

Audition Sides - Brigitta, Maria, Captain

The music comes to an end and the CAPTAIN crosses away with KURT.

Begin

BRIGITTA

(crossing to MARIA)
Your face is all red.

MARIA

I guess I'm not very used to dancing.

BRIGITTA

I think it's because Father's in love with you.

MARIA

Brigitta, you shouldn't say things you don't know are true.

BRIGITTA

Remember the other night when we were all singing the edelweiss song he taught us? After we finished, you laughed at him for forgetting the words. He didn't forget the words. He just stopped singing to look at you.

MARIA can't accept this idea because it conflicts with her commitment to the church.

MARIA

No, Brigitta.

BRIGITTA

And the way you looked at him just now when you were dancing. You're in love with him, too.

MARIA stands in stunned silence as the CAPTAIN crosses to her.

CAPTAIN

Oh, Fräulein Maria – you're not going to have dinner with the children tonight. You're having dinner down here with us.

MARIA

(shaking her head in protest)
Oh, no...

CAPTAIN

Oh, yes. But you'll have to change.

MARIA starts to exit but stops as the CAPTAIN speaks.

Maria, wear the dress you wore the other night when we were all singing. It was lovely.

END
