Scene Readings & Sheet Music

- 1: Pg. 16-17 Shrek, Pinocchio, 3 Pigs, 3 Bears, Wicked Witch
- 2: Pg 22-23 Farquaad, Gingy
- 3: Pg 70-71 Donkey, Fiona, Shrek
- 4: Song #38 Pg 111-113 Cut from "I'm a Believer" Visit the SAAC website for links to the music.



1: Shrek, Pinocchio, 3 Pigs, 3 Bears, Wicked Witch



(SHREK comes back from his errand and can't believe his eyes. He's confused and angry.)

SHREK

What are you doing in my swamp?

PINOCCHIO

Well gosh, we were forced to come here.

SHREK

Forced? By who?

PIG #2

Lord Farquaad! He hoofed und he poofed, und he signed an evection notice.

SHREK

Huh. Well, not my problem. Now you all need to turn around and go back where you came from.

MAMA BEAR

Go back?! We can't go back!

PIG #1

Farquaad vill turn us into bratvurst!

BIG BAD WOLF

The guy's bad news.

PIG #3

Hey, maybe you could talk to him.

BABY BEAR

Yeah, he'll listen to you! You're big and scary.

SHREK

I'm also an ogre, which means I stay on my swamp and avoid large crowds. Or haven't you read the stories?

BIG BAD WOLF

You mean those stories that say I'm a big "bad" wolf?

WICKED WITCH

And the ones that say I'm a "wicked" witch?

(All the FAIRY TALE CREATURES laugh uproariously.)

PINOCCHIO

Or the ones that say I'm a "wooden" boy! (uncomfortable silence) What? I'm not a wooden boy. (#4 – PINOCCHIO'S NOSE plays. His nose grows – bwoooop.) I have a glandular condition.

WICKED WITCH

Look here, ogre, I'm gonna spell it out for ya. You're the only one tough enough to stand up to that no-good flim-flammer Farquaad.

SHREK

Okay, fine, I get it! Attention all... fairy tale things! I'm gonna go see this Farquaad guy right now, and get you all off my land and back where you came from!

FARQUAAD

Oh, it's you! What a terrific surprise! And lucky you, you're here at torture time! Bring in the cookie!

(Farquaad's GUARDS bring GINGY onstage.)

GINGY

No! No! I won't speak! I won't! Oh, it's you...

FARQUAAD

"Run, run, run as fast as you can, you can't catch me – I'm the Gingerbread Man!"

GINGY

You're a monster!

FARQUAAD

I'm not the monster here, you are. You and the rest of that fairy tale trash poisoning my perfect kingdom.

GINGY

It's not a kingdom! Because you're not a king!

FARQUAAD

Oh, but I will be. Just as soon as I find a princess to marry. And I hear you know of one. Tell me where she is!

GINGY

Bite me!

FARQUUAD

That's it! My patience has reached its end. Present the devices of torture!

(Farquaad's GUARDS pull out torture devices – a rolling pin, a giant spatula, an egg-beater, a carton of milk, etc...)

GINGY

Uh-uh, uhh, now wait a minute. Let's not get crazy. Maybe I have heard tell of a princess.

FARQUAAD

From who?

GINGY

Do you know the Muffin Man?

FARQUAAD

The Muffin Man?

GINGY

The Muffin Man.

FARQUAAD

Yes. I know the Muffin Man. Who lives on Drury Lane?

GINGY

Well, I heard it from the Muffin Man.

FARQUAAD

The Muffin Man?!

GINGY

The Muffin Man!

FARQUAAD

(thoughtful, to himself) He heard it from the Muffin Man...

GINGY

Can I go now?

FARQUAAD

You haven't told me where she is!

GINGY

I can't!

FARQUAAD

You must!

GINGY

I won't!

FARQUAAD

Tell me or I'll—!

(FARQUAAD reaches for GINGY's buttons.)

GINGY

No! Not the buttons! Not my gumdrop buttons!

FARQUAAD

Then where is the princess?!

GINGY

(broken) Okay... I'll tell you. She's a day's walk from here. In a dragonguarded castle, surrounded by hot, boiling lava.

3: Donkey, Fiona, Shrek

DONKEY

Morning, Princess.

FIONA

Good morning, men!

SHREK

You're awful chipper.

FIONA

And why shouldn't I be? It's a new day full of promise and fresh starts!

SHREK

It is?

FIONA

Yes. And the first thing I'd like to do is apologize for my behavior yesterday. We obviously got off on the wrong foot, and I'd like to make it up to you.

SHREK

You would?

FIONA

Yes, you did rescue me after all. So, I've gathered a basket of berries for the trip, and I made you each a daisy chain! We've got a long journey ahead of us. To Duloc!

(FIONA presents them with their daisy chains.)

SHREK

If you say so. Come on... follow me.

DONKEY

A road trip! Yes! Punch buggy!

(DONKEY punches FIONA and runs offstage. SHREK and FIONA start walking.)

FIONA

Ow! So, tell me about my groom-to-be, Lord Farquaad. What's he like?

SHREK

Well, let me put it this way, Princess – men of Farquaad's stature are in short supply.

FIONA

Really?

SHREK

Oh yeah, but he is a little intimidating.

FIONA

Well he must be!

SHREK

And yet very good at small talk.

FIONA

What are you doing?

SHREK

What? Just saying ya might wanna lower your expectations a bit. Yeah, like three feet or so.

(SHREK laughs.)

FIONA

Alright, yuck it up. Doesn't bother me. Not today. After a lifetime of misery, things are finally going my way.

SHREK

I'm sure it was very difficult living in a dragon-guarded tower.

FIONA

It was.

SHREK

It must've been nice to have a roof and a cozy bed. Which is more than I had when I left home.

FIONA

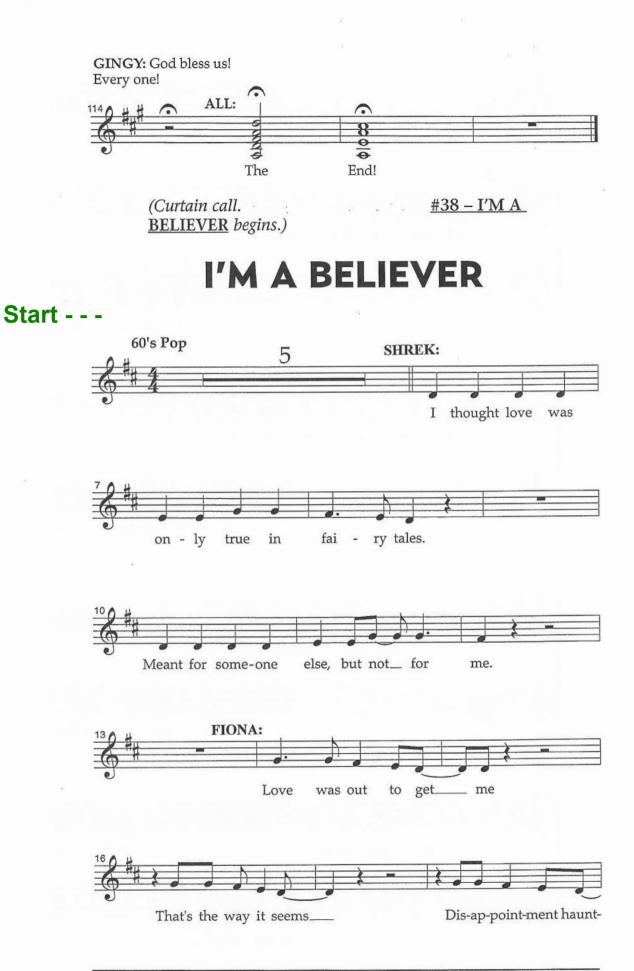
You're not actually comparing yourself to what I endured?

SHREK

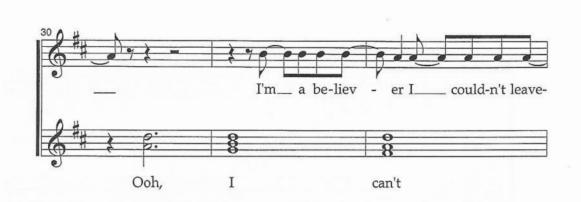
I'm just saying you don't corner the market on unhappy childhoods.

(#22 – I THINK I GOT YOU BEAT begins.)

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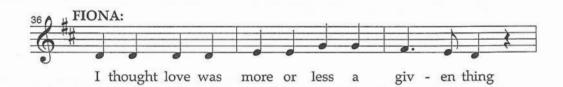








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