

TRANSCRIPT FOR

Sailor Moon - Episode 69: *“Emerald Takes Over”*

(One morning, at Serena's house...)

Serena & Rini “We're going now.”

(Just days ago, Rini had been assaulted in her dreams by the Grim Man. Now, she's as sprightly as ever.)

Luna “Oh, Rini, it's nice to see you all better and happy again.”

Rini “Yeah, I feel so great. Thanks, Luna.”

Serena “Hey Rini, you want a nice little treat? It's on me. You can have anything you want.”

(Rini is on Serena instantly.)

Rini “Really?”

Serena “Yeah, I thought we'd go to the park to play hide and seek for a little while 'cause I'm kinda all out of money right now.”

(Oops.)

Rini “What? No way! You said I could have a treat!”

(Serena puts Rini down.)

Serena “Well, sorry about that. Me and my big mouth.”

(Serena continues on, but just then, she bumps into Darien.)

Rini “It's Darien! Hi, Darien!”

Darien “Hi, Rini. You look a hundred percent better now.”

Rini “Darien.”

(He picks Rini up.)

Serena -Ooh, she's at it again.-

Rini “Darien, could you please take me to the mall? I wanna get some paper, some glue, some scissors, and new crayons. Oh yeah!”

(She just remembered something.)

Rini “And I also need new doll clothes and a doll.”

Darien “Woah, slow down! Christmas here already, Rini? Just lemme see if I even have any money.”

Serena “Well...”

Rini “Huh?”

Serena "Huh? Ha ha. You know, I think shopping's a perfect idea. You guys go ahead without me..."

Darien & Rini "Huh?"

Serena "... 'cause I just remembered I have to be somewhere else anyway. Ha ha. Okay? See ya."

(She takes off.)

Luna "Serena!"

(Luna goes after her.)

Rini "She must be sick if she wants to do something other than shopping. Huh?"

Darien "Maybe so."

(Serena is down the block, needing someplace private to vent her anger.)

Serena "Ooh..."

Luna "Oh Serena..."

Serena "That mangy little twerp! I can't stand how she hogs my time with Darien when she's around! Well, she can have him! Just for today, and that's it!"

(And she starts bawling.)

Luna "Serena, you're pathetic. If you don't go shopping with them, they'll think you've gone bonkers for sure."

(In the palace of Prince Diamond...)

Emerald "Begging your pardon, your Highness."

Prince Diamond "Hmm?"

Emerald "Our preparations are complete. Everything's in order for our trip back to twentieth century."

Prince Diamond "Listen to me, Emerald. For your own good, you must be extremely careful not to repeat Rubeus's mistakes."

Emerald "Ha ha ha! Please, you don't have to worry about me. I will not mess up like that dolt Rubeus did!"

(Then, Sapphire appears.)

Sapphire "Yeah, prove it."

Emerald "Oh, Sapphire."

Sapphire "Rubeus's biggest mistake was underestimating the Sailor Scouts. Emerald, take a look at this again. The Sailor Scouts are worthy adversaries, but we can cut them down. If Rubeus hadn't crashed-and-burned and changed the Crystal Points in the twentieth century to Dark Power..."

(He replays the fiasco that occurred when they had tried a frontal assault on the Crystal Palace. As you recall, the powers of the Sailor Scouts of the future had erected a force field that kept the palace intact.)

Sapphire “...then the Sailor Scouts and their obnoxious powers would've been significantly diminished. Now they'll continue to be strong until our Dark Power is secured.”

Emerald “I'm no dope about abilities, Sapphire, and I've got a foolproof scheme that will fix them for good. Even you'd get it. We just have to send enough Dark Power to the twentieth century to contaminate the entire planet Earth.”

Prince Diamond “Get a clue, Emerald. It's not like you just to walk in and draw upon enough Dark Power so that it will contaminate such a massive planet like Earth...unless the mighty gate to the Dark World can be opened.”

Emerald “Well, you would be quite surprised, your Highness.”

(Now Emerald presents an image of present-day Tokyo.)

Emerald “You see...the twentieth-century world is quite primitive. In that world, there are numerous vulnerable points that contain negative power. These points could be anywhere in a given city, and into these defenseless points, we will drive wedges of Dark Crystal power.”

(These "wedges" would absorb the negative power and begin to grow as they gather strength.)

Emerald “Then the power from our Dark World will follow the wedges inside. Once we secure those unguarded points and the Dark Gate is opened, we will send the mighty power of the magnificent Dark Crystal and color the entire planet Earth with our beautiful shade of darkness.”

(And with that, the game would be over.)

Emerald “I instructed Sapphire to make wedges containing the power from the Dark Crystal, and as soon as he gives me one, we can get started.”

(Sapphire summons one of the wedges. It is a small crystalline statuette that markedly resembles Emerald herself. Emerald likes it.)

Sapphire “Hold onto your boots, Emerald. I've made the Dark Power wedges, but don't waste them! I can make more if they're needed, but if you fail, don't come crying to me as Rubeus did after each of his lame attempts.”

Emerald “Oh, of course not. The faster I can get this job done, the earlier I can get back to being with Prince Hunkster.”

(Prince Diamond doesn't understand what she sees in him. His heart is elsewhere.)

Prince Diamond “Very well, Emerald. I approve your plan. Go and do your best to succeed...and go quickly.”

Emerald “Thank you for your confidence. I'll make my plan work so quickly that you'll want to give me your personal positive reward very soon. Ha ha ha!”

(What's going on at the pastry store? Women young and old are crowding at the display window. Raye, Mina, Lita, and Amy are outside the crowd.)

Raye "You know, this dessert place is new, and so they're having an Opening Day Special. Everything is free."

Lita "You're kidding!"

(THAT would be a good reason. Hope those bakers are ready.)

Lita "No way!"

Mina "Way! Do you think we'll get any? I have such a sweet tooth. Come on! I'll race ya inside!"

(She slaps Raye's back, but it causes Raye's face to be planted on the glass.)

Amy "But cakes and pastries aren't very good for you. There's little if any food value or vitamins, and besides, they're very high in calories and fat."

(Lighten up, Amy.)

Lita "Yada yada yada yada."

Mina "Come on, Amy. Don't be a load, 'cause cake's a good source of energy. I know I've had a tiring day, and I would love a sugar booster. How about everyone else?"

Artemis "You'll get fat."

Mina "Artemis!"

(Mina shuts the lid on that by shutting the lid on his basket.)

Artemis "Don't blame me when you're bursting out of your Scout clothes."

Amy "Maybe we should let Serena and Rini know about this desert place."
Others "Hmm..."

Raye "What?! She'd just pig on all the cakes! No way!"

Lita "True, but you know Serena will be majorly bummed if she misses this cool event."

Mina "Just say 'aye' if you're in favor of stuffing your face."

Girls "AYE!"

Artemis "You'll regret it."

(And they walk on in. Moments later, an hot-dressed woman with long green hair also approaches the pastry store. It seems Emerald is already turning heads.)

Men "Woah!"

Emerald "I guess this is twentieth-century life. How deliciously primitive. Hm hm."

(Emerald discretely removes one of her earrings. Holding it in front of her, the jewel on it lowers on a line and begins to glow.)

Emerald "It shouldn't take me long to get what I want out of this pathetic little town."

(The earring can as as a beacon for negative energy. It begins to spin around, indicating a source is nearby.)

Emerald "Hm hm hm. How lucky. Here's the first Negative Point now. Hm hm hm."

(Looks like the girls don't need to tell Serena.)

Serena "Excuse me. Coming through."

(She's found the store on her own.)

Serena "Cake! Ooh, what perfect timing. Just when I feel like sludge 'cause of Darien and that fungus Rini. Look out, cakes! Here I come!"

(Serena presses against the window...pressing Luna into the glass, too.)

(Inside is just as crowded.)

Woman #1 "Wow. I can't get enough."

Woman #2 "I know. I'm on my third piece."

(Amy, Raye, Lita, and Mina are thoroughly enjoying themselves.)

Lita "Ah, this is the life."

Mina "It's like we survived all those battles with the enemy just for this moment. We deserve this reward for all our great work."

Lita "Oh, you said it."

Amy "Happy trails."

Raye "Totally right!"

(And poor Artemis is still locked in the basket.)

Artemis "You'd think these bubbleheads would realize it's only cake. Sardines are the rage these days."

(Speak for yourself. You're a cat. Meanwhile, Lita gets up.)

Lita "I think I'll try a different kind."

(Then...)

Lita "Huh?"

(Guess who's at the buffet, totally enjoying herself? Yup, the ol' Meatball Head is at her piggiest right now. But who's that beside her?)

Serena & Emerald "This is so good."

(Who'd have guessed? Emerald has as much a weakness for cakes as Serena. Meanwhile, everyone else is staring...not that these two care.)

Serena "Wow. Delicious! I think I'll try this one with the chocolate, and this one over here."

Emerald "Mmm."

Serena "Ooh, what a taste. I can't get enough. Oh, I've never had such a taste. Wow! These are to die for!"

Emerald "Oh... oh. Ha ha ha..."

Serena "Oh, this is good vanilla in my right hand and just..."

(At this point, the buffet is almost empty. Finally, Mina appears from the other side of the buffet.)

Mina "Stop your pigging!"

Serena "Oh, can't stop."

(Meanwhile, Luna has reached the basket where Artemis is locked up.)

Serena "Gotta have some more."

Artemis "Somebody get me outta here!"

(She hits the button and springs him.)

Artemis "Thanks. Where...are...those nutcase girls?"

Luna "I'm not sure."

(I think Raye's concerns were justified today. She and Lita are trying to stop Serena...by force if necessary.)

Raye "Stop it! You're making a spectacle of yourself!"

Lita "Stop! Stop! Stop! Stop!"

Serena "Let me go! Look who's talking, Miss Cake-breath? Let me eat!"

Lita "Pigs have nothing on you."

Serena "Let go!"

Raye & Lita "Serena!"

(Finally, Serena pushes them both forcefully away. Lita gets shoved right into Emerald.)

Lita "Oh, I'm sorry."

(Emerald is annoyed for a moment and growls. She is about to go back to eating when she sees all the other ladies staring at her. Realizing the situation she put herself in, she laughs, covers her bashful face with her fan, and walks down a corridor. Once she's around a corner and out of sight...)

Emerald "I'm feeling so awkward. I can't believe I lost control...because of that delicious thing they call cake."

(She's almost crying.)

Emerald "It must be a plot to get me. Fine!"

(Thinking she had almost been tricked, she stands defiant now.)

Emerald "They're fools if they think they can outsmart me! I'll give those stupid girls a good reason to fear and loathe me! Ha ha ha!"

(Emerald changes back to her normal outfit...and keeps laughing.)

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(With Serena FINALLY under control, the buffet is back under way. Amy and Lita are helping themselves to some more cake.)

Amy "Hate to admit it, but these cakes are giving me energy."

Lita "You got that right, and for sure, they've got Serena fooled into believing she'd rather have a big butt than being with Darien, don't you think?"

(Serena is still pigging out...this time, though, she's at the table with the others...complaining...in the middle of a sugar rush.)

Serena "Mmm, she barged right in between us then jumped into...his arms and...she went shopping with him! Shopping! The leech! Ack! When's that megabrat going to stop doing this?!"

(Serena pulls at Mina's face in frustration, though Raye tries futilely to stop her.)

Serena "Mina, please tell me! What do you think I should do?!"

Mina "I just pigged out beyond control. Just slap me if I reach for a cake again."

(Raye then notices something odd.)

Raye "Huh? That's weird! Why is everyone asleep on the job?"

(Serena then cries on Raye.)

Raye "Get a grip, huh?!"

(Raye's concerns are legitimate. It seems everyone there HAS fallen asleep...thanks to Emerald.)

Emerald "Hm hm hm. Excellent."

(Emerald once more uses her earring and probes. This time, the earring comes to a stop and draws a line straight down. Emerald has found her objective.)

Emerald "The Negative Point is exactly below here."

(She redons the earring.)

Emerald "Come, Dark Power."

(The Dark Power reaches across time, bringing forth the first Dark Power Wedge. The wedge plants itself right on the Negative Point the earring located. Soon, the link is established. At that same instant on Nemesis, Prince Diamond watches the link establish on his end.)

Emerald "Ha ha ha! My perfect plan is working! I feel the Dark Power from the future!"

(She commands towards the Wedge...)

Emerald "Droido Marzipan!"

(The energy that the Wedge carries soon forms itself into one of the Negamoon Droids. Marzipan is perfect for this environment: a Droid specializing...and dressed...in pastry and candy.)

Marzipan "Ready. Hm hm hm."

Emerald "Ha ha ha. Love your getup. You'll wow 'em in the kitchen. Maybe something a tad more subtle would be the way to go, honey. Now have fun, but be a dear. Keep it neat so people don't notice us while we do our thing."

Marzipan "Disguise!"

(Marzipan assumes the guise of one of the waitresses at the shop.)

Emerald "That's much better. Now do your stuff."

(Emerald soon gets to work on the pastries in the kitchen, using her fan to spread Dark Power, laughing all the while.)

(Meanwhile...)

Serena "Hey guys, thanks for knocking some sense into me. Hmm? I won't get upset again."

(The girls laugh. Just then...)

Rini "Yummy desserts!"

(Serena stands instantly.)

Serena "Why are you here?"

(It seems Darien and Rini had also chosen to go to the shop.)

Rini "Hey, everyone's here. Wow."

(Rini is noticing all the empty dishes.)

Rini "Serena, did you eat as much as a fat herd of elephants?"

Serena "How dare you say anything about what I ate, but you're the reason I ate so much!"

Rini "What do you mean?"

Serena "You know very well what I mean."

(Rini responds with a raspberry. Serena replies in kind. The two exchange raspberries while the other girls cover their ears in disgust. Darien, meanwhile, takes a couple steps back.)

Darien "Geez, seems I gotta go."

(He turns...)

Darien "Huh?"

(What he sees are two young ladies who had just eaten some cake that had just arrived from the kitchen. Suddenly, the girls were encased in ice!)

Darien "That can't be a good sign."

Mina "What's wrong?"

(Darien looks around.)

Darien "What?"

(Moments later, other girls begin to suffer the same fate. Something's very wrong here!)

Darien "This is very strange."

(Just then, he sees the new waitress bringing more cakes.)

Darien "Hey!"

(No response.)

Darien "Wait, you!"

(He rushes toward her. At that point, Marzipan resumes her normal form.)

Darien "What do you think you're doing there?!"

Marzipan "Ha ha ha ha ha!"

(Darien stands ready.)

(Serena, as usual, is having a little problem with Rini. They're arguing over a piece of cake.)

Rini "Give it back to me!"

Serena "No way! This is my cake, you little weasel!"

Darien "Serena, don't eat the cake! There's something wrong!"

(Darien's words drive Serena bonkers.)

Serena "Oh wow! Happy day! He still cares about me."

(Raye and Amy appear.)

Raye "Get a grip on reality, Serena!"

Amy "Serena, can't you see what's going on?!"

Serena "Nuts."

(The distraction causes Serena to lose hold on the cake, which Rini eats instantly. Meanwhile, Marzipan's arms become giant pastry bags.)

Marzipan "Hmm, wanna be ice cream?"

(She shoots icing. Darien and the girls dodge one while the other just misses Serena and hits the nearby tree, turning it into a giant cone of soft ice cream.)

Darien "Somebody get Rini outta here as fast as you can! Move it fast, now!"

Mina "Okay, Rini, you better boogie, 'kay!"

Serena "But what about...?"

Darien "Just beat it!"

Girls "Right!"

(They head outside, but not without a parting shot from Marzipan.)

Marzipan "Come on, Rini. Try some fudge."

(The shot misses Rini and turns a partition into a large tub of ice cream.)

Raye "Seems there's no end to Negattrash we have to dump! We better help Darien!"

Amy "Artemis and Luna, take Rini to a secure place, quickly!"

Artemis & Luna "Okay."

Rini "See you guys later."

(Time to transform.)

Serena "**MOON CRYSTAL POWER!**"

Raye "**MARS STAR POWER!**"

Amy "**MERCURY STAR POWER!**"

Lita "**JUPITER STAR POWER!**"

Mina "**VENUS STAR POWER!**"

(Summoning their tools of power, the girls transform into...)

Sailor Mars "Sailor Mars!"

Sailor Mercury "Sailor Mercury!"

Sailor Jupiter "Sailor Jupiter!"

Sailor Venus "Sailor Venus!"

Sailor Moon "Sailor Moon!"

(...the Sailor Scouts, Champions of Justice!)

(Inside, Darien is trying his best to keep Marzipan busy, evading whatever the Droid can throw at him. Just then...)

Sailor Moon "Stop right there!"

Marzipan "Huh?"

Sailor Mars "Look at us! We're Sailor Scouts of Goodness!"

Sailor Mercury "We fight for justice and against evil!"

Sailor Venus "You haven't got a heart or a soul!"

Sailor Jupiter "You take delight in tormenting others!"

Sailor Moon "So, Miss Baghands, take your punishment in the name of the Moon!"

(Marzipan readies the pastry bags again.)

Marzipan "You take yours!"

Sailors Moon & Mars "Hey!"

(Sailor Moon and Sailor Mars duck as the latest shot ices a chair. Sailor Mars counterattacks.)

Sailor Mars "**MARS CELESTIAL FIRE SURROUND!**"

(Marzipan jumps and fires a return volley. Sailor Moon ducks as this one hits Sailor Mars and freezes her left side.)

Marzipan "Frosting coming up!"

(Sailor Moon runs over only to get hit and frozen similarly.)

Sailor Jupiter "Hoo, hang on!"

Sailor Moon "Ew, blech! It's too sweet even for me!"

Sailor Mars "I'll never eat anything sweet again!"

(Sailor Jupiter tries to help with the Thunderclap.)

Marzipan "Stuff your face with this!"

(She shoots rapid-fire candy that blocks the Thunderclap. Jupiter and Marzipan charge and pass each other, but then...)

Marzipan "Try my doughnuts!"

(Marzipan turns and fires a surprise volley of doughnuts that catches Sailor Jupiter off guard and binds her in the round pastry.)

Sailor Venus "Sailor Jupiter!"

Sailor Jupiter "She's fast! You better do something quickly, Venus!"

(Sailor Mercury provides some info she found.)

Sailor Mercury "Hurry, Venus! If you can use your powers to get past her weapons, her center is soft like jelly, and it can easily be trashed!"

Sailor Venus "Okay, I'll try!"

Sailor Mars "Hurry! There's no end to her evil little goodies!"

(Venus gasps.)

Marzipan "Fire!"

Sailor Venus "**VENUS LOVE CHAIN ENCIRCLE!**"

(Marzipan avoids this.)

Marzipan "Missed me!"

(The next attack traps Sailor Venus in a giant cake. Next, Marzipan proceeds to finish trapping Sailor Mars and Sailor Moon.)

Sailor Moon "Yuck!"

Sailor Mars "This stuff's like glue!"

(It's all up to Sailor Mercury now. The two pass each other, but Marzipan just continues to frost Sailor Mars and Sailor Moon.)

Sailor Mars "Don't you ever run out?!"

(After that next blast...)

Sailor Mars "You look like a..."

Sailor Moon "...a marshmallow."

Marzipan "Now for the topping!"

(And she throws a candy rosebud.)

----- **Commercial Break** -----

Marzipan "Now for the topping!"

(But as the candy rose flies, a real one shatters it and lands on the floor.)

Marzipan "Huh?"

Tuxedo Mask "Ha ha ha."

(Sailor Mars gasps.)

Sailor Moon "Tuxedo Mask!"

Tuxedo Mask "You use sweets to make decay, when really, they're made to make people happy. You tainted all of their sweet moments instead, didn't you?"

Sailor Moon "What'd he say?"

Tuxedo Mask "Sweets can be used to melt troubles away for a while, but there are also times when sweets can melt themselves."

Sailor Moon "What a doofus. Why is he going on like this?"

(My thought exactly, but it gives Sailor Mercury an idea.)

Sailor Mercury "Maybe he's trying to tell me that because she's made of cake, my Mercury power might work."

Marzipan "Fire!"

Sailor Mercury "Marzipan!"

(Sailor Mercury has just enough time to dodge and then counter with...)

Sailor Mercury **“SHINE AQUA ILLUSION!”**

(Of course! Water softens sweets, and Mercury's Shine Aqua Illusion can overpower Marzipan's candy attack because of that! Marzipan ends up with a nasty bath that deforms her. The attack nullifies all the traps, and the other Sailor Scouts are freed.)

Sailor Mars “All right! It's washing away!”

Sailor Moon “Great! Thanks, Mercury!”

(Meanwhile...)

Marzipan “Marzipan empty.”

(She can barely toss out one more candy.)

Tuxedo Mask “Finish the job, Sailor Moon!”

Sailor Moon “Righto.”

(Sailor Moon summons the Moon Scepter.)

Sailor Moon **“MOON SCEPTER ACTIVATION!”**

(One shot, and Marzipan is dust. With the Dark Power gone, the Wedge loses its energy and shatters. Emerald is shocked.)

Emerald “Hey, what is going on here?”

(Soon, all the workers at the shop begin to reawaken. She quickly surmises that her plan is quickly unraveling.)

Emerald “Huh? Bad luck.”

(She quickly disappears and hides in another room. Peeking out, she sees that everything's back to normal.)

Emerald “Droido failed.”

Tuxedo Mask “Don't you know it's rude to spy on others?”

(Surprised, Emerald gasps and turns around...)

Emerald “And who are you?”

(...to see Tuxedo Mask accosting her.)

Emerald “Oh, and you are, well...”

(Tuxedo Mask steps back.)

Emerald “...so handsome.”

(The Sailor Scouts are there also.)

Sailor Moon “Stop flirting with him, you tawdry turnip!”

Sailor Mars “I guess you're the one controlling that dried-up pastry-bag Droido.”

Emerald "And you must be the little Sailor Scouts. I didn't expect little girlie-girls in sailor outfits to be my adversaries."

Sailor Moon "We're not little girls! Ooh!"

Sailor Jupiter "Younger for sure, but smarter than you, you old hag!"

Emerald "How dare you call me an old hag! I am the most beautiful woman in the universe!"

(The Sailor Scouts stand fast, ready for whatever may be next. Emerald sees she's getting nowhere.)

Emerald "For your information, toddlers, I am the highest-ranking officer of the Dark Moon and the commander-in-chief of this twentieth-century operation. I have way more credentials than Rubeus!"

(The Scouts give Emerald a combined look of disbelief.)

Emerald "In fact, all men of the universe kneel down before me because I am the strongest and most beautiful in all the worlds anywhere in space."

(Then the Sailor Scouts experience Emerald's laugh. Believe me, they don't enjoy it. They cover their ears in disgust.)

Sailor Moon "Ew..."

Sailor Venus "Not only does her attitude bite, but so does her voice!"

Emerald "Hoo hoo hoo. I'll leave now, girls, but I'll be back to beat you. Don't forget. My name is Emerald!"

(And she jumps into the air and disappears laughing.)

Sailor Moon "Emerald?"

Sailor Jupiter "Well, she's quite a loud enemy, so I guess we'll know when she's here."

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