

STEVEN UNIVERSE

Season One Episode 6.5

"Mission: Do-Over"

**EXT. SCARY CAVERN RIVER RAPIDS - NIGHT**

STAR IRIS OPENS:

INSIDE A PITCH DARK AND CRAGGY CAVERN, A RAFT CARRYING THE FOUR CRYSTAL GEMS SPINS AND THRASHES IN THE RAPIDS.

STEVEN

I can do this! I am a Crystal Gem!



A TSUNAMI WAVE DRENCHES SMILING AMETHYST.

STEVEN AS AMETHYST

Wooooo Hoooo! I'm loving this!

THE RAFT HITS A WHIRLPOOL AND STARTS FILLING WITH WATER.

STEVEN AS PEARL

This is so unsafe, Steven!



STEVEN

Hang on! I'll save us!

STEVEN STEERS THEIR RAFT TOWARD A HUGE WATERFALL.

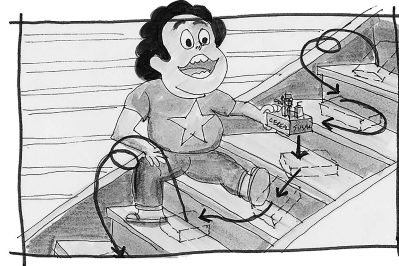
STEVEN AS GARNET

Steven, NO!

**INT. STEVEN'S ROOM -- DAY**

REVEAL: THE CAVERN ADVENTURE WAS IN STEVEN'S IMAGINATION AND WE ARE REALLY AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS IN HIS LOFT, STEVEN PUSHES A CEREAL BOX THROUGH A FORT OF COUCH CUSHIONS.

THE BOX HAS BEEN CUT-OUT TO HOLD HOUSEHOLD ITEMS AS MAKE-SHIFT CRYSTAL GEM FIGURINES IN A "RAFT" IN A "SCARY CAVERN."



HE LAUNCHES THE CEREAL BOX OUT OF THE COUCH CUSHIONS AND SLIDES ON HIS BUTT DOWN STAIRS ALONG SIDE OF IT.

HE SPINS IT. HE LIFTS IT INTO THE AIR, BUMPS IT HARD ON EACH STAIR, THEN LANDS IT WITH A SPIN AT THE BOTTOM OF THE STAIRS.

BORED, HE EXHALES WITH DISAPPOINTMENT, STARES SADLY OUT THE WINDOW AT THE SNOW AND ICICLES, THEN BACK AT THE CEREAL BOX.

SEEKING SOLACE IN CANDY, STEVEN OPENS A NEW LAFFY-TAFFY PACKAGE, CHEWS OFF A BIG HUNK, CHOMPS ON IT, AND SIGHS.



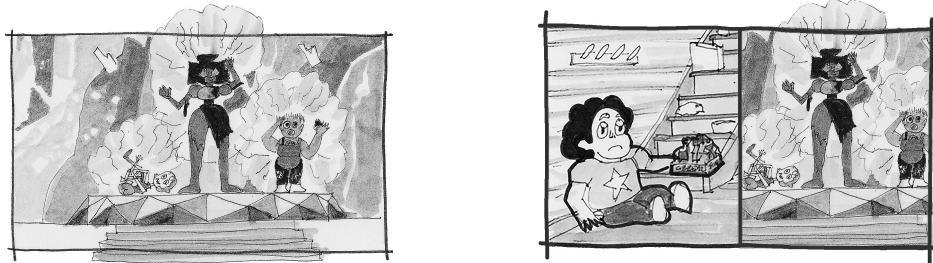
STEVEN AS AMETHYST

Hey! Lets' go again.

STEVEN

Naw! It's not the same without you  
here. Why don't you guys think I can  
help on all the gem missions?

SUDDENLY GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL WARP BACK TO THE HOUSE. THEY ARE WRECKED, BURNT, CUT, AND EVEN SOME HAIR IS MISSING.



SPLIT SCREEN: STEVEN LISTENS AS GARNET FLUFFS HER SMOKING HAIR BACK INTO IT'S PERFECT CUBE-LIKE FORM.

GARNET

That mission was a disaster! Nothing  
to punch in a tunnel of fire!

PEARL UN-KNOTS HERSELF AND STRAIGHTENS HERSELF UPRIGHT.

PEARL

My sword was useless in the whirlpool  
of acid!

AMETHYST'S HAIR AND SKIN ARE BURNT AND CUT, SHE FLICKS HER HAIR BACK TO IT'S LUSTROUS MANE. THE FINGERS OF ONE HAND ARE STUCK TOGETHER WITH GOO.

AMETHYST

My whip couldn't hold back that sea of  
snatching ice shards!

GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL  
(in unison, dejected)

We couldn't get into Goo-Gem's lair.

AMETHYST STRUGGLES TO UN-STICK HER FINGERS

AMETHYST

This goo stuck to my fingers when I  
tried to grab her.

AMETHYST STARTS TO EAT THE GOO.

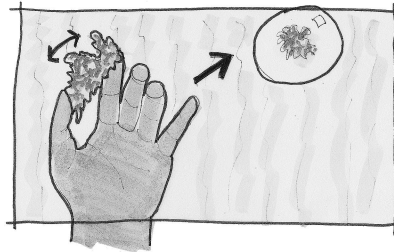
PEARL

It's like nothing we've seen before.

GARNET

Bubble it! I'll analyze it later.

AMETHYST TRIES TO QUICKLY SPIT IT OUT. SHE STRUGGLES TO GET IT OUT OF HER MOUTH, OFF HER FINGERS, AND INTO A BUBBLE.

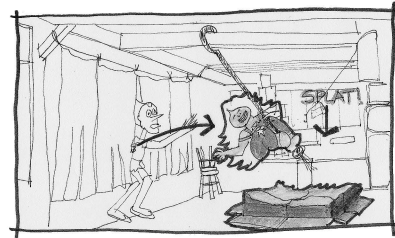
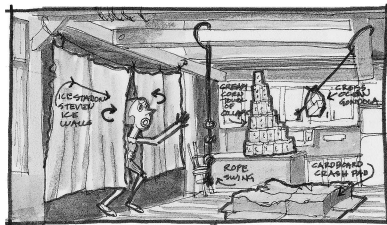


PEARL ROLLS HER EYES, THEN NOTICES THAT STEVEN'S ROOM IS A MESS. SHE POKES HER HEAD THROUGH A LINE OF SHEETS HANGING FROM THE CEILING.

PEARL

Steven! What's this mess in your room?

AS SHE SCRUTINIZES THE SHEETS, THE STACK OF CREAMED CORN CANS READY TO BE TOPPLED, AND GAWKS AT THE GONDOLA RIG...



AMETHYST RUNS FROM BEHIND HER, GRABS THE ROPE SWING AND SPLATS ONTO THE CARDBOARD BOX CRASH PAD.

AMETHYST

Yaaaaaaahoo! Weehaw!

STEVEN

(halfheartedly)

Hey. Welcome home...

(MORE)

STEVEN (CONT'D)

These are my gizmos... So I can  
pretend I'm on all the gem missions.

AMETHYST

Steven, what's wrong? You're always  
glad to see us.

STEVEN

You keep going on cool missions  
without me. I feel left out. Like you  
don't want me around.

PEARL RUSHES TO HIM.

PEARL

It wasn't safe.

AMETHYST

We love having you around, Steve-O!

GARNET

Ditto.

STEVEN

(slyly calculating)

So who is the Goo-Gem?

GARNET

She's a corrupted gem that has created  
layers of protection around her that  
are dangerous to the people of earth.

STEVEN

Since the mission wasn't successful...  
Can we... Maybe... MISSION: DO-OVER?!?

STEVEN'S EXCITED HOPEFUL FACE RUBBER STAMPED WITH "MISSION: DO-OVER" (MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE INTRO CREDITS THEME SONG)



STEVEN BEGINS EXCITEDLY REORGANIZING HIS ROOM.

STEVEN

I'll set my gizmos at home, exactly as  
the mission went. We'll replay it and  
figure out how it could've been  
different if I was there to help.

STEVEN WHIPS AROUND HIS ROOM LIKE A TORNADO

STEVEN (CONT'D)

Wait! Fire, acid, ice? This is gonna  
be messy, better do it in the bathtub.

**INT. STEVEN'S BATHROOM -- DAY**

STEVEN DRAGS HIS GIZMO SUPPLIES INTO THE BATHROOM.

GARNET, AMETHYST, PEARL, AND THE BUBBLE CONTAINING GOO FOLLOW  
HIM IN, HOVERING OVER HIM AS HE WORKS LIKE A WHIRLWIND.

STEVEN JAMS THREE LAMP SHADES TOGETHER, DROPS THEM INTO THE  
TUB AND COVERS THEM IN ORANGE AND RED T-SHIRTS.

STEVEN

Fire tunnel! Like this?

AMETHYST

Longer!

STEVEN ADDS TWO MORE LAMP SHADES.

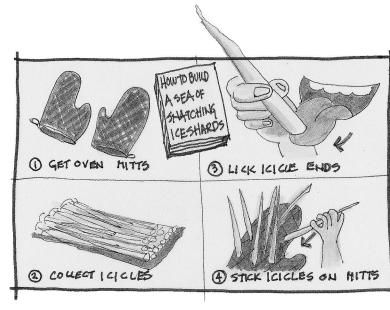
PEARL

Then the whirlpool of acid.

STEVEN CREATES A WHIRLPOOL OF ACID BY BRINGING IN A TOMATO PLANT FRAME AND LINING IT WITH THE SHOWER CURTAIN TO MAKE A SPIRAL BETWEEN THEM THAT DUMPS INTO THE BATH TUB DRAIN.

AMETHYST AND PEARL NOD WITH RESPECT FOR HIS CREATIVITY.

GARNET IS SKEPTICAL.



STEVEN WHIPS OUTSIDE AND COMES BACK WITH A BUCKET OF ICICLES, STICKS THEM TO OVEN MITTS AS THE SEA OF SNATCHING ICE SHARDS.

GARNET

More Mitts!

STEVEN ADDS MORE MITTS AND LOOKS TO GARNET FOR APPROVAL.

GARNET NODS SKEPTICALLY.

STEVEN

"Mission: Re-Do" LAUNCHING NOW!!!!

STEVEN FLINGS THE CEREAL BOX THROUGH THE FIRE TUNNEL.

AS THE CEREAL BOX ENTERS THE TUNNEL, AMETHYST BLOW-TORCHES THE HOUSEHOLD ITEM FIGURINES OF THEMSELVES. THEY MELT.

THE CEREAL BOX LIGHTS ON FIRE. THE LAMP SHADES AND T-SHIRTS CATCH FIRE. PEARL TURNS ON THE SHOWER TO DOUSE THE FLAMES.

AMETHYST  
(with delight)

Crispy-fried in the tunnel of fire!

WITH A SPATULA, STEVEN LIFTS THE BURNT CEREAL BOX UP TO THE MOUTH OF THE WHIRLPOOL OF ACID, AND DROPS IT IN.

PEARL SWIRLS GREEN SHERBERT OVER THE CEREAL BOX, OBLITERATING IT INTO A SOGGY MESS THAT PLOPS OUT AT THE BATHTUB DRAIN.



PEARL  
(with a shiver of horror)

Disintegrated by a whirlpool of acid!

GARNET USES THE ICICLE OVEN MITTS TO SLICE THE BURNT, SOGGY CEREAL BOX AND FIGURINES INTO SHREDS. NO ONE SURVIVES.

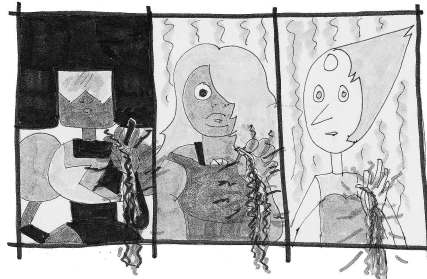
GARNET (O.S.)  
(with morbid disgust)

Sliced to bits by ice shards.

STEVEN

But I could have helped!

GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL DISDAINFULLY LIFT THE SHREDS.



PEARL, AMETHYST, AND GARNET  
(in unison)

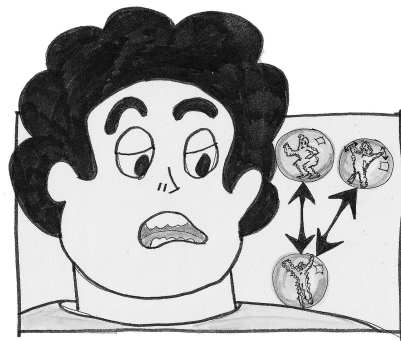
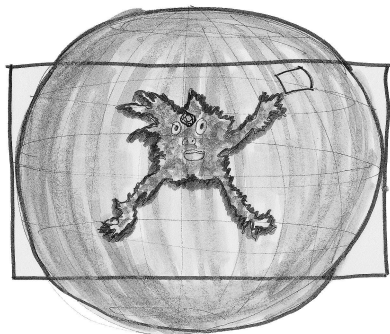
Not if you're fried, Steven!

GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL SLINK OUT OF THE BATHROOM.

THE BUBBLE CONTAINING GOO FORMS A HUMAN-LIKE FACE AND LOOKS AT STEVEN WITH COMPASSION. HE HOVERS OVER STEVEN'S SHOULDER.

STEVEN SLUMPS WITH DEJECTION. HE PULLS HIS LAFFY-TAFFY OUT OF HIS POCKET AND IS ABOUT TO CHOMP DOWN ON IT.

THE GOO-GEM BABY FREAKS OUT AND STARTS BANGING HER BUBBLE ON STEVEN'S SHOULDER. SHE SHAKES HER GOO ARMS FRANTICALLY.



STEVEN PLAYFULLY BATS THE BUBBLE AWAY.

STEVEN

You're not goo. You're a Goo-Gem Baby!

THE GOO-GEM BABY HOVERS IN FRONT OF STEVEN NODS AND SMILES.

STEVEN FLIRTATIONOUSLY BATS THE BUBBLE AWAY.

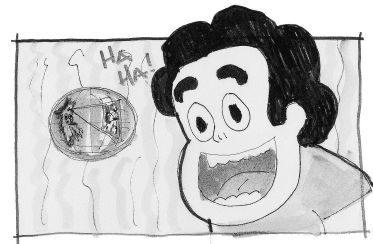
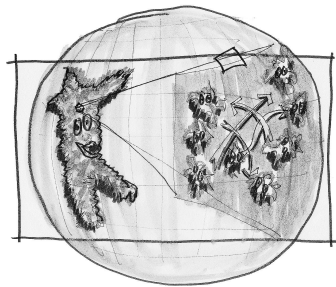
THE GOO-GEM BABY'S BUBBLE SNAPS RIGHT BACK. SHE LAUGHS.

STEVEN SLAPS IT AWAY AGAIN.

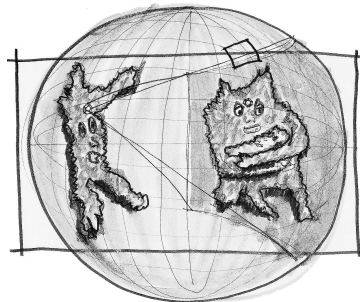
THEY BOTH LAUGH.

THE GOO-GEM BABY PROJECTS MOVIES ON THE INSIDE OF HIS BUBBLE OF BEING GOOEY AND PLAYING STICKY-CATCH WITH HER BROTHERS AND SISTER GOO-GEM BABIES.

STEVEN LAUGHS.



THE GOO-GEM BABY PROJECTS AN ANIMATED PICTURE OF HER MOTHER, THE GOO-GEM CRADLING HER AS A GOO-GEM BABY.



THE GOO-GEM BABY NODS PLEADINGLY, A TEAR FORMING IN HER EYE.

STEVEN

How can I help you? You want me to  
take you home?

THE GOO-GEM BABY NODS VIGOROUSLY.

STEVEN CONSIDERS HOW TO HELP THE GOO-GEM BABY. HE REACHES FOR HIS LAFFY TAFFY AND IS ABOUT TO TAKE A BITE WHEN...

THE GOO BABY TRIES TO KNOCK THE LAFFY-TAFFY OUT OF STEVEN'S HAND.

SHOCKED, STEVEN LOOKS AT HER QUIZZICALLY.

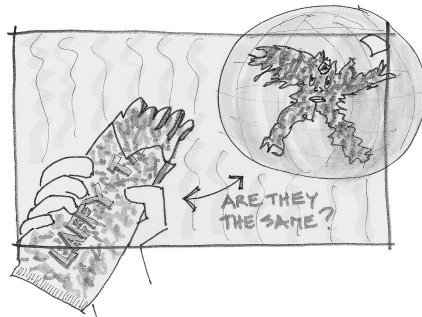
STEVEN (CONT'D)

Hey! Wait! What are you doing?

THE GOO-GEM BABY POSITIONS HER FACE AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO THE LAFFY-TAFFY, AS IF TO SAY "DO YOU SEE THE RESEMBLANCE?"

STEVEN (CONT'D)

You kind of look like Laffy-Taffy. And  
you're related?!? And... Oh! I don't  
eat my friends! I won't! I'm sorry.



GOO-GEM BABY NODS VIGOROUSLY.

STEVEN CRINGES AND QUICKLY STASHES THE LAFFY-TAFFY AWAY.

**INT. STEVEN'S ROOM -- DAY**

IN THE LIVING AREA, GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL BICKER.

PEARL

Amethyst, you're rough and childish!

AMETHYST

You're organized and neat!

GARNET SEETHES QUIETLY.

STEVEN RUNS TO THEM, THE GOO-GEM BABY BOBBLES BEHIND HIM.

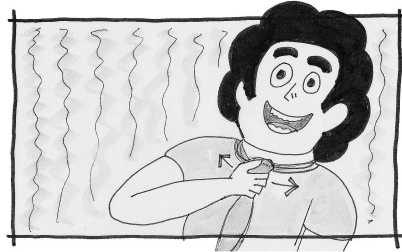
STEVEN

What if I could help? The Goo-Gem Baby  
wants me to take her home.

PEARL

It's a baby????

STEVEN BOASTFULLY STRAIGHTENS HIS IMAGINARY TIE.



STEVEN

Maybe I am the missing link that makes  
the Crystal Gem team work.

GARNET

Steven, this one's just too dangerous.

AMETHYST AND PEARL TRY TO GET THE GOO-GEM BABY TO TELL THEM  
THE SECRET TO GETTING INTO HER MOTHER'S LAIR.

AMETHYST AND PEARL

Goochie, Goochie, Goo-Baby.

THE GOO-GEM BABY WON'T COMMUNICATE WITH ANYONE BUT STEVEN.

STEVEN

She won't talk to you. You kidnapped  
her! I have to go with you!

GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL SHAKE THEIR HEADS.

STEVEN (CONT'D)

I could use my shield!

PEARL

You're just learning how to use it.

GARNET

The dangers aren't coming from just  
one direction.

AMETHYST

It's full-on sense-surround danger!

PEARL

Would you be okay if we put you in a  
bubble to get through the tunnel of  
fire, the whirlpool of acid, the sea  
of snatching ice shards, and the Goo-  
Gem's Lair?

STEVEN

Man, that's like leaving the training  
wheels on my bike. I'm not a baby!

PEARL

Steven...  
(breaks into balletic lullaby)

*As you learn the power of your gem,*

PEARL POINTS TO STEVEN, THEN HERSELF, GARNET, AND AMETHYST.

PEARL (CONT'D)

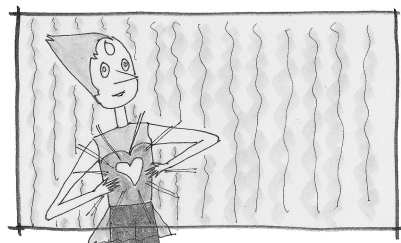
We're learning to work with a hu-man.

*That's you, Steven...*

*We embrace crystal gems of all sorts,*

*But Steven Universe is in our hearts.*

PEARL CLASPS HER HANDS OVER HER TINY GLOWING HEART.



PEARL (CONT'D)

*If you ever got poor health reports,*

*We'd have broken our promise to Rose Quartz.*

PEARL TURNS FORLORNLY TO THE HOUSE PORTRAIT OF ROSE QUARTZ

PEARL (CONT'D)

*If we lost you, we'd be condemn-ed,*

*To great sadness o'er our long-life span.*

PEARL PIROUETTES, STOPS. SHE IS CRYING. SHE THROWS HERSELF INTO A "WOE IS ME POSE "AND WEEPS.

PEARL (CONT'D)

(through her delicate tears)

I can't sing about this. It's too sad!

We can't lose you, Steven!

AMETHYST

(with sloppy snotty tears)

I'd be a mess!

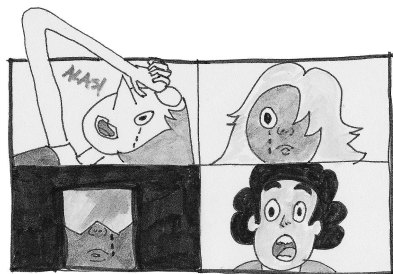
GARNET

(with stoic controlled tears)

It would be game over for humanity!

STEVEN

Garnet? Even you're crying?



GOO-GEM BABY IN BUBBLE CRYING OVER STEVEN'S SHOULDER.

STEVEN RELENTS AND SETS HIS CHIN WITH BRAVADO.

STEVEN

Okay. Okay. You can put me in a  
bubble. Sometimes. But only when it's  
totally, totally scary, okay?

THEY WIPE THEIR TEARS AND NOD IN AGREEMENT.

**EXT. THE TUNNEL OF FIRE -- DAY**

THE BUBBLED GOO-GEM BABY LEADS THE FOUR GEMS ON THE MISSION.  
STEVEN STARTS TO SWEAT BUT TRIES TO BE BRAVE.

STEVEN

Not so bad. I don't need the bubble.

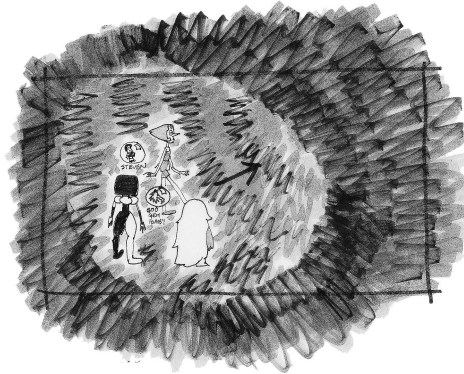
THEY GET CLOSE TO THE TUNNEL OF FIRE. IT SCORCHES STEVEN.

STEVEN (CONT'D)  
(screaming)

I WANT THE BUBBLE! I WANT THE BUBBLE!

GARNET PUTS STEVEN IN A BUBBLE.

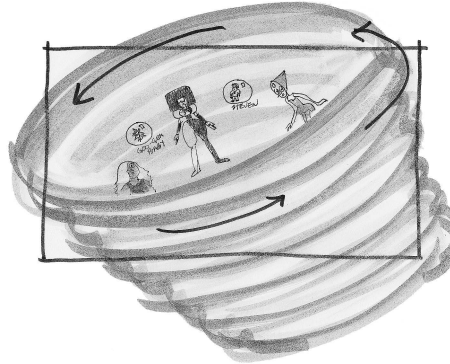
ALL FIVE ZOOM THROUGH THE TUNNEL OF FIRE.



AS THEY EXIT THE TUNNEL, GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL ARE  
SLIGHTLY BURNT AND SHAKE THEMSELVES OFF.

**EXT. THE WHIRLPOOL OF ACID -- DAY**

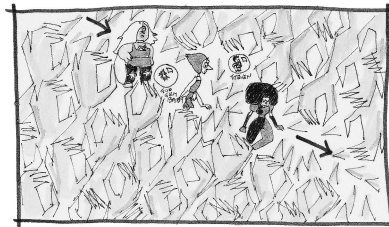
THEY ZOOM DOWN THE WHIRLPOOL OF ACID.



AS THEY EXIT THE WHIRLPOOL, GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL'S CLOTHING AND HAIR ARE SLIGHTLY DISSOLVED. THEY SHAKE IT OFF.

**EXT. THE SEA OF SNATCHING ICE SHARDS -- DAY**

THEY ZOOM THROUGH THE SEA OF SNATCHING ICE SHARDS.



GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL ARE CUT. THEY SHAKE IT OFF.

**EXT. GOO-GEM MOM'S LAIR -- DAY**

THEY COME TO A HARD STOP AT THE MASSIVE GOO-FILLED MOAT, SCARY FORBODING WALL, AND GOOEY-GATE OF GOO-GEM MOM'S LAIR.

PEARL  
(whispering, tremulous)

This is where we got stopped before.

STEVEN

What's so scary about it?

THE GOO-GEM MOM ROARS AS SHE SPITS A TORRENTIAL STORM OF GOO THAT SPINS EVERYONE UPSIDE DOWN AND WIPES OUT THEIR VISION.

STEVEN IS SCARED BUT SCREWS UP HIS COURAGE.



STEVEN (CONT'D)

Let me out of the bubble!

AMETHYST AND PEARL SHAKE THEIR HEADS.

STEVEN (CONT'D)

I can do this! I am a Crystal Gem!

GARNET RELUCTANTLY RELEASES HIM FROM HIS BUBBLE. PEARL AND AMETHYST GASPS WITH TREPIDATION.

THE GOO-GEM MOM BEGINS TO ROAR.

BEFORE HER GOO HITS THEM AGAIN, STEVEN'S BELLY BUTTON GEM GLOWS AND HIS SHIELD POPS OUT TO PROTECT HIMSELF, GARNET, AMETHYST, PEARL, AND THE BUBBLED GOO-GEM BABY.

THEY ARE ABLE TO SLOWLY INCH FORWARD TO TOWARD THE DOOR.

THE GOO-GEM BABY PROJECTS AN IMAGE OF THE KEY UNDER THE DOOR MAT. STEVEN FINDS THE KEY AND CAREFULLY OPENS THE DOOR.



PEARL

A key under the mat, really?

STEVEN SHRUGS.

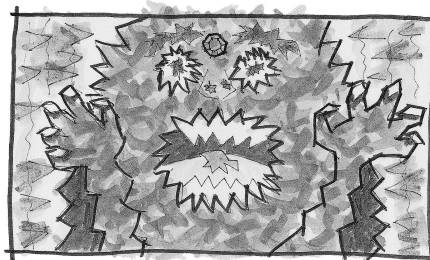
THE FIVE OF THEM SLIP QUIETLY THROUGH THE GOOEY-GATE.

**INT. GOO-GEM MOM'S LAIR -- DAY**

THE BUBBLED GOO-GEM BABY APPROACHES HIS MOTHER, AND ALL OF HIS BROTHER AND SISTER GOO-GEM KIDS.

THEY JOYFULLY TRY TO HUG HER BUT BOUNCE OFF OF HER BUBBLE.

GOO-GEM MOM TURNS VENGEFUL.



GOO-GEM MOM

YOU TOOK MY BABY AWAY!!!!

STEVEN

Only by accident. My friends didn't know she was a baby. We brought her back as soon as we could.

GOO-GEM MOM SCOWLS AT STEVEN.

GOO-GEM BABY COOS AT HER MOM.

GOO-GEM MOM TURNS TO HER BABY AND SOFTENS, AND THEN TURNS THAT SOFTER FACE TO STEVEN, GARNET, AMETHYST, AND PEARL.

GOO-GEM MOM

All I want is to be surrounded by my children. Release my baby and I will not hurt any humans, or gems again.

TOUCHED, GARNET REMOVES HER GLASSES, REVEALING HER THREE EYES.

GARNET

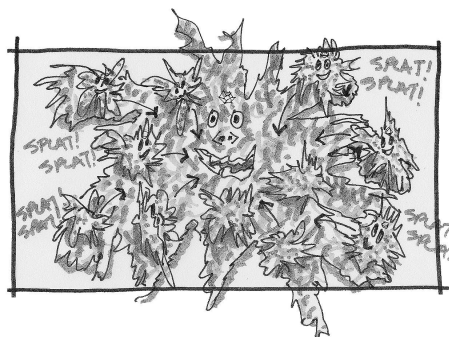
A mother reunited with her child. We cannot say no. The Crystal Gems will leave you alone to live your happy family life undisturbed.

GARNET POPS GOO-GEM BABY'S BUBBLE.

SHE FLIES TO HER MOM AND SPLATS ONTO HER FACE.

HER MOM EMBRACES HER WITH HER GOOEY ARMS.

HER BROTHERS AND SISTERS SPLAT ON TOP OF THEM MAKING A GIANT MOUND OF SPLATTERED HUGGING GOO.



PEARL LOOKS A LITTLE GROSSED OUT.

GARNET

Remember, love comes in many forms!

PEARL

You're right. I love you Crystal Gems.

Even you, Amethyst.

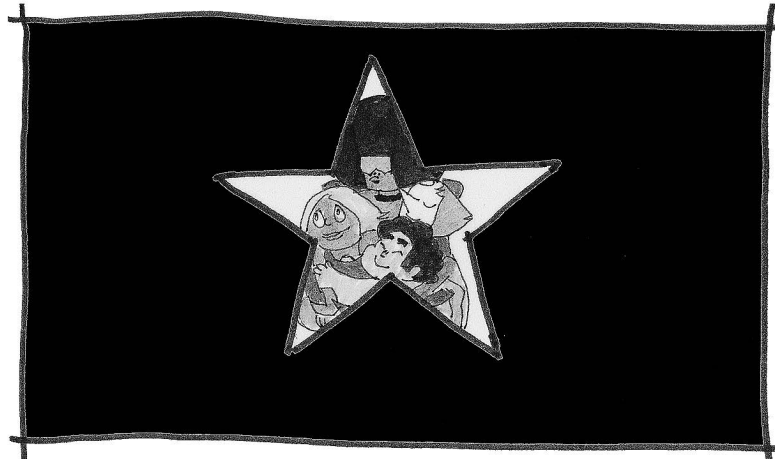
AMETHYST

Awh! You like me, you like me!

GARNET, AMETHYST, PEARL, AND STEVEN LOOK INTO EACH OTHER'S  
HEART-EYES AND HUG.

STEVEN

Two families reunited!



STAR IRIS CLOSE