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TEASER**EXT. PONYVILLE SPA – DAY**

- SPIKE and STARLIGHT walk up to the spa with RAINBOW DASH. They go over the idea of the scrap book again, making sure Dash understands she'll need quite a few memories to fill out her part. Dash tells them, "No problem. I got this." Starlight looks up and thanks Dash for agreeing to come to the spa. It's the only place they knew they could put her with TS today. As they walk in, Dash shrugs it off. "I guess I can tolerate it for one day. For Twilight." But inside the SPA PONIES look up at Dash with wide smiles. "Ah, Rainbow Dash. Here for your usual suite of treatments?" Off Dash shooting SK and SL an embarrassed look... END TEASER.

ACT ONE**INT. PONYVILLE SPA – RECEPTION – DAY**

- TWILIGHT walks into the spa and the Spa Ponies are in a dither, excited that they'll be able to tell ponies that the ruler of Equestria came to their spa! TS tells them that today she just needs to get away from all that and decompress. The thought of being in charge of everything is pretty stressful. From O.S. we hear Dash, "Tell me about it! I had to lead Wonderbolt practice today and it really took it out of me!" TS looks over surprised. She didn't expect to see Dash. Dash tells her she comes to the spa all the time. After practice. For a deep tissue sports massage. Did she mention it was for athletic purposes? TS, "Yes Dash. We all know you are an athlete. I remember the first time I met you..." RIPPLE TO:
 - TBD CLIPS of Dash the athlete, trying out for the Wonderbolts, becoming a Wonderbolt, etc.
- Back to the spa where Dash is like, "Yep. I am a super athlete. That's the only reason I come here." The Spa Ponies GIGGLE. TS smiles and tells Dash that she doesn't need to pretend. She knows Dash likes to be pampered too... RIPPLE TO:
 - CLIP from Applejack's Day Off.
- Back to TS who tells Dash there's nothing wrong with all that. She looks at the appointment book, "You should enjoy the... hooficure you have scheduled for today." Off Dash's sheepish smile TS continues, explaining that it's okay to like different things. "I'm not just a princess and you're not just an athlete." As TS lists the other things Dash likes we... RIPPLE TO:
 - CLIP from the Daring Do Eps.
 - CLIP from the Pep Squad Ep.
 - CLIPS of Dash pranking ponies (28 Pranks Later, etc.)
- Back with Dash who cops to everything. "You got me TS. I guess nopony knows me better than you." She asks TS if she's ready for that

hooficure. They can reminisce some more about all the things that make them unique. But TS declines. She needs to decompress and the Spa Ponies have just the thing.

- As the Spa Ponies lead TS out, two heretofore unnoticed Spa Ponies turn around, revealing themselves to be Starlight and Spike! They've been there, hiding in plain sight, the whole time. They tell Dash that they don't have anywhere near enough memories for the scrap book. Spike panics, "What are you going to do?!" Off Dash considering we...
END ACT ONE

ACT TWO

INT. PONYVILLE SPA – MEDITATION POND – LATER

- TS floats in a room that's half-Zen garden, half-koi pond. Totally relaxed, she basks in the soothing water lapping at her hooves when suddenly, Dash floats up next to her. Dash, "You know what? This decompression thing is great! Awesome, in fact." Dash explains that she feels so centered and relaxed. But when she really wants to relax she thinks of all the times that she was TOTALLY EPIC! As Dash asks TS if she remembers some of them we... RIPPLE TO:
 - TBD CLIPS of Dash having epic adventures, in epic battles, and evading epic traps!
- Back to TS who smiles, humoring her friend. She tries to bring the energy down by explaining that, for her, relaxation comes from thinking of quieter, more intimate moments between friends like... RIPPLE TO:
 - TBD CLIPS of TS and Dash sharing emotional friendship moments (possibly the Tanks For The Memories song is among them)
- Back to the meditation pond where Dash looks at TS like she's crazy. "Um, no offense, but you are kind of killing my relaxation vibe." Dash admits she's only kidding. Intimate moments are great—just not as great as... RIPPLE TO:
 - TBD CLIP of the craziest, most epic Dash moment yet!
- Back to the pond to find TS is getting out. Dash asks her what's up and TS replies that she really does love reminiscing with her friend, but she also really needs some quiet time. With that she heads out.
- Frustrated, Dash splashes at the water. "You can come out now." At the side of the pond two bamboo reeds rise up to reveal Starlight and Spike have been under water the whole time listening. They tell Dash they almost have what they need—but not quite. Off Dash's <SIGH> we... END ACT TWO.

ACT THREE

INT. PONYVILLE SPA – MASSAGE ROOM – LATER

- Twilight walks into the massage room. Nearby another pony lays face down on a massage table while a Spa Pony gives her a rub down. Twilight lays down on her table (face down) as a different Spa Pony walks in, though we only see them from behind. As TS lays down we

CUT TO a shot looking up at her face through the hole in the table. It's clear she's relaxed as the Masseuse Pony gets to work. TS says this is exactly what she needed. Not that she doesn't love Rainbow Dash, but sometimes her friend can be a little much... RIPPLE TO:

- TBD CLIPS of Dash being a lot of a lot or otherwise difficult.
- Back to TS's face through the table again as the Masseuse Pony works on a particularly troublesome knot. TS tells the Masseuse to maybe not go so hard. As she goes back to relaxing, TS corrects herself. Sure Dash can be a handful, but she's also the most loyal friend she's ever had...
 - TBD CLIPS of Dash being loyal or otherwise just awesome at friendship.
- Back to TS's face again as she talks about how much she loves her friend. From O.S. comes the sound of... crying? TS asks the Masseuse Pony if she's okay. The Masseuse responds that she's fine, but also that she loves TS too! TS turns over and sits up to see the Masseuse has been Dash the whole time! Dash apologizes, but once they got started reminiscing she just couldn't stop. They've had so many great times together... RIPPLE TO:
 - TBD CLIPS of the two of them together.
- Cut back to the two of them hugging. TS admits this isn't exactly the relaxing spa day she was expecting, but it was pretty great all the same. Dash smiles and looks over to the other Pony and Masseuse to see it's actually... Spike and Starlight, who give her a claws up to signal they got everything they needed. Of this we... FADE OUT.