

**AUDITION READING: GRANDMA AND PUGSLEY**

**PUGSLEY**

Hi, Grandma.

**GRANDMA**

Hey, stud. How's life?

**PUGSLEY**

Too long.

**GRANDMA**

Tell me about it.

**PUGSLEY**

Hold on. What're you doing?

**GRANDMA**

Restocking. Grandma's Private Stash. Herbs, potions and remedies. Nature's candy, no prescription needed.

**PUGSLEY**

Grandma - what if there was a girl who met this person and he's like "Hey, it's the Pugsters. What up, little man?" and she's like "golly" and "we're going to go now" and they're running away together. What would you give her?

**GRANDMA**

Nothing. She's your sister. Be happy for her.

**PUGSLEY**

*(picks up a bottle from GRANDMA's supply)* What about this one?

**GRANDMA**

*(grabs bottle form Pugsly)*

Acrimonium! You wanna stay away from this baby.

**PUGSLEY**

Why?

**GRANDMA**

Takes the lid off the id. Brings out the dark side.

**PUGSLEY**

Whaddaya mean?

**GRANDMA**

One swig of this and Mary Poppins turns into Medea.

**PUGSLEY**

**GRANDMA**

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**PUGSLEY**

I don't understand your references.

Well, stop texting and pick up a book once in a while.

*(then)*

Now, quit whining about your sister. Start thinking about you and how you're gonna live your life.

*(waxing rhapsodic)*

Time, my dear, is a thief. She'll steal your soul and flee on fairy wings.

*(then, abruptly)*

And stay out of my stuff or I'll rip your leg off and bury it in the backyard.

*(and)* I love you.