

SONG 1 | **MONTAGUES AND CAPULETS**



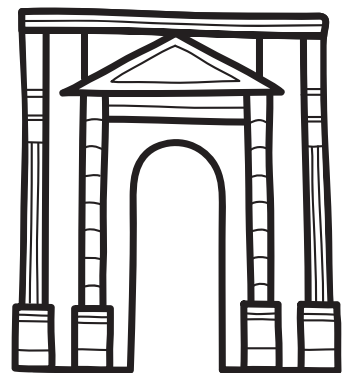
**Montagues and Capulets
brawling in the street
with swords, clubs and catapults
kick, stamp and beat
each other senseless!**

[2nd time only:] *Hey! Hey! Hey! Hey! Hey! Hey!*

**Benvolio and Tybalt
insult and demean.
Peace is a dirty word.
They need to be seen
to be invincible.**

(Repeat)

Montagues and Capulets.



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SONG 2

I WISH TO MARRY YOUR DAUGHTER

PARIS:

I wish to marry your daughter,
the beautiful Juliet.
I know your family, I know your girl;
her future with me is set.

CAPULET:

You wish to marry my daughter?
Well, sir, you will have your way!
But can I ask you to wait two years?
She's only fourteen this day.
But come to our ball,
do come to our ball.

LADY CAPULET:

He wants to marry our daughter,
the beautiful Juliet.
We know his family, we know the man;
her future with him seems set.

NURSE (*to Juliet*):

But don't let Paris persuade you
that you have to be his wife.
True love is needed to make this work;
you're not only someone's wife.

LADY CAPULET:

But go to the ball,
do go to the ball.

**CAPULET &
LADY CAPULET:**

Come to our ball,
do go to our ball.

SONG 3 | COUSIN, WHY SO SAD?

BENVOLIO: Cousin, why so sad?
All your life's before you
There's something on your mind;
I knew it when I saw you.

ROMEO: Rosaline's her name:
a niece of Capulet.
It really is a shame
that we haven't met.

BENVOLIO: Cousin, you must know
you can do much better.
So see who's at the ball.
Romeo, forget her.

ROMEO: Rosaline's her name:
a niece of Capulet
It really is a shame
that we haven't met.

BENVOLIO: Cousin, you must know
that none of this is set.
So see who's at the ball...

ROMEO: ...but we haven't met.

SONG 4 | THE BALL

ROMEO: I hope I meet Rosaline;
a lovely girl - she should be mine.
In spite of what has been said,
I want her.
But who is that girl standing there?
I haven't seen a girl so fair...

BENVOLIO: Her name is Juliet -
a Capulet!

ROMEO: Is it my fate to somehow be
attracted to my enemy?
(to Juliet) Hello.

JULIET: Salve.

ROMEO: Hello,
my name is Romeo.

JULIET: I know.
My name is Juliet.

ROMEO: Salve.

**ROMEO &
JULIET:** Hello.

SONG 5 | THE BALCONY SCENE

ROMEO: What light do I see from that window?

JULIET: What light do I see from my window?

ROMEO: Juliet's beauty I see!

JULIET: Could it be Romeo?

ROMEO: She doesn't know how much I love her,

JULIET: He doesn't know how much I love him.

ROMEO: of how I would like things to be.

JULIET: O Romeo! wherefore art thou, Romeo?

ROMEO: I cannot believe what I'm hearing,

JULIET: I cannot believe what I'm hearing,

ROMEO: she has swept me right off my feet.

JULIET: he has swept me right off my feet.

ROMEO: And now she is saying my name like a rose:
by other names would smell as sweet.

JULIET: O Romeo! wherefore art thou, Romeo?

ROMEO: Goodnight, precious lady, I promise
my love is so deep and so strong.
We will find a way to be married.
Farewell, Juliet - not for long.

JULIET: O Romeo! wherefore art thou, Romeo?

SONG 6 | THE WEDDING

ROMEO: Tell Juliet that she must go
(to Nurse) to the cell of Friar Lawrence
where we'll be married.

JULIET: Tell Romeo I'm on my way
(to Nurse) to the cell of Friar Lawrence
where we'll be married.

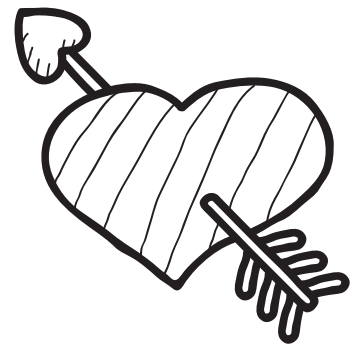
FRIAR: Do you take this man to be your husband?

JULIET: I do.

FRIAR: Do you take this woman to be your wife?

ROMEO: I do.

**ROMEO &
JULIET:** I do.



SONG 7 | THE DUELS

TYBALT: I challenge you,
so draw your sword if you can.
You've slighted me
so stand and fight like a man.
I saw you talking to Juliet.

ROMEO: I will not fight you,
I won't say why.
But things have changed
so please let me by.

MERCUTIO: I challenge you,
and you know I fight to kill.
If Romeo
won't fight you, I surely will.
You don't speak like that to Montagues!

ROMEO: Try not to rise
to what Tybalt says.
Leave while you can,
there are other ways.

ROMEO: Tybalt, now that you have
killed my friend
I will fight you
and then this must end.

SONG 8 | YOU ARE BANISHED

PRINCE: You are banished
for the murder
of Tybalt, ***of Tybalt.**
If we see you
execution
awaits you, ***awaits you.**

ROMEO: I must see Juliet;
one night is all we'll get.
I must go.

CAPULET: She's unhappy,
I can see it.
We must speak to Paris.
She will marry
who we've chosen.
It will make her happy.

JULIET: I cannot marry now.
We must delay somehow;
I won't go.

Friar, help.
We must do something.

FRIAR: This drug here will send you to sleep, dear,
so deeply your family will mourn,
and Romeo will join you when you wake.

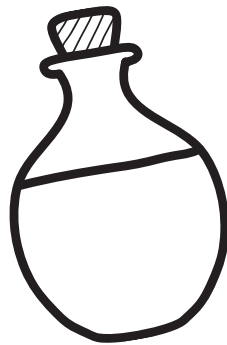
*The second instances of 'of Tybalt' and 'awaits you' may be sung by the ensemble.

SONG 9 | JULIET IS DEAD

ROMEO: Why is Juliet
lying there so still?
It's not the plan we made.
It makes my heart stand still.
She does not move.
What horror lies in her hand?

Juliet is dead,
lying in her tomb.
I can no longer live.
I must go to my doom.
I'll die with her:
this poison will see to that.

And now I die.



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SONG 10 | THE DEATHS

JULIET: O Romeo, O Romeo,
wherefore are thou Romeo?

PRINCE: Montagues and Capulets,
a scourge upon your hate.
Letting this go on so long
sent them to their fate;
the star-crossed lovers.

ALL: **Montagues and Capulets,
agree to fight no more.
Time to love the enemy;
time to stop the war.
Their love demands it now.**

**Montagues and Capulets,
now see where it's led:
swords, clubs and catapults,
two young people dead -
and for no reason.**

**Never was a story told,
a story of such woe
than this one of Juliet
and her Romeo.
The star-crossed lovers.**

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