F**ked Up Fairy Tales

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CAST

The FRIENDS:

JACK – Jack of beanstalk fame, liberal and gay. The lover and partner of the Giant. Co-owner of the Magic Bean Bar.

GIANT – The Big guy at the end of the beanstalk but also Jack's true love. Owns the Magic Bean Bar with Jack.

CINDERELLA – Of the glass slipper; her story PTSD has made her a neat freak; secretly pregnant.

JIMINY – That loveable cricket. Brainy bug, wise and good. A controversial scientist and academic, he writes for the Fairy Tale Gazette.

MALEFICENT – MIFFY to her friends, a formerly evil witch, with a heart. Given to sudden bursts of temper and a terrible urge to use her powers for evil. She *usually* resists.

The Bad Guys:

KING MIDAS – Took power when they looked away. Greed is his oxygen and power his true love; turning orange from the gold dust, and evil to boot.

ICE PRINCESS – Pretty as an icicle and warm as the newly fallen snow, this television shopping network queen is the Princess of the land (and the darling daughter of King Midas).

RUMPELSTILTSKIN – A penchant for taking people's babies, he found his perfect role as the Ward of the State Program Chief.

BEAST – A big angry dude. The undisclosed father of Cinderella's baby. He has a change of heart.

<u>TIME</u>

Present

<u>PLACE</u>

Backstage in Fairy Tale Land

Musical Numbers

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		score	script/score	
1.	The Magic BeanJack and Friends	1	5	
2.	The Master of the LandKing Midas and Bad Guys	13	23	
3.	Love is Love is LoveJiminy and Friends	18	35	
4.	Fight or FlightGiant and Jack	26	49	
5.	Love is Love is Love, RepriseGiant	31	59	
6.	Finale (Love is Love/Magic Bean)Friends	32	67	

SCENE ONE

The Fairy Tale characters show up at their regular bar, the Magic Bean.

(The FRIENDS trickle into the bar after a long day. 1. The Magic Bean.)

JACK

(to the audience)

Welcome to the Magic Bean bar. What ya drinkin'? I'm Jack and this is my partner, the Giant. Partner, and love of my life, I mean...

GIANT

Hello,.. Welcome! Edamame?

JACK

Sit back, relax – leave your fairy tale life behind – no need to chase that witch or curse that princess here – you've had a hard day at work!

EVERYBODY'S GOT PROBLEMS WE GOT MORE THAN A FEW

ALL

AND IT'S SO NICE TO BE SOMEWHERE THAT WE CAN FEEL THE WAY THAT WE DO!

EVERY DAY IN OUR STORIES
IT IS SUCH A ROUTINE
AND IT'S SO TRITE TO KNOW
WE'VE GOTTA GO
TO SEE THE THINGS THAT WE'VE SEEN!

JACK

You're more than our customers...

GIANT

You're our friends!

JACK

Good friends.

ALL

IT'S RIDICULOUS EVERY WAY

MALEFICENT

ALL THE THINGS THAT I DO AND SAY

CINDERELLA

SCRUB THE FLOOR FOR THE BITCHY CHICKS!

JIMINY

DEAL WITH LIES FROM THAT BAG OF STICKS!

GIANT

ACT ALL DAY LIKE AN AWFUL PRICK!

JACK

CLIMB THE VINE WHEN THE VINE IS SLICK!

ALL

AND YOU THINK YOU HAD A BAD DAY?
WE WANT THE CHANCE TO LIVE FOR REALS
WE WANT A CHANCE TO HAVE THE FEELS
OUR BOOKISH LIVES ARE MORE THAN STALE
WE HATE OUR FUCKING FAIRY TALE

OUR FAIRY TALES ARE MORE THAN TRITE THANK GOD WE LEAVE THOSE BOOKS AT NIGHT! GET OUT THOSE BOOKS THAT REALLY FAIL, THAT'S LIFE IN A FUCKED UP FAIRY TALE

JIMINY

(reading from the famous dictionary)

"Fairy-im Webster"... Fucked up........offensive slang, thoroughly confused, disordered or damaged...

JACK

Exactly! Take Maleficent over there—I wonder what's "brewin" with her today?

MALEFICENT

EACH DAY I FEEL SUNNY,
PARTICULARLY NICE
SO, CAN I GREET THE DAY? LAUGH AND PLAY,
NO, I TURN SOME INNOCENTS INTO MICE!

SHOULD I MAKE SOUP IN MY CAULDRON? NO, I HAVE TO BREW A SPELL. I'M AN EVIL BITCH, A STUPID WITCH,

MALEFICENT (CONT) MAKING PEOPLE'S LIVES AN ABSOLUTE HELL!

THOSE POOR UNFORTUNATE SOULS!

JACK

You just can't tell what's going on in anyone else's castle. Take Cinderella.,,

CINDERELLA

I KNOW I'M A PRINCESS
THAT MIGHT SOUND GREAT TO BE!
BUT IN THE PALACE LATE AT NIGHT,
AND FIND I'M IN A TERRIBLE PLIGHT,
TRY MAKING LOVE EVERY NIGHT
TO THE HANDSOME PRINCE WITH ED!
ALWAYS WAITING FOR THAT STUPID BUM
REPEATING, REPEATING TO MYSELF
SINGING SOME DAY MY PRINCE WILL CUM!

JACK

And that loveable cricket---

JIMINY

AND EVEN I'VE BEEN IMMERSED IN PLIGHT, THERE IS NO QUICK FIX FOR THE ERUDITE, AS YOU MIGHT IMAGINE, I REALLY TIRE, OF TRYING TO HELP A COMPULSIVE LIAR!

(reading from the famous dictionary again)

Fairy-im Webster.... STORY.... "an account of imaginary or real people and events told for entertainment... see "tale as old as time"

JACK

We're both real and imaginary...that's confusing but sometimes someone amazing...

GIANT

I USED TO BE LONELY,
LIVING UP ON THE VINE
I HAD POWER, UP IN THE TOWER,
BUT NEVER A LOVE THAT I COULD CALL MINE.

JACK

EVERYTHING LOOKED AWESOME, BUT HE WAS DAMN DEPRESSED.

GIANT BUT THEN ONE DAY JACK SMILED AT ME

GIANT AND JACK
WE FELL IN LOVE, AS YOU PROBABLY GUESSED!
AND YOU KNOW WE'RE DOING OKAY!

ALL

AND LIKE A BOLT RIGHT FROM THE BLUE YOU KNOW THERE'S ONE THING YOU CAN DO, YOU NEED A BREAK, A LITTLE REST, JUST COME RIGHT IN AND BE OUR GUEST.

YOUR EVER AFTER FEELING SAD?
WE'LL HAVE SOME LAUGHS, WE'LL MAKE YOU GLAD.
THE WOKE-EST PLACE YOU'VE EVER SEEN,
YOU'RE GONNA LOVE THE MAGIC BEAN!

Welcome To The Magic Bean (JACK, GIANT, JIMINY, ELLA, MIFFY)

JACK: Welcome to the Magic Bean Bar. What ya drinkin'? I'm Jack and this is my partner, the Giant. Partner, and love of my life, I mean...

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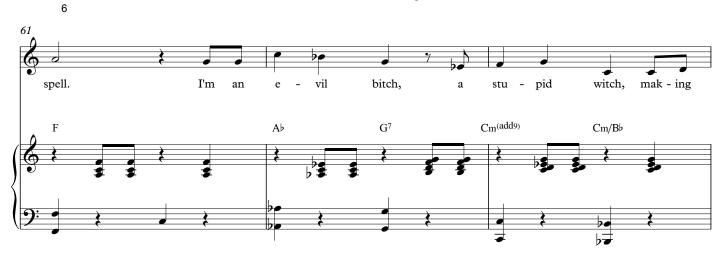


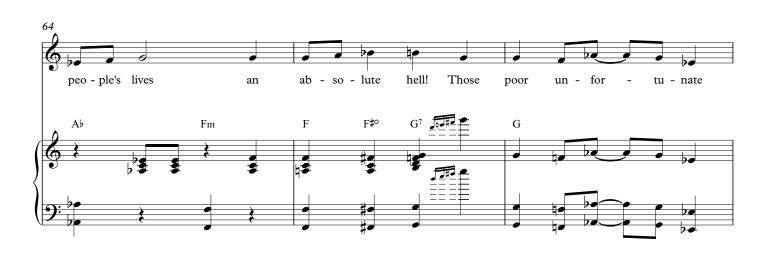


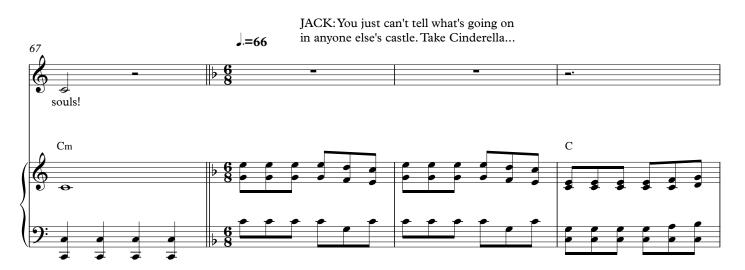








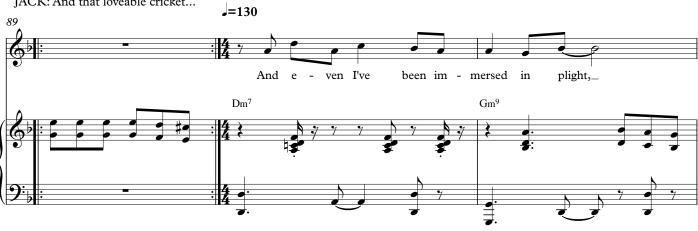


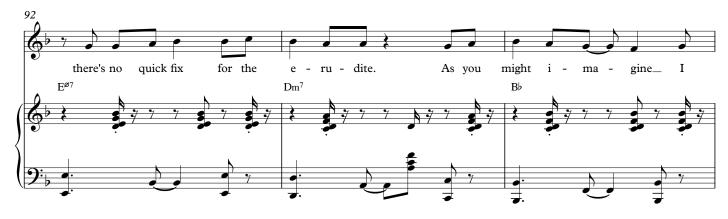






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Can you feel the love tonight?	JACK			
And speaking of lovethere is something I war	GIANT at to ask Jack			
Oh my God.	JACK			
I'm nervous.	GIANT			
You're nervous—is this what I think it is?	JACK			
Yes.	GIANT			
I love you!	JACK			
Will you	GIANT			
Oh my God	JACK			
Marry me??	GIANT			
YESSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSS	JACK SSSSSSS!!!			
Champagne! Champagne!	GIANT			
(The FRIENDS cheer just as the ICE PRINCESS, BEAST and RUMPELSTILTSKIN and KING MIDAS walk into the Magic Bean bar with an official notice)				

BEAST

(roughing people up and grabbing Cinderella's ass)

Out of my way! Out of my way! Hey Baby!

Where's the owner? Is it you? Hmmmm?	RUMPELSTILTSKIN 1	-6
Excuse me? What's the problem here?	GIANT	
Back up. And shut up. Announcing his majesty	BEAST the King and her royal highness, the Ice Princess.	
Wait, excuse me, we reserve the right to serve w	JACK whomever we choose. And who? The King?	
(first to JACK then to MALEFI I said sit down and shut up, or else, Fairy Tale b		
Are you speaking to me?	MALEFICENT	
Miffy, your temper, sit down, stay away from hi	JACK m.	
	RUMPELSTILTSKIN <u>unanimously</u> elected King Midas, we hereby order you to st supreme, leader of Fairy Tale Land the tremendous,	to
The King?	GIANT	
Prepare to genuflect. The <u>King</u> . All hail King M	RUMPELSTILTSKIN idas!	
	MALEFICENT	

I'm counting to ten.

(trying to remain calm)

Lady. Sit down or I'll sit ya down.

But we didn't vote...

BEAST

MALEFICENT

ICE PRINCESS

Don't speak. Peasants! I can't bear to look at you. I have a television show to do. Let's get this over with.

RUMPELSTILTSKIN

By royal proclamation you are hereby ordered to sign the King's List. No love relationships unless expressly part of a story. No consorting outside your story. All children born of characters are wards of the state. A mandatory list for anyone different! Report your neighbors! YOU MUST SIGN THE LIST.

JIMINY

We haven't been informed of this before. I want to read it first...

ICE PRINCESS

There will be dire consequences for anyone who doesn't obey.

RUMPELSTILTSKIN

The King! Bow! Bow!

BEAST

Move it, Toots. Uhhhh, outta my way. Make way for the King!

(KING MIDAS explains his plans for Fairy Tale Land. 2. The Master of the Land.)

KING MIDAS

What a tremendous crowd. Huge. Now, after a landslide election, the biggest outpouring of support in Fairy Tale Land history.

I'VE WON, I'VE WON, I'VE WON, I'VE WON!

JACK

He's what?

KING MIDAS

I'VE WON, IT'S DONE, HOW FUN, I'VE WON, I'VE WON!

MALEFICENT

Oh, my God!

KING MIDAS

MY WORLD IS NOW A WONDERLAND, I THINK I LIKE THAT FINE, AND EVERYONE IS HERE TO MAKE THINGS MINE!

NEW RULES FOR ALL THE FOOLS AND ALL THE PEASANTS!

JIMINY

New rules?

KING MIDAS

DO WHAT I SAY OR LIFE BECOMES UNPLEASANT!

CINDERELLA

What does that mean?

KING MIDAS

NO LIBERAL SHIT FOR ALL OF YOU, YOU'D BETTER TOE THE LINE-WHAT'S MINE IS MINE IS MINE IS MINE IS MINE!

MY LIST, YOU GET THE JIST, WILL MAKE US GREAT AGAIN,
DON'T LIKE DETRACTORS,
THEY GET A FINE!
TAKE HEED, YOU PEASANTS NEED TO SIGN THIS LIST AND WHEN,
YOU DO YOUR BEST, AND THEN,
IT ALL IS MINE!

RUMPELSTILTSKIN AND BEAST

YOU'LL WORK ALL DAY TO GIVE YOUR GOLD TO MIDAS, IT ISN'T FUNNY, JUST HOW MUCH HE NEEDS.

KING MIDAS

WE'LL CUT UNNECESSARY AID AND GIVE ME ALL THE MONEY!

KING MIDAS

I JUST LOVE MONEY, AND THE LUST IT FEEDS!

ICE PRINCESS

Ohhhhh, money!

KING MIDAS

THERE'S NOTHING IN THE WORLD SO DOGGONE SPECIAL, AS HOLDING GOLD IN MY TINY HAND WHATS YOURS IS MINE WHAT'S THEIRS IS MINE, IS MINE---ALL MINE!

RUMPELSTILTSKIN, BEAST AND ICE PRINCESS

HE IS THE MASTER OF THIS GREAT LAND, SEIG HEIL!

KING MIDAS

I AM THE MASTER OF THIS GREAT LAND!

ICE PRINCESS

HE REALLY MEANS IT!

KING MIDAS

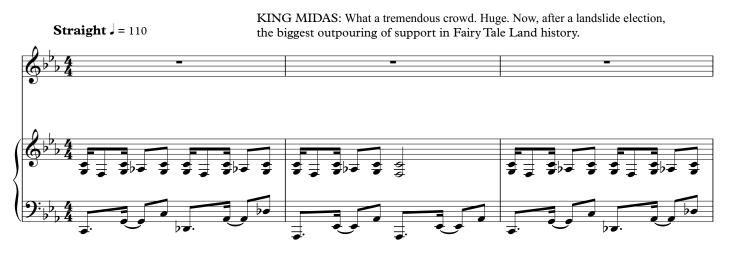
I AM THE MASTER OF THE LANDDDDDDDD!!!!

With massive jazz hands!

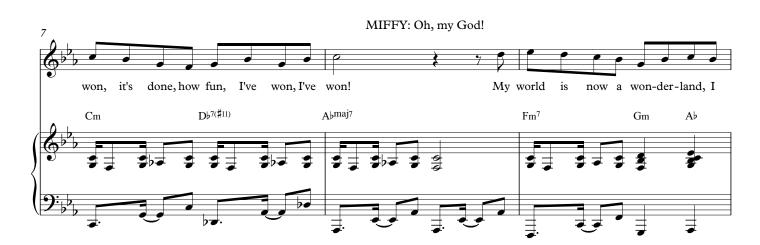
Master of the Land

(KING MIDAS, JACK, MIFFY, JIMINY, ELLA, ICE PRINCESS, RUMPEL, BEAST)

BEAST: Move it, Toots. Uhhhh, outta my way. Make way for the King!







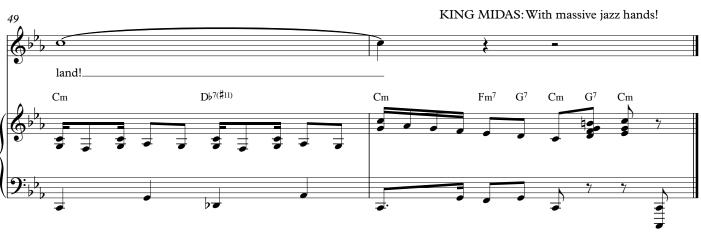












RUMPELSTILTSKIN

Genuflect! Or you'll be sorry.

ICE PRINCESS

For the love of god, get that hideously vile woman out my way. Unpleasant peasants! Hmmph. Give me my phone. I have to check my online sales figures.

RUMPELSTILTSKIN

We shall return for your list, if you get my gist.

JIMINY

I say, my good sir, this does seem like it requires discussion. Rumination. Contemplation.

BEAST

Move the hell over, bug. Or you will be...SPLAT.

KING MIDAS

And now, I must return to the castle. I have a croquet date.

JACK

WAIT. I am marrying Giant. The laws aren't fair. You can't stop us. Right, Giant?

(GIANT is totally silent.)

JACK

Honey... say something. Support me. We want to get married. Let's stand up...

KING MIDAS

Detractors?!?!? Are you detracting? Giant?

GIANT

I'm not detracting, sir.

JACK

Giant, God. How can you do this? Please?

KING MIDAS

I WON'T have Detractors! Detractors are punished! Deal with this, sweetie. Daddy has a croquet game.

ICE PRINCESS

Well. This won't do. Daddy is mad. Guard, seize him!

JACK

Help. Giant? Help me...Nooooo Noooo!!!

BEAST AND RUMPELSTILTSKIN

Right away Princess. Come here you bum. Take him away. Out of our way!

(The FRIENDS all stand silent.)

MALEFICENT

What did we do? Oh my god. What cruel people. I'm so tempted to use my amulet...

JIMINY

I can't believe that they would do that without notice. Due process...a warning

CINDERELLA

(beginning to weep)

Why did we let them take him!? I need hand sanitizer! Giant, why did you let him go?

GIANT

I was afraid.

MALEFICENT

(handing her sanitizer)

Ella, darling...here honey. I saw that beast grab you. And speaking of toads, it would certainly be no problem at all to turn him into a small green horny back toad. It would be rather witty if you ask me...

CINDERELLA

Well, yes, he is horrible. But it isn't that...could I have a paper towel? My hands are sticky.

GIANT

Here you go Ella, sweetie.

CINDERELLA

I'm...I'm...pregnant.

MALEFICENT

You are? But, how wonderful!

CINDERELLA

I've always wanted a baby—but you all know about the prince. It's not his. And now...they'll take my baby!

	MALEFICENT	1-12			
No!					
We won't let that happen. Will we, Giant?	JIMINY				
I want to obey the law.	GIANT				
We need to get Jack back. We have to organize!	JIMINY This is a gross abuse of power.				
I'll help.	MALEFICENT				
(The BEAST enters to the shock of the others.)					
Why are you here? Oh, no, it's that Beast! Run!	ALL				
Stop, Stop!!!!!! PLEASE stop. I swear I won't h	BEAST urt you. I need to talk to Ella about her baby.				
Why?	JIMINY				
I'm the father, dude. I won't hurt you, I'm sorry	BEAST . I have to act like an asshole, I'm afraid of them.				
You are the father of Cinderella's baby? She is a you understand, sir?	JIMINY a dear friend of mine and I won't let anyone hurt her.	Do			
Dude, I really care about her. I know I act like a	BEAST dick. It's all show. I swear, Ella. I do care. I promise.				
Let me see your eyes. I'm a good judge of chara do about this?	JIMINY cter. I believe you. So, young man, what do you inter	nd to			

BEAST

Ella, please. I'm sorry. I will do anything to help.

CINDERELLA

I'm...I'm glad to hear you say that. If you really care for me and our baby you will help us. We have to get Jack. We have to fight King Midas and these horrible laws. If we don't they will take our baby.

BEAST

I realize that. I love you...

JIMINY

Then you have to help us save Jack, and protect Ella and your child. Will you help us when we return?

BEAST

(hugging him in a bear hug)

I swear. I will help. I have to go back. I'm afraid of them, but I will help...

JIMINY

Hurry! Be brave.

GIANT

Jack broke the law. The can get him to recant. Sign a document that says he will obey them. Not marry.

JIMINY

Wait a minute, Giant. I know you see things a little differently than Jack, but I am here to tell you, sir, his only crime and the so called LAW you think he has broken is being in love with YOU.

GIANT

Oh. Well, the law's the law.

(JIMINY tells GIANT about what matters in life. 3. Love is Love.)

JIMINY

No, the law isn't the law! The law is only good if it doesn't hurt people who are innocent. How many chances are you or anyone going to have for love?

LOVE IS LOVE IS LOVE, WE'RE A RAINBOW YOU SEE, LOVE IS LOVE IS LOVE, IT'S MORE THAN YOU AND ME

THOUGH THE TIMES MAY BE DARK, AND THE LIGHTS ALL BUT GONE, IF YOU LIVE IN THE LOVE, YOU WILL HELP SING OUR SONG.

LOVE IS LOVE
PLEASE HELP US FIND THE LIGHT
SO JUST LISTEN, GIANT
YOU DO IT 'CAUSE IT'S RIGHT

THOUGH THE TIMES MAY BE DARK YOU ARE FIGHTING FOR ME TOO SOMETIMES DOING WHAT'S RIGHT CAN BE SCARY, IT'S TRUE

JIMINY

Be the guy JACK deserves, not the other way around. Who are you? What do you believe in?

GIANT

I want to obey the law...things were fine when we just hid our love...at least we had each other.

JIMINY

And you of all the people in the world you have the most to lose...you can't hide—you have to...

BELIEVE IN LOVE AND STAND WITHIN THE LIGHT AND FIGHT THE DARKNESS DO IT 'CAUSE IT'S RIGHT

ALL EXCEPT GIANT

THOUGH THE TIMES MAY BE DARK YOU'RE FIGHTING FOR ME TOO IT'S TRUE...
WE DO...

ALL EXCEPT GIANT (CONT)

BELIEVE IN LOVE AND STAND WITHIN THE LIGHT AND FIGHT THE DARKNESS DON'T GIVE UP THE FIGHT

IT'S SIMPLE IF YOU TRY LET'S BE THE ONES WHO SING THIS BATTLE CRY--

LOVE IS LOVE IS JIMINY

LOVE IS LOVE IS Yes, let's get Jack

LOVE IS LOVE

LOVE IS LOVE IS MALEFICENT

LOVE IS LOVE IS What should we do?

LOVE IS LOVE

LOVE IS LOVE IS BEAST

LOVE IS LOVE IS Let's help him.

LOVE IS LOVE

LOVE IS LOVE IS CINDERELLA

LOVE IS LOVE IS Let's make a plan.

LOVE IS LOVE

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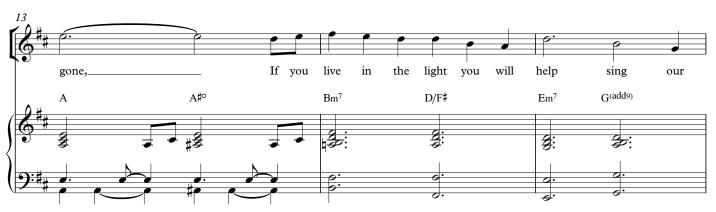
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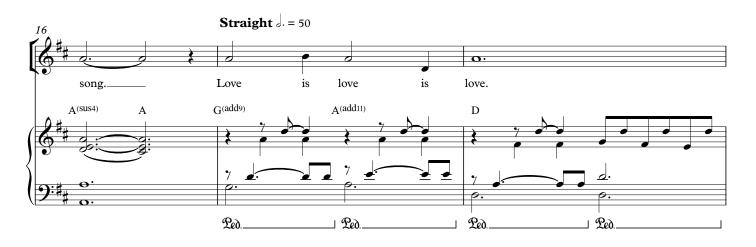
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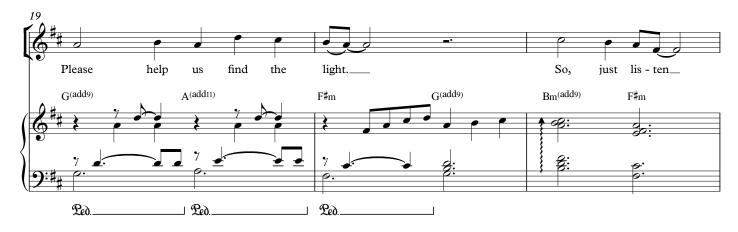
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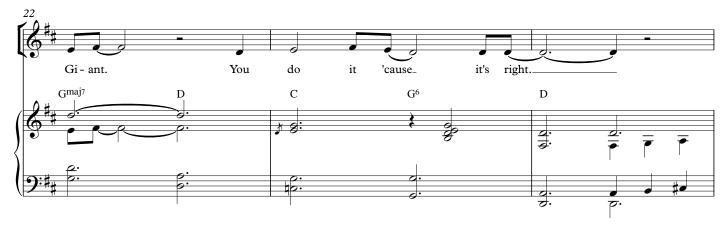
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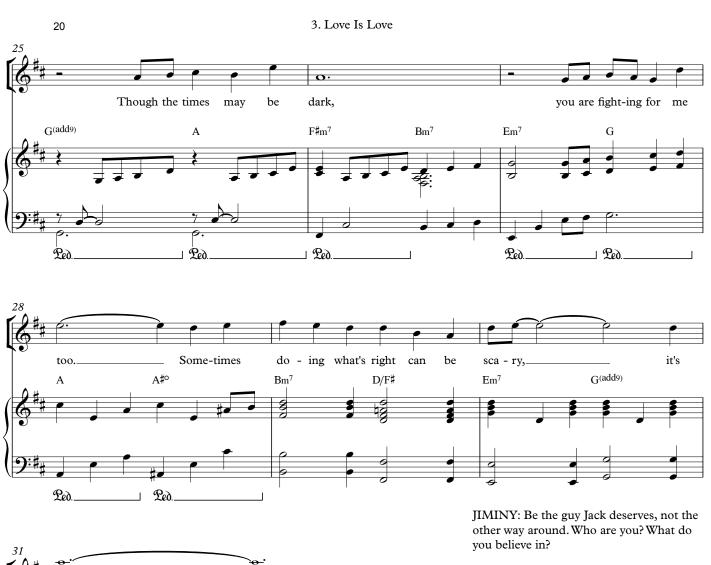


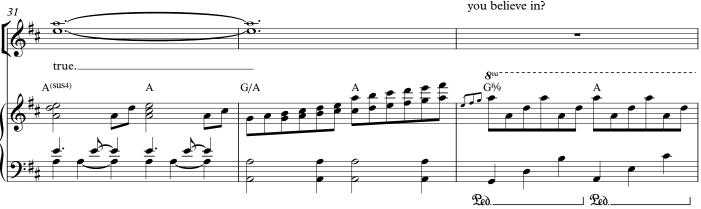


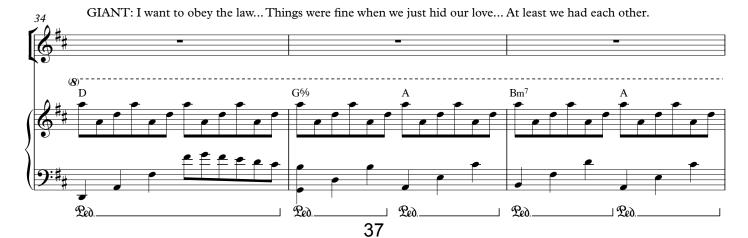






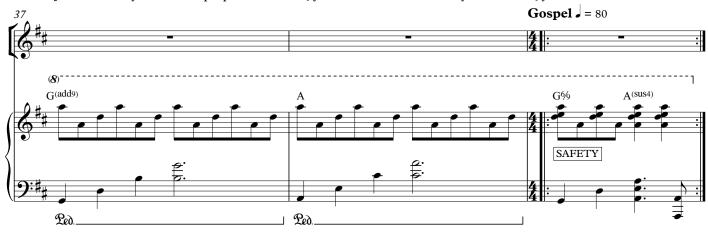


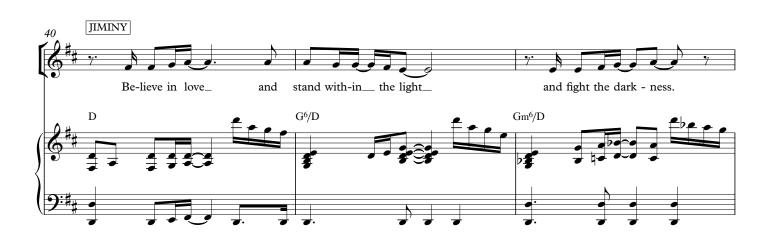




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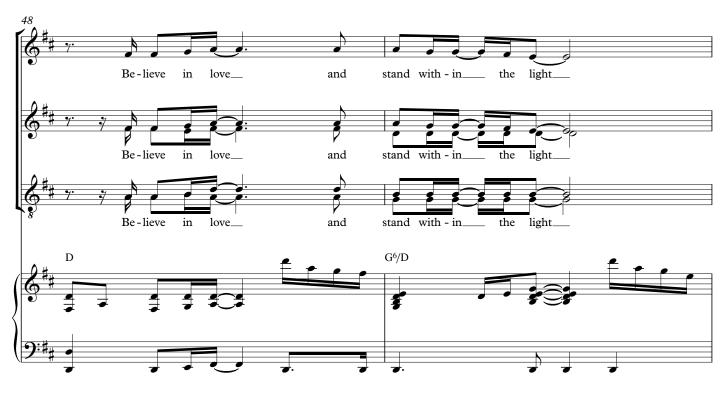
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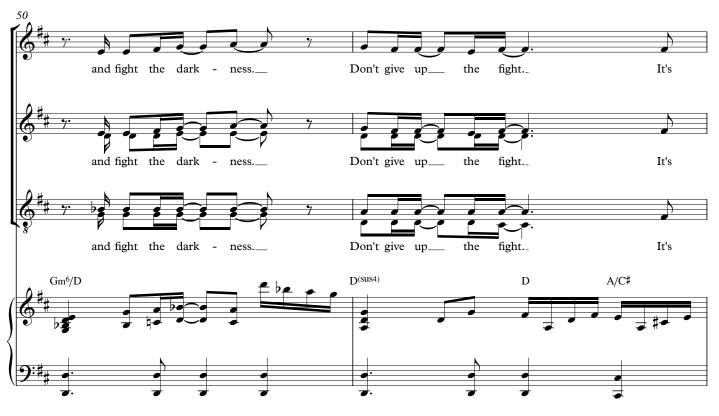


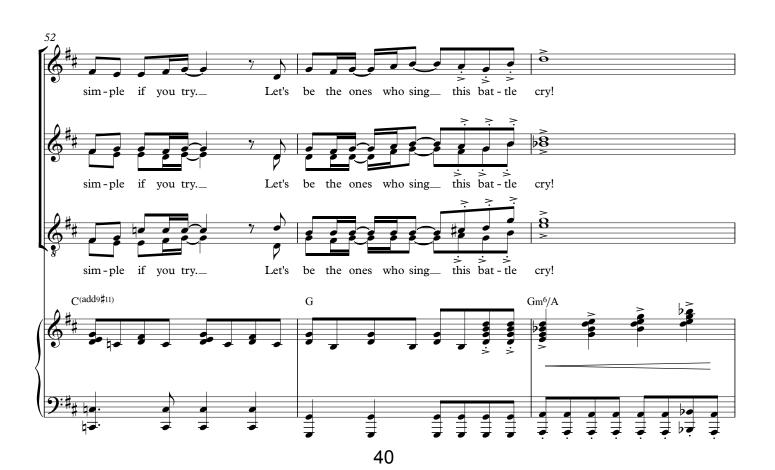










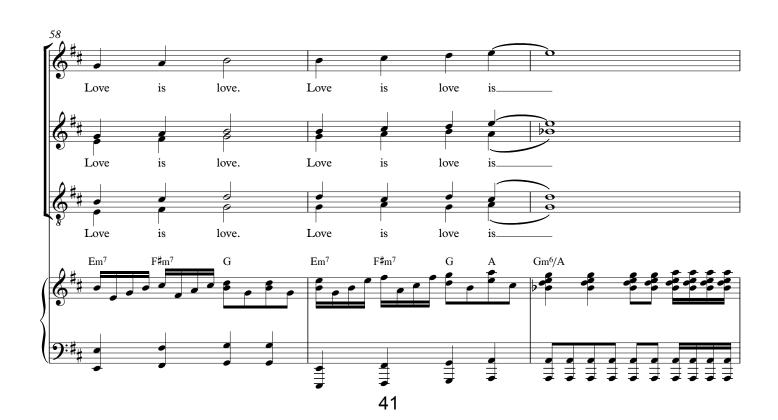


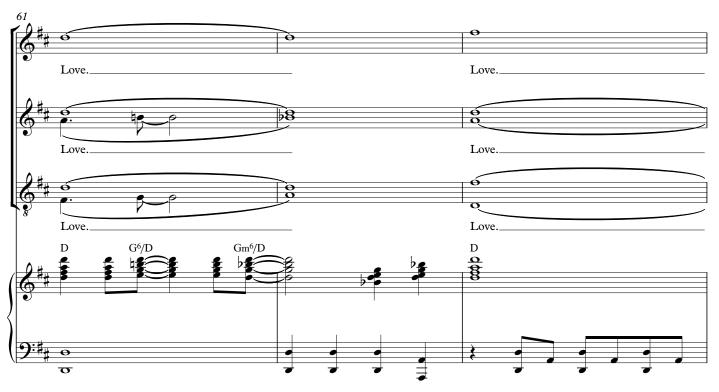
JIMINY: Yes, let's get Jack. MIFFY: What should we do?

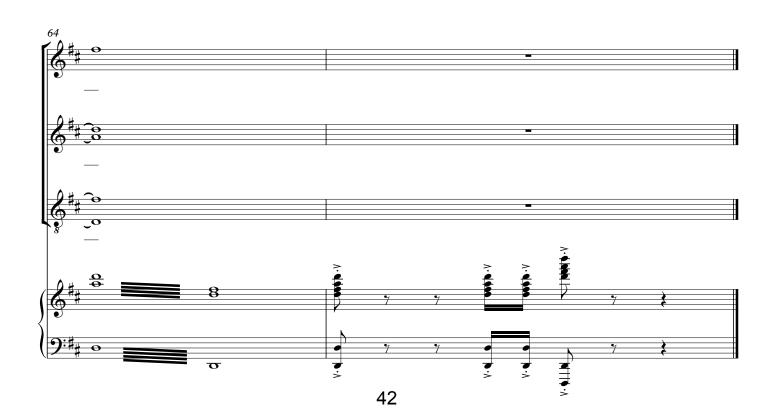
BEAST: Let's help him.

CINDERELLA: Let's make a plan.









MALEFICENT

Finally, a good reason for a spell!

(FRIENDS runs off, and the GIANT is left alone with his heavy heart.)

GIANT

Wait! Everyone! Please wait. I want to go with you. But I want to do this my way. The legal way. I want to obey King Midas' laws.

(KING MIDAS and ICE PRINCESS in their PALACE. JIMINY and JACK overhear.)

KING MIDAS

King Midas will make Fairy Tale Land great again—but these peasants cause problems. Hell, you saw it first hand, right?

ICE PRINCESS

Yes, Daddy. They were very unattractive.

KING MIDAS

They're losers. You wouldn't have your job if you weren't beautiful, am I right?

ICE PRINCESS

But, I'm a princess. Aren't I your daughter? And I never bothered to ask, where is my mother?

KING MIDAS

Your mother? Sadly, she's no longer a 10.

ICE PRINCESS

Oh, well that makes sense. If she isn't beautiful anymore...

KING MIDAS

Beauty is everything. And money. Don't forget that, baby.

ICE PRINCESS

Hmm? Oh, yes father, you're right father. You're the best, father.

KING MIDAS

Now, about my list. We'll have tremendous success. Work camps, incarcerations, maybe even executions. King Midas wants his kingdom to be the Greatest!

ICE PRINCESS

Rich and beautiful and perfect in every way.

KING MIDAS

And sexy like you, baby. Now give Daddy a kiss... Tremendous.

(ICE PRINCESS gives KING MIDAS a pretty icky kiss. The Beast enters to announce JIMINY and JACK.)

KING MIDAS

I must go to the vault to count more of my money. Beast, does my hand look orange to you?

BEAST

No, your majesty. You look handsome as always. Tremendous. Sexy.

ICE PRINCESS

(ICE PRINCESS Talks to herself self-soothing and almost baby talk in the mirror while walking off stage while RUMPELTILSTKIN trots along holding her mirror.)

Rumpel—I have a meeting and my lipstick is smeared. Makeup! Quickly!! I don't have a sunny glow. I look peaked. Hello gorgeous, you poor thing. I need presents. Maybe a spa day...There, there...

(They exit. GIANT sneaks into the dungeon to meet with JACK.)

JACK

I can't believe it. Giant?

GIANT

Jack. Jack. I think I have a way out. I have a document. It says we WON'T get married. We will obey them, if you sign it I will take it to the King and get you out.

JACK

Why would we do that? It's not true.

GIANT

Well, it's a way we could obey the law and still have our love. It's not so bad. It's just going back to hiding. We lived like that for a long time.

JACK

It want to be able to live like everyone else. Don't you?

GIANT

Well, yes. But I want to obey the law. I...

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Giant? Look at me.	JACK
Yes, Jack?	GIANT
How can you say that?	JACK
This is serious, Jack. I want to do what's right.	GIANT
So do II think we have to stand up and fight.	JACK
But this list. The law.	GIANT

(JACK and the GIANT have a horribly difference of opinion and wonder if it will ultimately change them. **4. Fight or Flight.**)

JACK

WE'VE NEVER BEEN OPPOSED BEFORE, WE NEVER DISAGREE, BUT WHILE IT'S TRUE, THIS IS A FIGHT, I'D RATHER FIGHT THAN FLEE!

YOU LOVE THE LAW, I LOVE OUR LOVE, AND WILL THIS DRIVE A WEDGE? IF YOU LEAVE NOW, BECAUSE OF THIS, I'M JUMPING FROM A LEDGE.

DON'T YOU SEE WE ARE BIGGER THAN THIS? DON'T YOU SEE THIS IS SMALL? THIS KING MIDE-ASS OR WHOEVER HE IS, HAS SO MUCH FUCKING GALL!

GIANT

Your language!

JACK

You're my best friend and my lover--that is the most important thing to me. But I can't continue to live in the shadows.

GIANT JACK

FIGHT OR FLIGHT, DON'T YOU SEE WE ARE BETTER THAN THIS?

SHOULD I STAY OR GO, DON'T YOU SEE THIS IS TRITE?

FIGHT OR FLIGHT, THIS STUPID KING AND HIS FUCKED UP LIST THOUGH I LOVE YOU SO. HE CAN'T TELL US WRONG FROM RIGHT!

GIANT AND JACK

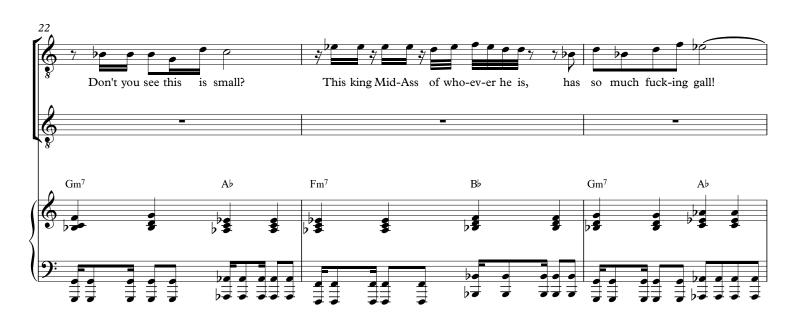
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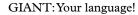












JACK: You're my best friend and my lover. That is the most important thing to me. But, I can't continue to live in the shadows.







JACK

I love you Giant, but I refuse to hide anymore. You either step into the light with me and fight. Or...I am willing to part. I mean it. Go. Go.

(GIANT walks out and stands alone in front of the palace)

GIANT

Could I be wrong? Have I been blind? God...

(GIANT contemplates his mistakes. **5. Love is Love, reprise.**)

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GIANT

BELIEVE IN LOVE AND STAND WITHIN THE LIGHT AND FIGHT THE DARKNESS DO IT 'CAUSE IT'S RIGHT

'CAUSE LOVE IS LOVE IS LOVE YOU SEE IT'S SIMPLE IF I TRY
THE LOVE OF US
THE LOVE...

Jack!! Oh my god, Jack...

JACK: Or...I am willing to part. I mean it. Go. Go.



(After his change of heart, GIANT runs back to the palace where he meets BEAST and the FRIENDS.)

BEAST

Jiminy, Miffy...everyone over here.

GIANT

Please. I've had a change of heart. I want to help—I want stand up. The law is stupid. I will do anything you want to help Jack and Ella...and all of us. Please.

JIMINY

I am VERY happy to hear that Giant. Of course we want you with us. We have a plan. Miffy needs to see the King and I am going to talk to the Princess. She won't suspect me.

GIANT

Jiminy. Let me do it. I can get in to talk to the princess. Let me prove myself to Jack.

JIMINY

Miffy, are you ready? Beast can you get her in? Giant go first, stall until the princess is in position to overhear...good luck everyone.

BEAST

Ella! I love you...

JIMINY

No time for that now. Hide, everyone.

(While BEAST engages the Princess downstage, upstage MALEFICENT has a pantomime conversation with the King, where she shows him the MAGIC AMULET. After hearing what the GIANT says to her, the PRINCESS and the GIANT get in position to overhear the conversation between MALEFICENT and the KING.)

GIANT

Your highness, you know I care deeply about the crown and obeying the laws of the land, in fact, I have ended my relationship with Jack based on the new laws.

ICE PRINCESS

As you should. Now what is it? I have a show.

GIANT

Maleficent has convinced your father to steal your jewelry as payment for her Magic Amulet. This amulet will allow the King all the wealth of the land, but the condition is he has to rob you of your online jewelry empire.

ICE PRINCESS

But Daddy loves me! I'm pretty. I'm perfect. A ten! How can this be?

GIANT

You don't have to believe me, come, listen, she is with him now.

(They move to a partition where they can't be seen but can overhear. MALEFICENT talks to KING MIDAS)

MALEFICENT

So Dearie, you know if you want all the riches in the land, all you have to do is give me the Princess' jewelry. Then the Magic Amulet is yours.

KING MIDAS

You mean all I need is the Amulet and I will have all the riches of the world? For King Midas. Gold! I will rule the world. The world. It's what I deserve.

MALEFICENT

It is!

KING MIDAS

My daughter will do as I wish. Women are disposable. Even the perfect ones wither eventually. I will take her jewels! I will rule the world!

MALEFICENT

I shall return tomorrow when the deed is done and you shall have the Amulet in exchange for her jewels.

(MALEFICENT sneaks out while ICE PRINCESS storms in.)

ICE PRINCESS

I heard you, you despicable little orange man. You don't love me. You only care about your own wealth.

KING MIDAS

Be a good little princess and give Daddy the jewels. You know you always obey Daddy.

ICE PRINCESS

(holding up her scary ice scepter preparing to strike)

I heard what you said about women being expendable. I know what you told me about my mother. You don't really love me. I heard about the Amulet. You only care about you!

KING MIDAS

Jesus, put that thing down. What the hell? Stupid little girl. You will obey me! Guards! Guards!

ICE PRINCESS

(throwing ice blasts with her scepter)

You never loved me. I've been a possession to you. A thing. A pretty, talented plaything. You used me. I hate you!

KING MIDAS

(running toward her)

I hate you, too! I hate everyone! Everyone <u>is</u> here for my benefit. Do you think I would ever give you any negotiable assets? Really? You little fool. You were warned, you were given an explanation, and nevertheless, you persist! GUARDS!

(RUMPELSTILTSKIN rushes in to save ICE PRINCESS.)

ICE PRINCESS

I hate you. I hate you!!! I hate you!!!!!!!!!!!

RUMPELSTILTSKIN

Princess, Princess. I'll save you...

(ICE PRINCESS freezes KING MIDAS just as he touches her and turns her to gold. RUMPELSTILTSKIN is touching the princess's robes and turns to gold too. THE OTHERS run to see the FROZEN RULERS upstage while JACK and GIANT have a moment in the prison cell downstage.)

GIANT

Jack. Jack...are you here?

JACK

Yes.

GIANT

Can you ever forgive me? I was blind—a fool. YOUR love is the only thing that matters to me.

JACK

Get me out of here.

Oh, of course, here. Hereum Well?	GIANT	
Come here, silly man.	JACK	
(They embrace.)		
(pulling JACK to the throne root I have something amazing to show you.	GIANT om)	
(MALEFICENT and CINDERELLA as well as all the others have shown up. They look at the frozen statues in wonder.)		
The tyrants are gone!	JIMINY	
We're free!	MALEFICENT	
Thank God.	JACK	
My baby is safe.	CINDERELLA	
Our baby.	BEAST	
But we need a wise leader.	GIANT	
A person of character, of wisdom, who believes	JIMINY in love, this person should be	
(RUMPELSTILTSKIN jumps out with a flourish.)		
Meeeeeeeee!!!!!!!!! Hahahaahaahaha!!!!!!!!	RUMPELSTILTSKIN	
You???	FRIENDS AND BEAST	

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YOU!?? You were turned to gold.		
RUMPELSTILTSKIN		
I'm too wily for the likes of you people. Now, bow down to your new ruler. RUMMMMPELLLLstilkskin!		
GIANT		
Never.		
JACK		
Never?		
GIANT		
(first to JACK and then to RUMPELSTILTSKIN)		
No, honey. Never! Rumpelstiltskin, you will <u>never</u> be our leader. I will stand up for what's right, and as for those unfair lawswell, sir, the wedding is ON.		
RUMPELSTILTSKIN		
Oh yeah?		
GIANT		
Yes. I suggest you leave before I show you the door. Excuse me, friends.		
(GIANT walks RUMPELSTILTSKIN out of the theatre and tosses him out with a boot.	.)	
Now, then. I would like to nominate Jiminy for our new leader.		
JIMINY		
Me?		

(The FRIENDS and BEAST celebrate JIMINY and their joy. 6. Finale.)

ALL

GIANT

All agree, say aye!

AYE! Long live JIMINY!

ALL

LOVE IS PEACE AND
PEACE CAN FIND THE LIGHT
AND WITH OUR FRIENDS
WE WON'T GIVE UP THE FIGHT

ALL THE COLORS IN THE SKY A RAINBOW OF LOVE IS LOVE LOVE IS LOVE IS LOVE!

CAN'T STAND YOUR HAPP'LY EVER AFTER?
TRADE IT IN FOR THE BAR WITH LAUGHTER
IT'S THE WOKE-EST PLACE YOU'VE EVER SEEN
YOU'RE ALWAYS WELCOME AT THE MAGIC BEAN!

GIANT

You know, I actually LOVE this Fairy Tale.

CURTAIN

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Finale

(Love Is Love / Magic Bean)
(ALL)

ALL: AYE! Long live Jiminy!

