

## TRANSCRIPT FOR

### Sailor Moon - Episode 58: *“Trouble Comes Thundering Down”*

*(Within the Negamoon ship that is the temporary headquarters of Rubeus and the Negamoon Sisters...)*

**Bertie** “Hi, girls.”

*(Prisma has a taste for the dark.)*

**Prisma** “Well, whaddya think? Is this black lipstick gonna make it with my corpse-like pallor?”

**Avarie** “Speaking of corpses, I'd have to be one before I'd wear Catsy's outfit.”

*(Now Catsy's sisters are insulting her.)*

**Catsy** “That can be easily arranged, sister!”

**Avarie** “Hmph.”

**Rubeus** “Now, now. Sisters shouldn't quarrel.”

*(Rubeus emerges from a Negamirror.)*

**Rubeus** “This is no time for petty bickering. I've got a new plan to flush out our victim.”

**Sisters** “What is it?”

**Rubeus** “Princess Serena's greatest fear is thunder.”

**Prisma** “Good idea. Create enough thunder to scare her and the rabbit out into the open.”

**Rubeus** “Exactly.”

**Prisma** “And I've got the perfect person to help implement your plan. Leave it to me.”

*(She disappears through a Negamirror.)*

**Prisma** “You won't be disappointed.”

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*(Minutes later, a storm cloud begins to spontaneously form over the entire city. Within this cloud, Prisma appears and touches her Negamoon Crescent.)*

**Prisma** “I summon the services of Droid Thunderclap!”

*(The Crescent glows, and soon Thunderclap appears, wielding her Thunder Drum and Lightning Strikers. Extremely loud, she always talks in shouts.)*

**Thunderclap** “THUNDERCLAP HERE, MISTRESS!”

**Prisma** “I want roaring thunder and flashing lightning...and heavy rain that pours for days and nights.”

**Thunderclap** “YOU'VE GOT IT!”

*(She hits her Lightning Strikers on the Thunder Drum. Lightning streaks the sky, and thunder booms. She pulls out her Hurricane Hair Dryer and makes powerful winds. She's really cooking up a storm...literally!)*

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*(Down below, Serena is running home.)*

**Serena** "Oh, where'd the sun go? I hate getting stuck in a downpour."

*(Suddenly, more lightning streaks the sky. Serena leaps in fright...)*

**Serena** "AAAAH!"

*(...and takes off for home at top speed.)*

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*(When she gets home, she dries out her shoes.)*

**Serena** "Oh, yuck. Soggy shoes. Mom, can you come in here? Hurry!"

*(Instead, Luna walks in.)*

**Luna** "She's not in."

**Serena** "So where's she off to?"

**Luna** "Don't you remember what she said at breakfast? She said she was going to that big sale at the mall, and she'll probably be a little late coming home for dinner."

*(Late for dinner? Serena hates that.)*

**Luna** "Now, you've gotta hurry!"

**Serena** "Hurry? What for?"

**Luna** "Rini's went to her swimming class at the school and hasn't come home yet."

*(Serena screams as more lightning streaks the sky.)*

**Serena** "AAAH! Oh! Oh, I have to go out in THIS?!"

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*(Serena heads out wearing a raincoat and carrying another one for Rini.)*

**Serena** "I really hate thunder."

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*(At the elementary school, Rini waits. She's scared of the thunder, too, and doesn't want to leave.)*

**Rini** "Huh."

*(With her are two classmates: a boy and a girl, waiting for their parents.)*

**Girl** "My mom's sure late."

*(But soon, the little girl's mother shows up.)*

**Rini** "Huh?"

**Boy** "Huh?"

**Girl** "Huh?"

**Mother** "Hi, sweetie. I'm sorry I'm late."

*(She rushes to hug her.)*

**Girl** "Mommy! Mommy! I hate the thunder!"

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*(Rini and the little boy wait outside. The boy is in tears.)*

**Rini** "Hey, you're a boy. You're not supposed to cry."

**Boy** "Says who?"

*(Soon, however, a van pulls up, and the door opens.)*

**Rini** "Huh?"

**Boy** "Huh?"

*(It's his father.)*

**Father** "Hi, Josh. Let's get you home now, buddy."

**Boy** "Hi, Dad."

*(He gets inside the van.)*

**Boy** "See ya tomorrow, Rini."

*(The van drives away. Now, Rini is all alone. She's terribly lonely. She cringes as more thunder booms. She watches a boy and her mother pass.)*

**Boy** "Hey, Mommy, can I have my very own umbrella?"

**Mother** "Well, honey, that sounds like a good idea."

*(She's more lonely than usual. She's lonely in more ways than one.)*

**Rini** "Mommy. Daddy."

*(She retreats into her younger years, when she could remember her mother and father. Where are they now, and what's she doing here all alone? She mentions a name...)*

**Rini** "Darien."

*(...and starts crying. What does Darien have to do with this? Rini, feeling totally alone, runs away crying.)*

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*(Elsewhere, Serena heads for the school, terribly worried.)*

**Serena** "Oh please, no more loud thunder. No more crashing lightning."

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*(Elsewhere, Rini wanders.)*

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*(Serena arrives at the school.)*

**Serena** "Oh, Rini. Rini..."

*(Rini isn't there!)*

**Serena** "Oh, she's not here."

*(She thinks of something...)*

**Serena** "Oh, maybe she went home."

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*(Back at Serena's house, her brother, Sammy, is playing a game when the phone rings. It finally distracts him...)*

**Sammy** "JUST GO AWAY!"

*(...to the point of losing the game.)*

**Sammy** "Ah! I'm toast!"

*(The phone keeps ringing. Reluctantly, he answers it.)*

**Sammy** "Hello?"

**Serena** "Hi, Sammy. It's Serena."

*(Sammy goes ballistic.)*

**Sammy** "Oh Serena, you just wrecked my game! Whaddya want?!"

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**Serena** "Calm down and listen, Sammy. I can't find Rini anywhere, and I've been looking all over. I went to pick her up at her swimming class, but she wasn't there, so I was hoping she got home on her own already."

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**Sammy** "No, she's not here. Poor Rini. I hope she's okay. I'll go and watch for her."

*(He hangs up.)*

**Serena** "Huh? Wait! Sammy?!"

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*(Now she's REALLY worried.)*

**Serena** "Oh, Rini...where are you? Where could you possibly be?"

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*(Serena is continuing her search for Rini when she bumps into Darien.)*

**Serena** "Oh, I'm-I'm sorry. I...Darien."

**Darien** "Why are you in such a big hurry, Serena?"

**Serena** "Oh, Darien, I can't find Rini anywhere."

**Darien** "What? She's missing?!"

**Serena** "Uh huh."

*(Serena clings to Darien as more thunder booms.)*

**Serena** "AAAAH! I hate thunder. Oh, Darien..."

**Darien** "Serena..."

*(He steps away from her. What's biting Darien? He was so nice to Serena in the weeks before, and now, ever since Rini showed up and he's been having constant visions of Crystal Tokyo, he wants to stay away from her. Why?)*

**Darien** "Serena, we just can't do this. I really can't be with you anymore."

**Serena** "Darien..."

**Darien** "Anyway, Serena, we've gotta find Rini right away."

**Serena** "So you'll help me find her?"

**Darien** "Of course."

**Serena** "I know you like Rini. You're way nicer to her than to me, and...I-I-I don't understand why."

**Darien** "Look. A little kid is missing. She must feel so helpless and scared in this storm, so of course I'm gonna be worried about her, Serena. Now, come on."

*(He's hiding something.)*

**Serena** "Hey, wait up."

*"Wow. Darien is such a great guy, and he used to be MY great guy. If I could only get him back again..."*

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*(Amy and Lita get out of the weather and enjoy a light lunch at the restaurant of a big department store. Lita sees*

*Serena and Darien running past the window.)*

**Lita** "Just look at those two. They're either on or they're off. Do you think they've gotten back together again?"

**Amy** "Who knows? Anything's possible, but whatever they're up to, they're crazy to be out in this storm."

*(Raye and Mina walk into the restaurant.)*

**Raye** "Hey. Amy and Lita are here."

**Lita** "Hi, guys. Are you hiding out from the storm like we are?"

**Raye** "Yeah, and we ran into each other out front. Isn't that just the weirdest?"

**Amy** "The same thing happened to us. I came up to review Social Economics, Bio Chem., English Lit., and Spanish until it stopped raining."

*(Only Amy would think of such an idea as to study in a department store.)*

**Lita** "Eh, I just came up for a shake."

*(Mina and Raye sit at the table.)*

**Mina** "Well, both stories sound karmic."

**Raye** "Yeah. I knew we were meant to meet up here, don't you think?"

**Mina** "Yeah, but there's one of us missing, though."

**Raye** "Ah, Serena doesn't have a karmic bone in her body, except for food."

*(The others have to agree.)*

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*(Little do they know that little Rini is outside the store, terribly worried. She watches another mother and her son pass.)*

**Boy** "Mommy, I'm hungry."

**Mother** "How about some apple pie?"

**Boy** "And ice cream, too?"

**Mother** "All right."

*(Rini takes her Luna Ball and presses on its nose. Its right eye turns into a screen, and the image of a person appears in it. The picture is too scrambled to make out who it is...)*

**Rini** "Please, Luna Ball...can I go home to my mommy now?"

**Voice in Ball** "No, not yet."

**Rini** "Uh oh, but I wanna use this key now to go back to her."

**Voice in Ball** "Rini, you must be very, very cautious using the Time Travel Key. You know that."

**Rini** "But why? I wanna go home!"

**Voice in Ball** "Too dangerous. I know you're awfully young, but you've got to be brave, little one. To save your mom's life, we have to find that Silver Crystal. I'm sorry, Rini, but you can't leave here 'til you find it. You're a good girl, Rini. Don't worry. Everything will be okay."

*(The pictures blanks, and the right eye returns to normal.)*

**Rini** "No! No!"

*(Suddenly, an extremely intense bolt of lightning touches down. Everyone notices: Serena, Darien, the girls, and Rini. Rini is too scared to go on.)*

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*(She rushes into the store...)*

**Rini** "Oh no!"

*(...and raises the Time Travel Key around her neck.)*

**Rini** "**TAKE ME BACK!**"

*(The key, in the emotionally unstable Rini's hands, goes awry. Instead, it sends bolts of energy throughout the store.)*

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**Raye** "What...What's happening?!"

**Lita** "Lightning struck us."

*(The girls start to feel light, and soon...everything and everyone in the store rises into the air.)*

**Girls** "AAAAH!"

**Lita** "We're all floating."

**Raye** "What a totally...weird feeling."

*(By chance, Raye ends up floating into Mina's dress.)*

**Mina** "Uh, do you mind?"

**Amy** "This is an incomprehensible phenomenon! It's like the earth suddenly lost its gravitational center, but things aren't affected outside. It's just us floating."

**Mina** "Amy, this is no time to talk like a textbook."

*(Since getting out from under Mina's dress, Raye's been upside-down.)*

**Raye** "I wish I could go rightside-up."

*(Lita is literally swimming through the zero-G environment. She's taking to it like a fish to water.)*

**Lita** "This is a major gas, don't you think?"

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*(Rini herself is losing her grip with the ground.)*

**Rini** "AAH! What happened?! Why can't I go back to Mommy and Daddy?!"

*(In her crying, her Moon Crescent re-emerges, and soon, a Moon Beam is released.)*

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*(In the sky, Prisma recognizes it.)*

**Prisma** "Gotcha now...rabbit."

*(Thunderclap converges on the store, beating her Thunder Drum and da-ing a funeral march.)*

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*(Meanwhile, Serena sees the beam too and also recognizes it. She had been caught in the middle of the first Moon Beam Rini had released.)*

**Serena** "That's Rini's energy!"

*(Darien turns around and sees it, too.)*

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*(The Moon Beam soon fades.)*

**Rini** "AAAH! What's going on here?!"

*(Thunderclap crashes into the store. She has her target in her sights. She beats another tune...)*

**Thunderclap** "DUM-DA-DA-DUM-DUM! DUM-DUM!"

*(...and then sets her lightning on Rini. Thunderclap beats another funeral march as Rini desperately tries to get away.)*

*(Meanwhile, Serena arrives at the store...and sees Thunderclap almost blasting Rini with another lightning bolt.)*

**Rini** "AAAH!"

**Serena** "Rini! Uh oh."

*(But when Serena steps into the store...)*

**Serena** "OH!"

*(...she gets carried away by the zero G's, too. Meanwhile, Rini manages to get upstairs.)*

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*(As she passes the girls...)*

**Raye** "Hey, isn't that Rini?"

**Rini** "Help me!"

*(Thunderclap is right behind her.)*

**Girls** "NEGAMONSTER!"

**Thunderclap** "TAKE THIS!"

*(She pulls out her Hurricane Hair Dryer and pours on the wind. All the girls...and Rini, are knocked against the wall. One floor down, Serena struggles to right herself.)*

**Serena** "Forget this, Negatrash! **MOON STAR POWER!**"

*(Serena summons the power of the Moon Crystal Locket and transforms into Sailor Moon, Champion of Justice.)*

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*(Upstairs, Thunderclap prepares a swan song for the girls.)*

**Thunderclap** "LOOK OUT!"

**Sailor Moon** "Stop that racket!"

*(Thunderclap turns around, and Rini reawakens, both to see...)*

**Rini** "Who are you?"

**Sailor Moon** "I stand for love, and I stand for justice, too. I'm...Sailor Moon! So you're the manic majorette who caused the big storm. How dare you terrorize helpless children! Well, get ready, woman, 'cause you're gonna be marching to a different drumbeat! On behalf of the Moon, I'll punish you!"

*(Thunderclap whips out the Hurricane Hair Dryer...)*

**Thunderclap** "BEAT IT, GOLDDLOCKS!"

*(...and blows Sailor Moon against another wall. The other girls regain consciousness, and Rini tries to help.)*

**Raye** "Sailor Moon!"

**Rini** "Hold on, Sailor Moon!"

**Sailor Moon** "That really hurt."

*(Thunderclap charges an electrifying experience.)*

**Thunderclap** "HERE COMES ANOTHER SHOCKER!"

*(It's really jolting for Sailor Moon as Thunderclap uses her Lightning Strikers on her.)*

**Sailor Moon** "AAAAH! I don't like this."

*(Thunderclap prepares her Lightning Strikers again.)*

**Sailor Moon** "Uh oh."

*(They spark when put together.)*

**Mina** "Oh no! We've really gotta help her!"

*(Sailor Moon seems overmatched for the superloud Thunderclap...that is, until a rose shoots through the drum, scrambling the circuits.)*

**Thunderclap** "WHAT'S HAPPENING?! I'M SHORTING OUT!"

*(By now, we all know who threw that rose. Tuxedo Mask is at a window sill.)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "Sailor Moon!"

**Sailor Moon** "You came, Tuxedo Mask."

*(Rini recognizes him, too. He had kept her safe in the past.)*

**Rini** "Tuxedo Mask?"

**Tuxedo Mask** "You've used your drum to terrorize innocent people, and that cannot be tolerated! You use your drum for evil, and that must now be stopped by me!"

*(He prepares his roses.)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "I'm going to make you dance to MY beat, lady, instead of drumming to the beat of evil."

*(He throws the roses, and Thunderclap has to dance to dodge them.)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "Hurry, Sailor Moon!"

**Sailor Moon** "Don't worry. I'll take care of her."

*(Time to blast her with the Moon Scepter.)*

**Sailor Moon** "**MOON SCEPTER ELIMINATION!**"

**Thunderclap** "AAH! I'M SHORTING OUT!"

*(The intense blast in zero G's not only sends Thunderclap out a window and disintegrates her, but her Negamoon Crystal, which fades, continues flying...)*

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*(...right into Prisma's hand.)*

**Prisma** "We almost had the rabbit."

*(Bertie appears.)*

**Bertie** "Yeah, she beat you good, didn't she?"

**Prisma** "You could do better?"

**Bertie** "Didn't say that. What now?"

**Prisma** "I don't know. That Sailor Moon's more formidable than I thought. I'll have to come up with a better plan."

*(She disappears.)*

**Bertie** "Hey, wait for me."

*(Bertie disappears, too.)*

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*(Inside...)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "You did well, Sailor Moon."

*(Tuxedo Mask touches down...on a soda can.)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "Woah!"

*(He slips and ends up floating flat.)*

**Sailor Moon** "Oh no! Tuxedo Mask! What's going on in here, anyway?"

**Rini** "I'm sorry. It's all my fault."

**Amy** "You mean, somehow, you've been able to defy the law of gravity?"

*(Rini nods.)*

**Rini** "I don't know how."

*(She takes her Time Travel Key and wills the gravity to return to normal. She gently touches down. As for the others, they gasp. Then, they all fall down suddenly.)*

**Girls** "AAAH! OOF!"

**Mina** "Bumpy landing."

**Lita** "Ooh, that hurt."

**Amy** "Ooh, sure did."

**Sailor Moon** "Oh, what's next?"

*(Sailor Moon hadn't taken as hard a spill and is already standing. Tuxedo Mask had fallen flat and is now getting up himself. After the girls get back up, Lita takes Rini's hand and asks ...)*

**Lita** "Tell us. What happened?"

**Rini** "Let me go. I didn't mean anything. I just wanted to go back home."

**Raye** "Back home? So, where are you from, Rini?"

**Rini** "Where my mom and dad live."

**Amy** "And where exactly are they?"

*(Rini acts shy and doesn't answer.)*

**Lita** "We won't hurt you, Rini. I promise."

*(Rini suddenly turns on Lita.)*

**Rini** "NO! Let me go!"

**Sailor Moon** "But if you tell us the truth, Rini, maybe we'll be able to help you."

**Rini** "Huh?"

**Sailor Moon** "Come on, Rini. It's okay. You can tell us..."

*(She tunes out. A thought comes back to her mind as she looks at Sailor Moon. Something Luna had said from the Luna Ball...)*

**Voice in Ball** "To save your Mom's life, we have to find that Silver Crystal. You can't leave here 'til you find it."

*(Mina tries to convince Rini to tell them.)*

**Mina** "Come on, Rini. Why don't you tell us all about yourself, and we'll do everything we can to protect you."

*(Tuxedo Mask stops her.)*

**Tuxedo Mask** "That's enough, Mina. She's probably got good reason not to tell you anything."

*(Rini is relieved.)*

**Sailor Moon** "You...think so?"

*(The others gasp. Rini breaks free of Lita's grip.)*

**Rini** "Tuxedo Mask!"

*(She rushes over to him and hugs him. He hugs back, then picks her up.)*

**Sailor Moon** "Oh, great."

**Rini** "Oh, Tuxedo Mask, I love you."

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*(Later, after the sky clears, Tuxedo Mask takes Rini for a walk as she sings.)*

**Rini** ♪Rain or shine, I'm happiest when I'm with Tuxedo Mask.  
He makes me sing. He makes me laugh. I just love Tuxedo Mask. ♪

*(Serena just can't understand it. How can Rini charm Tuxedo mask so well? She mocks her by imitating her voice.)*

**Serena** "She certainly knows how to keep my Tuxedo Mask all to her-SELF!"

**Rini** ♪Rain or shine, I'm happiest when I'm with Tuxedo Mask...♪

**Serena** "But she IS just a kid, and it is nice to see her happy."

**Rini**                    “Oh, look. Tuxedo Mask, look at the huge rainbow.”

*(He looks. Sure enough, there's a rainbow in the sky.)*

**Serena**                “Wow...amazing. Oh, one day, things will work out after all.”

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