

Keys

21. HOOK. Scenes 8-9. Read, fill in the gaps and listen

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(Subtitled in English)

Scene 8

- Peter, hello?. Peter, are you there? What?
- I'm sorry about your deal¹.
- You hated the deal.
- I hated the deal. But I'm sorry you feel so badly about it.
- Your children love you. They want to play with you.
- How long do you think that lasts?
- Soon Jack may not even want you to come to his games.
- We have a few special years with our children ... when they're the ones that want us around.
- After that you're gonna be running after them for a bit of attention. It's so fast, Peter.
- It's a few years, and it's over.
- And you are not being careful. And you are missing it.
- Peter, where are you?. Peter?
- All children, except one, grow up. Now you know where faeries come from, don't you, Maggie?
- When the first baby laughed for the first time, the laugh broke into a thousand pieces.... and they all went skipping about. That was the beginning of faeries.
- And look, I'm Wendy. Or was a long time ago.
- But Jack says you're not the really real Wendy.
- Ah. Well, do you see, you see where Jack is?
- Well, that is the same window. And this is the same room where we made up bedtime stories about Peter and Neverland and Scary old Captain Hook.

Scene 9

- And do you know, Mr. Barnie, well, Sir James, our neighbor ...
- He loved our stories so much that he wrote them all down in a book.
- Oh, dear me, eighty years ago.
- You're really old!
- That's very true.
- I'm sorry I have to break this up, but I have to steal Granny Wendy ... or she'll late for the most important event of her life. (...)

¹in business, a *deal* is an agreement or arrangement that is made