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MY LITTLE PONY 6

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## RECAP OF PART 1

### MAIN TITLES

#### ACT 1

##### SC. 1 - INT. CRYSTAL CASTLE - RESUME

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As the baby's horn GLOWS brighter, Cadance casts a quick bubble around her, containing the powerful BURST of magic from her sneeze.

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Meanwhile, the others watch as the cracks continue to travel up the walls and across the ceiling. More debris falls, as the whole castle continues to RUMBLE.

Immediately Celestia and Luna spring into action, shooting magic out of their horns-- the energy spreading across the walls and ceiling. The rumbling stops.

1 TWILIGHT  
What's going on?

2 CELESTIA  
The baby's magical blasts have made the Castle unstable.

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3 LUNA  
And we cannot let it collapse.

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4 DASH  
Duh. We're inside it.

Cadance steps forward as Celestia and Luna fly around the room repairing cracks with their magic.

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5 CADANCE  
It's more than that. The Crystal Castle is a conduit for the magic of the Crystal Heart.

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6 SHINING ARMOR  
The Heart keeps the Crystal Empire free from the cold of the Frozen North. Without it, the snow would start rolling in.

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7 DASH  
Big deal. We'll just bust those clouds the same way we do everywhere else.

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8 CELESTIA

The Frozen North is vast. Even with every pegasus in Equestria, I doubt we could hold back its storms. Snow and ice would reclaim the city...

9 TWILIGHT

(understanding)

And the citizens would all freeze.

A cold wind whips through the giant holes in the walls. Celestia and Luna move toward them.

10 CELESTIA

We'll work on repairing the Castle. I suggest you all check on the Crystal Heart.

Celestia and Luna fly out through the massive holes in the walls and Twilight rushes over to look.

ANGLE ON TWILIGHT'S POV:

The two sisters fly into the sky, silhouetted by the sun as their magic swirls together then shoots out over the castle, lifting huge chunks of crystal as they start to reform the broken walls and spire.

BACK INSIDE - Cadance picks up the baby and heads for the stairs.

11 CADANCE

Come on!

Everypony follows Cadance as she rushes out.

**SC. 2 - EXT. CRYSTAL CASTLE - SAME**

Starlight and Spike make their way through the crowd of crystal ponies lining the streets around the Castle.

Finally, they get to the front to see the huge chunks of crystal now obscuring the causeway beneath the Castle.

12 SPIKE

Whoa!

13 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY (O.S.)

Pretty impressive, huh?

Spike and Starlight look over to see a group of Crystal Ponies in camping chairs.

14 STARLIGHT  
Impressive?

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15 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
(super upbeat)  
They're obviously going all out for  
the Royal Crystalling. Magical  
fireworks and a Castle remodel.

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Spike and Starlight look at the Mustache Crystal Pony like  
he's crazy then head toward the Castle.

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**SC. 3 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - CONTINUOUS**

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Cadance, Twilight and the rest burst out of the stairwell,  
relieved to see the Crystal Heart is fine, slowly turning in  
place, though THE ENTIRE CAUSEWAY BENEATH THE CASTLE IS NOW  
ENCLOSED, COVERED BY MASSIVE CHUNKS OF CRYSTAL.

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16 STARLIGHT (O.S.)  
Twilight!

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Twilight turns to see Spike and Starlight squeezing their way  
past the debris.

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17 STARLIGHT (CONT'D)  
What happened?

18 TWILIGHT  
Oh, you know. Just a little out of  
control baby alicorn magic. How did  
it go with Sunburst?

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19 STARLIGHT  
Um... It looks like you have more  
important things on your hooves.  
(then)  
Did you say baby alicorn!?

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Starlight follows Twilight over to Cadance, who hands over  
the baby. Starlight looks down at the child, sucking her  
hoof.

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20 TWILIGHT  
Yep. But don't worry, everything's  
under control.  
(eagerly)  
So... what about Sunburst?

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Starlight looks from Twilight's eager expression to Cadance  
and the rest cleaning up broken chunks of crystal.

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21 STARLIGHT  
Oookay. Well, to be honest, the whole reunion was a bust.

22 TWILIGHT  
What? Didn't you follow the list?

Spike walks up.

23 SPIKE  
We tried, Twilight.  
(loud aside)  
But someponies just weren't able to connect.

24 STARLIGHT  
Ugh. Sunburst and I just don't have anything in common. I don't even know why this one friendship is so important.

25 TWILIGHT  
Because when you and Sunburst stopped being friends...

26 STARLIGHT  
(cutting her off)  
I enslaved a village and nearly destroyed Equestria, I know.

27 TWILIGHT  
I was going to say, you forgot what having a friend is like. If you and Sunburst can't find a way to become friends again, I'm worried you won't be able to with anypony.

28 STARLIGHT  
Ugh. Fine. I'll go back and make friends with Mr. Perfect Wizard.

Just then the baby alicorn's horn glows and she coughs, releasing more magic, only this time instead of shooting a beam of energy out, the BURST of magic sends the baby shooting backwards - blasting out of Twilight's arms and right through one of the four major Castle supports.

29 TWILIGHT  
(nervous laugh)  
Whoops!

Twilight immediately TELEPORTS...

OUTSIDE - where she re-appears and catches the flying baby.

Twilight looks over at the cracked support, then up as the whole Castle starts to wobble. \*

ANGLE ON - Celestia and Luna still doing repairs. They look down with concern as the Castle shakes. \*

ANGLE ON - Cadance and Shining Armor, inside, using their magic to sure up the cracked support. \*

ANGLE ON - The crowd of Crystal Ponies in the streets. They OOOH and AAHHH, still convinced this is somehow still part of the Crystalling plan. \*

BACK ON - Twilight, concerned as she BAMFS back... \*

INSIDE - Twilight turns to the others. \*

30 TWILIGHT (CONT'D)  
Applejack, Rainbow Dash,  
Fluttershy. Maybe you should move  
the crowd outside a safe distance  
from the castle-- just in case.

31 DASH  
ON IT!

Dash, Applejack and Fluttershy head out through a recently cleared opening. Starlight turns to Twilight. \*

32 STARLIGHT  
Are you positive there isn't  
something I can do here to help? \*

33 TWILIGHT  
Absolutely not. You have to deal  
with Sunburst. There's nothing more  
important for you than that.

Starlight sighs, rolls her eyes and heads out. \*

34 STARLIGHT  
Come on, Spike. I'm sure I'll need  
a confidante. \*

Spike looks from Twilight to Pinkie and Rarity helping to put pieces of crystal back into the support as Shining Armor and Cadance hold it up. \*

35 SPIKE  
Are you sure, Twilight? \*

36 TWILIGHT  
(forced smile)  
Yep. We've got everything here  
under control.

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Spike shrugs and follows Starlight out. After they leave,  
Twilight's expression drops as she looks down at the baby  
alicorn.

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37 TWILIGHT (CONT'D)  
I think.

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**SC. 4 - EXT. CRYSTAL CASTLE - CONTINUOUS**

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Starlight and Spike head past Dash, Applejack and Fluttershy  
who talk to the crowd of Crystal Ponies.

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38 DASH  
We're just saying this might not be  
the best place to hang out.

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39 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY  
I camped out for a week to get this  
spot. I'm not about to just give it  
up.

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40 FLUTTERSHY  
Still, when you think about it, the  
view is just as good a little  
further back, like inside your  
house.

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Several in the crowd look at Fluttershy like she's crazy.

41 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
Let me explain something to you.  
The Crystalling ceremony is one of  
our most sacred traditions and I  
for one plan to be right up front  
to share all my light and love when  
that baby is held before the  
Crystal Heart.

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42 APPLEJACK  
Well, actually it's kinda the baby  
that's dangerous.

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The crowd all stare and Applejack for a moment, then burst  
out laughing. A Pony wearing a vest covered in COMMEMORATIVE  
PINS turns to Applejack.

43 PIN PONY  
Wow. I've heard a lot of strange  
stuff in my time.

44 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY  
Come on! Who are you trying to kid?

45 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
(mocking)  
Look out everypony. Dangerous baby  
on the loose!

More laughter from the crowd, Applejack stares back at them.

46 APPLEJACK  
All right. You want the truth? The  
baby is an alicorn and her magic's  
plum crazy and just about destroyed  
the Castle. So you can see why it  
isn't safe here.

The crowd all stare back at her for another beat, then...

47 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY  
A baby alicorn? Wow. I can't wait  
to see that!

48 PIN PONY  
Those wings are probably so cute!

49 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
I know, right!?

Off Dash, Applejack and Fluttershy as they exchange  
frustrated looks...

#### SC. 5 - INT. SUNBURST'S - DAY

Starlight and Spike stick their heads in, knocking on the  
open door.

50 STARLIGHT  
(quietly)  
Um, Sunburst.  
(to Spike)  
Whelp, I guess he's not home.

Starlight turns to go, but Spike deadpans as he grabs her  
tail with his claw. Sunburst enters, looking up from the book  
he's reading.

51           SUNBURST  
Starlight? Let me guess. The  
Princess of Friendship sent you  
back.

52           STARLIGHT  
          (nervous laugh)  
Yeah.

CUT TO:

**SC. 6 - INT. SUNBURST'S - LIBRARY - DAY**

Sunburst sits at a table looking over his glasses at  
Starlight pacing back and forth.

53           STARLIGHT  
Basically, she thinks it's really  
important that we rekindle our  
friendship even though we just lost  
touch because... I don't even know  
why. Who knows why? Do you know  
why?

54           SUNBURST  
Oh, um... no.

55           STARLIGHT  
See? Me neither. I mean, maybe it's  
because you went off to Magic  
School and I... um, didn't. I mean,  
I don't think there's anything more  
to it than that.

56           SPIKE  
          (under his breath)  
Except you turning your back on  
friendship and taking over a  
village and traveling through  
time...

57           STARLIGHT  
          (sotto to Spike)  
Hey, confidante. How about you  
confi-don't.

58           SPIKE  
          (sotto to Starlight)  
Why don't you just tell him  
everything that happened?

Starlight turns and looks at Sunburst, considering. Then...

59           STARLIGHT  
Ugh. Why is this so hard?  
    (beat)  
You know what? Why don't you just  
come to the Castle.

60           SUNBURST  
What?

61           STARLIGHT  
Yes! Come to the Castle and  
Twilight can explain everything  
and...  
    (realizing)  
Actually, they're having kind of a  
magic problem. Maybe you could  
help.

62           SUNBURST  
At the... Castle.

Starlight nods.

63           SUNBURST (CONT'D)  
With the... magic problem.

64           STARLIGHT  
Yeah. Since you're an important  
wizard...

Sunburst nods and stands stiffly.

65           SUNBURST  
You want me to help the Princess of  
the Crystal Empire and the Princess  
of Friendship with a magic problem.  
Right.

Sunburst picks up some of the books from his table and turns,  
placing them back on his shelves.

66           SUNBURST (CONT'D)  
Right, right, right, right, right.  
    (turning back)  
You know, I'd like to. I really  
would. I just have so much  
important wizard work to do around  
here.

Starlight nods, disappointed. Spike looks around at the  
basically empty room.

67           SPIKE  
Really?

Off Sunburst's overly-earnest nod...

**SC. 7 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - DAY**

Twilight holds the baby as Rarity and Pinkie Pie continue to help Shining Armor and Cadance repair the Castle support.

Pinkie goes to replace a chunk of broken crystal, but slips and knocks out several other pieces. The others look on, concerned as the Castle starts to shake, then suddenly stops.

Everypony looks over to see Celestia, shooting magic from her horn at the broken support, repairing it. Nearby, Luna clears rubble from the path she and Celestia used to get inside.

68 LUNA

Our efforts to repair the Castle  
will be pointless if we can't  
contain the baby's powers.

Twilight hands the baby back to Cadance.

69 TWILIGHT

She doesn't mean it.

70 CELESTIA

Of course not, Twilight, but until  
we can fix everything here to  
ensure that the magic of the  
Crystal Heart continues to keep the  
Frozen North at bay...

Cadance steps forward.

71 CADANCE

We should take the baby away from  
the Castle. We can't have her  
destroy any more of it. The  
temperature is already dropping.

The all look up through the open arches of the Causeway at the visible sliver of sky. Dark clouds start to move in above and Twilight shivers as a cold wind whips in.

72 TWILIGHT

But the Castle is your home.

Shining Armor steps forward. He puts a hoof around Cadance and looks down at his child.

73 SHINING ARMOR

We'll be back, Twiley, we just need  
to get her out of here before she  
turns the whole Crystal Empire into  
a giant popsicle.

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Another blast of chill wind buffets the Causeway and they all  
look up as a SINGLE SNOWFLAKE is blown inside.

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They all watch as the SNOWFLAKE floats this way and that,  
finally landing right in the baby's hoof.

The baby alicorn looks down at the perfect snowflake,  
delighted, until the snowflake melts and disappears.

The baby's expression quickly turns sour, her lip quivering  
as her eyes begin to fill with tears and her horn starts to  
GLOW again.

With a massive WAIL, the baby starts to cry. Waves of MAGICAL  
SONIC ENERGY blast outward from her horn.

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Everypony covers their ears against the noise and the  
concussive force of the waves.

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CLOSE - on the CRYSTAL HEART as the SONIC WAVES blow past.  
The Heart stops turning, starts to vibrate, and after a beat--  
SHATTERS INTO A MILLION PIECES.

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As the baby's magical crying trails off, they all stare at  
the shattered Heart in horror.

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74 RARITY

We might have wanted to get the  
baby out just a smidge sooner.

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**END ACT 1**

**ACT 2**

**SC. 8 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - RESUME**

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Everypony stares at the shattered remains of the Crystal  
Heart.

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75 SHINING ARMOR

Um, what just happened?

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76 PINKIE PIE

Your baby alicorn's super, magic-  
powered crying shattered the  
Crystal Heart into a billion pieces  
so now there's no ancient powerful  
artifact keeping the snow of the  
Frozen North out of the city.

77 SHINING ARMOR

That's what I thought.

Rarity turns to Princess Celestia.

78 RARITY

But you can simply repair it the  
same way you've been fixing up all  
the broken bits of Castle. Can't  
you? Please say yes.

79 CELESTIA

I'm afraid it's not that simple.  
The Crystal Heart is a powerful  
artifact. It would take an equally  
powerful spell to put it back  
together.

80 TWILIGHT

Like Starswirl the Bearded's spell  
of Relic Reconstitution?

81 CELESTIA

(thinking)  
Possibly. If you know it.

82 TWILIGHT

I read through it once at the  
library in Canterlot.

83 RARITY

Well, if anypony can exactly  
remember something they casually  
read years ago, it's you, Twilight.

Twilight whips out a scroll and quill.

84 TWILIGHT

I'll try, but I'm not sure how long  
it will take.

Suddenly a strong gust of wind blows a huge section of debris  
away to reveal the clouds above have darkened. Lightening  
shoots between them as snow starts to fall.

85 PINKIE PIE  
Is quickly an option?

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86 CADANCE  
I'm sure Twilight will remember the  
spell, but we should evacuate the  
city just in case. We need to lead  
everypony to the train station  
before the tracks freeze over.

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Shining Armor steps forward.

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87 SHINING ARMOR  
I'll go. You stay and help  
Twilight. Two alicorns are better  
than one.

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Cadance nods. Celestia and Luna step toward the recently  
cleared exit.

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88 LUNA  
We will do our best to hold off the  
storm.

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89 CELESTIA  
But you must hurry. I don't know  
how long we'll be able to keep the  
path to the station clear.

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The others watch as Celestia and Luna fly off into the sky,  
blasting away storm clouds with their magic.

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Cadance and Shining Armor embrace. He leans down and gives  
the baby a kiss, then charges out with Rarity and Pinkie Pie  
following close behind.

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Cadance looks down at Twilight, furiously writing.

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90 CADANCE  
I hope your spell works.

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Off Twilight's nervous determination...

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#### SC. 9 - INT. SUNBURST'S - DAY

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Starlight and Spike watch as Sunburst carefully organizes his  
books.

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91 STARLIGHT

Look, I understand you're very busy, but Twilight is not going to let this reunion go and since it's all her idea anyway, I'm sure she can help.

92 SUNBURST

I understand. I do. But as I've said, when you're an important wizard the work just piles up.

Again, Spike looks around, noting the complete lack of work.

93 SPIKE

You really don't look that busy.

94 STARLIGHT

It won't take long. You don't even have to help out with whatever the magic problem is. I'm sure Twilight and Cadance can handle it. But if we don't get this friendship thing handled, Twilight's going to keep sending me back here over and over and OVER...

Sunburst puts his books down, resigned.

95 SUNBURST

<SIGH> Fine. Let's just get it over with.

Pleased, Starlight leads them to the front door and magics it open. All of them stare in shock as a pile of snow falls in.

96 SUNBURST (CONT'D)

What in the world is going on out there?

97 STARLIGHT

Things must be worse at the Castle than I thought! Come on!

With that, she grabs Sunburst and Spike and practically drags them out the door.

#### SC. 10 - EXT. CRYSTAL EMPIRE - STREET - DAY

Dash, Applejack and Fluttershy stand in the freezing wind and snow with the crowd of Crystal Ponies still camped out in front of the Castle.

98           APPLEJACK  
Now, do you believe it's dangerous  
around here?

99           MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
Oh, I never doubted you, but, as I  
said, it is a Royal Crystalling.  
(with sudden grandeur)  
Shining Armor will hold his child  
aloft before the Crystal Heart and  
all of the Empire will share their  
joy at the sight, and the Crystal  
Heart will beat with the light that  
shines within us all.

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The Stubborn Pony and the Pin Pony pull out tissues and dry  
their eyes.

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100          PIN PONY  
It really is quite a moving  
ceremony.

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Fluttershy looks up, then sidesteps a massive chunk of hale.

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101          FLUTTERSHY  
I really don't think it's going to  
happen.

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102          DASH  
Yeah! Come on! This is snow-nado  
central!

103          STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY  
Um, this is the Crystal Empire.  
We've seen snow before.

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Suddenly Shining Armor charges up, his horn glowing through  
the whipping wind.

104          SHINING ARMOR  
Not like this!

105          CRYSTAL PONIES  
Your majesty!

The crystal ponies all bow low.

106          SHINING ARMOR  
Stand up, all of you. We don't have  
time for that. We have to evacuate  
the city.

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107          MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY  
But the Chrystaling...

108 SHINING ARMOR

I don't know if we'll ever have  
another Crystalling again. The  
Crystal Heart is shattered.

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The Crystal Ponies all stare in disbelief.

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109 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY

But, without the Heart...

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110 PIN PONY

...the Frozen North will take over  
the city.

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111 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY

There'll be ice and snow  
everywhere!

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112 APPLEJACK

Ah... you may want to look around.

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The Crystal Ponies look at the ice and snow as though seeing  
it for the first time.

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113 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY

Well, what are we doing just  
standing around? It's not safe  
here. Let's go!

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Shining Armor charges off with the Crystal Ponies close  
behind. Fluttershy turns to Dash and Applejack.

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114 FLUTTERSHY

Isn't that what we were trying to  
tell them?

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**SC. 11 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - DAY**

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Twilight puts her quill down and hands the scroll she's been  
working on to Cadance.

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115 TWILIGHT

I'm pretty sure that's everything.

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116 CADANCE

(looking it over)  
It looks right to me, but there's  
only one way to find out.

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Cadance hands the scroll back to Twilight, then shields the  
baby under her wing.

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Twilight looks at the scroll, takes a breath and shoots a  
BLAST of magic at the shattered remains of the Crystal Heart.

ANGLE ON - the magic swirling around the broken pieces,  
lifting them into the air as they start to come together,  
slowly at first, then faster and faster until, finally, the  
Crystal Heart is back in one piece.

117 TWILIGHT  
It worked!

Cadence uses her magic to move the Heart back onto its  
setting, but nothing happens. The Heart doesn't even turn.

118 CADANCE  
Or not.

119 TWILIGHT  
I'm sure that was the right spell.

Twilight goes over the scroll again just as Starlight, Spike,  
and Sunburst arrive.

120 STARLIGHT  
Twilight? What's happening?

Twilight looks up at Starlight, surprised.

121 TWILIGHT  
Starlight... Hi. Um... How's the  
reunion going?

122 STARLIGHT  
Reunion? Twilight, the streets are  
filling up with snow.

Twilight ignores her and rushes over to Sunburst.

123 TWILIGHT  
You must be Sunburst. I have heard  
so much about you, or not,  
actually, but I sure hope to.

124 SPIKE  
Twilight, what's going on?

Cadance steps forward ready to explain, but Twilight steps in  
front of her.

125 TWILIGHT  
Oh, you all don't need to worry  
about it. Cadance and I have all  
this baby alicorn magic under  
control.

126       SUNBURST  
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Just then the newly reconstituted Crystal Heart shudders and  
breaks apart again, into a pile of crystal piece on the  
floor.

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127       TWILIGHT  
She kind of shattered the Crystal  
Heart.

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128       SUNBURST  
What?!

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Sunburst rushes forward and looks down at the broken pieces.

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129       TWILIGHT  
I tried putting it back together  
with...

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130       SUNBURST  
(nods)  
...Starswirl's Relic  
Reconstitution. That's not going to  
do it.

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131       TWILIGHT  
Why not?

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132       SUNBURST  
Starswirl was a powerful wizard,  
but the Crystal Heart's been around  
for millennia. You can't just fix  
it. You'd need way more magic.

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133       STARLIGHT  
What if we all tried together? Me,  
Twilight, Cadance, you...

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134       SUNBURST  
Me? No, that won't work.

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135       STARLIGHT  
How do you know?

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136       SUNBURST  
(defensive)  
It just won't.

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137       STARLIGHT  
But maybe it will. We have to try.  
Cadance and Twilight are alicorns  
and, not to brag, but I'm pretty  
handy with magic too...

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138       SUNBURST  
          (shouts)  
Well, I'm not!

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139       STARLIGHT  
What?

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140       SUNBURST  
I'm terrible at magic, OKAY!?

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Starlight stares at him in shock. The others take a step back as he continues to yell.

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141       SUNBURST (CONT'D)  
I washed out of magic school! I'm  
not some important wizard! I'm not  
even a wizard at all!

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Sunburst finishes his rant and looks over at the others all staring at him-- the echo of his shouting dying away.

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CLOSE - on the baby, her little eyes welling up as her HORN starts to glow.

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Cadance and Twilight looks down at the baby, panicked, as she starts to whimper, her horn GLOWING BRIGHTER THAN EVER BEFORE.

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142       TWILIGHT  
Cadance, we've got to get her out  
of here!

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Twilight and Cadance rush through the debris, just making it out from under the Causeway as the baby starts to cry-- sending a blast of magic out of her horn.

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As the child continues to cry, the magical energy swirls up into the sky, whirling around and around, creating a GIANT SPINNING VORTEX over their heads.

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WIDE ON - the Castle as the magical vortex draws the storm clouds near, spinning around like a giant, ICY HURRICANE with the Castle as its eye.

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BACK WITH - Twilight as Sunburst and Starlight make their way outside. They all look out at the whipping wind and snow.

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143       SUNBURST  
See! I've already made things  
worse.

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With that, he runs off. Twilight turns to Starlight.

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144 TWILIGHT  
Okay. Doing the baby visit and your  
friendship lesson at the same time  
was definitely a bad idea.

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END ACT 2

ACT 3

SC. 12 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - RESUME

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Snow and wind whips at them as Twilight and the others rush  
back to the relative safety of the Causeway. Twilight looks  
to Starlight.

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145 TWILIGHT  
I'm sorry, Starlight. This is all  
my fault. I shouldn't have tried to  
do so many things at once.

146 STARLIGHT  
You didn't know any of this was  
going to happen. I just don't  
understand why Sunburst didn't tell  
me he wasn't a wizard.

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147 SPIKE  
Probably for the same reason you  
didn't tell him all about your  
past.

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148 TWILIGHT  
I think I know why you two were  
having such difficulties trying to  
connect.

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149 STARLIGHT  
I guess we have something in common  
after all. Too bad it's too late to  
do anything about it.

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150 TWILIGHT  
(determined)  
No it's not! You and Spike go find  
Sunburst and get him to the station  
with everypony else. You can just  
work out your issues on the way.

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151 STARLIGHT  
What about you?

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Twilight picks up her scroll and turns to Cadance.

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152 TWILIGHT \*  
Sunburst might be right, but maybe \*  
Cadance and I together will be \*  
enough to put the Heart back \*  
together. We have to try. \*

Cadance nods and takes the scroll. \*

153 CADANCE \*  
If it doesn't work, we'll meet you \*  
at the station. \*

154 STARLIGHT \*  
(nods) \*  
Good luck. \*

155 TWILIGHT \*  
You too. \*

With that, Starlight and Spike exit. Cadance turns to \*  
Twilight. \*

156 CADANCE \*  
Are you ready? \*

Twilight nods and the two of them look to the scroll, then \*  
shoot BLASTS of magic out of their horns. \*

Off of the streams of magic combining as they swirl around \*  
the shatter pieces of the Crystal Heart... \*

**SC. 13 - EXT. CRYSTAL EMPIRE - STREET - CONTINUOUS** \*

Starlight and Spike fight their way through the blizzard \*  
conditions, trying to find their way back to Sunburst's. \*

157 STARLIGHT \*  
I can't see anything! \*

158 SPIKE \*  
I think it's this way! \*

159 STARLIGHT \*  
How can you tell? \*

Spike rears back and breaths out a BLAST OF FIRE, clearing a \*  
path through the ice and snow in front of them and revealing \*  
they are at Sunburst's. \*

160 SPIKE \*  
Just a hunch. \*

161        STARLIGHT  
Spike, you're amazing!

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**SC. 14 - INT. SUNBURST'S - DAY**

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Starlight bursts through Sunburst's front door, straining to close it against the raging snows outside.

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162        STARLIGHT  
Sunburst!

She rushes into his library to find the unicorn tossing books into a sack.

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163        SUNBURST  
Oh, great. Did the Princess of Friendship send you back here to brag about whatever incredible natural magic abilities got you the spot as her student.

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164        STARLIGHT  
What? No.

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165        SUNBURST  
Or maybe you decided on your own to come by and make fun of the loser who dropped out of Magic School.

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166        STARLIGHT  
Why would I do that?

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167        SUNBURST  
Sorry, I'm not the big, important wizard you were expecting. I know that must be really disappointing.

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168        STARLIGHT  
Sunburst! I don't care if you're a wizard or not!

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Sunburst finally stops throwing books into his bag and looks at Starlight.

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169        SUNBURST  
You don't?

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Starlight shakes her head.

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170        STARLIGHT  
I'm just surprised. You always knew so much about magic.  
(MORE)

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STARLIGHT (CONT'D)

(points to the walls)

I mean, look at all these books!

171 SUNBURST

Yeah, well, reading about magic is one thing, but you don't know what it was like at Magic School, to know so much and not be able to do any of it.

172 STARLIGHT

Well, you don't know what it was like to get so bitter about being left behind that you brainwash a whole village into giving up their cutie marks and then get defeated by Twilight and her friends so you go back in time and try get back at them but they beat you again and teach you about friendship but you're so terrified somepony will find out you used to be super-villain that you can't make any friends!

Sunburst just stares at her for a beat.

173 SUNBURST

Um... No. You got me there. Your thing is worse.

174 STARLIGHT

I'm just saying I'd never make you feel bad for not being good at magic. I know what it's like when things don't go the way you want.

175 SUNBURST

Thanks.

(beat)

Did you really go back in time?

176 STARLIGHT

Ugh. I don't want to talk about it. It's so embarrassing.

177 SUNBURST

I know what you mean. When you showed up thinking I'd become some big wizard... I'm sorry. I should have told you the truth.

178 STARLIGHT

It's fine. At least we worked it  
all out. I think Twilight would be  
proud.

Suddenly Spike rushes in, snow piled up on his tail.

179 SPIKE

Come on, we have to get to the  
station. The snow is getting worse!

Sunburst drops one last book into his sack and hoists it onto  
his back.

180 SUNBURST

I guess your teacher will have to  
wait for the good news until after  
the evacuation.

181 STARLIGHT

Yeah. Too bad there's no spell to  
clear out all the snow, fix the  
Crystal Heart and calm the baby so  
we could have her Crystalling...

182 STARLIGHT (CONT'D)

Yeah, I think I would remember  
reading about that...

Starlight and Spike start for the door, then look back to see  
Sunburst frozen in his tracks.

183 SUNBURST

Did you say Crystalling?

184 STARLIGHT

Yeah...

Sunburst turns back to his massive wall of books. His horn  
glows dimly as books float off of the shelves and out of his  
sack.

CLOSE - on Sunburst's face as we PAN around him, the books  
he's taken out open as they fly around him.

185 STARLIGHT (CONT'D)

Sunburst?

Finally, he looks up and the floating books drop to the  
floor.

186 SUNBURST

I know what we have to do.

**SC. 15 - EXT. SKIES ABOVE THE CRYSTAL EMPIRE - DAY**

Fighting against the waves of ice and snow, Celestia and Luna dodge massive hale stones as they use their magic to hold the clouds apart (think Mosses and the Red Sea), trying to keep a path open through the city to the train station.

187       CELESTIA  
Keep them apart, my sister!

She looks down as we see a collection of dots moving through the streets far below...

**SC. 16 - EXT. CRYSTAL EMPIRE - DAY**

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Shining Armor and Applejack lead the crowd of crystal ponies through the snow swept streets.

188       SHINING ARMOR  
This way!

As several of the crystal ponies slip or are blown by the frigid winds and spin out on the now icy streets, Fluttershy flies alongside and nudges them back on their feet, while...

JUST ABOVE - Dash busts a few renegade storm clouds that have slipped past Celestia and Luna, but quickly lands and runs with the rest, her wings and hooves covered in frost.

Applejack turns and shouts to the others.

189       APPLEJACK  
Just a little bit further, y'all!  
The station's just ahead!

But as the wind and snow on the street ahead clear, the entire group pulls up short, sliding to a stop as Starlight and Sunburst stand blocking their path.

190       STARLIGHT  
We have to go back!

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191       SUNBURST  
I know how to stop this!

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**SC. 17 - EXT. SKIES ABOVE THE CRYSTAL EMPIRE - SAME**

Luna get's Celestia's attention and points down as the collection of dots turn around and head back toward the Castle. The sisters share a look, then dive...

**SC. 18 - INT./EXT. CASTLE CAUSEWAY - DAY**

Twilight and Cadance finish casting their spell and look on at the Crystal Heart, once more reassembled.

192 TWILIGHT  
That's it. I just hope our magic  
was enough.

193 CADANCE  
We'll soon see.

Cadance levitates the Heart into it's setting. Both Princess stare up at it, hopefully, as it flickers and jerkily starts to turn.

194 TWILIGHT  
Well, that's something...

But soon, even the jerky motion stops as the cracks reform and the fractures all start to GLOW.

195 CADANCE  
It's breaking up again!

196 TWILIGHT  
No!

The Heart shatters once more and falls to pieces. Twilight looks down, despondent.

197 CADANCE  
That's it, Twilight. We have to go.

Just then, Shining Armor charges in, the crowd of crystal ponies behind him.

198 CADANCE (CONT'D)  
Shining Armor, what are you doing  
here? We need to get everypony out  
of the city.

199 TWILIGHT  
Starswirl's spell won't hold the  
Heart together. I don't know what  
else to do.

Celestia and Luna make their way through the crowd.

200 CELESTIA  
An old student of mine believes he  
does.

Celestia and Luna part to reveal Sunburst, who walks forward holding three books. He sets one in front of Twilight, looking between it and her scroll.

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201        SUNBURST  
You remembered Starswirl's spell  
perfectly, but it's just not  
enough.

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202        TWILIGHT  
I know. And even if it were, the  
Castle is still in shambles and the  
snow is still falling.

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Sunburst nods as he sets a book in front of Starlight.

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203        SUNBURST  
Which is why you'll also need  
Somnambula's Weather Abjuration...

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He gives another book to Celestia.

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204        SUNBURST (CONT'D)  
Along with Grogar's Enchantment of  
Reconstruction.

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205        TWILIGHT  
But you can't just combine those  
spells, and even if you could it's  
impossible to keep the Heart  
together.

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206        SUNBURST  
Unless there was a way to share  
magic with the Crystal Heart that  
actually made it stronger...

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Sunburst points to the crowd of crystal ponies.

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207        TWILIGHT  
          (realizing)  
The Crystalling!

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Several of the crystal ponies look up and gather around.

208        SUNBURST  
When a newborn is brought before  
the Crystal Heart, every citizen of  
the Crystal Empire shares the  
parent's light and love, feeding  
and strengthening the Heart itself.

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Twilight steps forward and takes Sunburst's spell book.

209 TWILIGHT \*  
Well, what are we waiting for? \*

She looks at the book and shoots a BLAST of magic at the \*  
shattered pieces of the heart, bringing them together once \*  
more. \*

Luna and Celestia quickly follow suit-- both shooting streams \*  
of energy into the Heart. Sunburst looks to Starlight. \*

210 SUNBURST \*  
Your turn. \*

211 STARLIGHT \*  
But I'm not really a wizard either. \*

Twilight shouts over to her. \*

212 TWILIGHT \*  
You wanted a magical challenge, \*  
didn't you? \*

213 SUNBURST \*  
We'll do it together. \*

Starlight nods and she and Sunburst touch horns, her powerful  
magic joining with his dim glow, as they unleash another  
BLAST of magic at the Heart.

The Crystal Heart GLOWS, but lines along the fractures start \*  
to appear. Sunburst turns to Candace and Shining Armor. \*

214 SUNBURST (CONT'D) \*  
You have to hurry! \*

Candace and Shining Armor raise the baby up for all to see. \*

215 CADANCE \*  
Citizens, I present to you the \*  
newest member of the Crystal \*  
Empire. \*

Silhouetted in the glow of the Crystals Heart, the tiny \*  
alicorn spreads her wings and the Crystal Ponies gasp with \*  
joy. \*

216 MUSTACHE CRYSTAL PONY \*  
She's beautiful. \*

217 PIN PONY \*  
(drying his eyes) \*  
It's just so moving. \*

The Crystal Ponies all bow, touching their muzzles to the ground (as in ep. 302, The Crystal Empire, Part II). Light spreads from each of them along the ground and up into the Crystal Heart.

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In a quick BURST of energy everypony CRYSTALLIZES as the Heart GLOWS with even more intensity, as the magic of the three spells along with the energy of entire Crystal Empire flow into it.

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With a sudden MASSIVE BLAST OF MAGIC, energy flows out of the heart and up into the Castle as huge sections of debris float up into the air and rejoin the Castle structure.

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WIDE - on the Castle as the energy works it's way up, healing all the cracks and fractures on the way, until finally it explodes out the top and into the sky, spreading across the clouds which dissipate in its wake.

BACK INSIDE - everypony looks back to see the GLOWING CRYSTALLIZED ALICORN BABY floating in front of the CRYSTAL HEART-- back to normal and turning in place like always.

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The baby floats back down into her parent's waiting arms as the magic fades and all the none Crystal Ponies return to normal.

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The Crytal Ponies all bow to the royal family.

ANGLE ON - the Stubborn Pony, Pin Pony, and Mustache Pony all smiles.

218 STUBBORN CRYSTAL PONY  
Best. Crystalling. Ever!

Starlight looks to Sunburst.

219 STARLIGHT  
For a Pony that can't do magic, you  
really came through.

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220 CELESTIA (O.S.)  
Indeed.

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They look over to see Celestia, standing by Luna, and Twilight.

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221 CELESTIA (CONT'D)  
I'm glad to see you've found a way  
to apply your vast store of magical  
knowledge, Sunburst.

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Starlight and Sunburst share a smile.

**SC. 19 - EXT. CRYSTAL EMPIRE STATION - DAY**

Twilight and the rest of the Mane Six gather around Cadance, Shining Armor and the baby in front of the Friendship Express. They all look down at the sleeping baby pony.

222 APPLEJACK  
Well, she sure seems peaceful now.

As they all look down, the baby's eyes flutter open and she give the cutest sneeze ever. Twilight and the rest reflexively duck, but her horn doesn't glow and no magic shoots out.

223 SHINING ARMOR  
I guess getting all that light and joy from the Crystalling really settled her down.

224 TWILIGHT  
(meekly)  
Heh, I told you it would be special.

225 CADANCE  
Well, it was that.

226 FLUTTERSHY  
Have you decided on a name?

Cadance and Shining Armor share a look.

227 CADANCE  
We were thinking, Flurry Heart.

228 SHINING ARMOR  
You know, to remember the occasion.

229 RARITY  
Darling! How could anyone forget?

230 TWILIGHT  
I think it's lovely.

Twilight leans down to gives her niece a kiss and we PAN to:  
STARLIGHT AND SUNBURST - walking toward the train.

231 STARLIGHT  
We make a pretty good team. Ever consider moving to Ponyville?

232       SUNBURST  
Maybe someday, but for now Cadance  
and Shining Armor have asked me to  
help teach their young alicorn all  
about magic.

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233       STARLIGHT  
I can't think of anypony more  
qualified. Just promise you'll stay  
in touch.

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Sunburst smiles.

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234       SUNBURST  
Like I'd ever lose touch with my  
oldest friend.

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They share a quick embrace as Twilight, Spike, and the Main Six walk past to board the train. Twilight casts a despondent glance at Starlight waving goodbye to Sunburst.

235       SPIKE  
What's wrong, Twilight?

236       TWILIGHT  
I think I have a lot to learn about  
being a teacher, Spike.

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237       SPIKE  
But your lesson went perfectly. I  
mean, a lot of other stuff happened  
too, but Starlight and Sunburst  
totally got over their past.

238       TWILIGHT  
I know, but I was so busy with  
everything else, I didn't really do  
anything to make it happen.

239       SPIKE  
I guess not, but isn't that how  
Celestia taught you?

Twilight thinks for a moment, realizing.

240       TWILIGHT  
You know, I never thought about it,  
but I guess it is.

241       SPIKE  
Maybe you're a better teacher than  
you thought.

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As the train pulls out of the station, Twilight looks back at Starlight waving again to Sunburst still on the platform, waving back.

Twilight turns back with a satisfied smile as we...

**END**