

KIRBY  
(battle cry)

Power Her-

POWER MAN  
(cutting him off angrily)

Don't you dare!

(KIRBY is petrified. MIGHTY GIRL quietly leads him out of the room. POWER MAN stands alone, looking sad. The lights slowly fade.)

SCENE THREE

(The hallway. NURSE CANDY and MR. MALEVOLENT are walking down the hall. We find them mid-conversation.)

MR. MALEVOLENT  
You mean they don't move or talk or anything?

NURSE CANDY  
I know, isn't sad?

MR. MALEVOLENT  
I find it hilarious.

NURSE CANDY  
I love how you look on the bright side of things, master.

(They stop mid-stage. NURSE CANDY motions before her to what would be a window.)

NURSE CANDY  
And that's the flower garden Leigh has been planting.

MR. MALEVOLENT  
(examines garden)  
She certainly does have a nurturing instinct, that Leigh.

NURSE CANDY  
And a Green Thumb, too.

MR. MALEVOLENT  
That reminds me of the time I cut off The Green Thumb's thumbs.

(giggles)  
Ah, the good old days.

NURSE CANDY  
That ends our tour. Let me know if you need anything.

MR. MALEVOLENT

I will need a pad lock for the door to my room.

NURSE CANDY

Oh, I'm sorry, Mel, we can't have any locked doors around here. You'll understand that when you have a heart attack in the middle of the night.

MR. MALEVOLENT

That's for the other residents. But-

(looks into her eyes)

I need a pad lock for my door, Nurse Candy.

(NURSE CANDY falls under his spell.)

NURSE CANDY

You need a pad lock for your room, Master.

(MR. MALEVOLENT pulls a note out of his pocket. Hands it to NURSE CANDY.)

MR. MALEVOLENT

I will also need these supplies. You can pick them up at an electronic store on your way in tomorrow.

NURSE CANDY

I can pick them up at a electronic store on the way in tomorrow.

MR. MALEVOLENT

I'm going to enjoy living here.

NURSE CANDY

You're going to enjoy living here.

(LIGHTENING LEX enters.)

LIGHTENING LEX

Not if I have anything to say about it.

MR. MALEVOLENT

What do you heroes do? Wait around the corner until you hear a line you can use as an entrance cue?

NURSE CANDY

What do you hero-

MR. MALEVOLENT

(cutting here off)

That will be enough dear. Leave us. And don't forget what we talked about.

(NURSE CANDY turns to exit.)