Characters:

Daggett, a frog Squeaks, a mouse Sassy, a white cat Flames, a red dragon

Act II, Scene II: (The scene starts off as the camera is looking straight into red hot lava as it slowly points up, scaling up a dark gray stone wall with the lava's reflection bouncing off of it. The camera reaches its destination, showing Sassy walking up against a stone wall on a relatively narrow ledge. The camera zooms in on her and shows that she's gingerly tiptoeing along the mentioned ledge. The sound of bubbling lava can be heard echoing throughout the otherwise silent corridor.)

Sassy: This definitely isn't our world! I sure hope I can get out of here and go home!

(Sassy continues to tiptoe as she begins to overthink, becoming uncertain.)

Sassy: If I CAN go home.. come on, Sassy! Get it together! Just follow the path and you'll be at the end at no time! (A stone loosens up under her right paw as it goes off the ledge. It's shown falling into the hot lava below as Sassy is shown beginning to panic as she stops in her tracks, breathing heavily and looking around anxiously.)

Sassy: *worrying* I'm beginning to think this place isn't all that safe! Ugh.. now two of us are becoming unstable..

(Sassy huddles close to the stone wall, her eyes still darting frantically as her heart beats quickly.)

Sassy: *anxious* Let's calm down here, Sassy.. *huffs* Let's just.. calm down..

(The screen transfers over to the darkness filled doorway with a dirty stone floor laying out in front of it. The faint sound of bubbling lava can be heard.)

Squeaks: *off screen, echoing* This place just goes on for days, doesn't it?

Daggett: *off screen, echoing* Pretty sure we've only been walking for a few minutes, Squeaks.. hey man, check this out!

(Daggett jumps out from the doorway with his arms spread out wide.)

Daggett: *excited* Here's Johnny!

(Squeaks walks out behind him, shaking his head.)

Squeaks: *muttering* That was stupid. Daggett: *casual* Don't be jell. You know I'm good! Squeaks: Alright, hero. If you're so good, tell me how we'll get through this!

(Squeaks is shown pointing at the screen as it does a 180 and shows a sea of red hot lava out in front of them. In the middle of the sea is a giant flat gray stone with Flames sitting on it, cleaning himself as smoke trails puff out of his nostrils. The screen switches back to Daggett and Squeaks, showing Daggett stunned with his jaw on the floor.)

Daggett: Um.. uhh.. they don't.. exist, no.. can't be --Squeaks: You be the one to tell him he doesn't exist. I dare you!

(Daggett is still stunned, sputtering out

incoherent noises. Squeaks punches him in the side.)

Squeaks: *frustrated* Get it together!

(Daggett rubs his side as he shakes his head, murmuring some more incoherents.)

Daggett: I.. I've got no idea. What do you got?

Squeaks: *frustrated* I'm a MOUSE! Look at that thing! Do I look like I'd have an idea?!

(Squeaks is shown with his arms folded over his chest, staring at Daggett. Daggett sighs as he looks to Squeaks.)

Daggett: Well Squeaks, I've checked over our thoughts.. carefully compiled it all together.. *makes a drum roll noise* ..and we've got nothing. What do you suggest?

Squeaks: Rock, paper, scissors? First one who comes up with a solution takes the plunge?

(Daggett snickers as he turns to Squeaks, grinning.)

Daggett: Heck yeah! Ohh, you'll lose for sure!

(The screen switches back to Sassy huddled on the ledge, looking around as the anxiety is shown fading in her eyes.)

Sassy: *muttering* Alright, Sassy.. there's a solution to this. You've got a path still ahead of you.. a severely narrow path.. with loose rocks.. and nasty red stuff below it..

(Sassy shakes her head as she gets back to her feet.)

Sassy: We got this, girl..

(Sassy is shown walking along the ledge, tiptoeing carefully. She's making good progress and gaining confidence.)

Sassy: This is easy! Who needs those stupid boys, anyways?!

(Sassy continues to walk along the ledge, not paying attention to the ledge disappearing back into the wall. She about steps off the ledge, but realizes the mistake she's making and jumps back, visibly frightened. She looks around,

terrified, for a way out.)

Sassy: *choking up* Th-there's no way out of here!

(Sassy huddles against the wall, still looking around but is now shivering and has tears beginning to form in her eyes.)

Sassy: *sniffling, whispering* I.. I need those stupid boys..