



SAMPLE SCRIPT

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On the following pages you will find a sample of the script that is available for

Jamie and the GIANT Cantaloupe

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SUMMARY

Jamie and the Giant Cantaloupe is the story of Jamie who is sent to live with her, not so nice, Aunt and Uncle and discovers a world of wonderful things! Throw in some magic and Jamie finds some new friends in some familiar bugs, oh and an extremely large cantaloupe!



CHARACTER LIST

- Jamie – young girl who just wants friends to play with [F]
- Aunt Speedy – her aunt, not so nice [F]
- Uncle Speedy – her uncle, also not nice [M]
- Mystery Woman – offers Jamie some wonderful things [F/E]
- Worm – a bug [E]
- Spider – another [E]
- Cricket – another [E]
- Beetle – another [E]
- Slug – another [E]
- Grasshopper – another [E]
- Butterfly – another [E]
- Taylor – a child in town [E]
- Rahl – another [E]
- Store Owner – sells any/everything [E]
- Librarian – from the town [E]



Scene 1 – The Garden

The garden is simple, plants grow here and there – mostly weeds. The Mystery Woman enters the stage.

WOMAN: (addresses the audience) Welcome, hello, hello. Welcome to the tiny town of Doald. It's a nice town. With lots of nice people. Well, actually there are two not-so-nice people. Mr. and Mrs. Speedy. They live here. Well, this is their garden. The house is over there. (points off stage left) Today is a special day for the Speedy's. Their niece, Jamie, is coming to live with them for a little while. Here they come now.

As the Mystery Woman exits right, Aunt Speedy, Uncle Speedy and Jamie enter left.

AUNT SPEEDY: You are not just going to sit and watch television all day. If you are going to live here, you are going to do some work.

JAMIE: What kind of work?

UNCLE SPEEDY: Any kind of work we tell you to do.

AUNT SPEEDY: You can start here in this garden. It needs tending.

JAMIE: You can say that again.

UNCLE SPEEDY: What did you say?

JAMIE: Well, it looks like no one has touched this garden in years.

AUNT SPEEDY: We've been busy. Now you can make it into a beautiful vegetable garden.

UNCLE SPEEDY: No, a fruit garden.

AUNT SPEEDY: What's the difference?

UNCLE SPEEDY: Fruit is sweet and vegetables are gross.

AUNT SPEEDY: No they are not!

UNCLE SPEEDY: Yes they are. They are green and nasty!

AUNT SPEEDY: You're green and nasty! (Jamie laughs as her Aunt and Uncle argue)

UNCLE SPEEDY: What are you laughing at?

JAMIE: Nothing.

AUNT SPEEDY: Nothing, huh? Well get working right away! Start by pulling all of these dead weeds.

The town librarian enters right.

LIBRARIAN: Good morning Mr. and Mrs. Speedy.

AUNT & UNCLE: Good morning.

JAMIE: Hello!

LIBRARIAN: Who's this young lady?

AUNT SPEEDY: Our niece, Jamie. Jamie this is the town librarian.

LIBRARIAN: Nice to meet you Jamie.

JAMIE: Same to you.

LIBRARIAN: I just stopped by to bring over a copy of The Wizard of Oz that you wanted. (takes a book out of her bag)

AUNT SPEEDY: Oh good. (takes the book)

JAMIE: I love books. I read all the time.

LIBRARIAN: Wow, that's great. I bring your aunt and uncle a new book every week, since they never come to the library.

JAMIE: Maybe I could come by the library?

UNCLE SPEEDY: What for?

JAMIE: So I can take out a book to read.

AUNT SPEEDY: You don't need a book!

UNCLE SPEEDY: A book will only give you ideas!

LIBRARIAN: Well, I better be going. (she exits right)

AUNT SPEEDY: You will need to go into town though.

UNCLE SPEEDY: We need some things.

JAMIE: What kind of things?

AUNT SPEEDY: (takes a long list out of her pocket) Just a few little things. (begins to read the list)
Milk, eggs, a screwdriver, some tape, index cards ...

UNCLE SPEEDY: (takes the list and continues) crayons, a picture frame, paint, a few pencils, a hair brush ...

AUNT SPEEDY: (takes the list back) a pair of scissors, straws, a new hat, a basketball, a clock, oh and some more list paper.

UNCLE SPEEDY: Plus all of the items on pages two through ten.

JAMIE: Where do I get all of these things?

AUNT SPEEDY: At the shop in town. They have everything!

UNCLE SPEEDY: The town is only a quarter mile down the road.

JAMIE: If I meet some kids down there can I bring them back so we can play?

AUNT SPEEDY: Absolutely not! I don't want any kids here.

UNCLE SPEEDY: It's bad enough we have you here!

JAMIE: I was hoping to make some friends. I can tell it will be lonely here.

UNCLE SPEEDY: You don't need friends.

AUNT SPEEDY: You have us! That's enough.

UNCLE SPEEDY: Now get yourself to the shop.

AUNT SPEEDY: Oh and when you get back fix this garden. Look there are bugs every where! A cricket! (she goes to step on it)

JAMIE: No Aunt Speedy! (stops her) Don't step on it. It's not bothering anybody.

AUNT SPEEDY: It's bothering me. And that noise they make all night!

UNCLE SPEEDY: Oh no. Stay very still (looking at Aunt Speedy).

AUNT SPEEDY: Why?

UNCLE SPEEDY: There's a spider on your back!

AUNT SPEEDY: Kill it! Kill it!

UNCLE SPEEDY: Alright! (he goes to smack it)

JAMIE: I'll get it. (she stops Uncle Speedy and removes the spider and puts it into the garden)
Spiders are very helpful creatures.

AUNT SPEEDY: They are disgusting creatures!

UNCLE SPEEDY: Let's get back into the house. There are too many repulsive things out here.

AUNT SPEEDY: Jamie you stay here and fix this garden.

JAMIE: What about the ... (refers to the list)

UNCLE SPEEDY: Are you talking back?

AUNT SPEEDY: We're your elders! Have some respect.

JAMIE: No, I was just ... (again, referring to the list)

UNCLE SPEEDY: No? You are officially punished young lady. No dessert for you tonight!

Aunt and Uncle Speedy exit left. Jamie sits down and starts to pull weeds from the garden.

JAMIE: All of you bugs are helpful. You make a great garden. Like you Mr. Worm or is it Mrs. Worm?
Ha He. Anyway you make the soil nice and fertile. And beetles and grasshoppers, why even slugs.
All part of nature. Oh, a pretty little butterfly. This might not be so bad after all. I might not be able
to make friends in town, but you bugs can be my friends!

AUNT SPEEDY: (enters from left) What are you doing here?

JAMIE: You told me to fix the garden.

AUNT SPEEDY: After you get the things on that list. Now move it! (exits left)

JAMIE: (to her bugs) I guess we will have to play later.

End of scene 1.

Scene 2 – Town Square

The town is bustling with activity. The librarian is talking to some people on one side of the stage, while kids are playing on another. People are walking around with shopping bags. Jamie enters. She is amazed by all of the people. She spots a little boy (or girl) and approaches him.

JAMIE: Hello. My name is Jamie.

TAYLOR: I'm Taylor.

JAMIE: Hi Taylor. I was wondering if you could point me toward the shop where I can find the things on my list?

TAYLOR: Of course. It's just over there. There's the shop owner now.

STORE OWNER: Good morning Taylor and who's your friend?

TAYLOR: This is Jamie.

JAMIE: I'm Mr. and Mrs. Speedy's niece. I'm visiting them for a little while.

STORE OWNER: It's great to meet you.

TAYLOR: Jamie was just saying she has a list of things she needs from your shop.

STORE OWNER: Is that so? Let me take a look.

JAMIE: Here you go. (gives him the list)

STORE OWNER: (goes through the list) Yes, yes, oh yes, I have that, only two of those left, oh no.

JAMIE: What is it?

STORE OWNER: I'm afraid I am all out of green jelly beans! But I do have yellow.

JAMIE: I'm sure that is fine.

STORE OWNER: Great. Well, you just stay here and I will run in and get all of these items for you.

JAMIE: Wow, really? Thanks.

STORE OWNER: No problem. Be right back! (exits up right)

TAYLOR: So, how long will you be in town?

JAMIE: I'm not sure. My parents had to fly to London on urgent business. They said they would be back as soon as possible.

TAYLOR: Oh, well at least the weather is nice.

JAMIE: I guess.

TAYLOR: Do you want to come over to my house? A few of us are going to get a game of baseball going.

JAMIE: I'm not allowed. My aunt and uncle said I can't make friends.

TAYLOR: Well, you already did!

LIBRARIAN: (crosses to Taylor and Jamie) Hello again Jamie and good morning Taylor.

TAYLOR: Good morning.

LIBRARIAN: So, did your aunt and uncle let you come in to town to get a book?

JAMIE: No, I'm just picking up some supplies from the shop.

LIBRARIAN: Too bad. You know, I have a great book on gardening. I'm going to run to the library and pick it up. You can take it back with you. (she exits)

JAMIE: That was nice!

TAYLOR: Yea, everyone in Doald is really nice.

RAHL: (enters) Hey Taylor!

TAYLOR: Hey Rahl! This is Jamie.

RAHL: Hi. So are we going to play baseball?

TAYLOR: Yes.

RAHL: Want to play, Jamie?

JAMIE: I can't. Sorry.

RAHL: Alright. Come on Taylor. (exits)

TAYLOR: I'm sure I will see you around.

JAMIE: Yes. Have fun.

TAYLOR: You too. (exits)

Suddenly Jamie notices that she is alone in the town square, which was full moments ago. The Mystery Woman enters carrying a small brown bag.

WOMAN: Hello Jamie.

JAMIE: Hello, uh how did you know my name?

WOMAN: I know everyone. I have something for you.

JAMIE: You do?



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