

**Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs**

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## Character Descriptions:

Principle Characters (9).

**MAGIC MIRROR:** Narrator. A little eccentric.

**SNOW WHITE:** Principle girl. Very intelligent and driven.

**KING DOM OF KENTONDOM:** Snow White's father. Well spoken. Likes 'street' language.

**QUEEN LUTRICIA:** Snow White's step-mum. Baddy.

**CAMERON:** Queen's Henchman 1. Thinks he's in charge.

**CLEGG:** Queen's Henchman 2. Also thinks he in charge.

**PRINCE GEORGE OF THE GALAPAGOS:** Dial-a-prince employee. Cheeky, well mannered, polite and certainly from aristocracy.

**NANNY NORA:** Dame. Snow White's Nanny. Hard working. Undervalued.

**MUDDLES:** Comic. Snow White's best friend. Warm, loveable, silly.

**(DWARF #1) CUP CAKE:** The leader.

**(DWARF #2) BATTENBERG:** The boring one.

**(DWARF #3) TIRAMISU:** The clever one (male character).

**(DWARF #4) GATEAUX:** The French one.

**(DWARF #5) CARROTT CAKE:** The unexpected one.

**(DWARF #6) FRUIT CAKE:** The stupid one.

**(DWARF #7) ANGEL CAKE:** The cute one.

(Dwarfs written with the thought of adults playing some parts.)

**EXTRA #1:** Introduces the guests for the party.

**ENSEMBLE/CHORUS:** Potential for large ensemble/chorus.

## List of Scenes

### Act 1:

1. Introduction: Queen's Boudoir/Tabs
2. Preparing for the Party: Palace
3. The Guestlist: Tabs
4. The Party: Palace
5. Fairest in the land: Queen's Boudoir/Tabs
6. I'm not bothered: Palace Exterior
7. The axe: Forest
8. Still the fairest: Queen's Boudoir/Tabs
9. Cake problems: Cottage

### Act 2:

1. Love-letters: Palace
2. Where is she? Boudoir
3. Searching: Forest
4. Quids in: Cottage
5. Dame meets Dwarfs: Forest
6. Bad is triumphant: Queen's Boudoir
7. The kiss: Cottage
8. Audience participation/song sheet: Tabs.
9. Right the wrong: Palace

FRONT CLOTH/TABS.

MIRROR: Oh, Muddles is a cheeky one, always causing trouble,  
And if he didn't help Snow White, she'd have to  
clean up double.  
So, let's get to the party now; there's cake and  
banging tunes.  
And Palace guards Cameron and Clegg, useless  
'swivel-eyed-loons'!

CAMERON AND CLEGG ENTER THROUGH THE  
AUDIENCE, CHECKING PEOPLE'S TICKETS AS THEY  
MAKE THEIR WAY TO THE STAGE. THEY REACH THE  
STAGE. THE CURTAINS REMAIN CLOSED.

CAMERON: Cleggy?! Have you got the guest list?

CLEGG: Have we already guessed it?

CAMERON: What?

CLEGG: The guessed list.

CAMERON: What ARE you talking about?

CLEGG: I didn't know we'd guessed it.

CAMERON HITS CLEGG

CAMERON: The list of the party guests, you idiot. The GUEST  
list.

CLEGG: Oh, yes, I've got that.

CLEGG TAKES A PIECE OF PAPER FROM HIS  
POCKET AND HANDS IT TO CAMERON. HE SNATCHES  
IT OFF HIM.

CAMERON: (CAMERON ADOPTS HIS CEREMONIAL VOICE) Ladies and  
gentlemen - Welcome to Princess Snow White's  
birthday party, as...

CLEGG: (COPYING CAMERON') ...as guards of the palace.

A BATTLE OF ONE-UPMANSHIP COMMENCES BETWEEN  
THEM.

CAMERON: ...as master of ceremonies.

CLEGG: ...masters of the house.

CAMERON: ...head of the henchmen.

CLEGG: ...captains of the kitchen porters.

CLEGG: . ..head gardener AND mower of the royal croquet pitch.

CAMERON: (TO CLEGG) Will you stop being so stupid. (ADOPTING CEREMONIAL VOICE AGAIN) We're here to announce the arrival of the guests of honour for Princess Snow White's birthday party. (HE CLEARS HIS THROAT. HE LOOKS DOWN AT THE GUESTLIST) Please welcome...

RUMROLL BEGINS.

Tomato Sauce - squeezey-bottle; Half-a-pound of butter; a pair of plums... This is our shopping list, you dimwit!

CAMERON HITS CLEGG AGAIN.

CLEGG: Oh. Yes. Could you add Tooti-fruti-strawberry yoghurt to it - I finished the last one this morning. Mmm, mmmmmmmmm.

CAMERON: Unbelievable!

CLEGG: No, I really did finish it. Delicious.

CAMERON: Where's the guest list, you buffoon?!

THE CURTAINS OPEN REVEALING THE INTERIOR OF THE PALACE, DECORATED FOR SNOW WHITE'S 21<sup>ST</sup> BIRTHDAY PARTY. MUSIC PLAYS AND MANY OF THE GUESTS ARE ALREADY THERE.

CLEGG: Oops. Too late!

CAMERON AND CLEGG JOIN THE PARTY, BUT CONTINUE TO BICKER OVER THE GUESTLIST.

ACT1

SCENE 4

INT. PALACE.

NANNY NORA ENTERS WEARING AN ELABORATE  
BACOFIL DRESS.

NANNY NORA: Oh hello boys and girls! (CALL SIGN). Do you like my new frock? I got it off EBay. I was awfully surprised when it turned up; I thought I'd ordered a lawn mower! Oh, what's that...?

NANNY NORA GOES TOWARDS MUDDLES' PRESENT.  
AUDIENCE SHOUT FOR MUDDLES.

MUDDLES: Woah! Who's going near my present?! Oh it's you Nanny Nora. Thank you boys and girls! Nanny Nora why are you dressed as a roast chicken?

NANNY NORA: Oh, the furniture talks! (OR OTHER CLOTHING/COSTUME GAG)

MUDDLES SHUFFLES UP TO NANNY NORA, TRYING  
TO BE DISCREET. HE WANTS TO GIVE HER A  
MESSAGE.

MUDDLES: (DISCREETLY) I think your new leg-shaver arrived this morning...

NANNY NORA: What?

MUDDLES: (DOING THE ACTIONS OF PRETENDING TO SHAVE HIS LEGS)  
Your new leg-shaver... It arrived this morning.

NANNY NORA: I didn't order a leg-shaver. I ordered a lawnmower.

MUDDLES: And they're different, how...?

NANNY NORA: You, my boy, are heading for trouble. In fact, I'm wearing the package that arrived right now.

MUDDLES: I wondered why you were walking funny.

NANNY NORA: No, this dress. This is what was delivered. I bought it to cheer me up - whilst I down in the dumps.

MUDDLES: I wondered where you got it from!

*CAMERON AND CLEGG HAVE BEEN ARGUING OVER  
THE GUESTLIST.*

CAMERON: Right, now go read it out...

CLEGG GOES TO READ IT, BUT IS TRUMPED BY AN  
EXTRA WHO PROMINENTLY STANDS OUT FROM THE  
CROWD TO ANNOUCE...

EXTRA #1: Please welcome your King, Queen and Princess Snow White...!

CAMERON HITS CLEGG.

CAMERON: You are hopeless.

ENTER KING AND QUEEN FOLLOWED BY SNOW WHITE.

QUEEN: Did your daughter really clean in here? I can see dust on those statues.

KING: They're your guards. Innit...

SNOW WHITE: It's so nice to see you all. Thank you for coming!

KING: You know, I think my Onzie is too big for me now. I must have lost some weight.

MUDDLES: I think Nanny Nora found it!

NANNY NORA: What have I told you about mentioning people's weight?

MUDDLES: Sorry. I thought you'd just take it on the chins.

SNOW WHITE: Is he here yet nanny?

NANNY NORA: Is who here?

SNOW WHITE: My prince. Daddy invited another one.

NANNY NORA: Another one? Or THE one?

SNOW WHITE: I do hope so Nanny... there have been so many disappointments.

CAMERON AND CLEGG HAVE STILL BEEN DISPUTING THE GUESTLIST.

CLEGG: So, when do you reckon I should read this out?

CAMERON: Now - you simpleton!

CLEGG: (CEREMONIAL VOICE) Now, you simpletons...!

ALL: (GASP)

CLEGG: (SHEEPISH) Sorry. Please welcome, Prince George...

PRINCE ENTERS, IN A LOGOED "DIAL A PRINCE" REGAL OUTFIT.

PRINCE: I am Prince George.

QUEEN: THE Prince George?

PRINCE: Unfortunately not - but he is my seventh cousin twice removed.

CLEGG: (TO CAMERON) Like us two!

CAMERON: I wish you were twice removed.

PRINCE: My full title is Prince George of the Galapagos.

CLEGG: (RUBBING THE INSIDE OF THEIR LEG) You can get cream for that.

PRINCE: I'm here by invitation of King Dom of Kentondom.

KING: That's me! Oh, it's like 'zoom' to meet you. "Dial-a-Prince" do ofer a good service - just one call and they arrive at your door!

NANNY NORA: Now that's what I call mail order!

King: It's my pleasure to introduce to my daughter, Snow White...

PRINCE: It's a delight to meet you, Snow White..

SNOW WHITE: And you, Prince George...

PRINCE & SW: What a beautiful name... Oh...

PRINCE: I've been waiting for this day, for so long.

SNOW WHITE: Me too...

PRINCE AND SNOW WHITE CONTINUE TO CHAT.  
LAUGHING AND SMILING AT EACH OTHER.

NANNY NORA: (TO MUDDLES) What a hunk!

MUDDLES: (GRUMPY, MIMICKING PRINCE) 'I'm Prince George of the Golf Course...'

NANNY NORA: The Galapagos.

MUDDLES: The goal posts?

NANNY NORA: Stop being stupid. We're here to celebrate. This is meant to be a party...!

SONG OPTION: PARTY SONG. ENSEMBLE (EXCEPT QUEEN, CAMERON AND CLEGG).

QUEEN: (TO CAMERON AND CLEGG) Eurgh, how revolting. I've had enough of this. She looks so happy - it makes me sick! She won't be smiling when she's back scrubbing the floor with you tomorrow.

CLEGG: Yeah scrubbing the floor...

CAMERON: Yeah, scrubbing the... - with us?! What's wrong with a scrubbing brush?

QUEEN: I'll make sure she's NEVER this happy again. Come along, we have misery to make... (EVIL LAUGH)

EXIT: QUEEN, CAMERON & CLEGG.

PRINCE: Oh, Snow White, what an amazing party. Not all of my bookings are of this calibre. This place is lush!

SNOW WHITE: Oh Prince George, you've made my day so special.

PRINCE AND SNOW WHITE GO TO KISS. NANNY NORA MUSCLES INBETWEEN THEM.

NANNY NORA: Oh my little snow angels... Isn't it bed time?

SNOW WHITE: But Nanny Nora... I'm 21 now!

NANNY NORA: It's getting late and someone needs their beauty sleep...

MUDDLES: Does sleeping make you beautiful?

NANNY NORA: Of course it does.

MUDDLES: You must lie awake a lot...!

NANNY NORA SMILES SARCASTICALLY.

But look, you have teeth like the stars.

NANNY NORA: How sweet.

MUDDLES: They come out at night...!

NANNY NORA CHARGES OVER TO BERRATE MUDDLES.

PRINCE: So when will I see you again?

SNOW WHITE: Very soon, I hope.

PRINCE: I'll BBM you...

NANNY NORA: You'll do nothing of the sort!

SNOW WHITE: It's what the kids do these days, Nanny Nora.

NANNY NORA: It sounds painful.

SNOW WHITE: Blackberry Messenger.

NANNY NORA: I don't care what flavour it is - you've got two minutes, then it's bed time. Come along Muddles, bye bye boys and girls...

EXIT NANNY NORA. MUDDLES FOLLOWS BUT  
DOESN'T WANT TO LEAVE, SO HE HANGS BACK UP  
STAGE.

PRINCE: A pleasure to meet you, Snow White.

SNOW WHITE: Oh George - you don't mind if I call you George, do you?

PRINCE: George, Dial-a-Prince, Blancmange... YOU can call me whatever you like.

SNOW WHITE: You must come round again soon.

PRINCE: You just try and stop me...! Goodbye, Snow White.  
(BLOWS A KISS).

EXIT PRINCE, EYEBALLED BY MUDDLES AS HE  
GOES.

SNOW WHITE CATCHES THE KISS AND PLANTS IT  
ON HER CHEEK.

SNOW WHITE: Oh, Muddles, I never thought I'd find a prince who'd be so kind and caring to me. George could turn out to be just my type. It's been a long day, I better get to bed. Good night Muddles.

EXIT SNOW WHITE.

MUDDLES: Goodnight Snow White. (QUIETELY) I... love... you... Oh. It's like my love is invisible. I might not be a prince and have a palace and a crown, but I would look after her better than anyone else. But I'm not a Prince. We're just friends. Best friends - but just friends. Well, I suppose it's been a lovely night - I should be happy for that. I'll see you later, boys and girls.

BLACKOUT.