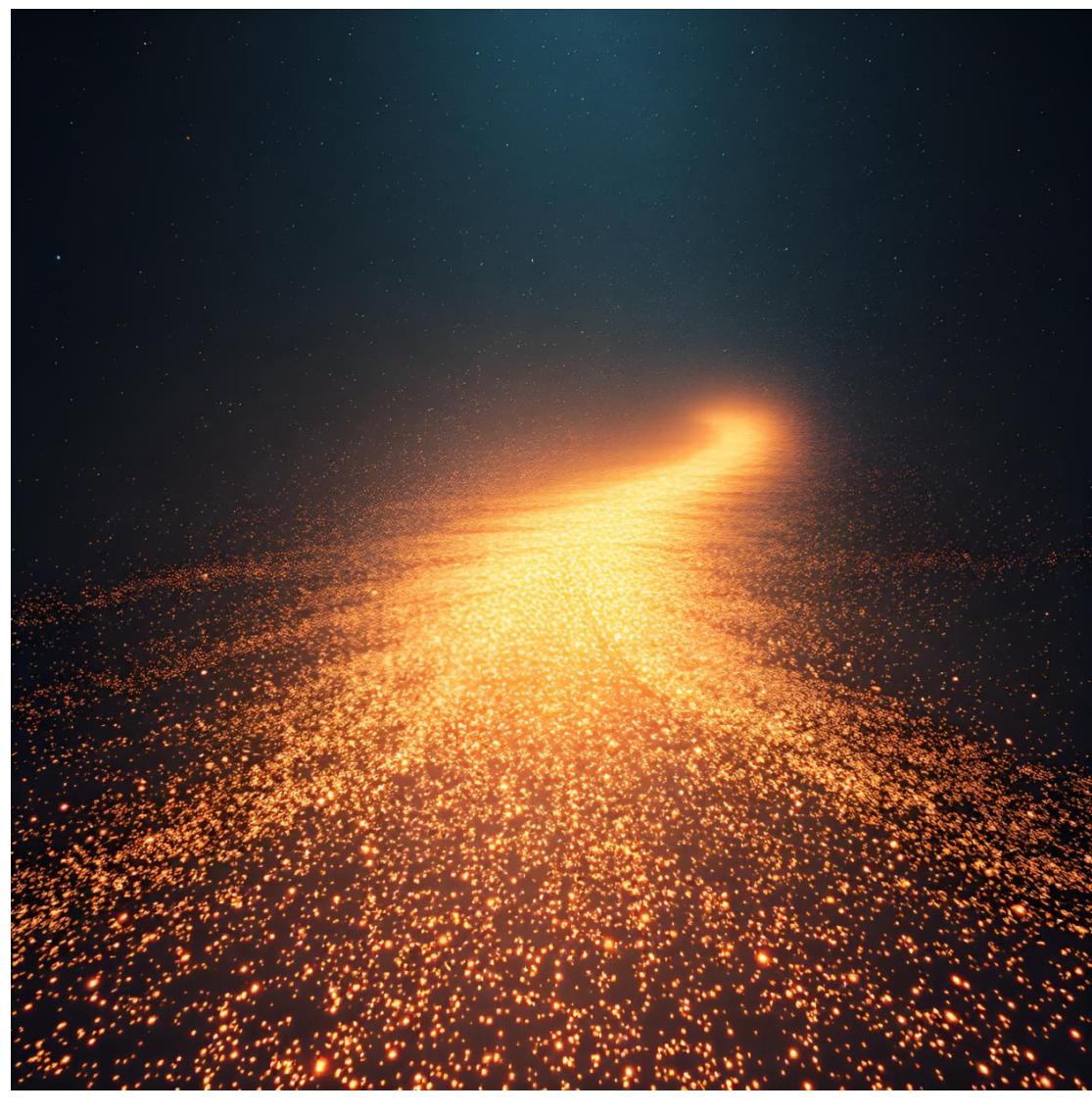
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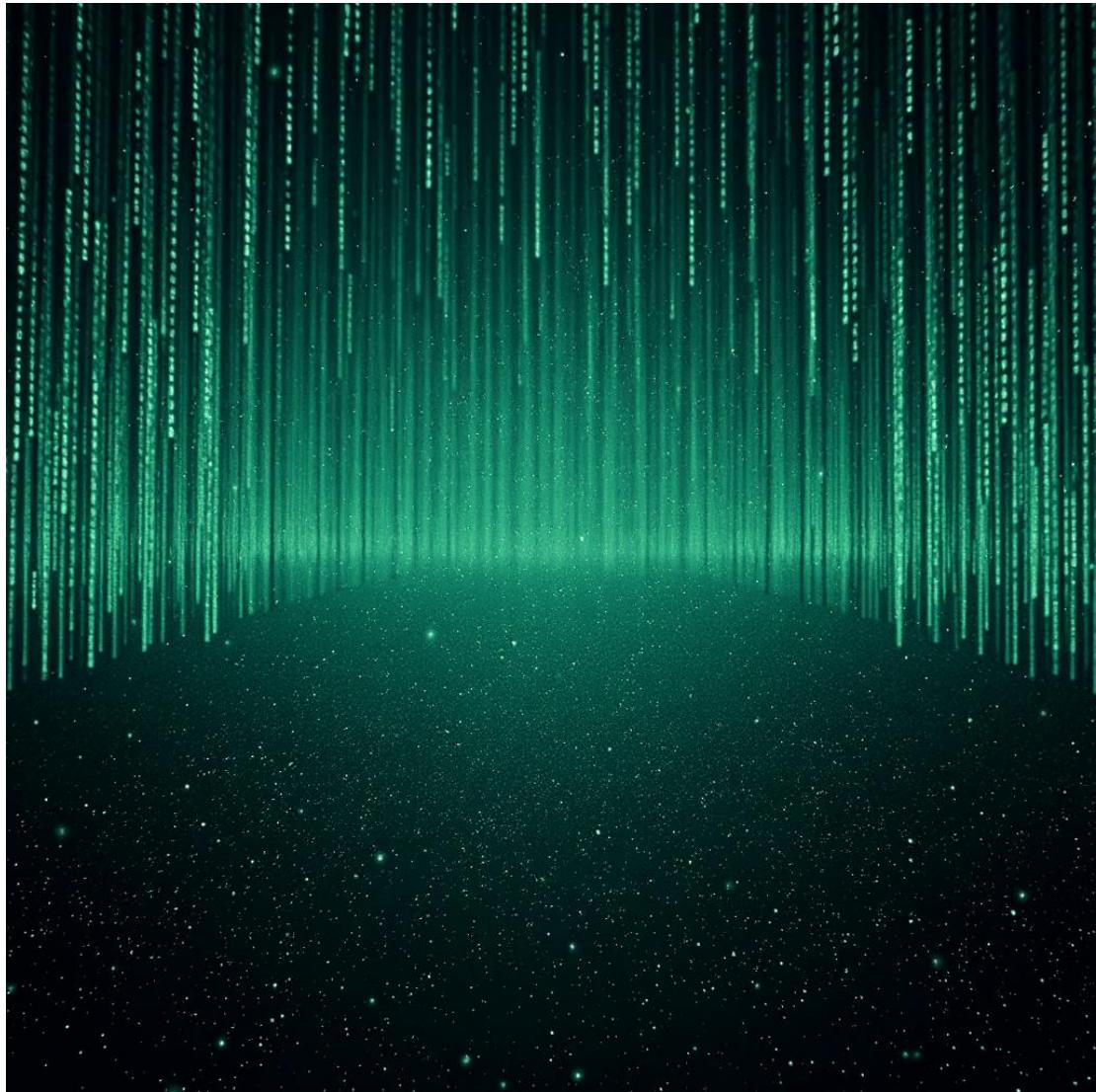
0. Introduction

- Cinematic wide-shot: The cosmic stage (Ref image 1) glows softly with ambient starlight. Twinkling gold stardust (Ref image 3) rains gently, scattering faint golden reflections over the scene (Ref image 4). The Girl (Ref image 2), subtly radiant, begins her delicate movements, her silhouette blending into the ethereal expanse. Lighting: Warm, soft gold and pale blues, creating a welcoming yet mysterious ambiance. Code: --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --no green matrix --style 1677480391*



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1. The Girl Who Paid Death

- Cinematic wide-shot: The infinite expanse of the cosmos (Ref image 1) stretches into grainy black-and-white contrast, evoking a vintage film texture. A 12-year-old The Girl (Ref image 2), dressed in an avant-garde 1930s gown, dances gracefully in a hauntingly beautiful 1920s dance hall (Ref image 3), her steps mingling nostalgia with celestial allure. **Lighting:** A dim, sepia-toned spotlight isolates The Girl, while faint starlight glimmers in grayscale over the background. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 417081226



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2. Galactic Longing

Cinematic wide-shot: The vast universe (Ref image 1) swirls with galaxies in jewel tones of amethyst and sapphire, forming a cosmic carnival. The Girl (Ref image 2), dressed in a flowing celestial gown, moves wistfully, her outstretched arms yearning to embrace the stars around her. Lighting: Soft, cool lavender and deep blue hues envelop the scene, with brighter bursts of starlight dancing rhythmically. Code: --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cv 26 --v 6.1 --style 230601018



□ 3. Cosmic Joy

□ *Cinematic wide-shot: The shimmering stars of the cosmic backdrop (Ref image 1) brighten, creating an effervescent stage. The Girl (Ref image 2) pirouettes joyfully, her gown sparkling as though woven with stardust (Ref image 3). The galaxies around her twinkle in playful harmony (Ref image 4). Lighting: Vibrant golds and soft magentas spotlight her movements, with pulsating highlights from the surrounding stars. Code: --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 2544859236*



□ 4. Stardust Tragedy

□ Cinematic dramatic tilt: The serene cosmos (Ref image 1) becomes chaotic, its swirling nebulae dimming to somber grays and blues. The Girl (Ref image 2), caught in a fatal accident (Ref image 3), collapses into a tragic arabesque, scattering golden stardust (Ref image 4) across the stage. **Lighting:** Dim, shadowed lighting with golden accents highlighting The Girl's final fall; faint streaks of light cut through the background. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 2872866529



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□ 5. Arrival of the Eternal

- Cinematic wide-shot: The cosmos (Ref image 1) pulses rhythmically, illuminated by radiant spirals of galaxies. The Girl (Ref image 2), in a glowing gold gown, dances delicately. Death (Ref image 3) emerges from black smoke (Ref image 4), his dark form casting an imposing presence. **Lighting:** A stark contrast of warm gold spotlight on The Girl and deep, shadowed lighting around Death, with faint red highlights swirling in the background. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 375843679



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□ 6. Celestial Defiance

- Cinematic medium close-up: The universe (Ref image 1) vibrates with pulsating stars that form a dynamic rhythm. The Girl (Ref image 2), encircled by purple roses and black and pink smoke (Ref image 4), defies Death (Ref image 3) with a resolute développé. **Lighting:** Bright purple and soft pink tones emanating from The Girl, contrasting with shadows cast by Death. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 2884



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7. Fading Shadows

Cinematic wide-shot: The dimming cosmos (Ref image 1) fades into quiet stillness, with faint echoes of starlight. The Girl (Ref image 2) stands resolute as Death (Ref image 3) exits in a grand cabriole, trailing a shimmering stardust veil (Ref image 4). **Lighting:** Subtle, fading blues and silvers, with a single soft spotlight on The Girl. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cv 26 --v 6.1 --style 2922



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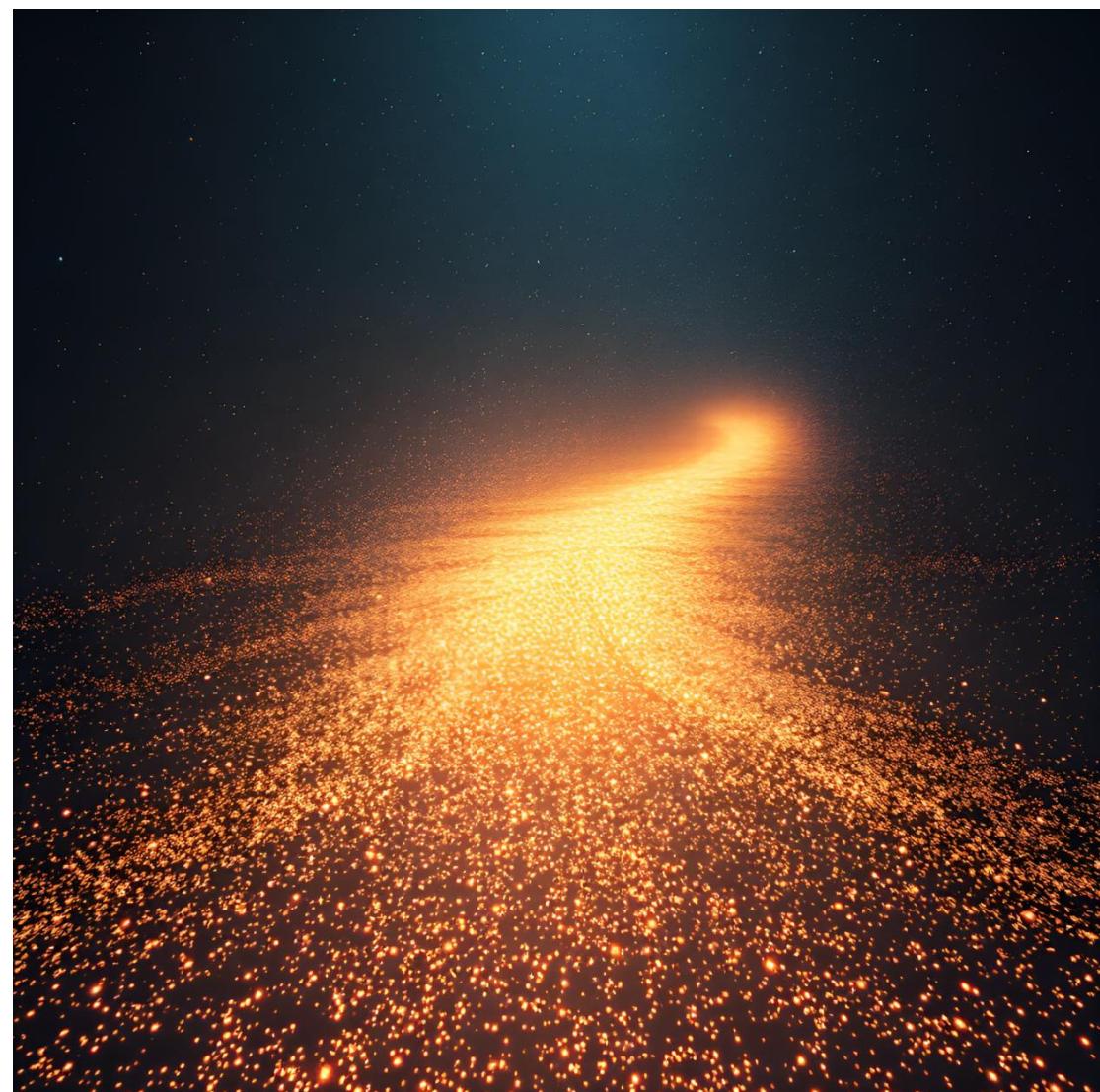


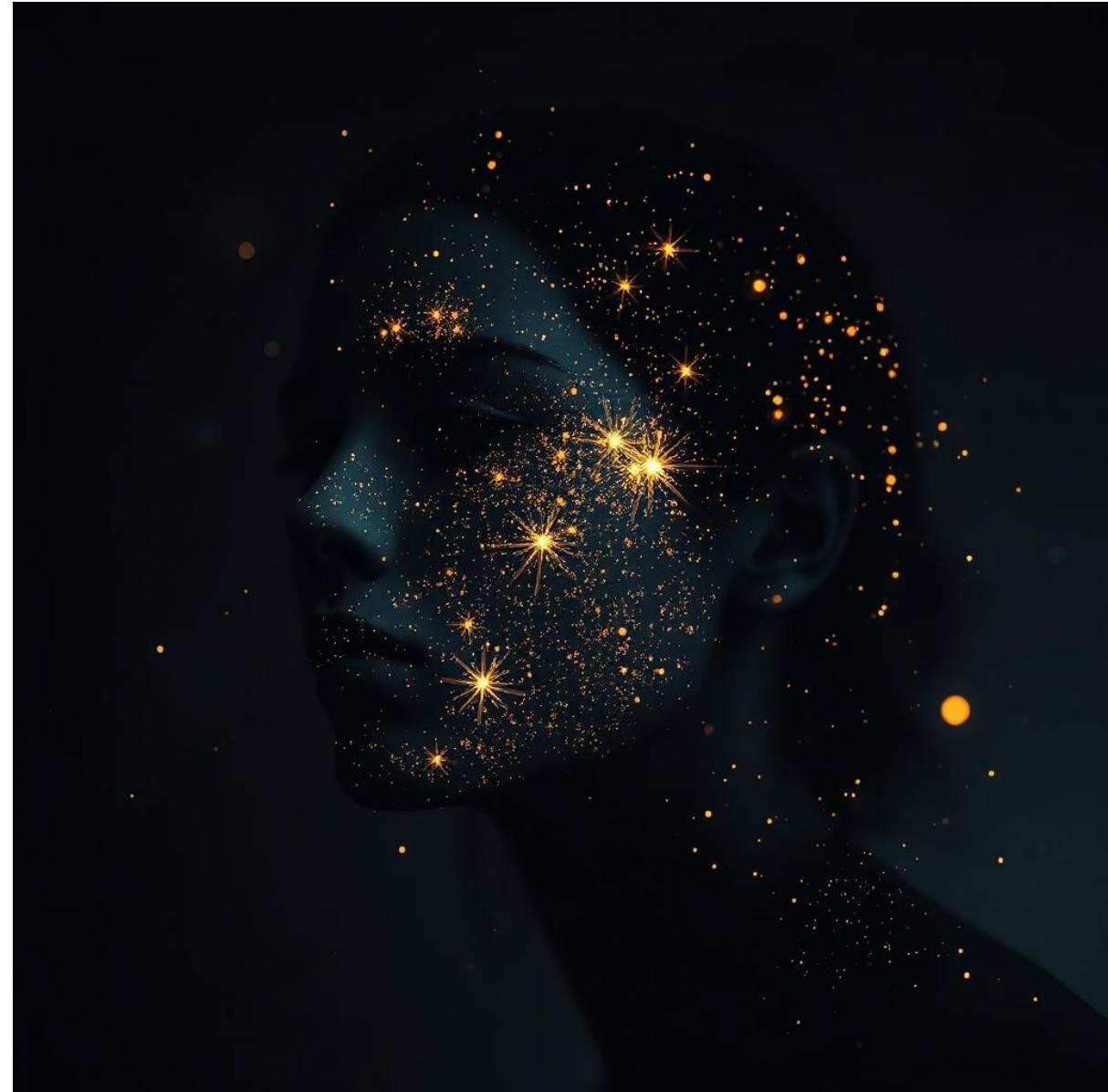
8. Guardian's Vigil

Cinematic wide-shot: The universe (Ref image 1) glows in faint, celestial blues. The Girl (Ref image 2) ascends, her hands open and radiant, embodying a luminous, eternal guardian surrounded by swirling stardust (Ref image 3). **Lighting:** A divine white-blue glow, emanating softly from The Girl, with shimmering starlight radiating through the stage. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 2922



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9. Cosmic Reflection

- Cinematic close-up: The Girl (Ref image 2), poised in a delicate arabesque, reflects innocent wonder in a graceful connection to the infinite. The glittering stars of the cosmos are mirrored in the wide eyes of a newborn boy (Ref image 3). **Lighting:** Soft ambient starlight interspersed with golden beams on the boy and The Girl.
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10. Angelic Presence

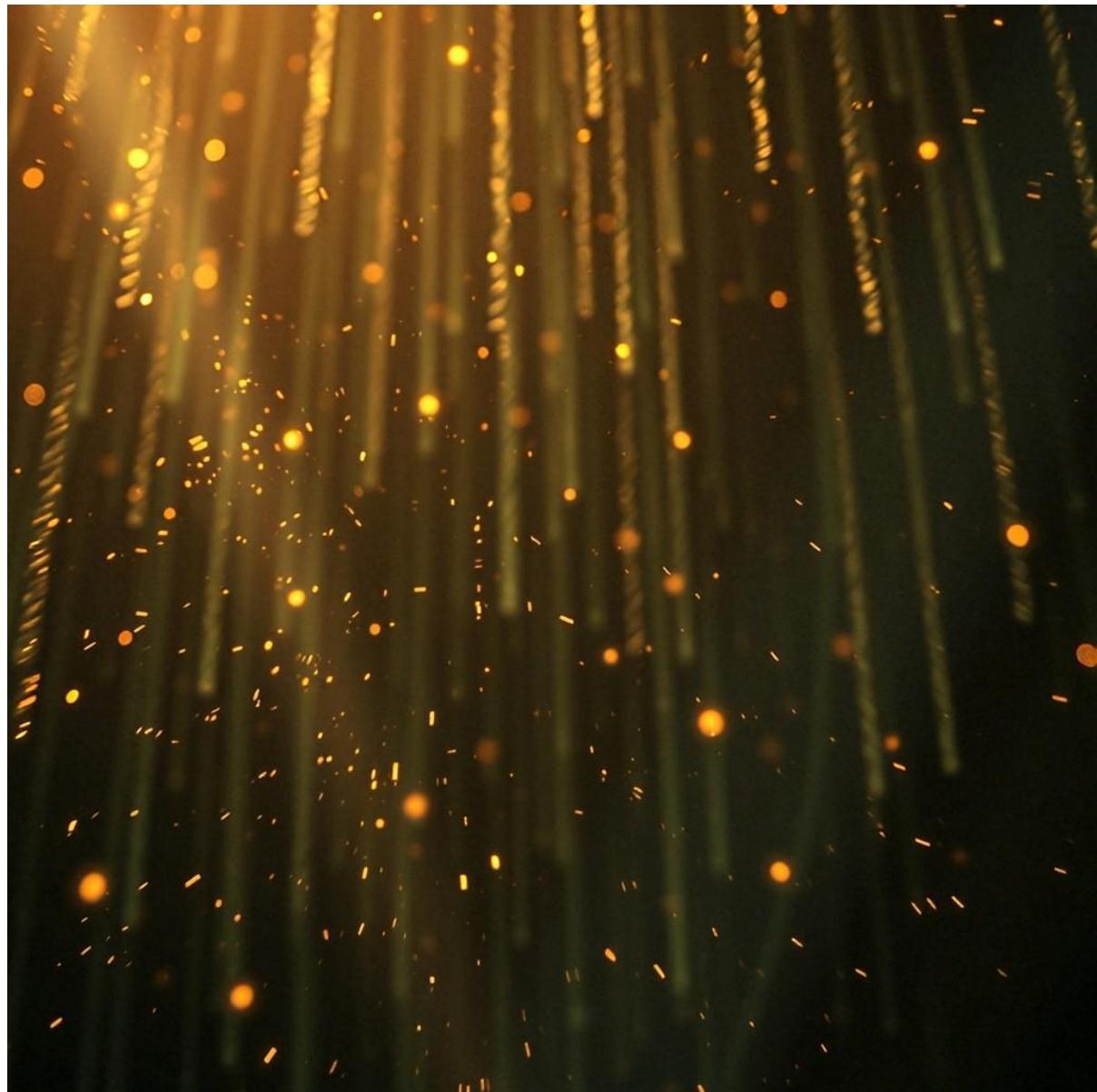
Cinematic medium-shot: The cosmic expanse (Ref image 1) twinkles softly. The Girl (Ref image 2) is a glowing blue and celestial guardian angel (Ref image 3). Delicate halos shimmer around her movements (Ref image 4). **Lighting:** Ethereal blue highlights surround The Girl, with soft white glows emphasizing The Boy and the starlit background. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 1597909873



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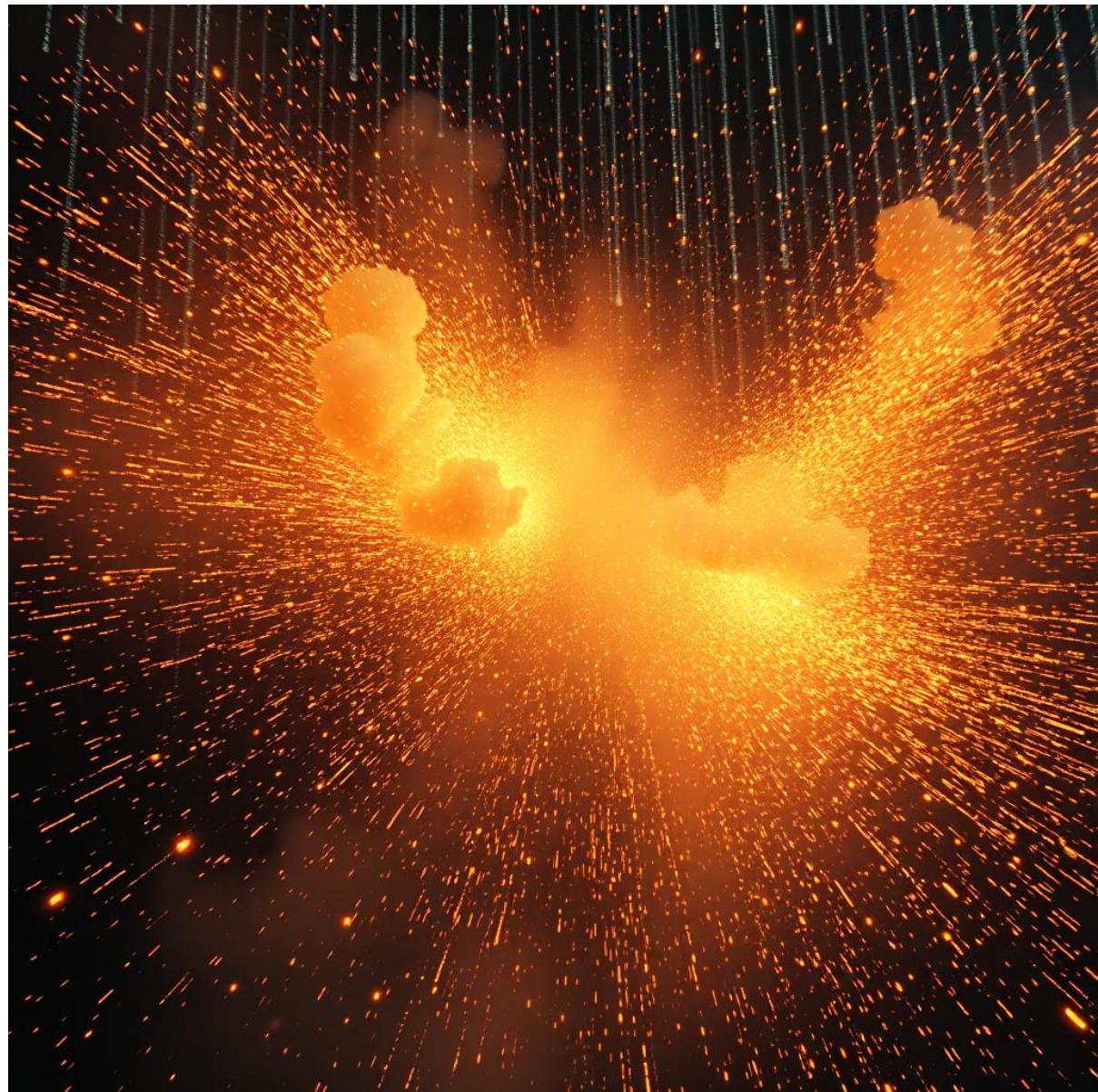
11. Guiding Light

Cinematic wide-shot: The vibrant galaxy (Ref image 1) serves as an infinite backdrop. The Girl (Ref image 2) glides in harmony with The Boy (Ref image 3), their intimate dance movements illuminating golden bursts of stardust in a moment of eternal connection (Ref image 4). **Lighting:** Warm golds and pinks with shimmering highlights marking their unity. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 4442



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12. Falling Comet

Cinematic dramatic tilt: The stars of the cosmos (Ref image 1) seem to pause as The Boy (Ref image 3) leaps from a tree. The Girl (Ref image 2), bathed in anguish, watches as his fate unfolds in silent tension (ref image 4). **Lighting:** Dimming reds and soft whites, casting suspended shadows over The Boy and The Girl. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 3467105306



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13. Dance of Salvation

Cinematic dynamic tracking shot: The universe (Ref image 1) swirls with frenetic energy. The Girl (Ref image 2) leaps into a dazzling penché, weaving stardust (Ref image 3) as she offers her soul (Ref image 4) to save The Boy (Ref image 5).

Lighting: Bright gold and silver accents follow The Girl's movements, while darker shadows embrace The Boy. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 3467105306



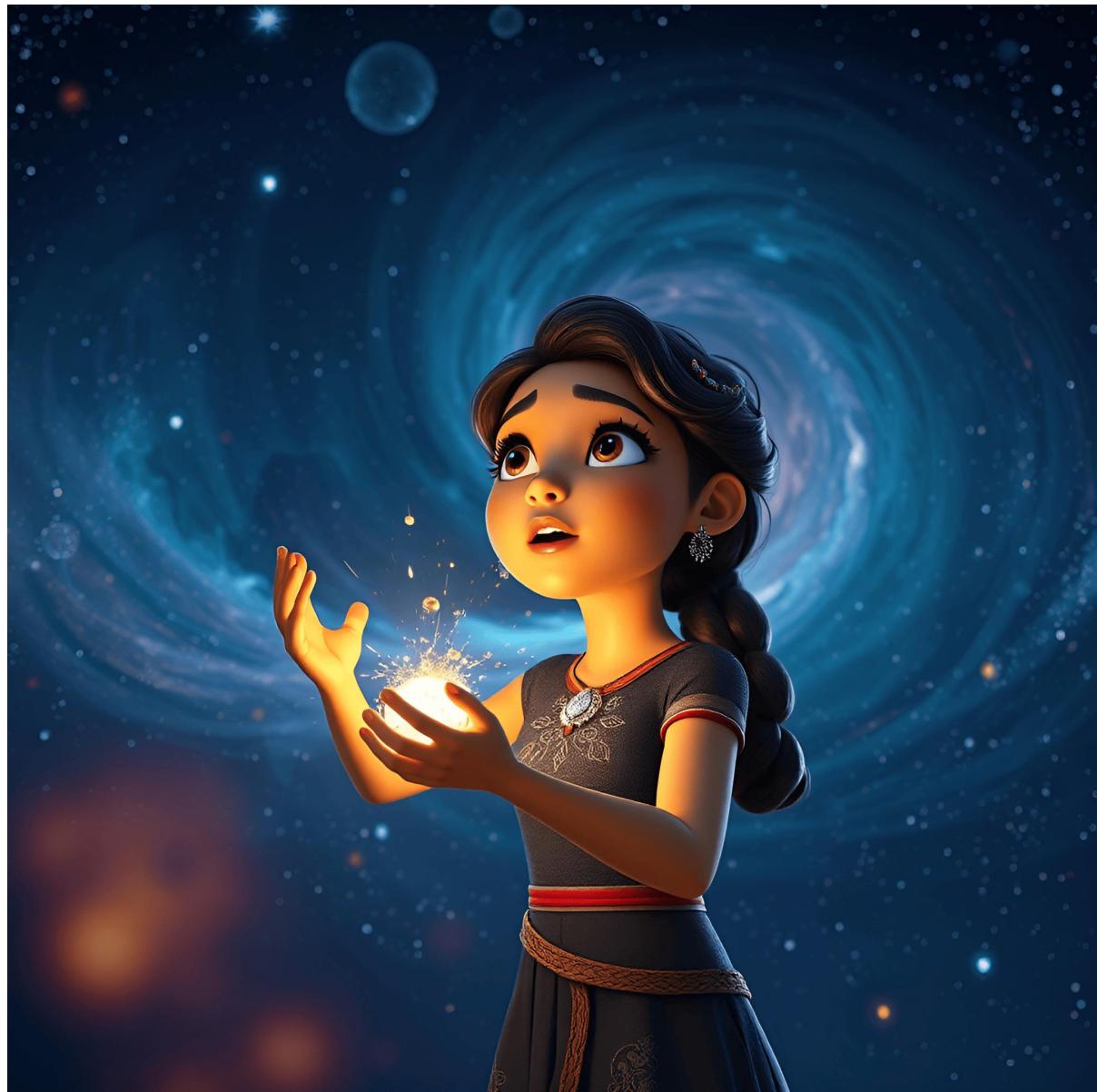
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□ 14. Return of the Inevitable

□ Cinematic medium-shot: The dimming stars of the cosmos (Ref image 1) create an ominous backdrop as Death (Ref image 3) emerges once again, his form casting rippling shadows across the scene. The Girl (Ref image 2), illuminated by faint starlight, dances with quiet defiance, her graceful movements symbolizing resilience amidst encroaching darkness. **Lighting:** Deep reds and muted grays dominate, with faint ethereal highlights on The Girl to emphasize her as a beacon of resistance. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 385607510



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15. Sacrifice of the Stars

Cinematic poignant close-up: The cosmos (Ref image 1) transforms into a cascading river of stardust, glowing with hues of gold and silver. The Girl (Ref image 2), poised in a delicate révérence, begins dissolving into the starlight. Her essence intertwines with the infinite expanse as Death (Ref image 3), solemn and still, accepts her profound offering (Ref image 4). **Lighting:** Soft golden hues emanate from The Girl, with shimmering whites accentuating her transformation into stardust. A faint halo effect surrounds her as she merges with the cosmos.

Code: --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cv 26 --v 6.1 --style 385607510



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16. Live

Cinematic thoughtful medium-shot: The glowing stars of the universe (Ref image 1) shimmer subtly in the backdrop, creating a serene yet hopeful atmosphere. The Girl (Ref image 2), now liberated, dances gracefully among the constellations, her radiant form glowing with freedom. The Boy, now a man in his thirties, sits at his desk (Ref image 3), bathed in the soft glow of his computer screen, reflecting deeply on their shared journey. **Lighting:** Warm blues and subtle whites illuminate the cosmos, blending with soft amber highlights on The Boy, juxtaposing earthly reflection with cosmic liberation. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --style 417081226



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17. The End

Cinematic thoughtful medium-shot: The stars of the infinite universe (Ref image 1) twinkle gently as The Girl (Ref image 2), illuminated softly by celestial light, performs her final, graceful dance steps. Her ethereal form begins fading into the cosmic tableau, blending with the starlight. The words The End (Ref image 3) emerge slowly, glowing faintly in the expanse. **Lighting:** Serene and ambient soft whites and blues, transitioning into a peaceful dim glow as The Girl blends into the starlight, creating a timeless farewell. **Code:** --ar 16:9 --style raw --iw 0.5 --cw 25 --cw 26 --v 6.1 --no green matrix --style 167748039



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RUNWAY

Style Guide

This is the Runway prompt with corresponding Midjourney expression to create a short clip for each act to be sewn together to complete the narrative in Da Vinci Resolve.

Prompt format: Scene, composition, lighting, color, style focus, angle, and mood.

The following style elements will be consistently applied across all acts to ensure visual cohesion:

- **Scene and Lighting:** A surreal, ethereal tone with consistent cosmic and ambient lighting. Subtle color grading leans towards contrasting vibrant galaxies and muted, monochromatic textures, evoking both nostalgia and futurism.
- **Color and Focus:** Balanced emphasis on vivid galactic hues and the interplay of green Matrix-style code, providing a dramatic digital-organic contrast.
- **Angle and Mood:** Fluid transitions between wide-shots, medium shots, and close-ups for dynamic storytelling while sustaining the dreamlike, otherworldly mood.
- **Style and Texture:** A continuous interplay of glitch effects with smooth, flowing movements, highlighting the fusion of digital and organic elements.

Action

□ Numbers

- The camera is static, focused on a black background. Swirling blue smoke emerges, solidifying into the text 'Act 1.' The text 'Act 1' glitches intermittently with dynamic purple lighting, creating a striking effect.

□ Introduction

- *Scene Prompt:* A vast cosmic expanse glimmers softly, stardust cascading gently from above. A futuristic Dusty3D Productions AI sign flickers in neon gold, casting its radiant glow across the ethereal void. The camera pans slowly, capturing The Girl's silhouette as she gracefully emerges, blending into the golden rain against a starlit backdrop. **Details:** Cinematic glow, smooth pan, soft golden highlights, ambient space sound. **Mood:** Awe-inspiring, tranquil. **Cinematic Elements:** Wide-shot, dramatic contrast, and subtle texture glitches maintaining the surreal, nostalgic mood.

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□ ~~Act 1: The Girl Who PAID Death~~

- *Scene Prompt:* A sepia-toned, 1920s dance hall floats amidst a black-and-white cosmic void. 12-year-old The Girl spins delicately, her vintage 1930s gown fluttering as she dances. Stars in the distant cosmos flicker faintly, blending vintage film grain with celestial light. **Details:** Dramatic light-dim, classic film scratches, music transitions to haunting piano. **Mood:** Nostalgic, haunting.
- **Cinematic Elements:** Wide-shot, dramatic contrast, and subtle texture glitches maintaining the surreal, nostalgic mood.

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□ ~~Act 2: Galactic Longing~~

□ **Scene Prompt:** The camera pulls back to reveal a swirling galaxy filled with jewel-toned stars. The Girl, adorned in a flowing celestial gown, stretches her arms longingly toward the glowing carnival-like lights of the galaxy. Her movements mimic the flow of the stars, spinning in perfect harmony. **Details:** Wide-angle galaxy swirl, soft pastel lighting, orchestral crescendos. **Mood:** Melancholic, enchanting.

□ **Cinematic Elements:** Wide shot with fluid motion and intermittent Matrix effects while sustaining the surreal ambiance.

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□ **Act 3: Cosmic Joy**

□ **Scene Prompt:** Close-up, glitchy galaxy interaction with vibrant cosmic lighting. A vibrant galaxy comes alive, galaxies spiraling energetically in the distance. The Girl leaps through the air, her gown sparkling as if woven with stardust. The camera tracks her pirouettes, while playful bursts of light erupt in the backdrop. **Details:** Dynamic tracking shot, bursts of gold, upbeat orchestral tones. **Mood:** Joyful, effervescent.

□ **Cinematic Elements:** Close-up, glitchy galaxy interaction with vibrant cosmic lighting.

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□ **Act 4: Stardust Tragedy**

□ **Scene Prompt:** Wide-shot, dramatic tilt with textured contrasts, bullet time. A serene cosmic backdrop dims as a nebula morphs into waves of deep blue and gray. The Girl collapses in slow motion, a tragic arabesque scattering golden stardust that drifts through the silent, infinite void. **Details:** Slow-motion fall, muted background score, dramatic light shift. **Mood:** Poignant, sorrowful.

□ **Cinematic Elements:** Wide-shot, dramatic tilt with textured contrasts, bullet time.

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□ **Act 5: Arrival of the Eternal**

□ **Scene Prompt:** Spirals of galaxies rotate rhythmically as a dark figure, Death, emerges from plumes of shadowed smoke. The Girl, in a radiant gold gown, dances lightly as Death's imposing form looms, casting an oppressive aura over the cosmic expanse. **Details:** High-contrast shadows, gold and black tones, eerie strings crescendo. **Mood:** Intense, otherworldly.

□ **Cinematic Elements:** Long-shot with subtle digital effects and dark contrasts.

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□ **Act 6: Celestial Defiance**

□ **Scene Prompt:** The Girl spins defiantly at the center of the scene, purple roses and pink smoke whirling around her in bursts of motion. Death stalks the edges of the frame as The Girl performs a resolute développé, the pulsing rhythm of stars echoing her movements. **Details:** Rotating close-up shot, vibrant colors, rising percussion beats. **Mood:** Bold, empowering.

- Cinematic Elements:** Medium close-up with rhythmic texture glitches and dynamic lighting.

□ Act 7: Fading Shadows

- Scene Prompt:** The camera slowly zooms out, revealing an expanse of dimming stars. Death exits with a sweeping motion, leaving behind a luminous trail of stardust. The Girl stands still at the center, framed against the fading light of the cosmos. **Details:** Gentle zoom-out, ambient hum, soft blues and silvers. **Mood:** Reflective, quiet.

- Cinematic Elements:** Wide shot with vanishing Matrix effects and soft lighting fades.

□ Act 8: Guardian's Vigil

- Scene Prompt:** The Girl ascends above the swirling galaxies, her hands open in radiant grace. Starlight cascades around her, forming a soft glowing aura. The camera rotates upward, capturing her in divine repose as the universe hums softly in the background. **Details:** Rotating upward shot, halo lighting effect, serene strings and choir. **Mood:** Divine, peaceful.

- Cinematic Elements:** Wide shot with flickering green light effects and ambient cosmic hues.

□ Act 9: Cosmic Reflection

- Scene Prompt:** The stars ripple like water, their reflections mirrored in the wide eyes of a newborn. A close-up shot captures The Girl poised delicately in an arabesque, the energy of the stars pulsating in unison with the heartbeat of the child. **Details:** Heartbeat sound design, soft lens flare, warm golds and whites.

Mood: Intimate, serene.

- Cinematic Elements:** Close-up with subtle digital accents and reflective lighting.

□ Act 10: Angelic Presence

- Scene Prompt:** In a backdrop of softly twinkling stars, The Girl moves gracefully as a glowing blue angel. Delicate halos encircle her and The Boy as they twirl together, their movements in perfect synchrony with the celestial light raining down from above. **Details:** Gentle close-up transitions, glowing blue and white light flares, ambient harp tones. **Mood:** Hopeful, celestial.

- Cinematic Elements:** Medium-shot with harmonic starlight and glitch contrasts.

□ Act 11: Guiding Light

- Scene Prompt:** The galaxy swirls in vibrant golds and pinks as The Girl and The Boy's connection bursts into a brilliant explosion of stardust. Their movements harmonize seamlessly, symbolizing a shared eternal bond. **Details:** Wide panning

shot, golden sparkles in slow motion, orchestral build-up. **Mood:** Emotional, radiant.

- Cinematic Elements:** Wide-shot with rhythmic glitches and flowing visuals.
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□ Act 12: Falling Comet

- Scene Prompt:** The universe holds its breath. The stars pause their shimmer as The Boy leaps from a tree, frozen mid-air in an eerie moment of suspended fate. The Girl watches from afar, her face etched with anguish as the camera tilts dramatically to capture the fall. **Details:** Dramatic tilt, shadowed reds and whites, haunting choral undertones. **Mood:** Tense, sorrowful.

- Cinematic Elements:** Dramatic tilt with texture disruption and dynamic shadows.

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□ Act 13: Dance of Salvation

- Scene Prompt:** She dives into an elegant penché, her body weaving trails of glittering stardust as she reaches for him. The scene pulses with frenetic energy, galaxies spiraling around the motion as her sacrifice becomes tangible. **Details:** Dynamic motion blur, flashing gold and silver tones, crescendoing orchestral violins. **Mood:** Sacrificial, climactic.

- Cinematic Elements:** Dynamic tracking shot with merging digital and cosmic motifs.

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□ Act 14: Return of the Inevitable

- Scene Prompt:** Deep within the shadows of the cosmos, Death returns, his figure rippling through the stars like a menacing wave. The Girl, encircled by fading glimmers of light, dances with quiet defiance, her movements a poetic resistance.

Details: Rippling shadow effects, muted grays and faint reds, solemn string notes.

Mood: Ominous, powerful.

- Cinematic Elements:** Medium shot with foreboding digital effects and stark contrast, bullet time.

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□ Act 15: Sacrifice of the Stars

- Scene Prompt:** The cosmos explodes into a cascade of stardust, golden rivers flowing through the vast expanse. The Girl, dissolving into light, merges gracefully into the infinite universe as Death observes solemnly. The camera pans upward, following her ascension into eternity. **Details:** Soft glowing transition, golden hues, angelic choral music. **Mood:** Transcendent, emotional.

- Cinematic Elements:** Poignant close-up with luminous glitch effects.

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□ Act 16: All Grown Up

- Scene Prompt:** Stars shimmer faintly in the background as The Girl glides across the constellations, her form radiant with freedom. The Boy, seated at his desk, stares intently at the glow of his computer screen, a look of quiet reflection crossing his face. The cosmic and earthly elements blend seamlessly in tone and

imagery. **Details:** Warm ambient lighting, subtle lens flares, soft piano and strings. **Mood:** Reflective, serene.

- Cinematic Elements:** Thoughtful medium-shot with subtle ambient glitches and reflective tones.

ACT 17: END

- Scene Prompt:** A cosmic tableau twinkles softly as The Girl performs her final, delicate steps. Her radiant form begins to fade into starlight, blending completely with the universe as the words **The End** emerge gently in a timeless glow. The camera slowly pans out, leaving only the shimmering expanse. **Details:** Gentle fade-out, ambient blue and white tones, serene orchestral strings. **Mood:** Timeless, poetic.

Da Vinci

1. Set Up a New Project:

- Create a timeline with a resolution and aspect ratio matching your Runway outputs (e.g., **16:9**, as specified in your prompts).
- Choose a frame rate suitable for cinematic pacing—**24 fps** is raw.

2. Import Footage:

- Drag the Runway-rendered clips into the media pool.

3. Organize by Acts:

- Create bins for each act (e.g., *Introduction*, *Act 1*, etc.) to keep your workflow clean and logical.

4. Import Narration Tracks:

- Using Suno's outputs, sync the narration for each act with the visuals. Ensure the delivery aligns with the pacing and rhythm of Mary's journey.
- Use **Fairlight (audio tab)** in Da Vinci to fine-tune volume, clarity, and timing.

5. Layer in Music:

- Place your Suno-generated music beneath the narration tracks. Use the following strategies:
 - Fade in and out between acts for smoother transitions.
 - Lower music volume during key narration to avoid distractions but emphasize crescendos at emotional peaks.

6. Add Sound Effects:

- Use subtle effects like ambient cosmic hums or stardust bursts where appropriate (e.g., when Mary dissolves into the cosmos in **Act 15**).

7. Opening Title:

- Design a dramatic opening title sequence with the Dusty3D Productions AI sign flickering against the cosmos.
- Use glowing, animated text that reflects the tone of the film (e.g., "*Mary: Dance of the Eternal Cosmos*").

9. Act Titles:

- Display titles for each act subtly at the beginning of the corresponding clips (e.g., *Act 1: The Girl Who Paid Death*).
- 10. End Credits:**
 - Fade into credits against a backdrop of glowing stars, with soft starlight twinkles and serene music to close.
- 11. Stardust and Glows:**
 - Add gentle particle effects to highlight key moments (e.g., stardust scattering in **Act 4**).
- 12. Slow-Motion Moments:**
 - Use **retiming tools** to slow pivotal scenes (e.g., Mary's fall in **Act 4** or her final steps in **Act 17**).
- 13. Depth and Lighting:**
 - Adjust focus and depth of field to emphasize Mary's movements, especially in close-up acts like **Act 9: Cosmic Reflection**.
- 14. Preview:**
 - Watch the full film several times, focusing on pacing, tone consistency, and transitions.
- 15. Tweak Audio Levels:**
 - Ensure the balance between narration, music, and effects feels immersive but not overwhelming.
- 16. Export Settings:**
 - Use high-quality export settings for a cinematic finish (e.g., **4K resolution**, **H.264 codec**, **24 fps**).

Suno

Act-Specific Sound & Music

□ Introduction

- **Sound:** Soft cosmic echoes with faint electronic flickers to match the AI sign.
- **Music:** A serene, ethereal piano melody with gentle string accompaniment (think Brian Eno-style ambient music).
- **Suno Prompt:** *Prompt:* Create an ethereal soundscape of cosmic hums and distant echoes, layered with soft piano notes and faint electronic flickers. Add a subtle rising tone to symbolize anticipation and awe, evoking the serene glow of a golden AI sign and cascading stardust. **Mood:** Tranquil, mysterious.

□ Act 1: The Girl Who Paid Death

- **Sound:** Vinyl crackles layered with faint, airy whispers.
- **Music:** A haunting piano tune in minor chords, reminiscent of 1920s dance hall music blended with cosmic undertones.
- **Suno Prompt:** *Prompt:* Compose a haunting piano melody in minor chords, resembling 1920s dance hall music. Layer it with vintage crackles, soft strings, and subtle cosmic whispers to blend nostalgia with the vastness of the cosmos. **Mood:** Nostalgic, haunting.

□ Act 2: Galactic Longing

- **Sound:** A slow-building hum of stars swirling, accented by faint bells.
- **Music:** Emotional violin and cello duet, evoking The Girl's yearning for something beyond her world.
- **Suno Prompt:** Design a yearning orchestral track with emotional violins and cellos. Add soft ambient hums to mirror the expanse of the galaxy, punctuated by shimmering bells to evoke The Girl's longing for connection. **Mood:** Melancholic, enchanting.

□ Act 3: Cosmic Joy

- **Sound:** Dynamic chimes and sparkles, simulating playful starbursts.
- **Music:** Upbeat orchestral strings with uplifting crescendos, transitioning into lighthearted flutes.
- **Suno Prompt:** Create an uplifting orchestral score with lively strings and playful flutes. Incorporate bursts of chimes and twinkling cosmic sound effects to echo The Girl's jubilant pirouettes and the vibrant galaxy. **Mood:** Joyful, effervescent.

□ Act 4: Stardust Tragedy

- **Sound:** Distant, heavy droning, punctuated by a faint, falling tone.
- **Music:** Slow, mournful piano and cello duet with a sorrowful descending melody.
- **Suno Prompt:** Generate a slow, mournful piano piece with deep cello harmonies. Blend in fading echoes and soft, falling tones to emphasize a poignant descent into tragedy amidst a dimming cosmic backdrop. **Mood:** Poignant, sorrowful.

- Act 5: Arrival of the Eternal**
 - **Sound:** The hiss of black smoke unfurling, blended with ominous, deep tones.
 - **Music:** Dramatic organ chords mixed with faint chanting, building tension.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Compose a dark, imposing orchestral score with dramatic organ chords and faint chanting. Add slow, deep bass tones to underscore Death's presence, contrasted with faint golden highlights for The Girl's radiance. **Mood:** Intense, otherworldly.
- Act 6: Celestial Defiance**
 - **Sound:** Pulsing beats that mimic the rhythm of The Girl's spinning movements.
 - **Music:** Dynamic strings and bold percussion, reflecting The Girl's determination and defiance.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Design a dynamic track with rhythmic percussion and soaring strings. Add pulsing beats to mirror The Girl's spinning defiance, accented by vibrant purple and pink undertones to convey her power. **Mood:** Bold, empowering.
- Act 7: Fading Shadows**
 - **Sound:** Gentle, diminishing echoes of Death's exit, with faint stardust trails.
 - **Music:** Quiet orchestral strings fading into delicate harp notes.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Create a reflective, fading orchestral melody with soft harp notes and ambient hums. Add a diminishing echo to represent Death's exit, with subtle silver and blue tones for the fading starlight. **Mood:** Reflective, quiet.
- Act 8: Guardian's Vigil**
 - **Sound:** Swirling cosmic winds, accompanied by soft twinkling starlight effects.
 - **Music:** A celestial choir harmonizing over slow, resonant organ tones.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Compose a celestial choir piece with slow organ chords and ethereal tones. Add swirling sound effects to reflect ascending starlight and The Girl's divine grace as she embodies a guardian figure. **Mood:** Divine, peaceful.
- Act 9: Cosmic Reflection**
 - **Sound:** A steady, soothing heartbeat mixed with soft ripples of light.
 - **Music:** Intimate piano notes in higher octaves, interwoven with soft violins.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Generate an intimate track with soft piano notes and gentle violins. Incorporate a steady heartbeat and rippling chimes to reflect the emotional connection between The Girl and the newborn. **Mood:** Intimate, serene.
- Act 10: Angelic Presence**
 - **Sound:** Halo-like resonance with soft rain-like starlight effects.
 - **Music:** Angelic harp arpeggios mixed with gentle, glowing string crescendos.
 - **Suno Prompt:** Design an angelic soundscape with delicate harp arpeggios, glowing string crescendos, and faint cosmic resonance. Add soft halos of sound to depict The Girl's glowing blue guardian form. **Mood:** Hopeful, celestial.
- Act 11: Guiding Light**
 - **Sound:** The swell of golden stardust bursting, with soft crackles of light.
 - **Music:** Majestic orchestral music with sweeping violins and triumphant brass.

- **Suno Prompt:** Create a majestic orchestral score with triumphant brass and sweeping violins. Add golden bursts of sound, synchronized with starlight sparkles, to symbolize the unity of The Girl and The Boy. **Mood:** Emotional, radiant.

Act 12: Falling Comet

- **Sound:** Echoing silence broken by the faint rush of wind as The Boy leaps, with a sudden sharp tone.
- **Music:** A haunting cello solo with a suspenseful, echoing reverb.
- **Suno Prompt:** Generate a suspenseful score with a haunting cello solo and deep echoes. Add rushing wind effects and sudden, sharp tones to amplify the tension of The Boy's fall and the cosmic pause. **Mood:** Tense, sorrowful.

Act 13: Dance of Salvation

- **Sound:** A wave of swirling galaxies mixed with sparkling stardust trails.
- **Music:** Fast-paced violins, bold percussion, and a rising orchestral crescendo symbolizing The Girl's sacrifice.
- **Suno Prompt:** Compose a climactic orchestral piece with fast-paced violins and bold percussion. Add dynamic motion blur effects in the audio to mimic swirling galaxies and the rising energy of Mary's sacrifice. **Mood:** Sacrificial, climactic.

Act 14: Return of the Inevitable

- **Sound:** Deep, rippling bass tones and faint dissonant whispers surrounding Death.
- **Music:** Ominous, low-pitched strings with haunting choral undertones.
- **Suno Prompt:** Design a menacing track with rippling bass tones and eerie choral whispers. Layer muted strings with faint dissonance to underscore the ominous return of Death and The Girl's quiet defiance. **Mood:** Ominous, powerful.

Act 15: Sacrifice of the Stars

- **Sound:** Ethereal winds of stardust dissolving, interwoven with soft celestial ringing.
- **Music:** Angelic choir harmonies over a slow, swelling orchestral piece.
- **Suno Prompt:** Create a transcendent score with angelic choir harmonies and swelling orchestral tones. Add golden, cascading sound effects to depict The Girl dissolving into stardust, merging gracefully with the cosmos. **Mood:** Transcendent, emotional.

Act 16: Live

- **Sound:** Faintly shimmering stars blending with the ambient hum of The Boy's room.
- **Music:** Reflective piano notes with soft, sustained strings underscoring the emotional weight.
- **Suno Prompt:** Generate a reflective track with soft piano and sustained strings. Add faint cosmic hums blending with the gentle hum of The Boy's desk, symbolizing the coexistence of earthly reflection and cosmic liberation. **Mood:** Reflective, serene.

Act 17: The End

- **Sound:** A subtle fade into silence, with the faintest twinkle of stars.
- **Music:** A serene orchestral swell, slowly diminishing to soft, peaceful tones.
- **Suno Prompt:** Compose a serene orchestral swell with ambient soft tones and twinkling star-like effects. Fade into silence gradually, echoing Mary's final graceful steps and blending her into the universe. **Mood:** Timeless, poetic.

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Narration

Introduction

- A vast cosmic expanse glimmers softly casting a radiant glow across a girl's silhouette as she gracefully emerges from the starlight.
- She spins delicately. Her gown fluttering as she dances. Stars flicker faintly in the distance, blending with celestial light.
- The swirling galaxy is filled with stars. She stretches her arms longingly toward the glowing lights.
- The vibrant galaxy comes alive. She leaps through the air, her gown sparkling as if woven with stardust.
- Nebula morph into waves of the deep. She collapses in a tragic arabesque, scattering golden stardust into the infinite void.
- Spiraling galaxies rotate as a dark figure, Death, emerges from the shadows. She dances as Death's imposing form looms
- She spins defiantly as Death demands her. She performs a resolute développé to the pulsing rhythm of stars.
- Death exits into the dark. She dances in the light.
- She ascends above the swirling galaxies, her hands open in grace. Starlight cascades around her as the universe hums softly in the background.
- The stars ripple like water, their reflections mirrored in the wide eyes of a newborn boy. She poises delicately in an arabesque.
- In a backdrop of softly twinkling stars, she moves gracefully. The Boy and her twirl together, their movements in perfect synchrony with the celestial light.
- The galaxy swirls as their connection bursts into a brilliant explosion of stardust.
- The universe holds its breath frozen in an eerie moment of suspended destiny, the boy leaps to his fate.
- The Girl dives into an elegant penché as she reaches for The Boy, galaxies spiraling around the motion.
- Deep within the shadows of the cosmos, Death returns, his figure rippling through the stars like a menacing wave as she dances.
- The cosmos explodes into a cascade of stardust. She dissolves into light, merging gracefully into the universe.

- Stars shimmer faintly in the background as she glides across the constellations.
The Boy, seated at his desk, stares intently at the glow of his computer screen, a look of quiet reflection crossing his face.
- A cosmic tableau twinkles. The Girl performs her final, delicate steps. Her radiant form begins to fade into starlight, blending completely with the universe.