

## AUDITION READING: FESTER

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*(to the audience)*

That's right, Little Wednesday Addams - that charming, irrepressible bundle of malice who would poison her own brother just for a ride in the ambulance - has grown up and found love.

*(to the chorus of Addams Family ANCESTORS)*

So here's the deal. Gather around. I'm not letting you back into that crypt until love triumphs.

*(ANCESTORS groan)*

Ah. I need your help! As Wednesday's uncle it's my job to make sure she gets to enjoy the Misery of love! So who is this Lucas fella? Is he worthy of her? Do they really love each other? What is love anyway? Does this rash look serious to you? So many questions about love. But when you think about it, is there anything more important?