

KPOP DEMON HUNTERS

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INT. STADIUM CONCERT

Lights flash and the crowd goes crazy for HUNTRIX.

CROWD
Huntrix, Huntrix, Huntrix!

The crowd holds their light sticks, screaming loudly for Huntrix as an images of the girls light up a jumbo screen.

CELINE (V.O.)
The world will know you as pop stars.

The Huntrix KPOP group-RUMI, ZOEY, and MIRA appear one by one on the stage.

CELINE (V.O.)
But you will be much more than that.

CUT TO BLACK:

CELINE (V.O.)
You will be hunters.

CUT TO:

INT. ANCIENT KOREA - MANY YEARS EARLIER

Demon patterns spread over a small village, while the villagers watch helplessly.

CELINE
Demons have always haunted our world.

Demons begin to emerge through tears in the earth and attack villagers.

CELINE (V.O.)
Stealing our souls and channeling strength back to their king, Gwi-Ma.

Their souls channeled into a glorious kingdom, consumed by a menacing mouth.

Demons chase after villagers- **but a voice cuts through the attack.**

CELINE (V.O.)
Until heroes arose to defend us.

The demons stop and turn around to see three women with weapons atop a roof. They draw their weapons and begin to sing, jumping off to save the villagers. They slay each demon with ease.

CELINE (V.O.)
Born with voices that could drive
back the darkness.

The Hunters continue to sing, an energy forming between them that spreads throughout the village, forming a barrier. Demons try to push through but this barrier keeps them out.

CELINE (V.O.)
Singing songs of courage and hope.

ANCIENT KOREA - MANY YEARS EARLIER

The villagers who the Hunters have saved from the demons are gathering together to hear their song.

CELINE (V.O.)
But, Hunters are more than
warriors. Our music ignites the
soul, and brings people together.

The Hunters continue to sing, an energy forming between them that spreads throughout the village, forming a barrier.

A child villager approaches a Hunter, who extends her hand.

CELINE (V.O.)
With this connection, the first
hunters created a shield to protect
our world. The Honmoon.

As the villagers gather together, the Honmoon shimmers all around them, growing stronger and expanding outward.

Shots of different Hunters from every generation.

CELINE (V.O.)
Every generation, a new trio of
Hunters is chosen to fulfill our
ultimate duty. A barrier so strong
it is impenetrable, that will keep
demons, and Gwi-Ma, from our world
forever: The Golden Honmoon.

A shot of the Golden Honmoon shining around the world.

EXT. JEJUDO FOREST - DAY

Our narrator, Celine, now speaks to three new Hunters before her. She has now become the mentor.

CELINE

And now, that duty falls to you.
That victory is within your reach.
It is your voices, your song, that
will create the Golden Honmoon.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Yes, Celine.

CUT TO:

EXT. CONCERT VENUE

Fans file in to a packed concert stadium.

FANS

Huntrix! Huntrix! Huntrix! Let's go
Huntrix!

Fans chant excitedly while entering the venue.

FANS (CONT'D)

We love Huntrix!

Cut away to fans as they tailgate outside.

MIRA FAN 1

Mira's my favorite! She's the
visual and lead dancer of Huntrix.
Nobody can move like Mira.

MIRA FAN 2

Apparently she was the black sheep
of her family.

MIRA FAN 3

I don't know why because she's so
cool. Who else can wear a sleeping
bag to the Met Gala?

Shots of Mira family photos, where she is very much the
outlier in an otherwise perfectly normal family.

MIRA FAN 4

Yeah, she's our role model.

MIRA FAN 5/FAN 6

She's the best. Love her.

Three "Mira Fans", dressed just like her, talk straight to camera.

EXT. CONCERT VENUE

Now it's Zoey's fans turn to gush.

FANS
We're here for ZOEY!

ZOEY FAN 1
She's the rapper and lyricist.

Shots of Zoey in school, headphones on, writing lyrics in her notebook.

ZOEY FAN 2
She grew up in America, somewhere
called Burbank, USA?

Shot of a map of California.

ZOEY FAN 1
She's the cutest maknae.

ZOEY FAN 2
- but when she raps- she goes HARD.

Shot of nerdy young Zoey doing rap battles.

ZOEY FAN 3
She gets real scary, like, so scary
you better WATCH OUT!

EXT. CONCERT VENUE

Rumi's fans gather around her for autographs.

FANS
We love RUMI!

RUMI FAN 1
She's pop star royalty.

RUMI FAN 2
Her mom was a Sunlight Sister but
passed away when she was an infant.

Shots of young Celine as a pop star.

RUMI FAN 3
But Celine raised her and built
Huntrix around her.

Shot of Celine with Baby Rumi. Shot of Celine with debuting
Huntrix.

RUMI FAN 4
Rumi's voice is just incredible.
Like-

A bunch of sobbing fans cry into the mic.

CRYING FANS
-it brings us to tears!

Fans gush, now in their seats and ready for show.

HUNTRIX FAN 1
They're taking a break after this
concert and they totally need it
but we're gonna miss them so much-

FANS
AHHHHHHHH!!!

They start freaking out as the concert lights dim.

EXT. OLYMPIC STADIUM - NIGHT

An incredible light show plays for a packed stadium audience.
The fans go wild as video plays of HUNTRIX. We see slides of
ZOEY, MIRA, and RUMI. The crowd CHANTS their names. The crowd
has heart glow sticks and signs for each girl. The energy is
unmatched.

An excited man BOBBY, late 30s, manager, a human golden
retriever, weaves around backstage on a head mic.

BOBBY
Everyone look alive!

A group of people working on the sound levels give him a
thumbs up.

BOBBY (CONT'D)
Alright, lookin' good over there!

A man up in the rafters next to a spotlight gives him a
thumbs up.

BOBBY (CONT'D)
Okay. Ready? Ready!

Bobby smiles to himself, but then checks his phone and immediately looks worried.

BOBBY (CONT'D)
But where are the girls??

He checks his flight tracker app and sees they have flown PAST the stadium.

BOBBY (CONT'D)
What?! Where are they going??

INT. PLANE - NIGHT - PRESENT DAY

RUMI
Okay, this is our biggest show yet!

ZOEY
The most songs!

MIRA
The most moves.

RUMI
Which means...the most carb
loading!

They throw their hands up in the air and begin gorging.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
FOR THE FANS.

An overhead shot of all the food.

RUMI
Yeah, I need like ten thousand
calories to get through the choreo.

MIRA
1000%. A gajillion percent!

RUMI
Mira, that's not even a real
number.

MIRA
It is for our fans.

ZOEY
Ooh ooh pass me the kimbap!

Zoey opens a bag of food.

ZOEY (CONT'D)
(mouthful)
Oh, I love these.

The girls continue to feast on their favorite foods.

ZOEY (CONT'D)
Ahhh.

RUMI
Ohhh I love these!

MIRA
Gimme one!

RUMI
Our fans deserve the best!

EXT. PLANE IN SKY - NIGHT

The private jet quietly cruises at altitude.

INT. PLANE - NIGHT - PRESENT DAY

The flight attendant walks in with some Huntrix branded ramyun.

The girls open their cups of ramyun. Rumi takes the hot water kettle from the flight attendant.

RUMI
Okay, time for our pregame ramyun!

The girls reach for the three cups of ramyun on the table and toast.

ALL
Happy fans, happy Honmoon!

ZOEY
Wait, there's no water in these?

Rumi calls to the flight attendant, who is oddly pouring coffee into a plant.

RUMI
Umm, excuse me, Miss?

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
Yes, Miss Hunter-ix?

RUMI
We asked for hot water like-

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
Right away! You're welcome!
Arrivederci! Goodbye.

The flight attendant walks away in an awkward hurry.

RUMI
Uh..Okay...

RING RING. Bobby is calling. Rumi answers.

INT. PLANE - NIGHT - PRESENT DAY

RING RING. Bobby is calling. Rumi answers.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Hi Bobby!

Bobby, who is at their concert venue, shows them a packed stadium.

BOBBY
Yeah hiii. Um what are you doing?

RUMI
About to eat our pre-show ramen.

BOBBY
Pre-show?! What about the show
show!

Excited fans take Bobby's phone and see the girls on the screen.

BOBBY (CONT'D)
Hey hey- that's my phone!

FAN 1
We love you!

Mira and Zoey join Rumi on the call. FANS!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Aw we love you too!

The phone gets passed to other fans who are trying to talk but are inconsolable, bawling their eyes out. The girls can't help but cry too. They love their fans so much.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY (CONT'D)

Aw that's so sweet!

Another fan takes the phone, he's got "Huntrix" tattooed on his stomach.

TATTOO FAN

Yo! I just got this!

Rumi and Zoey look a little freaked out but Mira approves.

MIRA

Sick.

Bobby finally takes back his phone from the fans.

BOBBY

AGH! Gimme that! SO WHY ARE YOU LATE?

RUMI

Late?

The girls look out the plane window and see that they're flying away from the stadium!

BOBBY

Fifty thousands fans are waiting for you! They made cute signs and everything. HOW CAN YOU BE LATE? Oh I wish you were here-

While Bobby continues to have a meltdown, the girls look towards the flight attendants and pilots, who are clearly acting strange. Rumi's eyes narrow.

RUMI

Keep your shirt on, Bobby. We'll be there in three.

She hangs up the phone. The girls are pissed! Mira throws her bowl of ramyun.

MIRA

GAH!!! I didn't even get to finish my ramyun!

RUMI

WHY do they always interrupt our snacking?!

ZOEY

(mouth full, mumbled)

THEY WILL FEEL MY WRATH!

Rumi stands up to confront the attendants.

RUMI
Um, excuse me?

One of the flight attendants turns around.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
Please take your seat-

RUMI
Yeah we don't have time- you're a demon, right?

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
(nervous)
W-What do you mean??

RUMI
You're smiling all weird, watering plants with coffee, and those guys c'mon-

Rumi looks towards the pilots who are clicking random buttons and another attendant just buckling a seat belt. These are clearly not humans.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
(nervous)
Oh...we were just-

RUMI
Oh look patterns.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT
Oh these? These are just--ahhhh!

Rumi grabs the attendant's wrist and holds it up, revealing demon patterns along their arm. The flight attendant smiles awkwardly. Rumi stomps on her foot and she stumbles back, morphing into her true **DEMON FORM**. The rest of the crew transforms into demons too! Mira and Zoey sluggishly come up and stand next to Rumi. They're FULL.

RUMI
The rest of you can come out. We're in a hurry.

The demons reveal themselves, all with the same demon patterns across their bodies. The main pilot demon comes out of the cockpit. Mira is not having it.

MIRA
Aww...you got the patterns.

Mira cocks her head to the side.

MIRA (CONT'D)
Now you gotta die.

PILOT DEMON
The only ones dying tonight are
your-

HUGE BURP. It's Mira. She's clutching her stomach and sweating like she's about to pass out.

The pilot demon tries to start again.

PILOT DEMON (CONT'D)
I said the only ones dying tonight
are your-

Loud gurgling AGAIN. This time it's Rumi and Zoey holding their stomachs.

RUMI
I'm sorry what?

PILOT DEMON
(frustrated)
Your fans! We're gonna eat your
fans!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
WOAH! UH OH! No, no, no. No thank
you!

The girl's attitude quickly changes. *DO NOT* mention eating their fans.

RUMI
Not our fans...

ZOEY
When you mess with our fans-

MIRA
-we need to make it hurt.

One of the smaller demons looks towards the Pilot demon.

The Honmoon ripples above them.

The girls get into formation as we enter the sickest music video/fight sequence. The demons squirm with fear.

SONG - "HOW IT'S DONE"

Rumi grabs a hot water dispenser and fills it up with water. She uses it to punch demons out of her way and throws it to Mira who uses it to smash a demon into a chair.

[INTRO]

*You came at a bad time
But you just crossed the line
You wanna get wild?
Okay I'll show you wild*

Zoey fills up her ramyun cup with hot water and graciously passes it down the line to her girls. The demons try to attack but the girls slam them down.

[VERSE]

*Better come right,
better luck tryin
Gettin to our level
Cause you might die, never the time
To try to take whats mine alright
Bleeding isnt in my blood
빠속부터 달라서
beating you is what i do
Body on body
I'm naughty, not even sorry
And when you pull up,
I'll pull up
A little late to the party
La la la la lock and loaded
I was born for this
There ain't no point in avoidin it
Annoyed a bit so back up,
Bring back up,
Either way we back ugh.*

Mira and Zoey try to dive into their noodles but Rumi grabs them. She points out the "Simmer for 3 Minutes" on the side of the cup. She sets them down and the girls summon their weapons. Kill first, then eat.

[PRE CHORUS]

*Knocking you out like a lullaby
Hear that sound ringing in your
mind
Take a seat for the show
Cuz I'm gonna show you.*

They waste no time slicing and dicing these demons. Their ramyun simmers innocently among the chaos.

[CHORUS]

*How it's done done done
(Huntrix dont miss!)
(MORE)*

[CHORUS] (CONT'D)

*How it's done done done
(Huntrix dont quit!)
How it's done done
Run run we run the town
Whole world playing our sound
Turnin up it's going down
(Huntrix show dis)
How it's dun dun dun*

Rumi slices a demon in half and slams him against a wall. The demon looks at Rumi's shoulder, now exposed, and he sees...demon patterns? Rumi kills him before he can say anything. She quickly covers her shoulder. Suddenly, the plane jolts, knocking the girls and their ramyun off balance. NOT THE RAMYUN!

Rumi dives and catches her ramyun before it hits the ground. They look outside the window and see the cockpit has completely detached, flying mid-air, with the pilot demon getting away in it.

Both wings snap off the plane too! It's now just the body of the plane. A gust of wind grabs their attention and they head towards the cockpit, that's no longer there.

MIRA

Yeah, this plane's trashed.

The girls slurp their noodles though. Finally some relief.

RUMI

Okay, let's do this.

They look down and notice the demons free-falling straight towards the venue. Rumi slurps her noodles, gives the girls a wink, and jumps out of the plane.

[VERSE 2]

*Something about when you come for
the crown thats so humblin huh?
What you want wit it?
I rather I crumble it,
Thought I was done wit? what?
Nothin to us to run up, you done
up, we come up from sun up to sun
down so come out to play
won either way, we one in a
million, we kill em, like really?
You want it? Okay.*

EXT. PLANE - FREEFALL

Zoey watches as Rumi jumps out of the plane.

Mira jumps as well.

Zoey still follows though, noodles in mouth, whipping out her mascara too. Mira and Rumi also start getting ready as they free-fall. They are PROS at multitasking.

Rumi leads the charge, hurtling head first toward the stadium. Her braid whips in the wind as she twirls to be upright and full power kicks downward. Her kick lands squarely in the back of one of the falling demons, who is rocked by the blow. Effortlessly, Rumi reapplies her mascara in a compact.

[RUMI LYRIC]

Heels. Nails. Blade. Mascara.

She tosses the compact to: Mira who is blowdrying her hair mid air, and checks her reflection in the compact.

[MIRA LYRIC]

Fit check for my napalm era.

The compact travels to: Zoey who has a demon head-locked between her legs and is applying blush.

[ZOEY LYRIC]

*Need to beat my face. Make it cute
and savage,
Mirror mirror on my phone, who's
the baddest? us? hello?!*

She checks the mirror then grabs the demon by the cheeks and squishes it's head.

One last squeeze, and she releases, flipping into the air and free falling toward the earth with the girls.

[PRE CHORUS]

*Knocking you out like a lullaby
Hear that sound ringing in your
mind
Better sit down for the show
Cuz I'm gonna show you.*

EXT. OLYMPIC STADIUM - NIGHT

The crowd waits for the girls to arrive. A light shines in the sky and the audience turns towards it. The girls are fire balls hurtling towards them.

CONCERT FAN 1

It's them!

The girls crash into the stage full speed, sending a cloud of smoke through the stadium. As the smoke clears, the demons are exposed by the stage lights. The crowd gasps.

More lights come on, revealing the silhouettes of Huntrix behind the demons. The fans go crazy! The girls jump through the smoke and slay each demon.

[CHORUS]

*How it's done done done
(Huntrix don't miss!)
How it's done done done
(Huntrix don't quit!)
How it's done done
Run run we run the town Whole world
playing our sound
Turnin up it's going down
(Huntrix show dis)
How it's dun dun.*

One demon lands in the crowd next to a fan.

CONCERT FAN 2

Woahh cool costume!

Zoey throws a knife and explodes them. Fans CHEER!

Now that they're demon responsibilities are done, the girls give their fans a SHOW!

[MIRA LYRIC]

*I don't talk, but I bite.
Full of venom.
Spittin' facts, you know that's uh!
How it's done, done, done.*

Zoey breaks into a hip hop dance and slides across the stage, making hand hearts with the fans.

[ZOEY LYRIC]

*Okay, like I know I ramble, hey!
When shootin' my words I go rambo.
Took blood, sweat, and tears to
look natural.
That's how it's done, done, done.*

[RUMI LYRIC]

*Hear our voice unwavering.
Til our song defeats the night.
Making fear afraid to breathe.
Til the dark meets the light.*

[CHORUS]

*How it's done, done, done.
Run, run, we run the town run,
Whole world playing our sound
Turnin' up, it's going down.
Huntrix show dis!
How it's done, done, done.
We hunt you down, down, down.
Huntrix don't quit!
We got you now, now, now.
Huntrix don't miss!
We show you how, how.
Huntrix don't miss!
How it's done, done, done.*

They come together to finish their song, with the Honmoon pulsating and shining throughout the stadium. Once again, the girls fulfill their duty in great style.

The camera pans down the Honmoon, which is holding back a slew of demons trying to get in.

INT. DEMON WORLD

On the opposite side of the Honmoon is an empty wasteland. Demons sulk around, walking towards Gwi-Ma's crumbling palace. The flight attendant demon is back in the demon world, afraid to go near Gwi-Ma's palace but the patterns around her wrists flare and suddenly she's being pulled up towards the palace. She lands in front of a tall black void.

GWI-MA

Let me guess...they got away again?

FLIGHT ATTENDANT DEMON

The Hunters... t-they're too strong!

GWI-MA

I understand.

The flight attendant demon is confused.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT DEMON

Y-you... you do?

Gwi-Ma's floating mouth appears in the black void, his voice booms.

GWI-MA

I understand..you are weak.

The flight attendant demon cowers. Her patterns FLARE. She is engulfed in flames. Her shame and patterns consume her. She screams in pain as Gwi-Ma absorbs her soul.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

Pathetic, useless... ALL OF YOU.

Gwi-Ma's voice is terrifying. Demons continue to cower and cry over their shame.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

Don't you idiots know? Once the
Hunters turn the Honmoon gold, it's
over for us!

A simple haegeum melody interrupts the crying. Then a voice - JINU (23, but technically 400 years old). You can't see his face but you can tell he's HOT. He stands atop a tower and floats down to join the other demons. A tiger, DERPY, follows him as he moves through the crowd.

JINU

There once was a mighty demon king-
Stop me if you've heard this one
before-
He was in total control. He feasted
on souls. The world trembled when
he roared.
But then some hunters sang some
songs. Now all he does is starve.
Can't get at the souls, his flame
grows cold-
Just a whisper in the dark
(singing)
And will he let the fire go out? Is
this the end of him now?
Dying king with a crumbling crown,
Will he let the fire go out?

The demons look on, worried Jinu is only making things worse. There is a sense of jealousy amongst the demons, as Jinu effortlessly navigates the crowd. Jinu stops at the base of Gwi-Ma's palace, his black Saja hat still covering his face.

GWI-MA

I let you keep that voice, Jinu,
and you dare to mock me with it?

JINU

I'm not here to mock you. I'm here
to help you.

As Jinu floats up the staircase towards Gwi-Ma, he gathers four other demons closely behind him.

JINU (CONT'D)

It's time for a new strategy. We
fight the Hunters where they least
expect it.

He lines the demons on both sides of him. Jinu looks up,
finally revealing his face and yes, HE'S HOT.

JINU (CONT'D)

Go after the very thing that powers
the Honmoon... The fans.

Jinu and the Saja demons strike a pose, a classic boy band
formation.

GWI-MA

A demon boy band?

Gwi-Ma laughs loudly. Some of the demons laugh along.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

What makes you think that could
work?

Jinu snaps his fingers and the Saja demons quickly morph into
boy band members. We see glimpses of perfect hair, cute eyes,
and GLISTENING ABS. But the demons still wear their Saja
robes...the full reveal will come later.

The demon crowd loves it.

DEMON FANS

Oh yeah/That's totally gonna work/A
hundred percent.

Gwi-Ma is intrigued.

GWI-MA

Okay...I know you, Jinu. In four
hundred years, you've never done a
single thing that didn't serve
yourself.

As Gwima speaks, Jinu's patterns light up and he has a
disturbing flashback of a woman and child crying and reaching
for him. Jinu closes his eyes and shakes the memory out of
his head.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

What do you want?

Jinu smiles and holds up his wrists - patterns all over them.

JINU
The memories...I want them erased.

EXT. OLYMPIC STADIUM - NIGHT

Back to the human world. The concert is over and the stadium glows with powerful Honmoon energy as fans exit.

INT. BACKSTAGE - NIGHT

The roar of the crowd echoes in the background as Rumi, Mira, and Zoey are lowered down to the sub-stage area. Zoey looks a little frazzled.

Suddenly, a golden shimmer passes over the Honmoon.

RUMI
Did we just see gold?

MIRA
Yeah, I can't believe we're doing it.

ZOEY
Ahhh so exciting!

RUMI
Okay, you know what this means?
It's time to release *the* song.

ZOEY/MIRA
We're gonna turn it gold/ Yes, it's finally time!

RUMI
Eeee! Yeahh---

Rumi's voice breaks but she shakes it off immediately.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Woah, that was weird.

ZOEY
Good thing we are taking a break.

MIRA
Yeah, sounds like you need the rest.

RUMI
Yeah, just need a little water.

The elevator doors open and we see Bobby! He's surrounded by a million stagehands.

BOBBY

Did someone say water?

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Hi Bobby!

BOBBY

(to crew)

WATER! NOW!

Each stagehands pulls out a water bottle, eager to serve our Huntrix.

The girls start walking down the hallway with Bobby. Meanwhile, crew members cater to their every need. Comfy robes, new hair, make-up, food, drinks, you name it! The girls are being PAMPERED as they walk.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

What a way to end the World tour!
And that finale with the guy in the
demon suit exploding into confetti-

CREW

So chill! / Those special effects
looked amazing!

MIRA

Huh huh, yeah *special* effects.

BOBBY

This is gonna break the bank - but
oooh look at these social numbers!
They're off the charts!

Bobby shows them his phone.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

And to celebrate, I booked you a
week-long staycation at the
fanciest, most exclusive relaxation
resort in Korea.

MIRA

Sorry, Bobby. We already have
plans.

BOBBY

What? What plans?

ZOEY

We got the hottest ticket in town.

ZOEY/MIRA

To our couch. (chanting) Couch,
couch, couch...!

RUMI

Bobby, you should go enjoy the
resort! This tour's been grueling
for everyone. You deserve it.

BOBBY

Me? Oh no, I couldn't possibly-
just kidding! Robe me. I'm a 34
short, please.

Stagehands pop up behind Bobby and give him a comfy robe and
eye mask to begin his vacation. He throws up a peace sign and
walks away.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

See you in a couple of weeks,
girls.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Bye Bobby!

MIRA

Alright, two weeks of vacation.

Rumi schemes behind the girls with a smirk.

RUMI

Yes, vacation.

EXT./INT. PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

Elevator doors open to the girls entering their penthouse.

MIRA

Mmm I can't wait to eat kimbap and
stare at the ceiling.

ZOEY

I already picked out a movie for
us. It's actually a list of 700 two-
second videos I want you to watch.
All about turtles!

MIRA

Sounds super boring...I'm so down.

Rumi looks at her phone behind the others.

The screen reads: NEW SINGLE. GOLDEN.

RUMI
(to herself)
Let's do this.

Rumi presses the launch button, and the upload completes. She walks into the HUNTRIX CLOSET - an automatically lit costume hall with floor to ceiling clothes on display.

Spotlight on a new Huntrix costume. Rumi checks out her reflection in the glass.

RUMI (CONT'D)
It's time.

Meanwhile, Mira and Zoey are back in their comfortable robes, heading for the couch with their snacks.

MIRA/ZOEY
Couch! Couch! Couch! Couch! Couch!
Couch! Couch!

They plop down.

ZOEY/MIRA
Oh yeah. That's the stuff. / So
relaxing.

Rumi appears behind them, just a head above the cushions.

RUMI
Hey! Have a good break?

MIRA
What? No. We literally just sat
down.

Rumi rises, revealing her full attire. The girls turn in horror.

ZOEY
Why are you in your new costume?

MIRA/ZOEY
Rumi, you didn't!

MIRA
Did you announce the new single?

Rumi nods her head with a big smile. Mira and Zoey are not so thrilled.

ZOEY

And the promo starts tomorrow?

MIRA/ZOEY

Tonight?

Tears spring from their eyes as Rumi extends their costumes.

MIRA

Rumi, Rumi, no. Nooo. No,
Rumi. Nooo!

ZOEY

No, we just, but- pajamas! I
love my pajamas! Nooo!

The elevator dings and opens. Bobby appears.

BOBBY

Girls, you won't believe this!

The girls are now dressed and ready. Only Rumi looks excited though.

MIRA

Bobby.

ZOEY

No more relax-y time.

Bobby points at his phone.

BOBBY

Your new single is on fire.
Everyone's listening to it!

Okay, now the girls are excited.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Yeeeeeee!

BOBBY

So let's go promoooo!

Bobby throws off his robe to reveal a sparkly suit underneath. He twirls and the girls cheer.

EXT. CITIES ACROSS THE WORLD

Fans freak out over the announcement of the new Huntrix single! It's on billboards, cell phones, bus stops. They're everywhere!

FANS

New single? New single? There's a
new single? There's gonna be a NEW
SINGLE! New Huntrix!

The teaser for Huntrix's new single "Golden" starts playing. Visuals of the girls and "Golden" spread online.

The NEW MV Premiere is announced!

FANS (CONT'D)

Three! Two! One!

INTERCUT music video with fans watching on their phones all around the world.

INT./EXT. GOLDEN MUSIC VIDEO

FLASHBACK: Rumi on her own, lost in the forest. The moon flashes, and she's scared atop on a throne. She stands up with her golden cape, confident.

RUMI LYRIC

I was a ghost i was alone

어워진 앞길속에

*given the throne I didn't know how
to believe how I was the queen that
I'm meant to be I ah...*

FLASHBACK: Zoey in high school dealing with bullies. She fights them off in a flash of gold and skateboards away.

ZOEY LYRIC

*I lived two lives tried to play
both sides but i couldn't find my
own place.*

FLASHBACK: Mira being the black sheep in her family, not belonging. She pulls off a golden dance pose in her family's portrait.

MIRA LYRIC

*Called a problem child
cuz I got too wild but now that's
how I'm getting paid
끝없이 on stage*

Present day, Mira stands atop a flying airplane and throws out a peace sign.

CHORUS

*I'm done hiding now I'm shining
like I'm born to be ...born to be.*

Now the three girls pose on top of a Golden Honmoon together.

INT. CLASSROOM - DAY

Students hover around a cellphone, watching the teaser. Fans everywhere watch it over and over.

FAN #2
I love it already!

INT./EXT. GOLDEN MUSIC VIDEO

Rumi lays in bed as a door cracks opens, gold light on the other side. She steps through it.

Mira sits alone, looking over the city. Zoey walks through a school hallway. They both follow the same light.

Now they are stars and everyone loves them! The girls drive a convertible down a golden street.

CHORUS
*We dreamin' hard ...dreamin' hard
We came so far ...came so far now I
believe ...I believe we're goin up
up up it's our moment you know
together we're glowing gonna be,
gonna be golden ohhh up up up
with our voices*
영원히 H질수없는

Fans cry from happiness and SING ALONG.

FANS
We're going up up up, it's our
moment!

CRYING FANS
You know together we're glowin.

FAN #3
Amazing.

FAN #4
Again! Again!

Messages of support cover the screen.

INT. TALK SHOW - DAY

Huntrix sits on a couch together, being interviewed. The teaser for "Golden" plays over them.

INTERVIEWER (O.S.)

Do you see my head bobbin right now? Tell us more about that new single, Golden.

MIRA

It's the story of us.

RUMI

It's a song about who we are, and where we're going next.

ZOEY

And the first live performance is tonight!

The more the fans support the single release, the stronger the Honmoon grows.

CHORUS

*Gonna be, gonna be golden oh, I'm
done hiding now I'm shining like
I'm born to be.
Oh, our time no fears no lies
that's who we're born to be
we're goin.*

INT. GLAM ROOM/RUMI'S DRESSING ROOM - NIGHT

Mira and Zoey are getting glammed. Bobby is amped.

RUMI (V.O.)

It's the beginning of a new chapter for us, for the whole world. And we're so excited to show you what's next.

Rumi gets ready alone in her dressing room and picks up singing the bridge to "Golden" in the mirror.

RUMI LYRIC

*Waited so long to break these walls
down to wake up and feel like me,
Put these patterns all in the past
now and finally live like the girl
they all see no more hiding,
I'll be shining like I'm born to be
cause we are hunters,
voices strong and I know I believe.*

Rumi takes off her robe to REVEAL: demon patterns. Rumi covers her patterns and leaves her dressing room.

INT. CONCERT VENUE - NIGHT

The song continues!

RUMI CHORUS
*We're goin' up up up
It's our moment
You know together, we're glowing
Gonna be, gonna be golden
Ohhh up up up.*

Cameras on cranes move around the stage where Huntrix are in mid-rehearsal before their new single performance!

EXT. CONCERT VENUE - NIGHT

Fans excitedly chant outside the venue before the live performance.

FANS
Huntrix! Huntrix! Huntrix!

Two fans are decked out in all Huntrix merch. They're watching the new music video on their phones.

FAN #1
Rumi's voice is so incredible!

FAN #2
I can't wait to hear her live!

INT. CONCERT VENUE - NIGHT

Bobby dances along! He knows all the moves and accidentally hits a camera operator in the face.

BOBBY
Oh, sorry!

The girls continue to rehearse. But as we reach Rumi's solo-

RUMI LYRIC
*Oh, I'm done hiding, now I'm
shining like I'm born to be-*

-her voice **CRACKS.**

She tries clearing her throat. Bobby stops singing along.

BOBBY
Huh??

MIRA

You okay?

Rumi shakes it off.

RUMI

Yeah, yeah I'm fine. Let's take it
again, from the top.

The girls continue to practice after Rumi's hiccup. They look stronger than ever! They nail the chorus as always and as the spotlight falls back on Rumi--

RUMI LYRIC

*Oh, I'm done hiding, now I'm
shining like I'm born to be-*

-- and her voice cracks again! Rumi looks more concerned now.

BOBBY

Rumi? Are you okay? Do you need
some water?

RUMI

I just need five! I'm gonna take
five.

Rumi walks off stage. A producer freaks out on the side.

PRODUCER

Five minutes? We go live in ten!

Bobby tries to keep the peace.

BOBBY

(nervous)

Okay, I can handle this. I'm not
having a nervous breakdown.
Visualize: there's NOT ten thousand
fans at the door screaming and
sounding really scary!

EXT. CONCERT VENUE - NIGHT

The fans have gone mad! They're about to ambush security to get into the venue. Terrified security guards protect the entrance doors.

SECURITY #1

(into earpiece)

MAYDAY MAYDAY! There's ten thousand
fans at the door screaming and
sounding really scary!

INT. DRESSING ROOM - NIGHT

Rumi rushes inside her dressing room and slams the door.

RUMI

Okay...

She looks in the mirror and unzips her jacket, one of her demon patterns is now on her throat. She gasps in horror.

RUMI (CONT'D)

My voice? No...no!

She stares at herself in the mirror, panic setting in.

EXT. STREETS OF SEOUL - NIGHT

Rumi runs out of the venue, flashbacks of her past start to seep in. The Hunter's Mantra echoes through her head.

YOUNG RUMI

*We are Hunters, voices strong,
Slaying demons with our song
Fix the world and make it right.
When darkness finally meets the
light.*

FLASHBACK TO:

INT. RUMI'S BEDROOM - YEARS EARLIER

Celine is braiding Rumi's hair at a very young age.

YOUNG RUMI

Celine? Do Hunters kill all demons?

CELINE

Yes.

YOUNG RUMI

So everything that has patterns?

Rumi pulls her sleeve up to reveal her demon patterns.

CELINE

Cover those up. You only have those
because-

Celine pushes the sleeve back down.

YOUNG RUMI

My dad was a demon.

CELINE

You're not one of them, Rumi.
You're a Hunter, just like your
mother was.

Rumi looks in the mirror with Celine.

CELINE (CONT'D)

When the Honmoon is sealed, all the
demons will be gone from this
world. And so will your patterns.

YOUNG RUMI

So these will be gone?

CELINE

Yes, those will be gone.

INTERCUT: Present day Rumi continues to run, these flashbacks
becoming more and more intense for her.

INT. PENTHOUSE - YEARS EARLIER

Rumi, now a teenager, covers her demon patterns with a
hoodie. She talks to Mira and Zoey through a door.

ZOEY (O.S.)

You always say no, Rumi!

MIRA (O.S.)

You're so modest, it's just the
bathhouse!

RUMI

Maybe some other time. You guys go
ahead.

MIRA

Ugh, every time.

INT. KITCHEN

Mira and Zoey leave. Rumi walks in and looks towards the
door. Celine sits at the kitchen island.

RUMI

(to Celine)

Maybe...they'll understand.

CELINE

No, Rumi. Nothing can change, until
your patterns are gone.

INTERCUT: Present day Rumi continues to run. Pain flashing across her face.

EXT. PENTHOUSE ROOFTOP - PRESENT DAY

Rumi arrives on the rooftop, breathless. She takes off her jacket, revealing demon patterns all over her body.

She starts singing, determined to nail the solo where she'd failed before.

RUMI LYRIC

*No more hiding, I'll be shining,
like I'm born to be. Cause we are
hunters, voices strong, and I know
I believe-*

But her voice breaks again. She slams her fists on the roof and the Honmoon ripples.

RUMI

How am I supposed to fix the world?
Fix me? When I don't have my voice.
Why now? When I'm so close. Why?
WHY?

Rumi yells this last part, her voice now different...her DEMON VOICE. It echoes across Seoul, a red ripple spreading across the Honmoon.

Rumi falls back, terrified at what she's done. The Hunter's Mantra echoes once again through her head.

INT. KITCHEN - NIGHT

Rumi walks out of the elevator to see Mira and Zoey sitting at the table. Rumi looks shaken up. The girls immediately soften.

INT. RESTAURANT - NIGHT

The girls sit around a table, bowls of soup in front of them. Rumi barely touches hers.

RUMI

I-I'm sorry about the show.

ZOEY

Rumi, it's okay. I'm sure
everything will be fine. Bobby can
handle it.

Zoey's phone rings. It's Bobby.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

Hi Bobby!

BOBBY

Girls! I can't handle this! There's thousands of disappointed fans and the network is losing their minds! Okay this is why you pay me three percent. OKAY BACK OFF! My girls will sing when they're ready.

Mira takes the phone and hangs it up. They did not want Rumi to hear that. She knows she let everyone down.

MIRA

It's okay. We can reschedule another live show within days-

RUMI

I- I don't know if that's going to be possible.

Mira and Zoey look concerned. Mira is more sus.

RUMI (CONT'D)

My voice...it's in trouble.

MIRA

Wait in trouble? Then why did you push up the "Golden" release?

RUMI

Because we're so close and it's so-important.

ZOEY

Okay, how do we handle this? What do we tell the fans? Maybe we should call Celine?

MIRA

We know what she'd say, Zoey.

ZOEY

Oh, right, right.

Mira and Zoey do a Celine impression.

MIRA/ZOEY

(Mocking)

"We are Hunters, voices strong.

(MORE)

MIRA/ZOEY (CONT'D)

Your faults and fears must never be seen."

The girls laugh.

MIRA

Woah you sound exactly like her.

ZOEY

Yeah, that's exactly how she says it.

MIRA

No but that's what we gotta do, hide it. We gotta hide it and fix it.

ZOEY

Yeah no for sure, we have to hide it uh huh.

Rumi gets more intense.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

Rumi, why don't we take a break? We'll skip the Idol Awards this year-

RUMI

No, no way. It's our most important show, it's when we strengthen the Honmoon for the entire year. We can't skip it, we just can't. Not when I'm so close.

Mira and Zoey exchange a look.

ZOEY

Hey, we'll get through this. We can get through anything. Together.

Rumi smiles. Zoey picks up her phone.

MIRA

Okay we have two weeks to fix Rumi's voice. Any ideas?

ZOEY

I do have one idea!

MIRA

Just one?

ZOEY

-Actually 57, but let's start with my favorite! Don't worry it's totally legit.

EXT. STREETS OF SEOUL - DAY

The girls walk down the street. Zoey looks down at her phone for directions.

ZOEY

He's got this special tonic. Apparently, it can heal anything from sore throats to relationship problems.

Mira notices a lot of people gathering near them.

RUMI

Shh, quietly, Zoey.

MIRA

Why are there so many people today?

ZOEY

Oh! It's down that alleyway!

The girls go into an alley as people continue to crowd the streets, holding "Free Concert" flyers in their hands.

FANS

Free concert? / It's at noon! / Who are the Saja Boys?

The girls arrive in front of a slightly dilapidated *hanok* (traditional Korean house) nestled among ugly commercial buildings. An "As Seen on TV" posters hangs in front.

MIRA

Yep, about as legit as I expected.

RUMI

Earthy and herby-- smells legit to me.

ZOEY

Yay! That's the spirit! Kaja kaja kaja kaja.

MIRA

Hurry before someone sees us.

Zoey gives Rumi a big hug as they enter the clinic.

INT. HEALER HAN'S CLINIC - DAY

An old, wooden cabinet with rows upon rows of small DRAWERS covers an entire wall of the room. Rumi stares at a wall covered with framed signatures and photos of the doctor with celebrity clients. Zoey gives Rumi an excited thumbs up and Rumi awkwardly smiles. What has she gotten them into?

The door slides opens. Han (50s) enters sporting a white doctor's coat and dad glasses.

HEALER HAN

Rumi Nim?

The girls spring up. Han waves them down.

HEALER HAN (CONT'D)

Sit, sit. You need no introduction.

They all take a seat.

HEALER HAN (CONT'D)

So, a problem with your voice.

ZOEY

Yes! So we need one of your awesome tonics. Something that will work super fast!

HEALER HAN

Okay. Let me see.

Rumi opens her mouth wide.

RUMI

AAAAHHHHHH....

Han puts his hand out in disagreement.

HEALER HAN

Ah, ah, ah! In order to heal a part, we must understand the whole.

Han gestures to the entirety of her. He takes a deep breath and closes his eyes. When he opens them, his gaze is intense. He scans Rumi's body, as if having x-ray vision.

HEALER HAN (CONT'D)

HMMMMMM.....

RUMI

Uh....

She covers herself, as if he can see through her.

HEALER HAN

Hmm...I see...I see. No, actually,
I don't see. Very strange. You have
lots of walls up.

ZOEY

(to Mira)

Woah! He's so good, right?

Mira is reading a magazine. She can't be bothered with this
gimmick.

HEALER HAN

So many walls...

RUMI

Walls? I don't have walls.

Mira's not going to let this slide.

MIRA

Uh...yeah you do.

(to Zoey)

He is kinda good.

RUMI

I'm just trying to stay focused.

HEALER HAN

Hmm...Focus is good. But focusing
on one part leads to ignoring other
parts, making you separated,
isolated-

Zoey shoots up her hand.

ZOEY

Oooo! Emotionally closed off?

HEALER HAN

Yes! Yes!

MIRA

She's also a workaholic, doesn't
know how to relax-

RUMI

I know how to relax!

HEALER HAN

I bet she refuses to go to the
bathhouse with you?

ZOEY
Oh my gosh! Yes!

RUMI
How did you even-

They room erupts in laughter, except Rumi.

ZOEY
Dude, we've been trying to take her
to the bathhouse-

ZOEY/MIRA
-forever!

The room continues to laugh but Rumi is growing frustrated.

RUMI
How is this helpful??

MIRA
It's helping me a lot.

ZOEY
Wow! I can't believe you got all
that wisdom just from looking at
her!

He examines Zoey.

HEALER HAN
Hmm.. I see-

ZOEY
Wait, why're you looking at me?!

HEALER HAN
Eagerness to please...maybe a
little too eager.

Zoey freaks out.

ZOEY
What? Haha, I'm not like that. You
guys would tell me if I was really
like that? Right?

RUMI/MIRA
Uhhhhh.

Healer Han turns his attention to Mira, who peers at him from behind a magazine. She stares Healer Han down. She's not letting him see anything.

HEALER HAN
MMMM!!! I see...

Mira grunts at him. Healer Han grunts back. They're in a grunt-off trying to analyze each other. Mira growls, scaring Healer Han back.

MIRA
Yeah, that's right.

Rumi interjects, coming up beside Mira.

RUMI
(annoyed)
Okay!! HOW DOES THIS HELP ME GET MY
VOICE BACK!?

HEALER HAN
As I said, to treat the part, we
must understand the whole.

Healer Han motions to the girls, encompassing them as a whole. Rumi is too annoyed to notice this meaning.

RUMI
Uh! That's great and all but I
thought we were here just for your
tonics!

MIRA
Just give us the voice juice!

Healer Han stares blankly for a moment.

HEALER HAN
Hmm...I know just the tonics you
need.

INT. HEALER HAN'S CLINIC - LOBBY

Rumi waits alone, annoyed. More celebrity photos graze the lobby wall. She stares at one of Huntrix and Han that is clearly photoshopped...rather poorly taped. She shakes her head, feeling defeated.

RUMI
(to herself)
Is that us? Ugh...Zoey...

Healer Han walks up holding a large box.

HEALER HAN
Your tonics are ready!

EXT. HEALER HAN CLINIC - DAY

The girls exit the shop, cheering!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

We got the tonics! Woo! We got the tonics!

ZOEY

Yay! Once your voice is fixed, we can get back to the important stuff, like the fans.

Zoey leans in and the girls group hug. Suddenly, the girls hear footsteps approaching. They look and see shadows of people about to turn the corner.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

FANS!

RUMI

(gasps)

We can't let them see us here!

MIRA

They found us!

ZOEY

How do these fans always track us down?

The girls fumble around to put on their disguises. The girls hide behind Rumi.

RUMI

Get my hood, get my hood! Hurry!
Hurry! Hurry!

They struggle to put on Rumi's hood and finally get it on and tighten the drawstrings around her face.

MIRA

Just be cool. Look normal.

The girls walk single file down the alley as a group of guys approach. Mira and Zoey peer from behind Rumi...these guys are CUTE! The guys flip their hair in unison and Mira and Zoey are sucked into their hotness! Gusts of wind blow their shirts up, revealing abs sent from the gods. The sex appeal is off the charts. One guy stretches too far and a button pops off his shirt, his abs GLISTENING. Zoey's pupils turn into corn...that POPS into popcorn!

ZOEY

Aaaahh!!!

MIRA

So...hot...

Mira and Zoey are red in the face and can't look away. They continue to gush over these boys, eating popcorn from Zoey's eyes. Rumi watches, annoyed.

RUMI

You guys are so gross-
oooooooooh....

But Rumi see's another guy come up from behind the group - it's Jinu! These are the Saja demons! But the girls don't know it yet. Rumi and Jinu make eye contact and the connection is immediate. Wind blows Rumi's hood off her head. She has stars in her eyes. As the boys walk past, Jinu bumps into Rumi's shoulder. We get different angles/replays of this moment. Rumi is knocked off balance and begins to fall, sending the box of tonics flying through the air. Rumi spins and twirls, falling to the ground in slow motion, maintaining eye contact with Jinu. Is this LOVE?

Rumi lands on her butt, tonics scattered everywhere on the floor. Jinu extends his hand, as if to help her up. She reaches for it but instead, he just brushes dirt off his shoulder.

Jinu scoffs at Rumi.

JINU

Watch yourself.

The other boys scoff as they all continue walking down the alley. Rumi is shocked! The girls finally come over to help Rumi up.

RUMI

(gasp)

Watch my- Watch yourself!

Rumi looks down to see all her tonics on the floor.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Look at this mess!

The girls start to pick up the tonics.

ZOEY

Yeah they're not even that cute.

RUMI
They're so ugh!

ZOEY
They're so ughhh ughhh ughhh!

MIRA
No, they're ughh ughhh!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
They're ughhh!

MIRA
I'm gonna throw up.

All of a sudden, the girls hear a bass beat in the distance.

RUMI
Wait wait, what is that?

EXT. STREETS OF MYEONGDONG - DAY

The girls peer around the side of a building. Where is that music coming from? Shoppers roam in the town center. The girls put on their disguises as they prepare to enter. Zoey pulls on Rumi's drawstrings to go ahead but yanks too hard, sending her to the ground.

ZOEY
Oh sorry!

Rumi gets up and shakes it off. They enter society with concerned looks. Music starts playing and we see shadows appearing in smoke in the town square. The crowd pays attention too. As the smoke dissipates, Jinu and the Saja demons appear, singing and dancing!

SONG - "SODA POP"

JINU
Don't want you, need you
Yeah, I need you to fill me up
마시고 마셔봐도
성에 차지 않아

The crowd starts to get into it. Rumi realizes it's the boys from the alley!

RUMI
It's those stupid jerks again!

The crowd cheers! An old lady pushes past the girls, giddy with excitement. She runs towards the boys but Jinu blows her a kiss so powerful it pushes the crowd back!

ROMANCE SAJA

*Got a feeling that, oh yeah,
You could be everything that
That I need, taste so sweet
Every sip makes me want more, yeah*

RUMI

Wait, these guys are a boy band?

ABS

*Lookin like snacks cause you got it
like that,
Take a big bite,
want another bite yea*

너의 모든걸, 난 원해, 원해, 원해
너말곤 모두 뻘해 뻘해 뻘해

The Saja Boys sing as Jinu whips out a tonic pouch and drinks it...a little too sensually. The ladies in the crowd SWOON.

RUMI

Did he...

Rumi opens her tonic box and starts counting.

RUMI (CONT'D)

One, two, three, four, five, six...

(gasp)

That jerk stole one of my pouches!

Jinu finishes the pouch and gives a sly smile to the crowd.

MYSTERY

*When you're in my arms,
I hold you so tight, so tight
Can't let go no, no, not tonight
지금 당장 날 봐 시간 없자나 (Look at me
right now, there's no time)
넌 내꺼야 이미 알고있자나 (You know that
you're already mine)
Cause I need you to need me,
I'm empty, you feed me
So refreshing
My little soda pop*

[CHORUS]

*You're all I can think of
Every drop I drink up
(MORE)*

[CHORUS] (CONT'D)

*You're my soda pop
My little soda pop
Cool me down you're so hot
Pour me up I won't stop
You're my soda pop
My little soda pop*

The boys are really delivering and Zoey can't help but dance to the song. The girls shoot her a look and she stops...but moves her shoulders to the rhythm. Rumi joins her.

RUMI

It is annoyingly catchy, though.

Mira joins now.

MIRA

It's infectious.

Romance Saja and Baby Saja blow kisses and hearts to the crowd. Like physical hearts that hit people in the face and knock them over. Mira catches one in front of Zoey's face.

MIRA (CONT'D)

They can make hearts out of thin
air?

A heart blasts Zoey in the face, knocking her down.

The girls look closely as one Saja's rips open his shirt, revealing demon patterns! His eyes glow yellow too!

MIRA/RUMI

They're demons!

ZOEY

Magicians!

Beat.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

I mean demons...Obviously demons.

The boys continue their captivating performance.

[VERSE 2 RAP]

*Make me wanna flip the top
한모금에 you hit the spot
Every little drip and drop,
fizz and pop ahh 소름 돌아
it's gettin hot
Yes, I'm sippin
When it's drippin out it's done?
(MORE)*

[VERSE 2 RAP] (CONT'D)

*Need a second round
And pour a lot, and don't you stop
Til my soda pop fizzles out*

The girls are not pleased but still admire the boy's talent.

ZOEY

Dang. They're good.

RUMI

Incredible. But a demon boy band?
Why?

MIRA

I don't care. A demon's a demon. We
kill them.

Mira lunges forward but Rumi stops her.

RUMI

No. It's too public.

MIRA

But what if they try to kill all
these people?

ZOEY

It doesn't look like they're going
to hurt anyone.

[BRIDGE]

꿈 속에 그려왔던 너
난 절대 놓칠 수 없어 (*I won't let go*)
널 원해 꼭 (*I really want you*)
*I waited so long for a taste of
soda,
so the wait is over baby
come and fill me up
just can't get enough*

The Sajas work the crowd, helping a lady put ketchup on her
hot dog and giving gifts to fans! So sweet!

ZOEY

In fact, it almost seems like
they're nice demons?

RUMI/MIRA

DEMONS ARE NEVER NICE!

The girls run around, swatting the Saja gifts out of people's
hands.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Don't eat that!/Ahh no!

They stomp on the corndog.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY (CONT'D)
Don't open that!/Don't touch that!

They throw the presents on the ground.

As the song crescendos, the boys send a shockwave through the city, turning people's clothes into Saja Boy merch, the billboards into posters of them, their lyrics written everywhere. It's a total Saja Boy takeover!

[CHORUS]
*You're all I can think of
Every drop I drink up
You're my soda pop
My little soda pop
Cool me down you're so hot
Pour me up I won't stop
You're my soda pop
My little soda pop*

The crowd rushes towards the stage and Rumi realizes what's their trying to do.

RUMI
They're coming after the fans!
We've got to stop this now!

The girls try to make their way towards the Saja Boys but it's too crowded.

JINU
*You're my soda pop
Gotta drink every drop!*

(END SONG)

The song ends and Jinu looks towards Rumi and they make eye contact. He smiles, brushing off his shoulder like when they first met. RUMI IS INFURIATED!

Jinu addresses the crowd in front of a big screen that reads "JINU". It quickly switches graphics to "PLAY GAMES WITH US", a variety show poster.

JINU (CONT'D)
That's it for now! See you tonight
on everyone's favorite variety
show! The Saja Boys love you!

AND POOF! The boys disappear in a cloud of smoke. The screen now reads "SAJA BOYS". Rumi seethes but the crowd goes wild.

FAN 1
That was incredible!

FAN 2
I liked that!

Rumi growls in frustration.

ZOEY
To be fair, that's also something a magician would do...

RUMI
Oh those are demons. And we're gonna kill them. Let's get battle ready.

Rumi eyes are filled with fire.

INT. PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

The most hardcore montage of the girls getting ready begins. FACE MASKS! SCREAMING UNDER WATER! MAKE UP CLOTHES! BOOTS! BELTS! Quick cuts of "Kill Saja" painted on the nails. They don't miss a beat with the details.

EXT. PENTHOUSE ROOF - NIGHT

They end in a power pose on top of the penthouse. They're ready to kill the Saja Boys. A "KILL SAJA" billboard shines in the foreground of the city.

RUMI
Let's go kill these guys.

ZOEY
CA-CAW!

INT. VARIETY GAME SHOW - NIGHT

GRAPHIC: PLAY GAMES WITH US!

JINGLE
*PLAY, PLAY, PLAY, PLAY, PLAY, PLAY,
PLAY, PLAY, PLAY GAMES WITH US!*

GRAPHIC: SPICY CHALLENGE

HOST #1
Spicy challenge!

The host speaks into a microphone.

HOST #1 (CONT'D)
Welcome back to "who can chug the
most hot sauce"?

The Saja Boys appear on a variety show!

Backstage, this girls sneak around, watching the Saja Boys.

RUMI
Once they come off the stage, we'll
jump down for the attack and these
boys will be -

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Done done done!

All the Sajas and the cohost are drinking hot sauce out of
baby bottles, as they sit in baby high chairs.

HOST #1
That's one flaming hot Jinu. And
Abby is down.

The fans awww as Abs taps out.

HOST #1 (CONT'D)
Mystery is history!

One by one the Saja boys drop out from the SPICY hot sauce.

HOST #1 (CONT'D)
Looks like Romance is out due
to...heart burn?

Romance burps up a heart that lights on fire.

HOST #1 (CONT'D)
It's dead heat between my handsome
co-host and Baby Saja. Can our host
catch up?

HOST #2
So spicy, so spicy!

The crowd can't get enough, it's so amusing! Host #2 looks
like he's about to die while Baby Saja is barely breaking a
sweat. Baby finishes his bottle.

The crowd goes wild! Host #2 is in pain. Host #2 slams his head on the high chair. He's out.

HOST #1
He can't! Baby Saja is the winner!

BABY SAJA
Goo goo ga ga.

Up in the rafters, Huntrix eagerly wait to attack, weapons at the ready.

RUMI
C'mon wrap it up.

Jinu glances over his shoulder toward where the girls are hiding.

Back on stage, Host #1 wraps up the games.

HOST #1
It's hard to say goodbye when we are having so much fun.

The audience makes sad noises.

HOST #2
So hard, so hard.

Jinu comes over and takes the mic from the host. He's got something planned.

JINU
Then why say goodbye, when we have extra special guests coming up!

The audience gasps.

RUMI
What is he doing?

Jinu and The Saja Boys work the crowd.

JINU
Please welcome...Huntrix!

A spotlight hits the girls.

The girls rise from their hiding spot, putting on fake smiles. The fans are so excited!

FAN 1
I LOVE YOU, HUNTRIX!

RUMI

(to audience)

We just wanted to stop by and
congratulate our hoobaes on their
debut and-

JINU

And of course...

(yells)

PLAY GAMES WITH US! Bring out the
slide.

FANS

Slide! Slide! Slide!

A slide with a ballpit at the bottom is wheeled out.

The crowd cheers!

RUMI

Oh no! We couldn't possibly-

FANS

In the balls! In the balls! In the
balls!

RUMI

Sure... for the fans.

The girls hop on the slide, in their separate lanes, and
start to slide...very slowly.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Wait what the-

Their pants make nails on a chalkboard noises on the slide,
the crowd is horrified.

UPSET FAN

Make it stop!

ZOEY

The leather has betrayed us!

Huntrix slowly continues down the slide, and finally fall
into the ball pit.

HOST #1

And Huntrix is in the balls!

The girls clumsily get out, Rumi tries to recover. Jinu
smirks at Rumi.

RUMI
Well this was..fun.

JINU
It was truly an honor to share the
stage with you.

The audience goes wild!

FAN 1
So hot!

FAN 2
And respectful!

The fans swoon. Rumi realizes what they are trying to do.

RUMI
Oh no, the honor is ours!

They bow to the boys.

JINU
No it was OURS.

The boys bow lower.

RUMI
No it's OURS.

The girls bend lower. The boys bow lower.

JINU
Ours.

ZOEY/RUMI/MIRA
Ours.

ZOEY
Ow my back!

The crowd CHEERS loudly, as Rumi looks on with disgust.

The curtains close, signaling the end of the games. The Saja boys run out of the room, the girls right behind them.

EXT. ALLEYWAY - DAY

The girls exit the building, looking for The Saja Boys. They spot a Saja Boy heading into the bathhouse across the alley. They start running towards it.

RUMI
Let's go get these guys.

Zoey gasps.

ZOEY
We finally get to go to the
bathhouse with Rumi!

INT. BATHHOUSE - DAY

They all have their weapons out, ready, poised for battle.
Steam surrounds the place. Zoey looks a little too excited.
Men soak in pools all around them. Zoey's smile quickly
fades.

ZOEY
Mens?!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Ohhh/Ugh.

Through the steam, the girls see the Saja Boys standing
across one of the pools.

JINU
(laughs)
Wowww. Did you really follow us in
here?

AB SAJA
I knew they would. That one's
always looking at me.

MIRA/ZOEY
No we're not!

Both their eyes turn into popcorn abs again.

The girls get into a fighting stance.

RUMI
You think we're just going to let
you steal our fans? You're going to
have to fight us for them!

ZOEY
Yeah, keep your hands off our
Honmoon!

JINU
We're not here to fight. They are.

Other demons begin to emerge from the pool, eyes glowing and sinister.

RUMI
Water demons!

MIRA
Oh great, my favorite.

A water demon growls at one of the bathhouse patrons, ready to eat him, but Jinu steps in and points to the girls.

JINU
Get rid of the Hunters, then you
can eat all the souls you want.

The water demons emerge from the pool, gunning for The Hunter Girls. The girls summon their weapons and begin fighting them off!

ZOEY
Don't let this turn you off
bathhouses, Rumi! It's usually
really fun and relaxing!

A water demon pokes its head out of the water. Jinu begins to leave.

JINU
Have fun--woah! Jeez oh!

Jinu slips on a puddle, but regains composure and runs out.

The girls continue to ward off the demons. Rumi follows Jinu into the...

INT. STEAM ROOM - DAY

Jinu runs ahead giggling. Rumi appears behind Jinu and lunges at him with her sword! She bounces off the walls to get in front of him.

JINU
Whoa, whoa!

INT. BATH HOUSE - DAY

The girls continue to ward off the demons. The Honmoon begins to warp all around them.

ZOEY

What's going on with the Honmoon?!
It's getting worse!

Demons rip through the Honmoon all around them.

MIRA

(to Zoey)

We can't hold them, we need Rumi!

INT. STEAM ROOM - DAY

Rumi and Jinu are still locked in battle. Jinu casually rests on bench. He's cool and collected. Rumi swings and misses!

JINU

Whoa! Mind the face!

He throws a bucket of water at Rumi but she slices it in half!

JINU (CONT'D)

I need it to steal your fans.

Jinu gets up and starts fighting back, slicing Rumi's arm with his demon claws. He moves fast all around Rumi but she manages to kick him down, back onto the bench.

The steam clears and Rumi has her sword up to Jinu's neck, pushing down hard but Jinu is pushing back too. They struggle for a second.

JINU (CONT'D)

(struggling)

Haha, you're strong!

As more steam clears, Rumi's arm is exposed where Jinu sliced her. Her demon patterns are on full display. Jinu notices. Rumi sees his expression change and looks down at her arm. Jinu uses this moment to push her off him. Rumi stumbles back, clutching her arm. Jinu is shocked.

JINU (CONT'D)

A Hunter who's part demon...

Suddenly, the wall next to them explodes! Mira and Zoey are on the other side, fighting off demons, their backs to Rumi.

MIRA

Rumi! We need your help!

ZOEY

Rumi!

MIRA

What are you doing? Where are you?

ZOEY

Rumi, we need you!

Everything slows down for Rumi as Mira and Zoey turn to face her. They're about to see her with demon patterns. Rumi is paralyzed. Jinu recognizes the fear in Rumi's eyes.

SWISH!

Jinu quickly grabs Rumi and spins her around, giving her a small smirk before he races off, leaving Rumi stumbling back. Mira and Zoey finally turn to see Rumi.

MIRA

Rumi!

ZOEY (CONT'D)

Rumi!

But they don't react to her patterns. Rumi quickly looks down at her arm, now wrapped in a towel. JINU. She looks up but he's gone.

MIRA (CONT'D)

Get in here!

ZOEY

We need you! Rumi!

Rumi joins in on the fight. The girls annihilate demons left and right. Rumi lays one final blow to the ground, killing off the rest of the demons. They're finally done, breathless. A naked bathhouse patron comes up behind them.

PATRON

Hey! This is the men's bathhouse!
Get outta here!

ZOEY

Sorry sorry sorry!

RUMI

We're leaving sorry!

MIRA

Agh we're going ok!

The girls run out shielding their eyes.

The patron scrubs his back and quietly sings to himself.

PATRON

My little soda pop, my little soda
pop.

Out of a Honmoon crack, a water demon kidnaps the patron.

EXT. STREETS OF SEOUL - DAY

Jinu walks down the street, still confused by what he just saw.

JINU

A Hunter who's part demon....

Suddenly, whispers in his ear. The patterns on his wrists glow. Jinu knows what's coming. He's yanked back into-

EXT. DEMON WORLD

Jinu materializes in front of Gwi-Ma. The crowd of demons is going wild! They excitedly mob the Saja Boys, chanting.

DEMONS

Saja boys! Saja Boys!

CRYING DEMON

(crying) I love you guys!

The fans continue chanting, as the Saja Boys transform back into their scary demon forms.

DEMON FAN

They're just like us!

Suddenly a beam of light blasts into the crowd: it's a soul!

DEMON FAN (CONT'D)

Oh! Souls incoming!

The souls are absorbed into Gwi-Ma and charges all of their patterns and they cheer.

GWI-MA

My little soda pop-- it's catchy.
Surprisingly, your plan is working.

JINU

I know. And that soul is just the starter. So let me get back to work and you'll be feasting in no time.

GWI-MA

One of the Hunters bears my mark
but I have no control over her.

JINU

This is good. This means she has shame. I'll find out what it is and we can use it to destroy her and the hunters for good.

Gwi-Ma takes this in.

GWI-MA

I've taught you well, Jinu.

Jinu smiles, pleased with the praise.

INT. PENTHOUSE - LIVING ROOM

The girls have recovered from the bathhouse fight. They're showered and in pajamas, standing in front of their panoramic window.

RUMI

How did we go from gold..to this?

ZOEY

Look at all the weak spots, we've never seen the Honmoon like this before.

They see the Honmoon, not as healthy as it used to be. Blotches of red are scattered throughout.

RUMI

Gwi-Ma must know we are so close to sealing it for good.

MIRA

So he sends a demon boy band?

RUMI

Well it's working.

ZOEY

Don't worry I'm sure Soda Pop is just a fad. These boys will be old news by next week. You'll see.

Bobby enters, stressed and glued to his phone. The girls quickly apply make up to cover up their battle wounds.

BOBBY

Girls!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Hi Bobby!

BOBBY

It's a lot more serious than I
thought! The Saja Boys have gone
completely viral after that variety
show!

Bobby swipes through videos of clips from the show.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

They even have their own fandom.

Now Bobbys scrolls through fan videos.

FAN 1

Join the pride!

He stops on one playing Soda Pop and starts to dance. Pull
out to see Zoey next to him, also dancing.

RUMI

Zoey!

MIRA

Bobby! Control those
shoulders.

Bobby turns off his phone.

ZOEY

Wow! It is catchy!

Bobby snaps out of it. He turns towards the window.

BOBBY

Yeah, you're right, Zoey. They're
amazing, but they suck. I'm sorry,
I've been glued to this tiny screen
for hours. I just need to look away
and...woo!

He looks out the window, suddenly more calm.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

Relax, Bobby. It's just social
media numbers, not the end of the
world.

The girls look at each other. Bobby has no idea their world
is on fire. Rumi is still deep in thought.

RUMI

This is a battle for hearts and
minds. A battle for the fans. And
what's the biggest battlefield of
them all?

MIRA
The Idol Awards!

ZOEY
The Idol Awards!

BOBBY
The Itaewon State Fair?!

RUMI
That's right. We have to crush that
stage. Be better than we've ever
been, with a show to end the Saja
Boys for good!

Rumi points to Zoey.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Zoey, we're gonna need a new song-

ZOEY
I got 23 notebooks full of demon
insults ready to go!

BOBBY
Yeah! Let's make it 30 notebooks!

RUMI
Mira- the choreography?

MIRA
Yep! Making them hotter!

Bobby pops up behind her, on his phone.

BOBBY
Back up dancers, ready to go!

The girls are getting amped up!

RUMI
We'll write a brand new song- a
diss track to expose the Saja Boys-

ZOEY
-and send those disgusting demons
back to the depths where they
belong!

MIRA
YEAH!!!!!!

ZOEY
YEAHHHH!!!

MIRA
YEAHHH!!!

ZOEY
YEAHHHH!!!

Mira and Zoey look to Rumi, who hasn't joined them yet in the cheering. Rumi pauses But then joins in.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
YEAHHHH!!!!!!!

ZOEY
We're going to kick their butts!

Everyone leaves to tackle their Idol duties, leaving Bobby alone by the window.

BOBBY

That's my girls! Not sure about
this whole demon thing, I mean they
seem like nice people, but loving
the energy!

INT. RUMI'S BEDROOM - NIGHT

Rumi walks in and shuts the door behind her. She leans against it and touches her throat. She remembers the tonics! She walks over to the box and pulls one out.

RUMI
(to herself)
Okay tonics. Let's do this.

She inspects the wrapper-

RUMI (CONT'D)
What?

-and peels it back to reveal the packet is 100% grape juice. Rumi groans.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Ughhh Zoey.

Her gaze falls to the bathhouse towel on her bed. It's the one Jinu used to help her earlier.

A flashback of Jinu pops into her head from the bathhouse-

JINU
A Hunter who's part demon...

-and she stops for a beat.

Suddenly, a whistle cuts through the silence. Rumi turns her head and notices a magpie, wearing a tiny hat, perched on the ledge of her balcony.

RUMI
(to herself)
Is that a bird wearing a tiny hat?

She walks over to her sliding glass door and opens it.

EXT. BALCONY - NIGHT

She stares at this weird creature. The bird screeches.

RUMI
What?!

The magpie, with his three eyes, looks towards the other side of balcony. Rumi hears a low growl. She see's two glowing eyes at the end of the balcony! She screams! Rumi takes out her sword. DERPY, Jinu's tiger, walks out of the shadows.

As he walks towards her, he knocks over a potted plant. He tries to pick it up with his paw but can't get a grip. He tries again. And again. Rumi rests her sword. The magpie sighs. Derpy is clearly harmless. Rumi bends down and puts the pot upright. He slowly walks towards Rumi and knocks over the pot again! Derpy tries to fix it.

RUMI (CONT'D)
No no, really, it's okay! Just
leave it.

Rumi is kneeling now, face to face with Derpy.

RUMI (CONT'D)
What...are you?

Derpy opens his mouth and a slobbery note falls from it. Rumi picks it up and reads the front: *"Hello Friend"*.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Hello friend?

She opens the note and reads it aloud in Korean.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Mannallae. Jinu. JINU?!

Realizing what the note means.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Meet you? I'm not gonna go meet
you! Who do you think you- AH!

The magpie flies over Rumi and lands on Derpy's head. A Honmoon portal opens below them and they sink into it. They take one last look at the sad potted plant before they disappear below the balcony. Rumi walks over to the ledge and looks down.

She see's Derpy rising from another portal on the street below. He looks up at her, expecting her to follow, and walks down the street.

RUMI (CONT'D)

(to herself)

Okay, Jinu. Let's meet.

EXT. BUKCHON VILLAGE - NIGHT

Derpy walks through the narrow streets of Bukchon-- a historical village turned tourist attraction, lined with hanbok rental stores.

Derpy stops in front of an ancient tiger statue and looks behind him. Rumi peers from around a building. Derpy's done his job. He jumps into the statue, disappearing into the Honmoon. Rumi looks up and see's a silhouetted figure standing on a rooftop - Jinu.

EXT. BUKCHON ROOFTOPS - NIGHT

Rumi stealthily makes her way up closer to him. His back towards her, like a sitting duck. She summons her sword and --

-- SHWING! Jinu's head is sliced off! As Rumi lands on the other side of him, a head rolls next to her feet.

This isn't Jinu. It's a mannequin from one of the stores below.

RUMI

What?

JINU

Wow. I wasn't expecting a hug but--

Jinu is standing behind her. She acts quickly-- she spins around and thrusts her sword. The tip of her sword stops just millimeters away from Jinu's throat.

JINU (CONT'D)

Geez! Okay! Okay! Calm down! I thought the mannequin was going to be a fun ice-breaker but I see I was wrong.

Rumi repeatedly swings her sword at him but misses.

JINU (CONT'D)

Whoa, whoa, hey hey! I just want to talk!

RUMI

Talk?!

JINU

-- about your patterns? But first I want to talk about those pants. Teddy bears and choo choo trains? Really?

Rumi looks down to see she hasn't changed out of her pajamas. Her pants have teddy bears and trains all over them. She looks back at Jinu. He stares at her and makes a train motion.

JINU (CONT'D)

Choo...choo...

She lunges at him!

RUMI

You were supposed to be dead by now!

JINU

I could have told your friends what you are but I didn't-- did I?

Jinu poofs to the other side of the rooftop.

JINU (CONT'D)

Because-- they don't know.

Off Rumi's reaction--

JINU (CONT'D)

(smiling)

Ah, I did guess right.

Rumi is speechless. Jinu starts to put the pieces together.

JINU (CONT'D)

A demon girl...also
Hunter...hiding...walking around
free in the human world.

RUMI

Just Hunter. Not demon.

JINU

Then how did you get the patterns?

RUMI

That's none of your business.

Rumi pauses. He guessed right.

JINU

Huh.

Beat.

JINU (CONT'D)

I know what it feels like to have
them.

RUMI

Feel? You're a demon. Demons don't
feel anything.

JINU

Is that what you think? That's ALL
demons do. Feel. Feel our shame.
Our misery. It's how Gwi-Ma
controls us. Do you not hear him in
your ear?

RUMI

What are you talking about?

JINU

Hm. You're lucky. I'll never forget
the first time I heard him. It was
four hundred years ago...

He looks down at his hands and the world morphs into Jinu's
past life.

FLASHBACK TO:

EXT. ANCIENT KOREA - FOUR HUNDRED YEARS EARLIER

Jinu performs on the streets with an old bipa, trying to
provide for his mother and sister.

JINU

...my family was extremely poor and miserable. I had a single possession to my name -- an old *bipa*. So I busked the streets, but it didn't get me anywhere. I was desperate. We were starving. Then I heard him.

Gwi-Ma appears before Jinu in a reflection, whispering in his ear.

GWI-MA (V.O.)

(whispers)

You can't do anything for your family. You're not good enough for them. But I can help you be good enough.

Gwi-Ma gives Jinu patterns around his wrists that mimic shackles, thrusting him into his new lavish life as a musician. His mother and sister finally out of their miserable lifestyle.

JINU

Overnight, my fate was changed. I was praised for my voice. Even by the King himself. My family and I lived on the palace grounds. Our bellies were finally full, our clothes clean. We were happy.

Jinu looks in a mirror and notices his demon patterns have spread all over him.

JINU (CONT'D)

But the patterns...they kept spreading until they consumed me. And I was condemned to the demon world, prisoner of Gwi-Ma for all eternity. My family lost everything and without me, they were even worse off than before.

Jinu is now a demon, stuck in the demon world, chained to the shame of his past.

JINU (CONT'D)

Every day since, I've been haunted by the memory of failing them.

GWI-MA (V.O.)
(whispers)
*You left them. Left them behind.
Failed them.*

The flashback ends on Jinu's hands.

EXT. BUKCHON ROOFTOPS - NIGHT

Jinu lifts his wrists to show the patterns that surround them, his shackles. His tone more serious than ever.

JINU
These are a constant reminder of my
shame. A shame I can never escape.

Rumi looks concerned, almost sad for him. Jinu walks closer to her and she lowers her sword. He takes his finger and moves down Rumi's neckline, revealing her demon patterns.

JINU (CONT'D)
Yours are a reminder too. Of a
shame of your own.

RUMI
You don't know me.

JINU
You know you can tell me. I'll
understand. I'm the only one who
can.

For a moment their eyes LOCK. But the tip of Rumi's sword appears under Jinu's chin. She's not wavering.

RUMI
I'm nothing like you.

JINU
Denial. I get it, I was once there
too. I'll be here when you're done
pretending. Until next time--

He steps back...taking one last look at Rumi's pants.

RUMI
There won't be a next time!

Rumi lunges at Jinu but he poofs away. Rumi is left alone and frustrated.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Aghhh!

INT. PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

Rumi throws her teddy bear pants into the trash.

INT. STUDIO - DAY

Rumi sits on a couch, deep in thought, sipping on one of her tonics. Mira and Zoey are singing potential lyrics for their new song.

MIRA/ZOEY

(sing-talk)

*You know you'll never beat us,
Your plan will never work
We're gonna duh duh duh duh duh duh
duh duh..*

ZOEY

Ugh this song sucks.

The girls give up. Rumi snaps out of it and looks up to Mira and Zoey, who are sitting around her. Mira looks frustrated.

MIRA

We only have to write the best diss
track ever to crush the Idol Awards
or there will be a demon
apocalypse. No pressure at all.

Mira throws darts at a poster of Jinu taped to the wall. It hits him right in the face.

We pull out to see the entire wall is decorated with destroyed Saja Boys posters. Zoey starts crawling towards the wall, seething.

ZOEY

Yeah! We gotta get up close and
insult their stupid faces! Their
nasty, disgusting, not beautiful...

But as she gets closer to Mystery Saja's poster, her face goes soft, almost lovingly.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

...perfectly dewy...symmetrical...
shimmering...

Zoey is enamored by Mystery Saja's poster. Mira cuts in and rips it off the wall. Zoey's still drooling.

MIRA

Okay, enough! I'm taking these
down! Just like how we're gonna
take down these boys!

Rumi has a lightbulb moment.

RUMI

Take down--- Take down. That's the
song! It's a Takedown!

ZOEY

*So sweet, so easy on the eyes
But hideous on the inside.*

MIRA

Nice!

ZOEY

You like it?

MIRA

*Whole life spreading lies but you
can't hide-*

RUMI

-baby, nice try.

Rumi's voice doesn't break!

MIRA

Woah, sounding good!

RUMI

I'm about to switch up these vibes-

Rumi's voice breaks.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Sorry guys.

ZOEY

No, no, take it easy.

MIRA

Yeah, rest that voice for Idol
Awards.

INT. INKIGAYO STAGE

The Saja Boys and Huntrix are on stage at Inkigayo, a Korean
music program.

INKIGAYO HOST

This week's winner is...the Saja
Boys!

SONG - "TAKEDOWN"

[VERSE 1]

*So sweet, so easy on the eyes
But hideous on the inside
Whole life spreading lies
But you can't hide
Baby nice try*

The boys accept their award while the Huntrix stand off to the side, politely clapping, mumbling their new diss track. Jinu and Rumi make eye contact...it's tense.

EXT. SEOUL RIVER FRONT

Three older ladies power-walk alongside the river. A demon rises from behind them, about to strike, when Rumi flies in! Another demon rips through the Honmoon through a tree but Zoey slashes it before it can escape. Mira kills another demon as it comes through the ground. These girls are on top of it.

[VERSE 1 - RAP]

*I'm bout the switch up these vibes
I finally opened my eyes
It's time to kick you straight back
into the night.*

Mira throws a demon up against a metal wall and a melodic banging noise rings out.

MIRA

Wait--that's the beat!

ZOEY

Yeah! Totally!

Rumi has her demon pinned against a wall but notices its patterned shackles, just like Jinu.

RUMI

Are you a prisoner too? Is Gwi-Ma
making you do this?

The demon just blinks. He screeches and from behind Rumi, Mira stabs it in the face.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Mira!

MIRA

You okay?

RUMI

Yeah, thanks for having my back.

Rumi runs off to kill more demons. Mira looks on, suspicious.

INT. INKIGAYO STAGE

The Saja Boys and Huntrix are on stage at Inkigayo, the following week.

INKIGAYO HOST

This week's number one
is..."Golden" by Huntrix!

The girls accept their award while the Saja Boys stand off to the side, politely clapping. The girls continue to sing their diss track, determined to beat the Saja Boys.

[HOOK]

*Ima gear up and take you down
It's the take down
Ima take you down
It's the take down*

INT. SUBWAY STATION - NIGHT

A woman waits for a train. Demons rip through the Honmoon behind her, about to attack when Huntrix come out and kill them! The woman continues onto the subway. The girls feel good but then subway doors close: revealing a GIANT ADVERTISEMENT of the SAJA BOYS.

INT. RUMI'S ROOM - DAY

Derpy shows up with a flyer in his mouth. Rumi closes his mouth, rejecting the flyer from Jinu.

[VERSE 2]

*It's a take down
Ima take you out
And it ain't gonna stop
I'ma cut you open
Lose control then
Rip out your heart*

INT. RECORDING STUDIO

The girls continue writing their song.

MIRA

Oh! Oh! How about *"a demon with no feelings doesn't deserve to live"*?

ZOEY

It's so obvious!

[HOOK]

*Ima gear up and take you down
It's the take down
Ima take you down
It's the take down*

The Honmoon shivers and they jump back into:

EXT. SEOUL RIVER FRONT - NIGHT

Huntrix flies in and starts slaying the demons.

(END SONG)

Mira knows something's up with Rumi. Suddenly, Zoey stops them and points to their billboard.

ZOEY

Look!

All the Huntrix ads change to Saja Boys. They are taking over.

INT. PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

Bobby swipes through video after video of Saja Boy fan videos. They are blowing up!

VIRAL FANS

Join the pride!/We love you,
Jinu!/Saja, Saja, Saja!

He looks worried. The Honmoon appears weakened in the city view behind him.

INT. SIGNING EVENT - DAY

Huntrix sit at a table with a stack of posters in front of them. Bobby hovers over them.

BOBBY

Alright team! I know everything is
all Saja, Saja, Saja but we're
gonna turn it into Huntrix,
Huntrix, Huntrix. Yay!

Bobby motions to the long line of fans outside.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

These fans slept on the sidewalk.

Cut away to fans sleeping outside.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

Overnight!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Happy fans, happy Honmoon!

Bobby motions to open the doors.

BOBBY

Let's bring em in!

Fans enter as a big group.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

Hey hey hey! Hey, hey, single file,
no pushing.

RUMI

And who should I make this out to-

Fan in a sleeping bag steps forward.

JINU

To our biggest fans.

Jinu reveals himself and the Saja Boys.

CROWD

It's the Saja Boys!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Aghhhh!

Girls groan in frustration.

BOBBY

It is an honor. Table now!

Two assistants run over with a table for Sajas.

CROWD
JOINT SIGNING?

Half the fans run over to the Saja Bay signing table.

RUMI
We lose half the fans...

Rumi gets up and looks like an angel.

RUMI (CONT'D)
The Saja Boys will sit with us.

MIRA/ZOEY
What?! Rumi?? What are you doing??

BOBBY
GENIUS.

CROWD
Same table?!

RUMI
We need every fan.

Saja Boys join Huntrix at one table.

ROMANCE
We keep meeting like this.

ZOEY
I am NOT sitting with no Saja boy-
Mystery sits next to Zoey.

ZOEY (CONT'D)
Hehehe...wassup.

Abs pulls up his shirt and creates an "ab autograph" by shading over them with a pencil. Jinu sits next to Rumi.

JINU
I didn't think you liked sharing.
Rumi turns her head away.

RUMI
I LOVE sharing.

Jinu moves towards Rumi's ear to speak.

JINU
Oh! So you shared your secret with your friends?

Mira signing intently, holds up ripped poster.

MIRA
(to Abs) If only I could smash your
demon face in right now. (Sweetly
to fan) THANKS FOR COMING!

Jinu whispers to Rumi, near her ear.

JINU
Should I tell them?

RUMI
No I'm gonna tell them..eventually.

Fan girl witnesses Rumi and Jinu whispering.

FAN GIRL
Are you whispering?

Rumi and Jinu make FLUSTERED NOISES.

FAN GIRL (CONT'D)
Your secret's safe with me.

Fan girl points to her "Rujinu" shirt. Rumi and Jinu laugh awkwardly.

FAN GIRL (CONT'D)
Ohhh. Sooooo cute.

Cut over to Zoey who is handing her signed photo to a fan.

ZOEY
Thanks for coming.

Mystery, next to Zoey, attempts to bite the hand of the fan.

MYSTERY
[BARKS]

ZOEY
NO! BAD SAJA BOY!

A fan with a cast on his leg places it on the table to be signed.

MIRA
I'll sign first.

ABS
No, I'LL sign first.

ROMANCE

I'll sign first!

MIRA

I'LL sign first. No I'LL sign first!

ABS

I'll sign first!

MIRA

I'LL sign first.

ROMANCE

I'll sign first!

Fan with cast WINCES in pain as they yank his leg back and forth.

Rumi whispers to Jinu while signing.

RUMI

I'm not gonna talk to someone who's helping Gwi-Ma.

Jinu plays footsie with Rumi.

JINU

I'm helping myself.

Rumi turns away.

JINU (CONT'D)

Look if I help him, he's promised to erase my memories, and those voices in my head will be gone.

RUMI

PATHETIC.

JINU

I'm pathetic?

Jinu whispers toward Rumi's ear.

JINU (CONT'D)

You can't even TALK about your patterns.

Rumi kicks Jinu under the table.

RUMI

You want me to talk about my
patterns?? I hate them! Just like I
hate all demons, how I hate Gwi-Ma!

JINU

If hate could defeat Gwi-Ma I would
have done it a long time ago. Trust
me.

A a cute little fan with a card approaches.

LIL FAN

Excuse me, Mr. Jinu?

They look up at her.

LIL FAN GIRL

I made this for you.

Cue K-Drama music...as fan hands Jinu the card.

JINU

Uhh for me?

FANS

You're the best, Jinu!/You inspire
me, Jinu!/Love you, Jinu!

Jinu is taken aback by the gesture.

RUMI

Maybe listen to those voices,
instead of the ones in your head.

Rumi stands and addresses the crowd.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Isn't he great? Woo! Jinu
everybody!

The crowd cheers for Jinu.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Yeah Jinu!!! Jinu! Jinu! Jinu!

MIRA

Woo Jinu?

JINU

(awkwardly)

Unfortunately the Saja boys have to
run. Thank you everyone.

The Saja Boys join Jinu and they all wave to the fans, accepting flowers as they exit. Once they're out of sight, they dump all of the bouquets in a trash can.

After he tosses the flowers, Jinu looks at the handmade card. It's a drawing of him as an angel that reads "Jinu, you have a beautiful soul". Jinu is touched by this but then notices the word "soul". Is Rumi right?

Back at the table, Bobby checks his phone.

BOBBY

The internet loves this, and the
internet is never wrong!

Mira picks up her phone to see fan cams of Huntrix and Sajas.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

Rujinu? That's genius! Zoestery?
Where do they come up with that!

There is one of Rumi and Jinu (Rujinu) playing footsie. Mira narrows her eyes. She swipes and to see one of Zoey and Mystery (Zoestery) holding Baby. The last one is shipping her with Romance AND Abs.

MIRA

Miromabby?

ZOEY

Oooh you're so cute together!

Mira growls in frustration as they throw up heart signs.

INT. RUMI'S BEDROOM - DAY

Rumi is in her room, singing their new diss track, Takedown. She struggles to like it, the messaging behind it not settling right with her.

RUMI LYRIC

*Time to put you in your place, cuz
you're rotten within,
When your patterns start to show
it makes the hatred wanna grow
outta my veins.*

She stops and crosses out a line and starts writing her own.

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*When your patterns start to show I
see a pain that lies below.*

Next to the lyrics is the note from Jinu. Rumi opens it to write back. Derpy opens his mouth for her to place the note.

RUMI
Calm down, I'm not gonna meet him.

KNOCK KNOCK. Mira's at the door.

MIRA O.S.
[CLEARS THROAT] Rumi?

RUMI
(whispering to Derpy)
You gotta get outta here. C'mon!

MIRA O.S.
I can hear you in there.

RUMI
Uh yeah, give me a minute.

Rumi hurriedly shoves the new lyrics in the trash, knocking it over in the process. Derpy goes to leave through a floor portal when he sees: the knocked over can.

Rumi opens the door to Mira.

MIRA
Uh, what're you doin?

RUMI
Um nothing, just uh..did you want to come in?

MIRA
I mean yeah, if you want me to come in I can come in.

Rumi realizes she still has Jinu's note in her hands and quickly hides it behind her back.

Mira enters the room. Derpy starts rattling the trash can and Rumi quickly grabs it and throws a blanket over Derpy.

MIRA (CONT'D)
I heard you singing, you sound good.

RUMI
Yeah who would've thought, those tonics actually work.

In her haste to grab the garbage can, Rumi dropped the rewritten lyrics on the ground and Mira finds them.

MIRA

So why are you changing our lyrics?

RUMI

Oh..I just--Do you really think
this is the right song to beat Gwi-
Ma. It's so hateful.

MIRA

Yeah because we hate him, and we
hate demons.

RUMI

No I-I know..

Mira pauses to examine Rumi.

MIRA

Okay what is up with you?! I could
swear the other day you were
talking to a demon.

RUMI

I--

MIRA

And "woo Jinu", what was that
about?

RUMI

I was playing him up to psych him
out, get in his head.

Rumi quickly tries to hide Jinu's note as Mira rants.

MIRA

Look-I'm pretty good at reading
people, actually I'm kind of an
expert at it - and I just can't
shake this feeling that you're
keeping something from me.

Rumi plops down on a cushion, which is actually Derpy.

RUMI

Mira I'm-I'm not keeping anything
from you. I promise.

Rumi holds Derpy's tail in place behind her back. Mira cools
down.

MIRA

Sorry, I sound nuts. I guess these
demons are just getting to me.

Mira's attitude shifts.

MIRA (CONT'D)

I can't wait until every one of them is destroyed and sent back to suffer with Gwi-Ma for eternity. Right, Rumi?

RUMI

Yeah. Eternal suffering. Sounds fun.

Mira feels Rumi close herself off emotionally. Mira is once again confused as she leaves Rumi alone in her room.

Rumi looks at the note again and hands it to Derpy.

INT. INTERNET

The Saja Boys talk directly to cam to their fans.

ROMANCE

Hey everybody!

ABS

Our fan club just hit fifty million fans.

ROMANCE

We have to give a shout out to Huntrix, we couldn't have done it without their support.

A fan takes a Saja soda out of a fridge, but a demon sneaks up behind her and takes her!

MYSTERY

And to our fans, thank you. We really feed off your energy.

An unsuspecting Saja Boys fan watches them on his phone. He is also fed on by a demon. The energy flows to Gwi-Ma's palace.

INT. NEWSCAST

NEWSCASTER V.O.

In other news, the amount of missing person reports have tripled in the last 24 hours.

EXT. DEMON WORLD

Cut to the demon world. Many fans' souls are now illuminating the sky on their way to Gwi-Ma's palace. It's bigger than ever, filled with the glow of souls.

MYSTERY

...and we're so excited to show you
what's next.

Jinu accepts a note from Derpy's mouth. It's a Save the Date.

EXT. NAKSAN WALL - NIGHT

Jinu stares at the note from Rumi.

JINU

She wants to meet and she's late?

Jinu turns around and see's Rumi perched on the wall behind him. He screams!

JINU (CONT'D)

Ahhhhh!

Jinu stumbles backwards.

JINU (CONT'D)

You made me come all the way out
here just so you could jump scare
me?

RUMI

Follow me.

Rumi starts walking. Jinu follows.

JINU

Well I'm glad you're finally ready
to talk, although you could have
picked somewhere nicer for a date-

Rumi abruptly stops walking.

RUMI

Date?! No! Ew! What are you talking
about?

Jinu holds up card that says "Save the Date".

RUMI (CONT'D)

That doesn't mean- ugh. You're so
old.

Rumi grabs the card from his hands. Jinu hides his ego bruise.

RUMI (CONT'D)
This is strictly a business meeting.

JINU
Okay! Loud and clear.

RUMI
What if I told you there's another way to get your freedom?

JINU
Go on.

Rumi stops walking and turns to Jinu.

RUMI
Help us win the Idol Awards.

Rumi jumps on the wall and summons Honmoon energy.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Because when we win, the Honmoon will be sealed. And that will guarantee your freedom.

Jinu looks surprised. Rumi overlooks the city.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Gwi-Ma will be permanently cut off and all the demons will be gone from this world. I will finally be free of these patterns. No more hiding, no more secrets.

She turns back to Jinu and comes off the wall.

RUMI (CONT'D)
You can be on this side when the Honmoon is sealed, away from the demon world, away from Gwi-Ma.

Rumi gets closer to Jinu.

RUMI (CONT'D)
You can be free from those voices...forever.

JINU
What makes you think the Honmoon can save a guy like me?

RUMI
A guy who tried to help his family?
You made a mistake, Jinu.

JINU
It's not that simple-

RUMI
-But *I am* a mistake.

Jinu reacts.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Have been since the moment I was
born. So I have to believe...
because if there's no hope for
you...what hope is there for me?

The moment is broken by a vendor passing by.

AJUMMA
Bracelet for your beautiful
girlfriend?

Jinu and Rumi lose it. BOYFRIEND AND GIRLFRIEND???

JINU
Oh no we're not-

RUMI
Oh ew! What?

JINU
She's not even my type!

RUMI
Excuse me? I'm everyone's type!

JINU
You can't even show up on time!

RUMI
What are you from the 1900's?

JINU
I can see why you're still single!

RUMI
What?

JINU
See? Would never work.

The ajumma just stares at them. She walks towards Jinu and sizes him up. She turns towards Rumi, handing her a bracelet.

AJUMMA

Here, free one. Go find yourself a better boy. This one's hopeless.

She walks away.

JINU

Well, there's your answer:
Hopeless.

Rumi clutches her new bracelet.

RUMI

That's the funny thing about hope.
Nobody else gets to decide if you feel it.

Rumi extends to the bracelet out to Jinu.

RUMI (CONT'D)

That choice belongs to you.

Jinu doesn't take it.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Fine, your loss.

Rumi starts to walk away but Jinu grabs her hand to stop her. Rumi looks back at him and...there's something there. They share a moment...until Jinu drops her hand. It's now awkward.

JINU

Oh- I was just trying to get the bracelet-

RUMI

Oh yeah... The bracelet.

Beat.

JINU

For what it's worth, I don't think you're a mistake.

The share a meaningful moment.

RUMI

OK BYE-

JINU

Yeah uh- byeee!

They awkwardly part ways. Derpy and the magpie hide behind a bush, watching the whole thing.

INT. INTERNET

Fans on social media express their opinions on The Hunter Girls Idol performance.

FANS

I need to see Golden live. When is the live performance?

FANS (CONT'D)

Thank goodness I didn't hold my breath for this Huntrix live performance cuz I'd be dead by now!

FANS (CONT'D)

IDOL AWARDS ARE TOMORROW and I need to know, is Rumi going to give us a real performance or--

INT. IDOL STAGE - DAY

The girls are rehearsing for Idol. Their dance moves are killer, song is on point, everything looks GREAT!

RUMI LYRIC

*Time to put you in your place, cuz
you're rotten within,
When your patterns start to show
it makes the hatred wanna grow
outta my veins.*

Suddenly, Rumi stops dancing.

MIRA

What's going on, why are we stopping?

RUMI

It's just these lyrics are throwing me off. I don't think they're right just yet.

Mira and Zoey look frustrated.

MIRA

Seriously? Now?

Zoey quickly grabs her notebook.

ZOEY

No it's fine, it's the second verse right?.. How about- 'when the patterns start to show, the whole world will finally know that you're depraved?!', um 'my sword will happily show you to your grave!' 'you will be pummeled until there are no remains?'

RUMI

No, Zoey it's just - it's the whole song.

ZOEY

(wounded)

Oh, okay great. Well then I might as well just TEAR..THESE..ALL..UP!

She tries to rip her notebook, but it's too thick.

MIRA

Rumi, we don't have time to change the lyrics even if we wanted to.

Zoey continues to try to tear up notebooks.

ZOEY

Aghhhh!

MIRA

The Idol Awards are tomorrow!

RUMI

Well I - I don't think I can sing this song.

Bobby enters at the tense moment.

BOBBY

Heyyy girls! Just wanted to bring some last minute pick me ups!

He goes to set them down on the counter.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

I know things have been really stressful lately, and you've been working so hard on the Idol routine-

All of sudden, the girls get a feeling - like a spider sense - that something's wrong with the Honmoon and they race off.

Bobby continues to arrange the snacks with his back to them.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

For what it's worth, I am proud of
you, and I just want you to know
that I'm here for LITERALLY
anything - you...

He turns around to find himself alone.

BOBBY (CONT'D)

...need.

Sad and dejected, he checks his phone which is lit up by a
colorful Saja Boys video with Soda Pop playing.

CHORUS

You're my little soda pop!

The song ends and the Sajas break the fourth wall, addressing
their fans.

SAJA BOY

Join the Pride, we need you!!

An ad for the Saja Boys fan club pops up, Bobby is mesmerized
by it and smiles.

INT. SUBWAY TUNNEL - DAY

An underground subway train flies down the track. Demons
surround the train but Huntrix fly in from above and land on
top of the train. They immediately start slaying demons,
still fighting about rehearsal. They are all HEATED.

MIRA

Seriously, what is your problem?

RUMI

I told you! This song its-

MIRA

I'm not talking about the song, I'm
talking about YOU!

Rumi stops in her tracks.

MIRA (CONT'D)

Why are you questioning everything
we stand for when we're so close to
sealing the Honmoon? What are you
not telling us, Rumi?!

RUMI

I-I-

MIRA

What are you hiding from us?!

Rumi can't say so she bites back at Mira.

RUMI

Not everything is about your
insecurities, Mira!

This stops Mira dead in her tracks. Rumi really struck a nerve. The girls stand on top of the train, speechless.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Mira...I didn't mean...

Before Rumi can say another word, Zoey and Mira look past her, concerned.

ZOEY

Would you two stop fighting each
other and LOOK--

Rumi turns around and in the distance, they can see the Honmoon tear ahead of them.

RUMI

The tear.

MIRA

It's huge!

Demons begin spilling out of the tear and towards the girls and the train.

MIRA (CONT'D)

If you're with us, prove it.

Mira slams her foot down, activating the Honmoon.

The girls get into formation, weapons at the ready, and head straight into the mob of demons. Zoey starts singing
TAKEDOWN.

ZOEY LYRIC

*It's a take down,
Ima take you out
You'll break down like what
It's a take down, Ima take you out
and it ain't gonna stop.*

The girls aggressively fight and sing. The tension is still there from their argument. Zoey throws her daggers and Mira uses one to kill a demon. Mira switches to her scepter. She's angry, taking out all her aggression on these demons.

MIRA LYRIC

정신d놓고, 널짓밟고jung-shin-eul-noh-
koh, null-jib-balb-goh
칼d세겨놔kal-eul-seh-gyuh-nuah
You'll be begging and crying,
all of you dying
never miss my shot.

Rumi finally joins in, the girls watch on.

RUMI LYRIC

*I don't think you're ready for the
takedown,
A demon with no feelings don't
deserve to live
It's so obvious
Ima gear up--*

Rumi slices away, facing a demon with a club. The demon hits her and she goes flying back on the train.

MIRA

Rumi!

ZOEY

Rumi!

INT. SUBWAY TRAIN

People on the train barely notice whats going on. Most are asleep. In the window, we can see demons surrounding the outside, darkness flooding the train.

EXT. SUBWAY TUNNEL

Rumi gets up and grabs her sword, slaying the demons around her. She races back towards Zoey and Mira, who are still fighting their own swarm of demons.

ZOEY/MIRA LYRIC

*You can try but you can't hide
It's a take down, ima take you out
And it ain't gonna stop.*

The girls reach the end of the fight. The Honmoon energy they've summoned BLASTS through the tunnel, killing off the remaining demons and closing the tear in the Honmoon. Zoey and Mira look over at Rumi, who is trying to catch her breath. Rumi suddenly remembers - the people on the train!

RUMI

The passengers!

INT. SUBWAY TRAIN

The girls open the door to the train and see they're too late. It's empty. A phone lights up with the Saja Boys' message to "Join the Pride".

EXT. SUBWAY STATION

The train comes to a stop and the girls exit, looking defeated. Zoey and Mira begin walking away from Rumi.

MIRA

Whatever you think about the song,
it doesn't matter right now.
Everything is at stake, and
we just need to get through this-
together.

Mira walks away. Zoey stays for a moment, looking between Mira and a Rumi.

ZOEY

You know I'm always on your side
but it's really hard to understand
this time.

Rumi struggles to reply. Zoey shakes her head.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

We can't win this without your
voice, Rumi.

Zoey heads off. Rumi looks down. The image of Jinu's face appears in her mind.

She narrows her eyes, a new resolve residing in them.

RUMI

Trust me, I'm gonna make sure we
win.

EXT. GARDEN OVERLOOK - NIGHT

Jinu stands alone, looking out over the city. He holds the bracelet Rumi gave him. Flashbacks of his mother and sister fill his mind.

Back in the present, Derpy and the magpie demand Jinu's attention. He pets Derpy with a chuckle. Rumi arrives and pets Derpy too.

RUMI

Okay, so I've been meaning to ask.
Why does the bird wear a tiny hat?

JINU

I made it for the Tiger, but the
bird keeps taking it.

Sussy's three eyes look smug. Rumi laughs. Jinu joins her.

RUMI

So, about tomorrow... have you
thought about my proposal?

JINU

Look, I want to believe in your
crazy plan but...I don't think I'm
the one to help you.

RUMI

Actually you already have.

Beat.

RUMI (CONT'D)

I spent my whole life keeping this
secret, this shame of what I am.
And the more I hid this shame the
more it grew and grew until it
started to destroy the one thing
that I gave me a purpose: my voice.

Beat.

RUMI (CONT'D)

But since I've met you..

EXT. GARDEN - NIGHT

RUMI

..and the more I talk to you-- I
don't understand it but..somehow my
voice has healed.

Jinu finally gets the story he's been looking for! Rumi
continues, but now she starts singing.

SONG - "FREE"

RUMI LYRIC

*I tried to hide but something broke
I tried to sing, couldn't hit the
notes*

(MORE)

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*The words kept catching in my
throat
I tried to smile I was suffocating
though
But here with you—I can finally
breathe
You say you're no good but you're
good for me I've been hoping to
change
Now, I know we can change
But I won't if you're not by my
side.*

EXT. GARDEN - NIGHT

She sings as they make their way through a garden. The Honmoon reacts around her, shifting in appearance, more vibrant and strong. But Jinu hangs back as Rumi walks ahead. He starts to feel things he didn't expect.

RUMI LYRIC

*Why does it feel right every time I
let you in?
Why does it feel like I can tell
you anything?
All the secrets that keep me in
chains
And all the damage that might make
me dangerous
You got a dark side,
Guess you're not the only one
What if we both try fighting what
we're running from?
We can't fix it if we never face it
What if we find a way to escape it?
We could be free free
We can't fix it if we never face it
Let the past be the past till it's
weightless.*

The Honmoon reacts around Rumi, shifting in appearance, more vibrant and strong from the rooftop she stands on. Suddenly, Jinu replies with a verse of his own, his demon marks glowing just the same.

JINU LYRIC

*Ooh, time goes by
And I lose perspective
Yeah, hope only hurts,
So I just forget it
But you're breaking through all the
dark in me*

(MORE)

JINU LYRIC (CONT'D)

*When I thought that nobody could
And you're waking up all these
parts of me that I thought were
buried for good
Between imposter and this monster
I been lost inside my head
Ain't no choice when all these
voices keep me pointing towards no
end
It's just easy when I'm with you
no one sees me the way you do.
I Don't trust it but I want to
I keep coming back to.*

Jinu turns away in turmoil and catches the reflection of his yellow eyes. They fade back to something more human when he sees Rumi across the rooftop he's now standing on. They walk in parallel. It looks like they're falling in love.

RUMI/JINU CHORUS

*Why does it feel right every time I
let you in?
Why does it feel like I can tell
you anything?
We can't fix it if we never face it
What if we find a way to escape it?
We could be free free
We can't fix it if we never face it
Let the past be the past till it's
weightless.*

RUMI LYRIC

Oh....so take my hand, it's open.

Their duet reaches the climax. The Honmoon continues to react around them as they get closer and hold hands.

JINU LYRIC

Free, free.

RUMI LYRIC

What if we heal what's broken?

JINU LYRIC

Free, free.

RUMI LYRIC

*I tried to hide but something broke
I couldn't sing but you give me
hope.*

RUMI/JINU CHORUS

*We can't fix it if we never face it
Let the past be the past till it's
weightless.*

It's a magical sight to see. They twirl around in space with Derpy close by. As their song ends, Rumi notices a gold shimmer pass through the Honmoon. They're back in the garden.

(END SONG)

Rumi looks hopeful. Jinu touches his ear, waiting to hear Gwi-Ma once again but-

JINU

I...I don't hear his voice.

He looks to Rumi, hopeful.

JINU (CONT'D)

I'll make sure the Saja Boys lose tomorrow.

RUMI

And we'll both win.

Rumi walks away and Jinu's smile quickly fades.

JINU

Rumi, wait I-

She pauses but Jinu loses his courage.

JINU (CONT'D)

I-I can't wait to see you on that stage tomorrow.

Rumi smiles and leaves.

Jinu lingers on the rooftop. He looks down at his wrists, the patterns are no longer fading but now VIBRANT.

He gets yanked back into the demon world.

EXT. DEMON WORLD

Jinu lands on his back at the top of Gwi-Ma's palace stairs. He stands up and sees a horde of demons looking up at him, terrified. Souls are still flying towards the palace.

A demon groans nervously.

JINU

What's with the long faces?
Everything's going to plan. Look at
all these souls, huh?

LITTLE DEMON

Turn around.

Jinu sees Gwi-Ma's palace has been restored to it's former
glory, bigger and more palatial than ever.

GWI-MA

It's funny. I thought for a moment
you actually believed you could be
free. Hahaha!

JINU

Haha...yeah that's-that's funny.

GWI-MA

Because if you really believed her,
if you really thought you could
escape what you are, what you
did...

Gwi-Ma engulfs Jinu in memories of his family and what he did
to them.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

...you would have told her the
truth.

Voices in Jinu's head start to torment him.

FLASHBACK to Jinu's mom and sister standing helplessly behind
two guards' swords. Jinu lets go of his sister's hand on the
other side.

GWI-MA (V.O.)

(whispers)

*You betrayed your own family! You
left them behind!*

JINU'S SISTER

Oppa..

Jinu's patterns start to flare. Gwi-Ma enjoys tormenting
him...but soon ends it.

GWI-MA

Don't forget about our deal, Jinu.
Because I can turn those voices up-

JINU'S SISTER

Oppa! Oppa!

Flashes of Jinu's sister sobbing and reaching for him as he backs away.

The whispers fill Jinu's head. The image of an imperial door closing on his mom and sister appears.

The voices become intolerably loud.

GWI-MA

Or...

Suddenly -- total silence.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

--they can be gone.

Jinu is paralyzed for a beat. Silence ringing in his ears.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)

Don't think you can escape what you are.

Flames surround Jinu, as he gasps for air.

EXT. SEOUL SKY - NIGHT

Rumi is on Derpy's back, flying high above Seoul. She notices another golden shimmer through the Honmoon! They're close again!

FLASHBACK TO:

INT. KITCHEN

Mira and Zoey leave. Rumi walks in and looks towards the door. Celine sits at the kitchen island.

MIRA

(to Zoey)

Every time.

RUMI

(to Celine)

Maybe...they'll understand.

CELINE

No Rumi, nothing can change until
your patterns are gone.

BACK TO PRESENT:

EXT. PENTHOUSE PATIO - NIGHT

Rumi and Derpy tiger land on the patio.

RUMI

Everything's set.

She looks inside the penthouse.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Well...almost everything.

INT. PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

The girls are sitting around the living room table.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Look, the last few weeks have been
hard, and I admit, I haven't been
at my best. But I know we can win
tomorrow, we just have to sing the
right song. And Takedown isn't--

MIRA

It's okay, Rumi.

ZOEY

We agree.

Rumi is surprised.

MIRA

Its...not the song that's going to
connect all our fans.

ZOEY

It can't even connect us.

Beat.

MIRA

I know our "faults and fears must
never be seen" but-- Look, I'm kind
of a difficult person. Overly
blunt, short-fused, highly
aggressive...

Mira pauses.

MIRA (CONT'D)

My whole life those things were a liability, but somehow, with you guys, they're okay.

Rumi and Zoey react.

ZOEY

I... feel the same way. Before I joined Huntrix, I felt like my thoughts and my lyrics and all my notebooks were useless and weird. But, with the two of you, they mean something... I mean something.

Mira and Zoey look to Rumi, waiting.

RUMI

I'm afraid of losing you guys too. And that's why we have to finish this. All these fears, it's the demons talking. But tomorrow we can win this war, and when the Honmoon is sealed, we will be free of these demons, free of these fears forever. And then we can take a hiatus- maybe go to the bathhouse together?

MIRA

WHAT!?

ZOEY

You mean the women's bathhouse!? Not the mens??

Zoey is squealing with excitement!

MIRA

I will fight for a spa day with you.

ZOEY

Let's do itttttt! [pause] Wait, so what song are we singing?

Zoey thinks for a beat.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

TAKE DOWN!

RUMI/MIRA
GOLDEN!

ZOEY
I mean Golden, definitely Golden.

RUMI
It's a song about the best of us.

MIRA
Rumi, your voice good to go?

RUMI
Never been stronger.

The girls are energized now. They join hands.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY
Happy fans!

The girls hold hands.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY (CONT'D)
Happy Honmoon!

They cheer and laugh together, finally back to normal.

INT. IDOL AWARDS - NIGHT

IT'S TIME FOR IDOL AWARDS! The venue is packed with fans. A promo reel plays of the AWARD HOST traveling through the city, the desert. The Saja Boys and Huntrix appear atop a mountain. The Host is the face of the full moon.

AWARD HOST V.O.
Two bands, one award. Every snowflake is special...but one snowflake is probably the best. Who will be top of the mountain? Fans from around the universe will decide.

The host floats down from space to the Idol Awards stage.

AWARD HOST
Finally, the moment you've been waiting for- Here are the five year reigning champs of the International Idol Awards- HUNTRIX!

The fans cheer as the girls wave to them.

HUNTRIX FAN
We love Huntrix!

AWARD HOST
Versus the heart stealing
newcomers, the SAJA BOYS!

The fans cheer even louder for Saja.

SAJA FAN
Ahh! We love you!

AWARD HOST
Who will win??

INT. AWARDS BACKSTAGE - NIGHT

Huntrix walks down the hallway backstage. The Saja Boys pass nearby. Jinu makes eye contact with Rumi. The plan is still on. Mira watches the Saja Boys.

MIRA
Ugh. Look at that smug face. I'm
gonna freaking smash it.

RUMI
Save it for the stage.

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - NIGHT

The IDOL venue cheers wildly!

AWARD HOST
Please welcome to the stage - The
Saja Boys!

CROWD
Saja boys! Saja boys! Saja boys!

Lights illuminate the stage but the Saja Boys are nowhere to be seen. The crowd is shocked, whispering amongst themselves.

INT. HUNTRIX GREEN ROOM - NIGHT

Mira angrily punches a boxing bag with Ab Saja's abs printed over it. The girls are prepping for their performance.

MIRA
I hate abs!

Bobby burst through the door.

BOBBY

Girls! The Saja Boys are fighting!

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

What?!

BOBBY

That means we're on now!

The girls huddle.

RUMI

Okay, this is it. For the fans!

ZOEY

For the world.

MIRA

For us.

They all exit the green room and head for the stage.

BOBBY

Yes! We win this and then we
celebrate with Itaewon corndogs!

ZOEY

Woooooooo!!!

MIRA

Haha, kaja kaja kajaaa!

ZOEY

Yay! Kajajaja!

As Rumi runs out, she takes a deep breath. This is it.

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

AWARD HOST

Uh..okay, there's been a slight
change in schedule. Here to perform
their hot new single "Golden"- it's
Huntrix!

Huntrix starts their performance! It's amazing from the jump.
The crowd realizes Huntrix is performing their new single!

RUMI LYRIC

I was a ghost i was alone

어워진 앞길속에

(MORE)

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*given the throne I didn't know how
to believe how I was the queen that
I'm meant to be I ah...*

The fans go wild.

INT. IDOL AWARDS - GREEN ROOM

Bobby watches the girls perform on a monitor backstage, doing the moves along with them.

ZOEY LYRIC

*I lived two lives tried to play
both sides but i couldn't find my
own place.*

MIRA LYRIC

*Called a problem child
cuz I got too wild but now that's
how I'm getting paid
끝없이 on stage*

INT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

The stage illuminates in gold. The visuals are just as captivating as their performance. The lights go down and Mira and Zoey exit the stage as Rumi prepares for her solo.

RUMI LYRIC

*I'm done hiding now I'm shining
like I'm born to be.*

The fans sing along with every lyric.

A spotlight shines down as Rumi starts singing, her voice better than ever.

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*We dreamin' hard ...dreamin' hard
We came so far ...came so far now I
believe ...I believe we're goin up
up up it's our moment you know
together we're glowing gonna be,
gonna be golden ohhh up up up with
our voices 영원히 H질수없는 gonna be,
gonna be golden oh, I'm done hiding
now I'm shining like i'm born to be
oh, our time no fears no lies
that's who we're born to be
we're goin.*

INT. IDOL AWARDS - BACKSTAGE

ZOEY

Ahh she's killing out there!

The stagehands touch up make up and adjust their costumes.

MIRA

Let's go finish this.

Something catches Mira's eye behind Zoey. Zoey also turns around and see's Bobby being taken away by two men...their eyes, yellow. DEMONS!

MIRA (CONT'D)

Bobby?

ZOEY

Bobby!

STAGEHAND

You're on in 20 seconds!

Zoey and Mira run after the demons carrying Bobby.

ENT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

Rumi continues performing and she's killing it. There's no way they're gonna lose tonight. A ring drops from the ceiling and Rumi grabs onto it and flies over the crowd. She touches the crowd, the Honmoon spreading over them. Rumi notices a golden shimmer at the back of venue. This is it! The Honmoon is going to be sealed! Rumi drops from the ring and sings even harder.

INTERCUT: Mira and Zoey are running closer to the demons. They are about to catch up when the demon's AND Bobby's eyes turn YELLOW! They smirk and then POOF! They disappear.

ZOEY

Bobby??

INT. IDOL AWARDS - GREEN ROOM

Bobby is safe and proudly watching Rumi kill it.

BOBBY

Yes! Rumi's crushing it!

Back on stage, Rumi is about to finish her song, the Honmoon is the most gold it has ever been, when-

RUMI LYRIC

*You know we're gonna be gonna be
golden we're gonna be, gonna be
born to be, born to be glowin'*

밝게 빛나는 우리

*you know that it's our time, no
fears, no lies, that's who we're
born to be.*

-the music and lights cut out.

It's silent in the venue.

The Hunter Girl's "Takedown" song starts playing. Rumi looks confused.

RUMI

(to herself)

What?...

INT. IDOL AWARDS - BACKSTAGE

Back with Mira and Zoey, they can hear "Takedown" coming from the backstage speakers.

ZOEY

Why are they playing Takedown?

MIRA

Something's wrong...

Mira and Zoey both realize what's going.

MIRA/ZOEY

(gasp)

Rumi!

They run towards the stage.

INT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

Rumi is still confused what is happening on stage.

RUMI

Takedown? They put this back in?

CONFUSED FAN

Is this a new song?

The crowd starts cheering! The lights come back on, a red, menacing color.

Mira and Zoey appear behind Rumi, ready to perform. How did they get there so fast? The crowd thinks this is all part of the show.

The beat drops and the girls start their choreography. Rumi tries to play along. Mira and Zoey sing they lyrics but with more disdain and hatred in their voices. It's like they're targeting Rumi.

RUMI

Zoey? Mira? What?

SONG - "TAKEDOWN"

MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*It's a takedown
So sweet, so easy on the eyes
But hideous on the inside
Whole life spreading lies
But you can't hide
Baby nice try*

ZOEY LYRIC

*I'm bout the switch up these vibes
I finally opened my eyes
It's time to kick you straight back
into the night*

MIRA LYRIC

*Cuz I see your real face
And it's ugly as sin
Time to put you in your place
Cuz you're rotten within
When your patterns start to show
It makes the hatred wanna grow
Outta my veins*

Back on stage, "Mira and Zoey" start pushing her around.

The crowd looks on, confused too.

CONFUSED FAN 1

Are they fighting?

INT. IDOL AWARDS - GREEN ROOM

On the monitor, Bobby watches horrified as they fight.

BOBBY

[GASP] Why? No!

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

Mira and Zoey keep pushing Rumi around. They begin tearing at her sleeves, exposing her demon patterns.

MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*I don't think you're ready for the
takedown,
A demon with no feelings don't
deserve to live
It's so obvious
Ima gear up--*

RUMI

Please! Stop!

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - BACKSTAGE

The real Mira and Zoey are still running backstage.

ZOEY

Rumi!

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

The demon rip off the last of Rumi's jacket leaving her patterns fully exposed.

RUMI

No!

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - BACKSTAGE

The real Mira and Zoey approach the stage entrance.

MIRA

Hang on, Rumi! We're coming!

EXT. IDOL AWARDS - STAGE

Back on stage, Rumi walks backwards, demon patterns crawling up her now-exposed legs and arms. They wrap around her neck.

MIRA

[DEMON] We see what you are.

ZOEY

[DEMON] You're a demon.

MIRA/ZOEY
[DEMON] A mistake.

RUMI
No!

MIRA/ZOEY
[DEMON] You have been since the day
you were born.

The demon patterns have now climbed all the way up Rumi's face. She's in agony and falls to her knees.

RUMI
(yells)
NO!!!

(END SONG)

Her scream is deafening, demon-like. All the lights in the venue BURST! The crowd panics and runs away from the stage. The fire cannons light up in front of Rumi.

The real Mira and Zoey finally catch up to the stage and see Rumi covered head to toe in demons patterns. They gasp. Zoey puts a hand to her mouth and Mira slinks back.

INT. BACKSTAGE - NIGHT

Rumi runs backstage, trying to collect herself, and see's Mira and Zoey standing together. Rumi is confused.

RUMI
What? How are you here? You were
just on stage...that wasn't you?

Rumi is relieved now.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Oh, oh thank goodness!

She walks closer to them but they back up. Rumi pauses. Why does Zoey look terrified?

Rumi looks down at her demon patterns, exposed. She frantically wraps her arms around herself, trying to cover herself up.

RUMI (CONT'D)
No-- no--

ZOEY
How- do you have patterns?

Rumi's still trying to cover up.

RUMI

These were supposed to be gone--
you were never supposed to see--

Mira is heartbroken.

MIRA

You were hiding this from us...
This whole time...

RUMI

I have a plan to erase them-- Jinu
was supposed to-- he was--

The mention of Jinu riles them up even more.

ZOEY

Jinu?! You're working with him??

Rumi starts to break down. She's losing control of the situation.

RUMI

No! No no, I was using him- to fix
all this! To fix me-- so we could
all do our duty, we could all be
strong, be together--

ZOEY

How could we be together if we
can't tell your lies from your
truth, Rumi!

MIRA

I knew it, I knew it was too good
to be true.

RUMI

Mira, no! Didn't you see? See the
gold? We're so close--

Mira and Zoey slowly back away from Rumi.

RUMI (CONT'D)

No no, don't leave! Don't LEAVE. I
can still FIX IT!

Rumi's DEMON VOICE comes through. The Honmoon ripples all around her and the girls. Mira and Zoey freeze in their tracks, scared of the Rumi in front of them. They draw their weapons.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Zoey, please...

The girls are against Rumi, her worst fear coming true. She runs off, crying.

INT. IDOL VENUE - NIGHT

Rumi runs through the halls, crying. Her cries turn angry as she realizes who was behind all this.

RUMI
Jinu? Jinu?! Where are you? Jinu!

She slams open a door and see's Jinu standing alongside four faceless demons. Rumi doesn't want to believe she's just been played.

RUMI (CONT'D)
Say you didn't do this.

Jinu snaps his fingers and the demons behind him transform into Mira and Zoey...then disappear. It was him. She shoves him, now angry.

RUMI (CONT'D)
How could you do this?!

JINU
It was all a lie.

RUMI
It was real! What we had was real!
I know it was!

JINU
The things I said...I just needed
you to trust me. That's all.

RUMI
No, no! I know your story. You were
a good person and you still are.
You just made a mistake-

JINU
I left them!

Rumi freezes. Jinu's demon form on full display now.

JINU (CONT'D)
That's right. I lied to you! I only
made a deal with Gwi-Ma to get
myself out of that miserable life.

Flashback of Jinu's story but now the imagery shows the truth.

JINU (CONT'D)

I left my sister, my mother. Alone,
while I slept on silk sheets in the
palace with my belly full every
night! I left them...I left
them...I left them.

Rumi doesn't believe it.

RUMI

But...that's not all you are. This
is just your demon talking! You-
You have to fight it!

JINU

(yells)
THAT'S NOT HOW IT WORKS!

RUMI

(yells)
YES IT IS!

Rumi's demon voice comes out again. Her patterns flare up.

JINU

(yells)
Listen to yourself. Is it working?

Rumi stops. She knows it isn't. Jinu and Rumi stand face to face, looking more demon than ever.

JINU (CONT'D)

You're a demon, just like me. All
we get to do is live with our pain,
our misery. That's all we deserve.

Jinu poofs away leaving Rumi, alone, broken inside.

Rumi walks off, knowing what she has to do, tearing the Honmoon beneath her as she goes.

EXT. STREETS OF SEOUL - NIGHT

Disappointed fans walk down the street after Idol. Bobby walks alone and checks his phone for the ratings. Huntrix is dropping rapidly.

Mira and Zoey watch as the Honmoon begins to fall apart.

ZOEY

The Honmoon! It's coming apart.

A broadcast appears on a mega-screen in the city square. A newscaster reports on Rumi's meltdown at Idol. A graphic in the corner shows a clip of Rumi fighting with "Mira and Zoey" on stage.

NEWSCASTER

Due to the Huntrix public break up on stage, today's International Idol Awards have been cancelled. Here are the winners of the International Idol Awards. Artist of the Year: Saja Boys.

Bobby watches the newscast, heartbroken to see his girls falling apart. Gwi-Ma whispers fill his mind, but in his voice.

BOBBY

(whispers)

*You couldn't keep them together.
You're all alone. But you don't
have to be.*

He looks over at a Saja Boy's merch booth on the street. He walks over and grabs a Saja light stick. He turns it on and it glows a bright purple, lighting up the smile on his face.

NEWSCASTER

Best New Artist: Saja Boys. Song of the Year: Soda Pop. Worldwide Icon of the Year: Saja Boys.

The broadcast is cut off with a video of Jinu and The Saja Boys. They're on every screen around Seoul.

JINU

Hey everybody, you must all be so sad about the Huntrix break up...we are too. So to cheer everyone up, we're going to do a special live performance tonight! Midnight! Namsan Tower! Don't miss it for the world!

Jinu points up to Namsan Tower as it glows a powerful red. It looks like a beacon for all to follow.

EXT. STREET - NIGHT

Mira and Zoey wander the streets, witnessing the tears across the Honmoon, with Namsan Tower in the distance.

ZOEY

Gwi-Ma, he's coming.

She sees a broken Huntrix light stick on the ground. Gwi-Ma's whispers fill her mind, in her own voice, infecting her with doubt.

MIRA (V.O.)

You thought you found a family. You don't deserve one. You never have.

Zoey panics behind her.

ZOEY

W-What are we gonna do without Rumi?

Mira walks away from Zoey, Zoey goes after her.

ZOEY (CONT'D)

All of our songs are three part harmonies! How do we-

MIRA

There is no "we", Zoey. I don't get to have a family.

Mira hastily turns around. As if in a trance, she joins the crowd marching toward Namsan Tower. Tears fill Zoey's eyes.

Gwi-Ma's whispers take over Zoey's mind in the same way.

ZOEY (V.O.)

*You're too much. And not enough.
You'll never belong anywhere. But I
can give you a place to belong.*

Before she knows it, Zoey is also in a trance and joining the growing mob.

EXT. JEJU ISLAND - NIGHT

It's a cold autumn night in Jeju. Honmoon tears grace Dol Hareubangs (large rock statues) as the Honmoon ripples.

Celine stares at the ancient tree and knows something is wrong. The Honmoon ripples. She takes a step back. Celine is alone but readied. She has only a farm tool as a weapon.

The Honmoon shutters, and Celine feels a presence behind her. She whips around, weapon at the ready when she sees-

Rumi, more demon than human. Her patterns now cover nearly all of her body. Her voice an eerie human/demon sound.

CELINE

Rumi?

RUMI

I thought I could fix it all...fix me... But I ran out of time.

Celine takes in her appearance. Trying to make sense of it.

Rumi ignores her, walking slowly forward.

RUMI (CONT'D)

They saw, they know.

Rumi looks down at her demon 'hand'. Resigned to her fate.

RUMI (CONT'D)

There's no denying it now. This is what I am.

CELINE

Rumi, no..

Rumi stops in front of Celine. Her eyes are pleading. She falls to the ground.

RUMI

You knew I was a mistake, from the very start. Do what you should've done a long time ago.

Celine grows still, realizing what's being asked of her. The Honmoon warps violently as Rumi speaks.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Before I destroy what I swore to protect.

Rumi raises her sword for Celine to take. Celine hesitates.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Please do it.

CELINE

I can't... When we lost your mother, I swore to protect all that was left of her.

(MORE)

CELINE (CONT'D)

But I never thought that that would
be a child like you.

Celine takes Rumi's face in her hands.

CELINE (CONT'D)

Everything I was taught told me you
were wrong. But I made a promise.
So I did my best to accept you and
help you.

RUMI

Accept me? You told me to cover up.
To hide!

CELINE

Yes, until we can fix everything.
And we still can. We can cover
those up and put everything right
again.

Celine pulls off her tunic, and tries to wrap it around Rumi.

CELINE (CONT'D)

I'll tell Mira and Zoey that it was
all a lie, an illusion, by Gwi-Ma
to break us apart!

Celine pulls Rumi to her feet. Rumi pushes her away.

RUMI

NO. No more hiding. No more lies!

CELINE

Rumi, we can still fix this.

RUMI

Don't you get it? This is what I
am.

Rumi advances toward Celine.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Look at me. Why can't you look at
me?

Celine avoids eye contact.

RUMI (CONT'D)

Why couldn't you love me!?

CELINE

I do!

RUMI
ALL OF ME!!!

The ripples in the Honmoon only grow more violent-- threads snapping and tearing with every word Rumi speaks.

CELINE
This is why we have to hide it-- Our
faults and fears must never be
seen. It's the only way to protect
the Honmoon!

Rumi looks down at a quivering Celine.

RUMI
If this is the Honmoon I'm supposed
to protect, I'm glad to see it
destroyed.

Rumi looks furious as she processes everything. In a blink she disappears.

Celine is left alone in the courtyard, the words echoing in her head, and the Honmoon breaking down around her.

EXT. NAMSAN TOWER

The stage is set for The Saja Boys performance. The crowd eagerly waits.

EXT. DEMON WORLD

Jinu and The Saja Boys are in the demon world, just behind the Honmoon that leads to Namsan Tower. Demons are posted up behind them, ready to enter. Gwi-Ma speaks to Jinu.

GWI-MA
Well done. Ready to forget it all?

Jinu nods.

GWI-MA (CONT'D)
Good. I'm ready to feast.

Derpy comes up beside Jinu and whimpers. He has Rumi's bracelet in his mouth. But Jinu ignores him.

EXT. NAMSAN TOWER - NIGHT

Namsan Tower glows a bright, demon red. The Honmoon looks weak around it.

A large crowd chants for the Saja Boys at the base of the tower, locked in a trance waiting for the Saja Boys performance. Mira walks alone in a sea full of mesmerized fans.

Bobby is unresponsive, stuck in a trance.

BOBBY

Saja! Saja! Saja!

Zoey looks up at the tower, a massive stage extending out around it. In a trance, Zoey walks alone through the crowd.

Lights begin to strobe and the crowd reacts. The boys are starting their performance. They rise from beneath the stage, their music darker than ever.

SONG - "YOUR IDOL"

[VERSE 1]

*I'll be your idol
Keeping you in check
Keeping you obsessed
Play me on repeat
끝없이 in your head
(without end) in your head
Any time it hurts
Play another verse
I can be your sanctuary
Know I'm the only one right now
I will love you more when it all
burns down
More than power
More than gold
Yeah you gave me your heart now I'm
here for your soul*

The boys performance is captivatingly evil. Fans start to hear Gwi-Ma whispering in their ear, enticing them to the demon side. Fan's light sticks start to glow red

Mira and Zoey separately move through the crowd, towards the tower.

[PRE-CHORUS]

*Cuz I'm the only one who'll ever
love your sins
Feel the way my voice gets
underneath your skin.*

[CHORUS]

*Listen cuz I'm
Preachin' to the choir
(MORE)*

[CHORUS] (CONT'D)

*Can I get the mic a little higher?
Give me your desire I can be the
star you rely on
내 황홀의취해 you cant look away
(so drunk from my light/glow) you
cant look away
Don't you know I'm here to save You
Now we're runnin wild
Yeah I'm all you need
Imma be your idol*

The fans are sucked into the song, going further into their trance. Gwi-Ma whispers get louder and stronger in their ears. The Honmoon shreds as Mira and Zoey race towards the Saja Boys.

Suddenly, The Honmoon **RIPS OPEN COMPLETELY** behind the stage. Mira and Zoey wait for demons to start pouring through but none come out.

The Saja Boys's pattens glow around their wrists and the hair on their neck spikes as Gwi-Ma comes through the Honmoon! His mouth OPEN.

[VERSE 2]

*Visionary fame
Got you callin' me an idol
Thank you for the pain
Cuz it got me goin' viral
Uh, Yuh, all caught up in the
fever
Makin you a believer
Keep it up keep that love from
going idle
Don't let it show, keep it all
inside
The pain and the shame, keep it
outta sight
Your obsession
Feeds our connection
이순간 give me all your attention
(from this moment/and now)
give me all your attention*

The fans race towards Gwi-Ma's massive and terrifying mouth. Mira and Zoey stare in horror.

[CHORUS]

*Preaching to the choir preaching to
the choir now now!
Can I get the mic a little higher?
Gimme your desire,
Watch me set your world on fire
(MORE)*

[CHORUS] (CONT'D)

*No one is coming to save you
Get down on your knees, Ima be your
idol.*

The Honmoon is gone and so are their weapons. Gwi-Ma whispers in fill the stadium.

Mira and Zoey are stuck in the same trance as the rest of the fans. They're sucked into the wave of fans pushing toward Gwi-Ma. We've lost them.

As Gwi-Ma begins to devour souls, until music cuts out and a single voice fills the stadium.

EXT. NAMSAN TOWER - NIGHT

The stadium's full attention turns to a very broken Rumi. The crowd parts around her. She uses her demon voice to speak.

RUMI

We are hunters voices strong,
slaying demons with our song.
Fix the world, and make it right.
When darkness finally meets the
light.

GWI-MA

You come here like this? You think
you can fix the world? You can't
even fix yourself.

RUMI

I can't.

GWI-MA

And now everyone finally sees you
for what you really are-

RUMI

They do.

GWI-MA

And the Honmoon is gone.

RUMI

It is. (beat) So we can make a new
one.

A POWERFUL VOICE CUTS THROUGH.

RUMI LYRIC

(singing)

*Nothing but the truth now,
(MORE)*

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*Nothing but the proof of what I am
The worst of what I came from
Patterns I'm ashamed of
Things that even I don't
understand.*

Mira and Zoey open their eyes.

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*I tried to fix it,
I tried to fight it
My head was twisted,
my heart divided
My lies all collided
I don't know why I didn't trust you
to be on my side.
I broke into a million pieces
and I can't go back
But now I'm seeing all the beauty
in the broken glass
The scars are part of me
Darkness and harmony
My voice without the lies
This is what it sounds like.*

Fans start breaking from their trances and turning around to see who the voice is. Zoey breaks too and turns around to see-RUMI! Zoey slowly stands and sings her own verse.

ZOEY LYRIC

*Why did I cover up the colors stuck
inside my head?*

Mira breaks the trance and looks up as well, joining in with her lyric.

MIRA LYRIC

*I shoulda let the jagged edges meet
the light instead.*

RUMI LYRIC

Show me what's underneath.

RUMI/ZOEY LYRIC

I'll find your harmony.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*The song we couldn't write
This is what it sounds like.*

They sing together, stronger than before. The Honmoon energy is coming back from their new song and radiating off them.

GWI-MA

Stop the song!

RUMI LYRIC

We're shattering the silence.

MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

We're rising defiant.

ZOEY LYRIC

Shouting in the quiet

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

You're not alone.

RUMI/MIRA LYRIC

*We listened to the demons
We let em get between us.
But none of us are out here on our
own.*

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*So we were cowards.
So we were liars
So we're not heroes
We're still survivors
The dreamers the fighters
No lying I'm tired
But dive in the fire
And I'll be right here by your
side.*

The girls come together and embrace. They draw their weapons
and begin fighting the sea of demons in front of them.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC (CONT'D)

*We broke into a million pieces and
we can't go back
But now I'm seeing all the beauty
in the broken glass
The scars are part of me Darkness
and harmony
My voice without the lies
This is what it sounds like
Why did we cover up the color stuck
inside our head
Get up and let the jagged edges
meet the light instead.*

The girls are working their way through the demons toward Gwi-
Ma.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC (CONT'D)

*Show me what's underneath
I'll find your harmony
Fearless and undefined
This is what it sounds like.*

Gwi-Ma in a last effort to absorb all the souls starts sucking in everything around him. He focuses all his power on Rumi and BLASTS her with everything he has

Rumi is being overpowered.

GWI-MA

Your voices cannot defeat me!

Rumi struggles against Gwi-Ma's power, but he is stronger than her.

ZOEY

No!

MIRA

RUMI!

Suddenly, something breaks the blast. It's JINU. He is sacrificing himself.

RUMI

(gasp)
Jinu! No!

JINU

I'm sorry for..everything.

Jinu is disappearing into the ether. Tears well up in Rumi's eyes.

RUMI

No, I wanted to set you free.

JINU

You did. You gave me my soul back.

Jinu's demon markings light up, turning from magenta pink to a SOUL BLUE COLOR.

JINU (CONT'D)

And now, I give it to you.

Jinu's soul energy leaves his body and begins to swirl around him and Rumi.

Tears stream down Rumi's cheeks, as he disappears for good.

She uses this emotional push to take Gwi-Ma down.

The girls' continue towards Gwi-Ma as the energy changes all the fan's light sticks from red to the new glowing, vibrant colors of the Honmoon. The tide is finally turning.

Zoey is locked in a fight with Mystery Saja. She punches him in the face and his hair finally moves away, revealing what he looks like!

ZOEY

Aw! You're just my type! Oh well!

Mira is captivated for a moment, her eyes spilling out popcorn like when she first met him, but she shakes it off!

MIRA

AHHH! NO MORE ABS!

She slices him in half! Finally, an end to the abs.

The demons rush towards the Hunters and the crowd.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*We broke into a million pieces
and we can't go back
But now I'm seeing all the beauty
in the broken glass
The scars are part of me
Darkness and harmony
My voice without the lies
This is what it sounds like.*

The girls' continue to fight as the energy changes all the fan's light sticks from red to the new glowing, vibrant colors of the Honmoon. The tide is finally turning.

RUMI LYRIC

*Why did we cover up the colors
stuck inside our head
Get up and let the jagged edges
meet the light instead*

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*Show me what's underneath
I'll find your harmony
Fearless and undefined
This is what it sounds like
Truth after all this time
The side I try to hide
Fearless and undefined
This is what it sounds like
My voice without the lies
Letting it out tonight*

(MORE)

RUMI LYRIC (CONT'D)

*When darkness meets the light
This is what it sounds like.*

The girls reach the stage, all their powers connecting and creating a new Honmoon.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY LYRIC

*Truth after all this time
Our voices all combined
When darkness meets the light
This is what it sounds like.*

(END SONG)

Huntrix finishes harmonizing as they forgive each other and celebrate conquering the demons.

FANS

Woooo! We love you, Huntrix!!

BOBBY

I love my girls!

The crowd cheers for Huntrix. The world is saved. The Honmoon in tact once again.

Above the girls, the Honmoon shines ever so brightly, finally gold.

INT. BATH HOUSE - DAY

Our girls are relaxing in a spa. Rumi settles into a tub.

RUMI

Aaaaahhh....wow, this feels amazing.

MIRA

We've been saying that for years!

ZOEY

Right? See what you've been missing?

RUMI

Oh yeah, I wanna come here every day of our three month hiatus.

ZOEY

Rumi, I'm so happy you didn't like...die.

MIRA

Wow, Zoey, way to be super literal.
But same.

Zoey starts crying and blabbering incoherently. Mira joins her, quickly followed by Rumi.

ZOEY

You guys mean so much to me and-

MIRA

You guys mean so much to me too!!

RUMI

I love you guys so much!!!

The loudly SOB.

EXT. STREETS OF SEOUL - DAY

The girls walk home, past a trashcan full of Saja Boys merch.

RUMI/MIRA/ZOEY

Couch! Couch! Couch!

MIRA

Three months of couch.

Girls see/hear fans ahead.

ZOEY

Aww... look at them, they're so
cute!

Girls look at fans, a little longing in their eyes

RUMI

You know...I feel like we got a
nice little break.

MIRA

Yeah, I definitely feel recharged.

ZOEY

Me too. I thought I wanted couch,
but I think couch can wait.

Girls walk towards the group of fans, they hug them, etc.

RUMI

Hi everyone!

FAN 1

Rumi! Oh my gosh! It's Huntrix!

FAN 2

Mira! We love you guys!

FAN 3

We love you! You're the best!

ZOEY

Aw we love you too!

Fans start to swarm them. The honmoon glitters in the sun.

Pull back to see Derpy and Sus sitting on top of a 'Huntrix' billboard.

THE END.