

FULLER HOUSE

JIMMY

How about a cookie?

MAX

That'll do.

JIMMY HANDS MAX A COOKIE. MAX BREAKS IT OFF AND GIVES THE OTHER HALF TO TOMMY. DJ CROSSES TO DANNY AND THE BABY.

DJ

You've had her long enough. (TO BABY)

Come to your Aunt DJ. Aww, I could hold you all night.

SCENE 1

JUST THEN, THE DOOR OPENS AND A MYSTERIOUSLY IMPOSING WOMAN, MELISSA, (THINK MELISANDRE FROM GAME OF THRONES) WALKS IN, CROSSES TO DJ.



START

MELISSA

I am here for the baby. Bring me the child.

SHE TAKES THE BABY FROM DJ AND EXITS TO THE KITCHEN.

DJ

Out of curiosity, before I call nine-one-one, does anybody know this woman?

STOP

STEPHANIE

Relax, DeeJ. This is Melissa, my doula.

DJ

Your what-la?

STEPHANIE

My doula.

MAX

What's a doula?

SCENE B

INT. STEPHANIE'S ROOM - LATER (D1)
(DJ, STEPHANIE, MAX (O.S.), JIMMY, DANI, MELISSA)

STEPHANIE IS TRYING TO CHANGE THE BABY, PUTTING HER IN A CLOTH DIAPER WHILE MELISSA STANDS BEHIND HER. JIMMY TAKES PICTURES.

SCENE 2



START

STEPHANIE

This is so great having you here. I love my sister, but she has her own way of doing things, and I want to do things my way.

MELISSA SLIDES STEPHANIE OUT OF THE WAY AND STARTS CHANGING THE BABY HERSELF.

MELISSA

Refrain from speaking and observe.

STEPHANIE

Or... show me your way. That's cool.

MELISSA STARTS PUTTING THE BABY IN A DISPOSABLE DIAPER.

STEPHANIE (CONT'D)

Uh, we're planning on using cloth diapers.

MELISSA

No you're not.

STEPHANIE

Is there a reason for that?

MELISSA

Yes.

JIMMY

Wow! We're learning so much!

STEPHANIE TRIES TO MAKE THE BEST OF IT.

STEPHANIE

(JOKING) Oh, the diaper goes on that
end of the baby.

MELISSA DOES NOT LAUGH.

STEPHANIE (CONT'D)

I'm kidding. I haven't made that
mistake since I tried to take my
dungarees off over my head.

MELISSA DOES NOT LAUGH AGAIN.

~~STEPHANIE (CONT'D)~~

~~(SOTTO, TO JIMMY) She was a lot more
fun in the mud pit. Then again, I was
a lot more fun in the mud pit.~~

~~JIMMY~~

~~She must know what she's doing. She
has her hair in a bun.~~

MELISSA

It is time to don the onesie.

JIMMY

Oh, a onesie sounds fun-sie.

MELISSA

Silence! Babies pick up on nervous
chatter.

STEPHANIE

(ASIDE, TO JIMMY) Did she just silence us?

MELISSA

The baby needs burping.

STEPHANIE

Oh, I got it.

STEPHANIE GOES TO PICK UP THE BABY BUT IS STOPPED BY MELISSA.

MELISSA

No. I got it. I shall extract the
burp. You shall do not that.

MELISSA TAKES THE BABY AND EXITS.

STEPHANIE

STOP

Okay, we've been home for an hour, and
I've learned nothing but you and I
make terrible small talk.

JIMMY

Maybe it's just me, but this doula is
not exactly what I expected.

STEPHANIE

Me either.

JIMMY

I was sure she'd be a brunette.

STEPHANIE

Lady Melisandre is not working out for
me. She's mean, she's bossy, and a
know-it-all.

JIMMY

So should we fire her?

STEPHANIE

Are you kidding? I can't let DJ know
that I made a mistake.