## Thanksgiving With The Puppets

## Cast:

{WINTER-KATIE}  {BRIAN-NOAH}  {SAMANTHA-SARA}  {MATT-RYAN}	L16
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{WINTER-KATIE}. Wow, this has been a year, hasn't it?

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Yes, we certainly have a lot going on, that's for sure.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Yeah, there is definitely a lot going on in the world.

{MATT-RYAN}. There's certainly a lot going on this time of year with Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Yeah, isn't it awesome.

{WINTER-KATIE}. Hey, talking about that, what awesome things are you thankful for Samantha.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** I don't know, there is so much to be thankful for, and what are puppets thankful for these days.

{MATT-RYAN}. Yes, we can be thankful for life itself. You know it just kills me that people don't think that puppets are real!

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Oh, really! let me prank them and they'll know we're real.

{WINTER-KATIE}. I know right.

{SAMANTHA-SARA}. I know that's ridiculous, of course, for real we're talking aren't we.

**BRIAN-NOAH**. I know, that does seem ridiculous.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. People are so weird!

{WINTER-KATIE}. Well, this is the season to be thankful, let's list the things were thankful for. Let's start with you Brian.

**[BRIAN-NOAH].** Well, I am thankful for my new sunglasses that I got a couple weeks ago. Don't they make me look cool?

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Yeah, those do make you look cool. I like you in those. It makes you look so sophisticated.

{WINTER-KATIE}. What else are you thankful for?

**[BRIAN-NOAH].** Well, I'm thankful for my friends. I'm thankful for my school, my church, and life in general. Everything is going smoothly for once.

{WINTER-KATIE}. Cool, what are you thankful for Samantha?

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Well, let's see where I should begin. I'm thankful for good friends at church. I'm thankful that I have stuff to eat. And like Brian said, I'm thankful for good friends and my BFF. I'm thankful for a good mom and dad that love and protect me.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Well, I'm good at protecting myself, I carry my secret weapon with me all the time.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Really, what's that?

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. I scream really loud. You want to hear?

**SAMANTHA-SARA**. I... think ... will ...pass on that Pandora.

{WINTER-KATIE}. Wow, okay then. What about you Matt?

**[MATT-RYAN].** Well, I'm thankful for a lot of things. I'm thankful for good friends like Brian. I'm thankful I didn't get caught pulling that prank on one of my friends at school.

**[BRIAN-NOAH].** Okay wait, did you say you were thankful for not getting caught for pulling a prank on someone at school?

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Now were talking!

{MATT-RYAN}. Yes!

**BRIAN-NOAH**. WELL, HOW CAN YOU BE THANKFUL FOR THAT?

{MATT-RYAN}. For one thing I'm thankful I didn't get in trouble. And hopefully they're still my friend.

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Well, that's not a very good way to have friends!

**{MATT-RYAN}.** I know but it wasn't that bad . . . . sorta.

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Well, if I may ask what exactly did you do?

{MATT-RYAN}. Well, I'm not sure what I want to say.

{WINTER-KATIE}. Oh, come on tell us. You are among friends.

{SAMANTHA-SARA}. Yes, tell us.

{MATT-RYAN}. Okay, I tied there shoelaces together and they fell.

{WINTER-KATIE}. What! He could have gotten hurt.

{{MATT-RYAN}. It wasn't a boy.

DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Wait, that was you?

{SAMANTHA-SARA}. That's even worse!

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. WAIT! YOU PRANK ME. YOU KNOW THERE WILL BE RETALIATION FOR THAT.

{MATT-RYAN}. Well, I wanted her to know I liked her.

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Wait, you tied together the shoelaces of someone you like thinking that they would like you back because you did that?

**[MATT-RYAN].** Well, since you put it that way it does seem a little strange. But that's what I said about not getting caught.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Well, they say confession is good for the soul. Wait, you did that because you liked me?

{MATT-RYAN}. I didn't know how to get your attention Pandora.

**{BRIAN-NOAH}.** I don't think you're supposed to be thankful for mean stuff that you do and getting away with it.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. OH HE'S NOT GETTING AWAY WITH IT!

{MATT-RYAN}. Really?

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Oh my word. I prank people all the time, but I want them to know I did it.

{WINTER-KATIE}. You don't have many friends, do you Pandora?

PANDORA-LEAH}. Enough!

{WINTER-KATIE}. Well, I hope you don't prank us.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. No, right now is just going to be Matt!

{MATT-RYAN}. Does that mean you like me back?

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. No! it means you're going to be lucky to be alive!

{WINTER-KATIE}. Oh my goodness, can we just tone it down.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Yeah, Pandora puppets are not about hurting each other. Puppets are only about loving each other and having each other's back. That's the way it's always been in the puppet village.

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Yeah, that goes for me to.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Yeah, I must say I have to be included in that statement too.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Well, he started it. And I plan to finish it. In my own time in my own place. You had better watch your six Matt!

{WINTER-KATIE}. Well, on that note, and I'm almost afraid to ask, what are you thankful for Pandora.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. For starters I'm thankful for all my stuff. All my dolls, all my tricks, all my books about tricks, and you guys' of course good friendship is valuable.

{SAMANTHA-SARA}. Well, I didn't see that coming from you Pandora.

{MATT-RYAN}. Yeah, me neither.

**[BRIAN-NOAH].** I will have to admit I was a little afraid of what she was going to say.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Well, I do have your all's best interest at heart, but one prank deserves another. I do have a prank book after all. And I hate for it to go to waste. And since you pranked me Matt, I will find something very special for you. I won't hurt you. . . . intentionally . . . . maybe.

## (INFO:). ALL PUPPETS LOOK AT EACH OTHER

{WINTER-KATIE}. Pranking is not cool on either side whether it be from Matt or from you Pandora.

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. WELL, BLOOD HAS BEEN DRAWN SO TO SPEAK.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Oh my goodness! Can we just not be thankful we have each other and forgive each other even for pranks.... That shouldn't have happened by the way Matt.

{MATT-RYAN}. I may have been ill-informed.

{WINTER-KATIE}. Ill-informed by who?

{MATT-RYAN}. I don't want to say!

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Come on you can tell us.

{MATT-RYAN}. Brian put me up to it.

{WINTER-KATIE}. BRIAN?

{MATT-RYAN}. Yep.

**{SAMANTHA-SARA}.** Oh my word this keeps getting worse and worse why would you tell Matt to prank Pandora Brian?

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Thanks a lot Matt!

{DAISY/PANDORA-LEAH}. Looks like I need to prank BOTH OF you then.

{BRIAN-NOAH}. Oh my word. I can't believe you told on me Matt.

{MATT-RYAN}. Well, you can be thankful that I didn't tell your parents.

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