

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe Audition Monologues

Cast

The Professor- A kind, elderly gentleman who takes in the four children and acts as a narrator for parts of the story.

Peter- The eldest sibling; he is funny and takes charge.

Susan- Mother figure for her siblings.

Edmund- Stubborn boy who defies his sibling's wishes.

Lucy- The youngest sibling; innocent and imaginative; she first discovers Narnia.

Mr. Tumnus- A kind faun.

The White Witch- The evil snow "Queen"; obsessed with a prophecy that could destroy her.

Fenris Ulf- A wolf, head of the Witch's secret police.

Dwarf- A servant to the Witch.

Aslan- A wise and strong lion who is the respectable King of Narnia.

Mr. Beaver and Mrs. Beaver- A kind beaver couple who assist the children in saving Narnia.

Father Christmas- A giver of gifts (brings joy and light to the children).

Mrs. Macready- An offstage voice.

Place: A mansion in the Land of Narnia.

Time: The 1940s

Please prepare one monologue for auditions. Memorization is recommended, but not required. Also, keep in mind that every character except Aslan and Ulf have British accents.

Monologue 1

Aslan: Yes, the children *will* find their way back here again. Perhaps not through the wardrobe- but there are other paths that lead to Narnia. Oh yes, they will return someday. For once a King in Narnia- always a King. Once a Queen- always a Queen. It is important that they return, for good people need good rulers. And good rulers need good people. That, perhaps, is the Deepest Magic of all.

Monologue 2

Professor: Good evening. Allow me to introduce myself. I am the professor. An M.P. Not a member of Parliament, but a professor of mythology. I am also the owner of a very, very old house at the edge of a large forest in a remote part of England. Long before it came into my possession, it was a tourist attraction, because of its great age and a belief that it was...er... haunted.

Monologue 3

Ulf: Tumnus, your treachery has been detected. You had a human in your very grasp and let her go. The queen will deal with you- Tumnus the traitor! I order this house destroyed! You won't be needing it any longer, betrayer of the queen. This document will serve as a notice to other traitors who may have the same notions as you. Come, Tumnus. Soon your name will be written in stone- your very own!

Monologue 4

Lucy: But now we're in Narnia. You didn't believe me. I wanted to tell Peter and Susan as well. But you were the first one I found. And I wanted to get back here as soon as possible. Now the first thing we do is see if Mr. Tumnus, the faun, is safe. I hope the White Witch didn't get him. An evil witch who has a magic so that its always winter in Narnia- but never Christmas. Now where on earth- I mean, in Narnia- is Mr. Tumnus' home?

Monologue 5

The White Witch: (*with anger and determination*). Very Well, my old adversary- Aslan. Aslan... yes, I *can* speak the name, for he will soon be mine. The Deep Magic is on my side. Perhaps he has forgotten the Deep Magic, but I shall remind him. (*A pause.*) Dwarf, we must summon our allies to meet us as soon as possible. Call the Ghouls, the Boggles, the Ogres. Bring forth the Cruels, the Spectres, the Hags. This is war! And we shall fight with one aim in mind- to end forever the name of Aslan!