

A Perfect Outfit
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PROMPT: Stephanie Rolland, “Skeletons in the closets. Literally. Skeletons in every closet.”

EMMANUELLE

Oh, look at me.

I'm glum and dumpy

Glumpy!

I yearn for a perfect outfit!

And for someone to share it with!

BUT I NEED HELP!

A loud banging from her closet.

EMMANUELLE

My closet is banging at me!

A loud banging from her closet.

EMMANUELLE

Who is banging from inside of my closet!

SKELETON CHORUS calls from inside of the closet.

SKELETON CHORUS

WE ARE BANGING!

WE CAN HELP!

OPEN THE DOOR!

She does. The SKELETON CHORUS leaps out.

EMMANUELLE

Who are you!

SKELETON CHORUS

We're the skeleton chorus!

SKELETON #1

I'm the skeleton from --

EMMANUELLE

No! Don't say it!

SKELETON #2

And I'm --

EMMANUELLE

NO! STOP! I'm HORRIFIED!

SKELETON #3

Don't be horrified! We know fashion! Fashion show now!

They do an extravagant fashion show of all of her clothes.

EMMANUELLE

This is heaven, you skeletons!

SKELETON CHORUS

Time for your new outfit!

They put her in an extraordinary outfit.

SKELETON CHORUS

You're stunning! You're sensational!

SKELETON #3

Now go! And be happy forever in your outfit!

EMMANUELLE

But can't you come with me? You're the only ones who truly see me!

SKELETON CHORUS

We have to stay in the closet!

EMMANUELLE

NO!

SKELETON #1

Why not stay here forever and be happy with us!

EMMANUELLE

Yes! I shall! You see me, you love me, you dress me! I shall love you forever!

ALL

Hooray!

The End.