MY LITTLE PONY: EQUESTRIA GIRLS

"The Legend of Everfree"

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TEASER

INT. TWILIGHT SPARKLE'S BEDROOM - DAY

TWILIGHT
(mumbling in her sleep)
No. It can't be. It isn't true.

FLUTTERSHY (O.S.)
(quietly)
Um, Twilight?

RAINBOW DASH (O.S.) (CONT'D)
Twilight! The bus for Camp Everfree leaves in ten minutes!

TWILIGHT
Oh no no no no!

TWILIGHT (CONT'D)
I can't believe I overslept!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Me neither. That's not like you.

TWILIGHT
I know!

PINKIE PIE
Don't you have a super annoying alarm clock that goes EHH EHH EHH--

SUNSET SHIMMER
It's gonna be fine. We'll help you pack!

APPLEJACK
We're going to be out in the woods. When is she going to need that?

RARITY
If we were going to the moon, I'd insist she pack an evening gown. One never knows, darling.

TWILIGHT
Let me just get changed.

MANE 7 (ALL)
Midnight Sparkle!!!

TWILIGHT
How is this possible? Sunset Shimmer helped me defeat you at the Friendship Games!

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE
You and your friends can never truly defeat me. <LAUGHTER>

MANE 7 (ALL)
<SCREAMS>

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE
Midnight Sparkle is a part of you.I'll always be there, waiting in the darkest shadows of your mind. I'll be back, Twilight.

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE (CONT'D)
And this time I won't stop until I have ALL the magic!

TWILIGHT
NOOOOO!

SMASH CUT TO:

INT. BUS - DAY

TWILIGHT
STOP!

SPIKE
Twilight, wake up.

PINKIE PIE
We can't stop, silly! We're not there yet.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Hey, are you okay?

TWILIGHT
I'm fine.

PINKIE PIE
We are going to have so much fun! We're gonna roast marshmallows and eat marshmallows and sleep on marshmallow pillows!

RAINBOW DASH
Yeah, probably not gonna do that.

PINKIE PIE
Maybe you're not...

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA (O.S.)
Attention students!

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA (CONT'D)
We're almost there, but before we arrive, we just wanted to say how proud we are of you for raising enough money to go on this class field trip.

PRINCIPAL LUNA
When we were your age, we made some of our favorite memories in these woods, and we're sure you will too.

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
Now who's excited to for Camp Everfree?

CAMPERS
<CHEERS>

END TEASER

MAIN TITLES

CAMPERS
Will you be lost by time or be part of history?
Will your story be told or remain a mystery?
Will they sing your song telling all that you have done?
Time to make your choice, only you can be the one.

CAMPERS (CONT'D)
Oh oh oh oh oh oh
As you join in the Legend of Everfree... HEY!
Oh oh oh oh oh oh
As you join in the Legend of EVERFREE!
Hey! Hey! Hey!

CAMPERS
Will you do something great with the time that you have here?
Will you make your mark? Will you conquer what you fear?
And when you go back home everybody there will see.
You were part of the Legend of Everfree!

CAMPERS (CONT'D)
Oh oh oh oh oh oh
As you join in the Legend of Everfree... HEY!
Oh oh oh oh oh oh

As you join in the Legend of EVERFREE!
HEY!

CAMPERS
Will you find your greatest glory?
Will you be a falling star?
Here to learn what Nature teaches
Here to learn more who you are.

CAMPERS
Will you be lost by time or be part of history?
Will your story be told or remain a mystery?
And when you go back home everybody there will see.
You were part of the Legend of Everfree!

CAMPERS (CONT'D)
Oh oh oh oh oh oh
As you join in the Legend of Everfree.. HEY!
Oh oh oh oh oh oh
As you join in the Legend of EVERFREE!...HEY!

END MAIN TITLES

<u>ACT I</u>

EXT. CAMP EVERFREE - DAY

FLUTTERSHY
Isn't Camp Everfree just beautiful? I can't wait until we have our first nature walk.

SPIKE
I definitely wanna go on one of those.

FLUTTERSHY
You want to see all the adorable woodland creatures, too?

SPIKE
Yes. Specifically, squirrels. More specifically, so I can chase them.

APPLEJACK
I'm just lookin' forward to roughin' it. I'm gonna make my own shelter, forage for food...

RAINBOW DASH
You know they provide us with food and tents, right?

APPLEJACK
Yep. Still gonna forage, though.

RARITY
I'm just after some R&R. The past year has all been a little too much for my tastes.

PINKIE PIE
I'll say! We fought three evil sirens who tried to hypnotize everybody with their singing, one ridiculously competitive rival school, and two demon friends!

PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
No offense.

SUNSET SHIMMER
None taken.
(under, to Twilight)
You'll get used to it.

APPLEJACK
Yup, Canterlot High has become a regular magic magnet. Gonna be nice gettin' away to a place where we don't have to worry about that kind of stuff.

FLASH
Here you go, Twilight.

TWILIGHT
Thanks. It's Flash, right?

FLASH
Yup. That's me. And you're you. And we don't know each other very well.
(to self)
Cool story bro'.

TWILIGHT
(confused)
Right. I guess I'll see you around...

SUNSET SHIMMER
You know how there's that girl who looks just like you when she's here but lives in another dimension and she's a pony princess?

TWILIGHT
Uh-huh.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Flash kind of had a thing for her.

TWILIGHT
Oh.

GLORIOSA DAISY (O.S.)
Heyyy everyone. If you could start heading to the courtyard, that would be rad. It's time to start the best week of camp ever!

EXT. MAIN COURTYARD - CONTINUOUS

GLORIOSA DAISY
Hi, everyone! Welcome to Camp Everfree. I'm Gloriosa Daisy, your camp director. Think of me as your friendly camp and nature guide! And this is my brother, Timber Spruce.

TIMBER
Think of me as that awesome guy who should always be invited to fun things.

GLORIOSA DAISY
We aim to please so before we hand out our tent assignments, we'd like to hear from all of you. You're free to do whatever you like here--

TIMBER SPRUCE
(quickly)
Except hike near the rock quarry. That's off limits.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Yes, but otherwise your options are wide open. So what activities will make this the very best week of your lives ever?

RAINBOW DASH
Rock climbing!

GLORIOSA DAISY
Done!

RAINBOW DASH
Archery!

GLORIOSA DAISY
Of course.

RAINBOW DASH
Tetherball!

GLORIOSA DAISY
Naturally!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Rainbow, I know you're excited, but maybe give somebody else a chance to make a suggestion.

BULK BICEPS
Arts and crafts.
(then)
My mom needs some new pot holders.

GLORIOSA DAISY
I'll supply the looms!

PINKIE PIE
Cookie decorating!

GLORIOSA DAISY
Oooo, I do make a mean sugar cookie!

FLUTTERSHY
Early morning nature walks.

GLORIOSA DAISY
With walking sticks for everyone!

RARITY
Oh, me! A fashion show where I design the most fabulous camp looks inspired by today's hottest trends and have them modelled by my classmates in a gorgeous outdoor setting!

GLORIOSA DAISY
A camp tradition!

TIMBER SPRUCE
We have literally never done that.

GLORIOSA DAISY
I'll be taking requests the rest of the time you're here so if there is anything you'd like to do, anything you need, just ask.

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
What about the camp gift?
(then, to the students)
That was my favorite Camp Everfree tradition.

GLORIOSA DAISY
The camp gift! Of course!

TIMBER SPRUCE
Really?

GLORIOSA DAISY
(with a forced smile)
Yes, *really*.

TIMBER SPRUCE
I just thought---

GLORIOSA DAISY
(still with a smile)
Then you thought wrong.

SUNSET SHIMMER
(whispering)
Anyone else picking up on a little tension between Gloriosa and her brother?

TWILIGHT AND PINKIE PIE
Ehhhhh…

PINKIE PIE
Little.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Every year, campers work together to create something useful. A gift for future campers. Working toward this common goal is key to forming the strong bonds that will last well beyond your time here at Camp.
(pointedly to Timber)
Which is why it's so important.

GLORIOSA DAISY (CONT'D)
This gazebo was a gift from last year's group.
(then)
Oh, oh, oh, and the totem pole and the sundial were also made by campers.

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
(proudly)
The sundial was our year's gift.

VICE PRINCIPAL LUNA
Even though "some people" thought it was a little impractical since a sundial can't be used at night.

GLORIOSA DAISY
You all seem like a really amazing group so I'm certain you'll come up with something inspiring to leave behind.

CAMPERS
<CHEERS>

TIMBER
Speaking of leaving things behind, now's the time when we give out tent assignments, so you can leave your heavy bags behind.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Girls will be getting their assignments from Timber. Guys, you're with me.

PINKIE PIE
Oh boy! Yay! I'm in the Emerald tent!

RARITY
Me, too!

APPLEJACK
Aquamarine.

RAINBOW DASH
Me too!

FLUTTERSHY
I got Amethyst.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Sapphire.

TWILIGHT
Me, too! I mean, I'm assuming I am. Technically sapphires aren't just blue. They can be pink, purple, yellow...

TIMBER
Yeah, but they're mostly blue. That's why they're named after the Latin word "saphirus".
(playfully whispers)
That means blue.

TWILIGHT
(playfully whispers)
I know.
(back to normal)
But did you know that sapphires are just rubies without chromium?

TIMBER SPRUCE
No. But did you know that Sapphire tent is the best one?

TWILIGHT
No. Why's that?

TIMBER
Because you're in it.

TWILIGHT
Oh, I bet you say that to all the campers.

TIMBER
Not true.

TIMBER (CONT'D)
(exaggerated)
You're in the Ruby tent? ha! That's the worst one!

BULK BICEPS
AWW MAN!

TIMBER SPRUCE
I'm just joking, buddy. Ruby tent is great. It's like a sapphire but with chromium.

TIMBER SPRUCE (CONT'D)
(to Bulk Biceps)
But the Ruby and Coral tents do look an awful lot alike to the undiscerning eye. I better show you where it is.
(then, to Twilight)
See you around.

TWILIGHT
What?

APPLEJACK
Nothing.

RARITY
Ooo, that was ah-dorable.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Okay, everyone, go get settled in! We'll be meeting at the docks in fifteen minutes to go over some camp safety rules.

GLORIOSA DAISY (CONT'D)
Let me know if you need anything!

FILTHY RICH (O.S.)
I need something.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Filthy Rich! So nice to see you!

GLORIOSA DAISY (CONT'D)
(quickly, quietly)
What are you doing here? Camp is just getting started.

FILTHY RICH
Just taking in the scenery, Gloriosa Daisy.
(pointedly)
It's so... relaxing.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Well, you can look around when camp is over. Now, if you don't mind...

FILTHY RICH
Fine.

GLORIOSA DAISY
(explaining)
Filthy Rich is an alumni of the camp. He likes to check on his old stomping grounds every now and again.
(then)
But enough about him! Find your tents and put away your things! We've got the best week of camp ever to begin!

EXT. TENTS - SOON AFTER

RARITY
I'm all for learning safety rules but I do hope I can get started on my designs for the camp fashion show sooner than rather than later.

APPLEJACK
I still can't believe you talked Gloriosa into having a fashion show. We're in the middle of the woods for cryin' out loud. We're s'posed to be roughin' it.

RARITY
It's clear from Gloriosa's own wardrobe that she appreciates a well put together look. Even if we are "in the middle of the woods".

APPLEJACK
Fair enough. Just as long as you don't put me in one of your fancypants outfits.

APPLEJACK (CONT'D)
You're gonna, aren't you?

RARITY
No… Yes! Don't worry, darling, it will *absolutely* speak to your personal sense of style. Only much, *much* more fashion-forward.

INT. SAPPHIRE TENT - CONTINUOUS

SUNSET SHIMMER
That was weird back there, right? With that Filthy Rich guy?

TWILIGHT
(distracted)
Hmm?
(then)
Oh, I guess, so.

SUNSET SHIMMER
I just have this feeling that Gloriosa is hiding something.
(then)
Her brother is pretty cute though, huh?

TWILIGHT
He's okay.

SUNSET SHIMMER
(playful teasing)
Oooo, now look who's trying to hide something.

TWILIGHT
(a little too quickly)
No I'm not.

SUNSET SHIMMER
(genuine concern)
Hey, you okay? You seemed a little freaked out on the bus earlier.

SPIKE
Probably had another one of her nightmares.

TWILIGHT
I'm fine.

TWILIGHT (CONT'D)
I mean, what do I have to complain about? Ever since I transferred here, everyone from CHS has been really nice and accepting.
(then, a hint of shame)
Especially considering what happened at the Friendship Games.

SUNSET SHIMMER
That wasn't your fault. Principal Cinch is the one who encouraged you to try and use all that magic to win the games for Crystal Prep. You weren't ready to have that kind of power.

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
But it's over now. And if there is any group that's gonna forgive you for something that happened in the past, trust me, it's this one.

RAINBOW DASH
You guys, coming or what?

SUNSET SHIMMER
Be right there.

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
I just wanna put on some sunscreen.

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
I could've sworn I packed it.

TWILIGHT
Found it.

END ACT ONE

ACT TWO

INT. SAPPHIRE CABIN - CONTINUOUS

SUNSET SHIMMER
Did you-- How is this possible?

TWILIGHT
I can't believe this. It's--

TWILIGHT (CONT'D)
--terrible.

SUNSET SHIMMER
--amazing!

SUNSET SHIMMER
You kidding? This is great! I mean, we've all ponyed up before -- gotten the whole ears and wings and tails thing, shot magical rainbow lasers, but nothing like this has ever happened.
(then)
How did you do it?

TWILIGHT
I don't know.
(then, worried)
Maybe I didn't. Maybe it's her.

SUNSET SHIMMER
"Her" who?

TWILIGHT
Nothing. Nevermind. Can we just not talk about it?
(then)
And could you please not bring this whole levitating things up to the others?

SUNSET SHIMMER
Why not?

TWILIGHT
You heard Applejack, this is supposed to be a place where everyone can get away from magic. I don't want them to know I brought some crazy new kind with me.

SUNSET SHIMMER
If you really don't want me to, I won't say anything.

TWILIGHT
I really don't.

SUNSET SHIMMER
(calling after her)
Ok! But this isn't necessarily a bad thing!

SPIKE
I think you're just gonna have to pick it up.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Ahhh!

EXT. TENT - CONTINUOUS

GLORIOSA DAISY (V.O.)
Show up like that.

SUNSET SHIMMER
What did you say?

GLORIOSA DAISY
(genuinely confused)
I didn't say anything.
(then with a smile)
Just here to make sure everyone was headed over to the docks.
(then)
Did you need something?

SUNSET SHIMMER
Nope.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Because if there is *anything* I can do to make this week the best week ever, you just let me know. I've got this!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Thanks. I'm good.

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
People that chipper make me nervous.

PINKIE PIE
This is gonna be soooo much fun!

SUNSET SHIMMER
I guess not *all* people.

EXT. THE DOCKS - SOON AFTER

RARITY
It's beautiful isn't it? It looks like a diamond shining in the sun!

FLUTTERSHY
It is lovely out here. The fresh air. The cool breeze. The birds that land on your finger.

RAINBOW DASH
I think that only happens to you.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Lake activities are available every day until sunset so if you want to canoe, sail, windsurf, or swim, just let me know.

FLUTTERSHY
(re: the ducks)
Aren't they just the cutest?

TIMBER
Whoa. I know I'm charming but you don't have to fall for me.

FLASH
Guess I can't get too jealous, right? After all, she isn't my Twilight.
(realizing)
Not that the other Twilight was mine! But we were... you know.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Yeah. I get it. But your Twilight is a Princess in Equestria. Hate to break it to you, but that's where she's gonna spend most of her time.

FLASH
So you're saying I just need to get over her?

SUNSET
Kinda. Yeah.

FLASH
Ouch. You're not pulling any punches.

SUNSET
Not really my style. Sorry.

PRINCIPAL LUNA
This is a safety hazard. I suggest we close down the dock for the remainder of camp.

GLORIOSA DAISY
(quickly)
I'm sure it won't have to be for the remainder of camp. Just needs to be patched up a bit. I've got this!

APPLEJACK
Huh, or maybe... <u>we</u> do.
(explaining)
If you ask me, this whole dock needs to go. Buildin' a new one could be our camp gift. Sure it benefits us, but a nice, new dock would benefit future campers too.

TIMBER SPRUCE
I dunno. It's an awful lot of work. I wouldn't want you guys to miss out on doing other fun camp stuff because you're so busy building a dock for "future campers".

RAINBOW DASH
I hear what you're saying, Timber, but we're Canterlot Wondercolts. We've got a reputation to uphold and there was no way we were gonna leave this place without contributing the most awesome camp gift ever. I'm with AJ, building a new dock is definitely it.
(then, to the campers)
What do you guys think?

GLORIOSA DAISY
Looks like it's settled then.

TIMBER SPRUCE
Looks like it.

SUNSET SHIMMER
That's some tension alright.

EXT. PICNIC TABLES - SOON AFTER

TWILIGHT
We can reinforce the foundation.

APPLEJACK
Make it nice and sturdy.

SUNSET SHIMMER
And we can add a wood carved sign that says "Camp Everfree."

FLUTTERSHY
And little boxes of food so you can feed the ducks and fishies.

RAINBOW DASH
We'll add lanterns so you can see at night.

RARITY
It's stunning!
(an excited gasp, then)
And will make an absolutely perfect runway for my camp fashion show!

APPLEJACK
M*ore importantly*, it'll be a great place for dockin' canoes and feedin' the wildlife.

RARITY
You say tomato... I say perfect place to showcase glamorous boho chic stylings.

TWILIGHT
What do you guys think?

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
It's going to be a lot of work, but we can do it!

PINKIE PIE
YES! ADULT SUPERVISION!

EXT. DOCKS - LATER

APPLEJACK
Nice hammer. Where'd you get it?

RAINBOW DASH
Duh. The tool box?

APPLEJACK
That's cool. I made mine.

TWILIGHT
Making lanterns out of solar-powered garden lights? Pretty crafty there, Timber.

TIMBER
You think that's crafty? You should see my macaroni art. I'm like the Picasso of noodles.

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
Alight now, you've made a lot of progress but it's going to be getting dark soon. We can pick this up tomorrow between our other camp activities.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Everyone get cleaned up and we'll gather by the fire pit at eight to share s'mores and scary stories.

PINKIE PIE
S'MORES!!

EXT. FIRE PIT - LATER THAT NIGHT

RARITY
...and that's when she looked down and realized she was wearing purple socks with a burgundy DRESS! AAAH! AAAH!

RARITY (CONT'D)
Purple and burgundy, darlings. The SAME COLOR FAMILY! AAAH!

APPLEJACK
That was a terrifying story.

RAINBOW DASH
Yeah. I'm terrified she'll try to tell it again.

VICE PRINCIPAL LUNA
Anyone else have a spooky story?

TIMBER
I have one. But I'm warning you, you might as well hug a friend now. That's how scary it is.

FLUTTERSHY
Oh, dear.

TIMBER
It's time I told you about...the Legend of Gaea Everfree...

EXT. EVERFREE FOREST - FLASHBACK

TIMBER (CONT'D)
Many years ago my great grandparents came to this forest. Seeing its beauty, they decided that it would be the perfect place for a camp.

TIMBER (V.O.)
But once they started building, strange things started to happen.

TIMBER (V.O.)
One pitch black night, when the wind was howling, a tree branch crashed through the roof of their cabin! They screamed and ran outside, only to see a giant creature rising from the earth!

TIMBER (V.O.)
She had wild hair like the roots of a tree. Her mouth had jagged rock teeth and her eyes were pools of black tar. But her aura shimmered like diamonds. Anywhere she went, she left a trail of gem dust in her wake.

TIMBER (V.O.)
Trembling, my grandparents asked who she was and what she wanted. In a deep and hollow voice, she told them that her name was Gaea Everfree, an ancient spirit who held domain over the Forest, and that my grandparents were trespassing on her land. They begged her to let them stay and build their camp. To share this wonderful place with others. Gaea Everfree finally agreed, but warned them that they would not be able to keep it forever. Someday she would return and reclaim the forest as her own.

EXT. CAMPFIRE - BACK TO SCENE

TIMBER
So if you see a trail of gem dust, you'll know that it is-- Gaea Everfree!

FLUTTERSHY
AAAAH!

GLORIOSA DAISY
Hey, guys! Sorry. Didn't mean to scare you.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Then why'd you come out of the bushes?

GLORIOSA DAISY
I took the scenic route because the forest is beautiful at night. But no one else should do it without a guide. 'Kay?
(then)
Alright, everybody, time to head to your tents.

SNIPS
Hey Gloriosa! Do you have extra toothbrushes? I forgot mine.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Sure do. I'll get one for you.

SNAILS (WHISPERS)
I'm scared of the dark. Do you have flash lights?

GLORIOSA DAISY
Of course! I got this.

SPIKE
(strained)
Fluttershy?

FLUTTERSHY
Sorry, Spike. I guess that story got to me.

APPLEJACK
Why? It can't be real.

RAINBOW DASH
I dunno, Gaea Everfree could be some creature that got booted from Equestria and ended up in this world. That's what happened with the Sirens.

APPLEJACK
Sounded more like somethin' Timber was makin' up just to scare us.
(then)
Least I hope it was. Last thing I want is to have camp ruined by some power-crazed magical creature.

RARITY
Here, here. We've had to deal with more than our fair share of those. At

the Fall Formal, our musical showcase, the Friendship Games...

RARITY (CONT'D)
(backtracking)
I mean, everything turned out alright of course.

TWILIGHT
I'm kind of tired. I'm gonna turn in.

SUNSET
Maybe lay off bringing up what happened at the Friendship Games? I think she's still pretty sensitive about it.

PINKIE PIE
(through sealed lips)
Our lips are sealed.

EXT. CAMP EVERFREE - EARLY THE NEXT MORNING

INT. SAPPHIRE TENT - AT THE SAME TIME

EXT. CAMP EVERFREE - TWILIGHT'S NIGHTMARE

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE (O.S.)
Here I am.

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE (O.S.) (CONT'D)
Over here.

MIDNIGHT SPARKLE (CONT'D)
I'm always here!

INT. SAPPHIRE TENT - NOW

TWILIGHT
No!

SUNSET SHIMMER
What happened?

TWILIGHT
Nothing. Sorry, Sunset.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Uh, Twilight. I think something happened.

TWILIGHT
AAAAHH!

SPIKE
(disappointed)
Is it time to get up already?

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight we really have to talk about this--

TWILIGHT
No. We don't.

EXT. DOCKS - SOON AFTER

SUNSET SHIMMER
(gentle)
Hey, I know you don't want to, but I really think we need to figure out what's going on with your magic. If you could learn to control it--

TWILIGHT
But that's just it. I'll never be able to control it!

RAINBOW DASH
What happened?

TWILIGHT
I didn't mean to...

SUNSET SHIMMER
We didn't see anything. So we don't know what happened.
(to the kids who were in the boats)
Are you ok?

SANDALWOOD
Yeah. It was so weird. We were stuck in the middle of the lake with no wind, then all of a sudden - bam! The wind picked up and we were pushed right into the dock!

PINKIE PIE
<GASP> You don't think it was the Spirit do you?

TWILIGHT
(quietly, to self)
No. It was me.

TRIXIE
Spirit! Show yourself. The great and powerful Trixie commands it!

RARITY
What's that?

CAMPERS
Is that... crystal dust? / It's Gaea Everfree! / No way! / How else do you explain it?

RAINBOW DASH
Man! All our hard work. Ruined.

FLUTTERSHY
At least the fishies are eating well.

SUNSET
Let's salvage what we can out of the water. Maybe we can still fix this.

RARITY
We have to try! Camp Everfree needs a runway!

APPLEJACK
Dock.

RARITY
Dock. Yes, that's what I meant.

EXT. WOODS - LATER

TWILIGHT
It used to be so simple, it was a world I understood/
I didn't know what I didn't know and life seemed pretty good/
But now the darkness rises, from somewhere deep inside of me/
Her power overtakes me, can I keep this Midnight from getting free?

TWILIGHT (CON'T)
If I can stay with the light, I know I'll be free/
And I can start to be whole, I can start to be me/
But instead I'm struggling, with all that I see/
And these friends… mustn't see the Midnight in Me!/
The Midnight in me!/
They mustn't see the Midnight in me…

END ACT TWO

ACT THREE

INT. SAPPHIRE CABIN - LATER

SPIKE
(sleep-talking)
So many squirrels.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Spike!

SPIKE
Aw, man, I was having the best dream.
(then)
Wait! That dream could be a reality.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Before you run off to chase squirrels, do you have any idea where Twilight could be? I really need to talk to her.

SPIKE
What happened? Did she do that lifting things off the ground thing again?

SUNSET SHIMMER
That's just it. I don't know if it was her. But if it was, we need to deal with it head on.

SPIKE
I can track her down.

EXT. WOODS - SOON AFTER

TWILIGHT
Keep it together. Deep breaths. You are not a monster.

TWILIGHT
Oh, hi. What are you doing here?

TIMBER
Looking for you.

TWILIGHT
Oh. I just... went on a nature walk and got a little lost.

TIMBER
Let me show you the way. I'm kind of an expert at these woods. I've lived here my whole life.

TWILIGHT
That must've been nice, growing up at a camp.

TIMBER
Yeah, though it has its downsides. When I was younger, I wished we'd sell this place so we could live in town like normal people.

TWILIGHT
Really?

TIMBER SPRUCE
I was ten. I really wanted to hang out at the mall.
(then)
I've never told that to anyone. You must be special, and not just because you have a tree branch in your hair.

TWILIGHT
How long has that been in there?

TIMBER
Not long. Just the whole time we were talking.

TWILIGHT
Why didn't you say something?

SUNSET SHIMMER
I guess we could help Twilight deal with the magic stuff a little later.

EXT. ROCK CLIMBING WALL - SOON AFTER

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
Rock climbing is all about perseverance and trust. Rarity, you can trust that Applejack will spot you.

RAINBOW DASH
Yeah. So you can totally go faster than you're going.

APPLEJACK
Rainbow Dash!

RAINBOW DASH
Sorry. I've been waiting to do this since we got here!

RARITY
Well you'll have to wait a little longer, darling!

RAINBOW DASH
Oh good! Twilight, if you spot me, I can finally go! I'll go get another harness.

TWILIGHT
Um, I'm not sure--

TIMBER SPRUCE
(to Twilight)
I better make sure my sister doesn't need anything. See you later?

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight. There you are. I was looking for you.

SPIKE
Was that an earthquake?

TWILIGHT
We aren't near any fault lines.

BULK BICEPS (O.S.)
Hey! Who left this crystally dusty stuff here?

RARITY
I believe I'd like to come down now.

APPLEJACK
Sorry. It's a little bit stuck.

RARITY
APPLEJACK! WHAT ARE YOU DOING??

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
Is everything okay over there?

APPLEJACK
I don't know what happened! I didn't even pull the rope that hard. It was like she was light as a feather all of a sudden!

RARITY
I was scared half to death!

APPLEJACK
It wasn't my fault!

RARITY
I could have been seriously injured.

APPLEJACK
It wasn’t my fault.
(then)
Let me help you get your harness off.

RARITY
No, thank you!

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA
What in the world just happened?

RARITY
Oh, dear. I'm so sorry. I think. Did I just do... whatever that was?

TWILIGHT
(softly)
I don't think it was your fault.
(then, making an excuse)
I'm gonna go get Applejack a towel.

SUNSET
Me, too.

EXT. ARCHERY AREA - CONTINUOUS

SUNSET SHIMMER
You're not the only one with a new kind of magic! This is great!

TWILIGHT
No, it's not! Rarity and Applejack could have really hurt each other. Why is this happening? I don't--

GLORIOSA DAISY
Hi, girls! Anything I can do for you?

TWILIGHT
Applejack just fell into the lake.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Oh, no! She's gonna need warm towels, dry clothes, and a hot cocoa.

GLORIOSA DAISY
I've got this!

TWILIGHT
Fluttershy?!

INT. MESS HALL - CONTINUOUS

SUNSET SHIMMER
What happened?

FLUTTERSHY
I don't know. We were just decorating cookies...

PINKIE PIE
And I was all...
(like Oprah)
You need more sprinkles and you need more sprinkles!

SUNSET SHIMMER
So... standard Pinkie Pie stuff.

PINKIE PIE
I was just tossing sprinkles to Fluttershy when all of a sudden they glowed pink and exploded!

PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Just like that only earlier!

SUNSET SHIMMER
O-kay, why don't we lay off touching stuff for awhile...

FLUTTERSHY
Oh dear, we really should clean all of this up.

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
Can someone help me out?

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
Thank you, Mr. Bird.

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
Why of course I can get you a little something to eat.
(then, shocked)
Did you just talk?

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
But I don't speak "Chirp".

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
I don't know if you're the only bird I can understand.

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
Oh, no. Please don't call for your friends.

FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
It's nice to meet all of you too.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Were you just talking to the birds?

FLUTTERSHY
Um, yes?

APPLEJACK
(to Sunset and Twilight)
Did you tell 'em what happened?
(then)
So. Crazy. I hoisted Rarity up the rock climbin' wall like it was nothin'. Like I had way more strength than I usually do.

RARITY
And I made a diamond-y thing appear out of nowhere! Which I'd normally be excited about. I mean the facets were just perfect, and the clarity--

APPLEJACK
Rarity!

RARITY
Opps, sorry. It knocked Applejack over and then it disappeared.

APPLEJACK
Speaking of disappearing, has anybody seen Rainbow Dash?

RAINBOW DASH
OOOOW!

APPLEJACK
Whoa! How did you do that?

RAINBOW DASH
I don't know! I started running to get the harness and next thing I knew, I was practically back in town!

RARITY
But if you had some sort of super speed why were you gone for so long?

RAINBOW DASH
Because I lost it when I got far away! And then it came back when I got close to camp.

PINKIE PIE
<GASP> Being at camp is giving us all new magical abilities!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Not all of us have gotten new abilities. I haven't. But Twilight--

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
--hasn't either.

APPLEJACK
So much for my theory that leavin' CHS would mean leavin' any new magic business behind.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Something at the camp must be making this happen.

FLUTTERSHY
(nervous)
Gaea Everfree?

GLORIOSA DAISY
Applejack, I was looking for you! Here, I brought you some towels and dry clothes.

GLORIOSA DAISY (CONT'D)
Oh, what happened in here?

SUNSET SHIMMER
We're kind of trying to figure that out.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Well, don't worry about it. I got this!

SANDALWOOD
Gloriosa, I kicked my bean bag into the lake.

GLORIOSA DAISY
I'll get you another one!

MUFFINS
And I’m all out of arrows.

GLORIOSA DAISY (CONT'D)
Say no more. New arrows, coming right up!

TIMBER SPRUCE
(to Gloriosa)
There you are.
(then)
Filthy Rich is back. You want me to handle it?

GLORIOSA DAISY
(stern)
Absolutely not!
(then, cheerful)
I've got this!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Fluttershy, enough with the screaming.

FLUTTERSHY
I didn't scream.

RAINBOW DASH
For once.

RARITY
Nobody did.

PRINCIPAL CELESTIA (OVER PA)
Attention campers. Anyone who's interested in making floating paper lanterns, please meet us by the picnic tables!

APPLEJACK
I don't know about the rest of y'all, but I've been lookin' forward to comin' here for a month. Maybe we forget about this "new magic" for a bit, and just try to focus on enjoying our time at Camp.

RARITY
I was oh-so-excited about the designs I've come up with for the camp fashion show.

RAINBOW DASH
And I've barely gotten to whoop anybody in tetherball.

SUNSET SHIMMER
I think we should try to figure it out, but if letting it go for now is what the rest of you want...

ALL
Absolutely/Yeah/Yes please.

EXT. LAKE - LATER THAT NIGHT

RARITY
Um Pinkie Pie, what *are* you doing?

PINKIE PIE
Putting marshmallows in my lantern! Then when we light them, mine'll be beautiful AND delicious!

SPIKE
Hey, Twilight. Why aren't you with everyone else?

TWILIGHT
Sunset said something at camp is causing the other girl's to get new magic.
(then, whispering)
I think it's Midnight Sparkle. She's still part of me, I can feel it. And I think her magic is infecting my friends.

SPIKE
What are we gonna do?

TWILIGHT
I don't know what I can do.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Okay everyone! It's time to watch your lanterns fly.

TIMBER
Hey, cool lantern. Mine's my face!

TWILIGHT
<nervous chuckle>

TIMBER SPRUCE
Uh, you okay?

TWILIGHT
Uh-huh

TIMBER SPRUCE
You don't seem like yourself tonight.

GLORIOSA DAISY
Ready? And... go!

PINKIE PIE
Aw! Oh well, now I get to eat it!

PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Yep. Beautiful and delicious!

EXT. CAMP EVERFREE - LATER THAT NIGHT

INT. SAPPHIRE CABIN - AT THE SAME TIME

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight?

EXT. SAPPHIRE CABIN - AT THE SAME TIME

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight!
(then, to herself)
Where is she going?

EXT. WOODS - NIGHT

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight?

SUNSET SHIMMER
What are you doing out here?

TWILIGHT
We're... we're meeting a cab to take us home.

SPIKE
She thought you'd talk her out of it.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Because I would. Twilight, you can't leave.

EXT. DOCKS - FLASHBACK

PINKIE PIE
You don’t think it was the spirit do you?

TWILIGHT
(quietly, to self)
No. It was me.

EXT. LAKE - FLASHBACK

TWILIGHT
I think it's Midnight Sparkle. She's still part of me, I can feel it. And I think her magic is infecting my friends.

EXT. WOODS - BACK TO SCENE

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight, there is no "Midnight Sparkle". There's only you.

TWILIGHT
How did you know that's what I was thinking?

SUNSET SHIMMER
When I touched your hand. I could see things. I could understand why you were leaving.
(suddenly, excited)
My new magic. This is my new magic! This is incredible.

TWILIGHT
No. It's not! I'm infecting you now!

SUNSET SHIMMER
Twilight, you have to stop looking at this as a bad thing.

TWILIGHT
Easy for you to say! Magic turned you into something beautiful. The last time I tried to use it, it turned me into a monster.
(then)
I'm just so afraid it's going to happen again.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Yes, last time I turned into something amazing but I've let magic turn me into a monster too.

SUNSET SHIMMER
So if anyone understands what you're going through it's me. I can help you, Twilight. And the rest of our friends can be there for you too. But not if you run away.

TWILIGHT
I'll stay. But I still don't think it's a good idea for me to be near the rest of our friends right now. Not until we know why this is happening.

SUNSET SHIMMER
Understood.

SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
What was that?

TWILIGHT / SUNSET
AAAAUGH!

END ACT THREE