

THE LOUD HOUSE

#261 - "You Only Gift Twice"

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INT. GUS' GAMES AND GRUB - JUNGLE GYM TUNNELS - DAY

CLOSE ON Lincoln (dressed as David Steele) crawling through the tunnels of Gus' jungle gym.

1 **LINCOLN**
<FRANTIC CRAWLING>

He hears a CLASSMATE (MALICE AGENT) approaching:

2 **MALICE AGENT (O.S.)**
There's no escape, Agent Steele!

Lincoln continues on as the Agent follows. From connecting tunnels, two more MALICE agents converge.

3 **LINCOLN**
<SURPRISED HMM?>

The agents (now clearly Lincoln's classmates in costume) aim their SUCTION-CUP DART BLASTERS at Lincoln. They fire. Lincoln dodges.

4 **LINCOLN (CONT'D)**
<VARIOUS DODGING EFFORTS>

Panicked, Lincoln stands and runs towards a light at the end of the tunnel.

5 **LINCOLN (CONT'D)**
<PANICKED RUNNING>
(notices dead end)
<STOPS IN HIS TRACKS>

Lincoln stops at the opening in the tunnels. He looks down at the ball pit below. The "agents" corner him. Lincoln turns to them, cool:

6 **LINCOLN (CONT'D)**
Hate to cut this short, MALICE,
'cause I was having such a... *ball*.

He leaps towards the light. In slow motion, Lincoln free falls towards a BALL PIT below. As he belly flops in, PLASTIC BALLS SCREEN WIPE UP as we transition to:

BOND-STYLE TITLE SEQUENCE: Throughout the song, we see the SILHOUETTE of Lincoln striking various spy poses - successfully and unsuccessfully.

7 **SINGER (V.O.)**
[TBD LYRICS]

As the final note hits, we hear an O.S. Gus interrupt:

8 GUS (O.S.)
Lincoln!

INT. GUS' GAMES AND GRUB - DINING AREA - CONTINUOUS

CLOSE ON Lincoln, striking a pose from the previous sequence. An applauding Gus (in COSTUME) stands below him.

9 GUS
Bravo, buddy, but you gotta get off the table.

Lincoln looks down. REVEAL he's standing on top of a table, with his foot in a PLATE OF GARLIC KNOTS. The COUPLE sitting at the table, shoot Lincoln a look.

10 MALE CUSTOMER
You have ruined my wife's garlic knots!

11 LINCOLN
Sorry! <SHEEPISHLY LAUGH>

He SHEEPISHLY LAUGHS and hops down. He walks away and turns to camera:

12 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
Well, today's a really big day - it's my twelfth birthday! Feels like I've been eleven forever. So, this year I'm doing it in style-
(striking pose)
David Steele style. I asked all my friends to come to Gus's dressed as their favorite MALICE villains! You have Golden Toe, Blowfish, Odd Bob, and Patty Whack!

INSERT quick cuts of the gang dressed up as each villain:
-- Liam is GOLDEN TOE: a villain completely dipped in gold.
-- Zach is BLOWFISH: the bald leader of MALICE. He slowly pets a BLOWFISH in his arm like a cat.
-- Clyde is ODD BOB: a dapper goon with a dangerous top hat.
-- Stella is PATTY WHACK: a white trench-coated super sleuth wielding a STICKY HAND.

13 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
So far, it's been great!

In the BG, the gang closes in on him. Without even turning, he pulls out a REMOTE.

14 LINCOLN (CONT'D)

One moment.

Lincoln presses a button. A giant NET scoops up the gang.

15 LINCOLN (CONT'D)

Nothing but *net*! And now that we've finished playing "Agents and MALICE", it's time for...

16 MOM (O.S.)

Presents!

Lincoln smiles at the camera before heading off.

17 LINCOLN

<FIST PUMP YES!>

The gang free themselves and make their way towards the GIFT TABLE. Liam, covered in gold paint, slips.

18 LIAM

WAHOO!

(trips)

Uh-oh... <TRIPS>

Zach eyes Rusty, who is wearing a tuxedo.

19 ZACH

Rusty! The invitation said only Lincoln was supposed to dress up as David Steele!

20 RUSTY

Sorry, dude. It's not my fault I look *amazing* in a tuxedo. Besides, check out the Loud seniors.

CUT TO Dad and Gramps dressed as David Steele at a booth. A waitress takes their order.

21 DAD

I'll take my milkshake shaken...
not stirred please.

Lincoln runs up to the present table.

22 LINCOLN

<GASP!> <GIDDY EFFORTS>

Just then, Rusty spots the pile of presents.

23 RUSTY
Wait, we all said we weren't
bringing any gifts, right?

24 LIAM
We ain't never said that, Rust.

25 RUSTY
<SIGH> Welp, I'm going back to the
arcade. Hopefully I can win him
some finger traps.

Rusty slumps, heading back to the arcade. At the table, Dad
and Gramps (in COSTUME) make an announcement to the crowd:

26 DAD
Thanks for coming everyone! Today
is a special day for a special...

Dad hears Gramps start to <HOLD BACK TEARS>. He looks over.

27 GRAMPS
<HOLDING BACK TEARS>

28 DAD
<BREAKING DOWN> Dad, you know if
you cry... I'm gonna... <SOB>

29 DAD/GRAMPS
<SOB>

The two men trade WAILS. Mom moves them aside.

30 MOM
Lincoln, I think what your Dad was
trying to say is that 12 is a Loud
family landmark! He and Gramps have
a special present for you. Your
great grandfather gave it to Gramps
when he was 12, and Gramps gave it
to your Dad when he was 12.

During Mom's speech, Lynn gives Lincoln a playful noogie.

31 LYNN
Birthday noogies! <NOOGIE EFFORT>

32 LINCOLN
<NOOGIED EFFORT>

33 MOM
You ready, hon?

Dad composes himself and turns around, looking for the present on the gift table. His search turns frantic and he starts throwing gifts. Gramps joins in.

34 DAD
Where'd it go?! It was right here!

35 GRAMPS
Maybe it was just misplaced?

Lincoln stands on a table, trying to calm the MURMURING.

36 PATRON WALLA
<WORRIED CROWD MURMURING>

37 ZACH/LIAM
<GASP!> <NERVOUS EFFORT>

38 LINCOLN
Everyone! There's no need to panic!
David Steele is on the case!

39 LOLA (O.S.)
Okay, now you're standing on my spaghetti.

Lincoln looks down. REVEAL he's standing in Lola's plate of spaghetti.

40 LOLA (CONT'D)
Augh!! Lincoln! You're standing in my garlic knots!

41 LINCOLN
<SHEEPISH CHUCKLE> Yeah, I gotta stop doing that...

INT. GUS' GAMES AND GRUB - ARCADE - MOMENTS LATER

Lincoln approaches an oblivious Gus, who is busy practicing a spy pose with a MOP.

42 GUS
So MALICE, you wanna mess with ol' Gus, do ya? DO YA!?

43 LINCOLN
Hey, Gus!

A startled Gus jumps, swinging the mop around.

44 GUS
Nobody was playing pretend David Steele!

The mop hits Liam walking by, sending him flying across the floor, leaving a gold streak in his wake.

45 LIAM
<OOF!>

46 LINCOLN
I need your help! Have you seen anything *suspicious* lately?

47 GUS
I actually have...
(Lincoln brightens)
...not. I have not. But I know a
another place to look.

INT. GUS' GAMES AND GRUB - SECURITY OFFICE - MOMENTS LATER

Gus leads Lincoln into an OFFICE with MONITORS of the place. Lincoln's eyes widen in amazement.

48 GUS
Here she is - the eyes and ears of--
WHAT IN THE NAME OF PARMESAN!

REVEAL all of the security feeds have been blacked out.

49 GUS (CONT'D)
It must be those rascals after my
secret garlic knot recipe. You
wouldn't believe how many people
try to steal it.
(whispers to Lincoln)
The secret is... Garlic.

50 LINCOLN
(re: monitors)
I actually think it might have been
someone trying to steal my birthday
gift.

51 GUS
We can check the tapes. Let me
rewind.

Gus sits down in front of an array of monitors. Lincoln watches from over Gus' shoulder as he REWINDS the feed. He presses PLAY.

ON MONITORS: We see Gus shooting basketballs at an arcade game. One shot bounces off the rim back into his face.

52 GUS (ON MONITOR) (CONT'D)
<OOF!>

IN SECURITY ROOM: Gus's face flushes with embarrassment.

53 GUS (CONT'D)
Whoops... that's a little too far
back. Let me just--

ON MONITORS: Gus FAST FORWARDS and stops the tape. We see Lincoln's gift table. Suddenly, a SUCTION-CUP DART flies in and covers the camera. One by one, all of the feeds with a view of the table are blocked by darts.

54 LINCOLN
Huh?! So that's how it happened! I
was right. This was a robbery!

55 GUS
<GASP!>

56 LINCOLN
Can you go back a few seconds?

57 GUS
(rewinding tape)
Hey, this is pretty cool. You think
David Steele could have some sort
of pizza-flinging sidekick? Like
The Pie Guy?

58 LINCOLN
(ignoring Gus, noticing
something)
Right there!

59 GUS
<AHM> Yeah, we can talk more about
it later.

Lincoln points to three people closest to the table.

60 LINCOLN (O.S.)
There's Scoots...

ON Scoots looking around, making sure the coast is clear. She drags her finger across LINCOLN'S CAKE and licks it.

61 SCOOTS (ON MONITOR)
<LICKS FINGER>

62 LINCOLN (O.S.)
...And Flip...

ON Flip elbow deep in the CLAW MACHINE, trying to grab a prize.

63 FLIP (ON MONITOR)
<STRUGGLING EFFORTS>

64 LINCOLN
...And Chandler!

ON Chandler shaking presents violently, listening to the contents.

65 CHANDLER (ON MONITOR)
<DEVIOUS CHUCKLE>

66 LINCOLN
Three suspects. All non party-
goers. All close to the scene of
the crime.

From one of the live feeds, he sees all three at a table.

67 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
Nice working with you... Pie Guy!

Lincoln exits. Gus proudly fist pumps and strikes a spy pose.

68 GUS
Yes! Pie Guy!

INT. GUS' GAMES AND GRUB - DINING AREA - MOMENTS LATER

Lincoln approaches Chandler, Scoots, and Flip, crammed in at one table.

69 LINCOLN
Room for one more?

The three suspects turn.

70 SCOOTS
Does it look like there's room for
one more?! 'Cause of your dang
party, I'm stuck with these two
bozos at the loner's table!

Scoots cringes as she watches Flip cram pizza in his face.

71 FLIP
<CRAMMING PIZZA> <GULP> You ain't
no picnic yourself!

72 CHANDLER
What do you want anyway, Lincoln
Lame?

73 LINCOLN
Well... someone nabbed one of my
birthday presents, and I think one
of you is the culprit.
(pulls out cards)
The game is "Go Fish." If I win,
you have to turn out your pockets.

74 CHANDLER
And what's in it for us?

75 LINCOLN
Well, if you win...
(looks over at presents)
You get to keep all of my presents.

The word 'presents' echoes through the dining area. From a few tables over, Lola pops up and rushes over. She pulls out her own deck of cards, shuffling them like a professional.

76 LOLA
Count me in. Okay, deuces are wild
and Aces are high...

77 LINCOLN
Not you, Lola.

Lincoln gently pushes her out of the way.

78 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
So, are you feeling lucky?

79 CHANDLER
You're on!

QUICK SHOTS: Lincoln shuffles and deals. The four eye each other suspiciously, hiding behind their cards, as a crowd gathers around the table.

-- Lincoln sets down a matching pair. Flip <GRUMBLES> and picks up a few cards from the pile.

80 FLIP
<GRUMBLING>

-- Lincoln shakes his head 'no'. An angry Scoots picks up ten cards from the pile.

81 **SCOOTS**
<GRUMBLING>

-- Scoots and Flip, now barely able to hold all of their cards, watch as Lincoln and Chandler face off. Chandler holds two cards. Lincoln holds one.

82 **LINCOLN**
Okay, Chandler. Got any...
 (the crowd leans in)
...twos?

Chandler begrudgingly hands Lincoln a 2.

83 **CHANDLER**
PSH! Whatever - this game is stupid
 anyway.

Lincoln sets his final match on the table. Chandler throws his last card down in frustration. The crowd CHEERS.

84 **PATRON WALLA**
<CHEERING>

Lola GRUMBLES. Lisa smiles, presenting her hand out.

85 **LOLA**
<ANNOYED GRUMBLE>

86 **LISA**
Pay up.

Lola hands Lisa a stack of tickets. Lincoln turns to the trio.

87 **LINCOLN**
Alright, deal's a deal. Turn out
 your pockets.

The suspects empty their pockets. Flip's are full of NACHO CHEESE.

88 **LINCOLN (CONT'D)**
Is that... nacho cheese?

89 **FLIP**
 (tastes some)
Not really sure, chief! But it's
 good!

Scots pulls out SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS, A NAPKIN DISPENSER, and DENTURES.

90 **SCOTS**
<PSH!>

Chandler's contains GUS' GARLIC KNOT RECIPE. Gus' hand comes in to grab it.

91 **GUS**
Is that my secret recipe!?

92 **CHANDLER**
It just says 'garlic.'

93 **GUS**
Twenty thousand bucks on a good-for-nothing security system.

Back on Lincoln who slumps. He turns to the suspects.

94 **LINCOLN**
No gift. Guess you're free to go.

95 **GUS (O.S.)**
Attention, everyone!
(guests look over)
I'm sorry to say, but your reservation is up! The Fox quintuplets' medieval themed birthday will be starting soon.

Gus takes off his spy outfit and straps on a KNIGHT'S HELMET. Mom approaches Lincoln:

96 **MOM**
I'm so sorry about your gift, honey. But I'm sure it will turn up! Right, dear?

Dad and Gramps are huddled in a booth, <CRYING>.

97 **DAD/GRAMPS**
<CRYING>

Suddenly, the lights cut out.

98 **DAD/GRAMPS/MOM/LINCOLN**
<GASP!>

A red light pulses in the BG. The BELLS of a video game go off. The family follows the ruckus to the source - an arcade game. A message on the HIGH SCORE SCREEN rolls up. Lincoln reads it:

99 **LINCOLN**
"I have your present, Mr. Steele.
Good luck finding me."

Lincoln narrows his eyes.

100 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
The game is on! MP

INT. MYSTERY LOCATION - CONTINUOUS

CLOSE ON a GLOVED HAND holding Lincoln's STOLEN PRESENT. He pets a CAT. With a voice modulator, the villain speaks:

101 **MYSTERY VILLAIN**
Yes, the game is on, Mr. Steele.
 (cat scratches hand)
Ow!

INT. LOUD HOUSE - HALLWAY - LATER

Lincoln (still in a tuxedo) walks down the hallway, holding up a David Steele comic book. He talks to camera:

102 **LINCOLN**
If I'm gonna solve this, I'll need
some help.
 (points to comic)
David Steele gets his gadgets from
"Cue Stick" - his wisecracking,
billiard-loving tech guy. I have my
own tech person.

LISA'S ROOM: Lisa works at her desk. Lincoln KNOCKS and walks in. Lisa approaches.

103 **LISA**
Ah! There you are, Lincoln!

104 LINCOLN
<AHM>

105 LISA
<SIGH> Secret Agent David Steele.
I've been working on a few
inventions that might help you
locate your stolen present.

As she walks through the room, Todd tests out Q-style inventions in the background (exploding toothpaste, bubble gum hot air balloons, etc.). She picks up a nearby SHOE.

106 LISA (CONT'D)
This loafer will come in handy on
your mission.

107 LINCOLN
Uhhh... just a shoe?

108 LISA
Yes, with all of my superior
intellect, the best I could come up
with was an ordinary shoe. That of
course was sarcasm. Watch closely.

Lisa pops open the bottom heel, revealing a pair of SPRINGS.

109 LISA (CONT'D)
These shock-absorbent coils will
help you land from high altitudes.
 (closes the heel)
Also, the bottoms contain high-
powered magnets you can activate
with this watch.

She hands Lincoln the watch. He straps it on and taps it,
powering up the electromagnets. The shoes GLOW and zip off,
knocking TODD over.

110 TODD
Ow! Why did you create me with pain
receptors, Lisa?

Lisa taps on Lincoln's watch, deactivating the magnet. She
walks over to Todd and retrieves the shoe.

111 LISA
Now, these shoes have one more
surprise function.

112 LINCOLN
<GASP!> Ice skates?! No-no-no...
Rockets?!

113 LISA
<PLEASED CHUCKLE> Ergonomic soles.
Great for posture.

Suddenly, Lincoln's watch RINGS, catching him off guard. Lisa
leans in, whispering:

114 LISA (CONT'D)
Your watch is also a phone.

He answers on speaker. The thief is on the other line (with
voice modulator).

115 MYSTERY VILLAIN (ON PHONE)
Hello, Mr. Steele.

116 LISA/LINCOLN
<GASP!>

Lincoln perks up and looks at Lisa, who runs over to her computer.

117 LISA
Todd! Initiate tracking protocol.

Todd starts typing as maps flash on the screen.

118 MYSTERY VILLAIN (ON PHONE)
The rules of our little game are simple. You have 20 minutes to find me, or you can say goodbye to your precious heirloom. Tick tock, Mr. Steele.

CLICK. The call ends. Lincoln and Lisa turn to TODD.

119 TODD
I have traced the call. He's at the construction site of The Dairyland Condos.

120 LINCOLN
That's so far away! I'll never make it in time!

121 LISA
(brightens)
Yes you will...

EXT. LOUD HOUSE - GARAGE - MOMENTS LATER

The garage door opens. Linc and Lisa stare at an OS vehicle.

122 LINCOLN
<AWESTRUCK GASP!>

123 LISA
I've re-engineered Lola's ride with the latest cutting-edge spy tech. Like your loafers, you can even control it with your watch.

Lincoln reaches for his watch, but Lisa stops him.

124 LISA (CONT'D)

Do me a favor, will you? Return the car in one piece. My technology is useless against Lola's wrath.

Lincoln gives Lisa a thumbs up and barrels out of the driveway riding a tricked out DAVID STEELE PRINCESS RIDE. It speeds down the SIDEWALK. He passes a <WEEPY> Dad and Gramps. They hang "LOST PRESENT" posters on poles with pictures of the wrapped gift.

125 DAD/GRAMPS

<CRYING>

Lincoln looks at his dashboard, watching the time tick down.

126 LINCOLN

Alright, let's see what this baby can do!

He punches the accelerator. FLAMES shoot out from the back of the jeep. Lincoln's cheeks flap back as he accelerates off.

127 LINCOLN (CONT'D)

<HUH?>

(blast off)

<AHHHHHH>

EXT. CONSTRUCTION SITE - MOMENTS LATER

He drives up to the active site and hops out of the car. In the distance, he hears the thief's distorted voice echo:

128 MYSTERY VILLAIN (O.S.)

Welcome, Mr. Steele. Are you ready for a game of Agents and MALICE?

Lincoln looks around, trying to spot the thief.

129 LINCOLN

Where are you?!

130 MYSTERY VILLAIN (V.O.)

I'm everywhere! <DEVIOUS LAUGHTER>

He notices FOOTPRINTS leading up to a STEEL BEAM STRUCTURE.

131 LINCOLN

<GASP!>

Lincoln follows them to a staircase and climbs up. He reaches the top, spotting a SHADOWY FIGURE by the ledge.

132 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
There you are. End of the line for
you, mystery villain!

He spins "the villain" around, revealing a PILE OF CONES and
HARD HATS, draped in a CONSTRUCTION VEST.

133 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<GASP!>

134 MYSTERY VILLAIN (O.S.)
<DEVIOUS LAUGH> Looking for this?

Lincoln spots the thief wearing a DARK COAT and HAT. The
villain holds up the present and runs away on a STEEL BEAM.
Lincoln looks at his watch.

135 LINCOLN
Time's almost up. Think, Steele!
Think! <INSPIRED GASP!>

Lincoln spots another STEEL BEAM being craned his way. He
taps his watch, powering the magnet in his shoes.

136 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<RUNNING LEAP>
(midair)
Activating magnetic shoes!

He leaps onto the moving beam. The magnet keeps him securely
grounded to the metallic surface as he runs.

137 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<LANDING EFFORT> <WOBBLING WHOAHS>
(then, secure)
<WOHOOO!>

Lincoln hops from one moving beam to another, chasing the
villain.

138 LINCOLN/MYSTERY VILLAIN
<VARIOUS LEAPING EFFORTS>

The dark figure looks back and watches Lincoln close in.

139 MYSTERY VILLAIN
What excellent posture he has.

Finally, the beam the thief is standing on is lowered to the
ground, allowing him to escape.

Lincoln watches as the figure throws his birthday gift into a
PORTA-POTTY before running off.

140 LINCOLN
<GASP!> NOO! Not the porta-potty!

After a beat, Lincoln is lowered in front of the same porta-potty. He hops off and heads inside, finding the present on the sink.

141 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
YES!

He unwraps the box and opens it... but it's empty!

142 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
Euhhh... <GASP!> Empty?!

Just then, the door swings shut, locking him from the outside.

143 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<HUH?>

The porta-potty begins shaking. Lincoln tries to break out, but he's trapped.

144 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
Hey! Let me out of here!

The porta-potty shakes more violently as it's lifted into the air by a crane. CLOSE ON the gloved hands of the mystery villain as he controls it.

145 MYSTERY FIGURE
Game over, Mr. Steele. Potty is
such sweet sorrow!

The villain exits the crane. Lincoln's eyes widen in horror as he grabs his head in a panic. He notices his David Steele watch and brightens.

146 LINCOLN
<UNEASY GROAN>
(noticing)
Activating Steele-Mobile!

He taps the watch, hacking into the controls of the Princess Ride. The unmanned jeep backs up and fires a grappling hook at the door of the porta-potty, opening it. Lincoln bends down and removes the heels of his shoes, revealing SPRINGS.

147 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<LEAPING> Activating heel springs!

He springs straight up, striking a pose.

148 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
<BOUNCE> Thank you, Lisa!

He springs back up again. He sees the thief watching from the distance. The figure runs into a half-constructed building nearby.

149 LINCOLN (CONT'D)
GOTCHA!

INT. EMPTY CONSTRUCTION SITE BUILDING - CONTINUOUS

Linc enters a large room with a single chair in the middle.

150 LINCOLN
It's over! Show yourself!

151 MYSTERY VILLAIN
Congratulations, Agent Steele.
You've won my game. Now here's your
final surprise...

The chair spins around revealing... Rusty! Rusty's devious smile turns to a genuine one. His voice modulator remains on.

152 LINCOLN
Rusty?! It was you this whole time?

153 RUSTY
No doubt, birthday bro. I've been
planning this thing for months.
Happy birthday!
(hands present to Lincoln)
Here's the gift from your Dad and
Gramps.

154 LINCOLN
But... but... how did you hack into
that video game to write that
message? And who taught you how to
operate a crane?! And how did you
change your voice?!

155 RUSTY
My cousin Derek, my cousin Derek,
and puberty. JK, JK. I used this
voice modulator.

Rusty holds up a little microphone.

156 LINCOLN
What about the porta-potty?! What
if I fell?

157 RUSTY

Full disclosure, that was a gamble.

ON Lincoln who processes this. There's a tense beat.
Suddenly, he smiles and hugs Rusty.

158 LINCOLN

Thank you, Rusty! This was the
greatest adventure ever! One last
question... where'd you get that
cat?

159 RUSTY

I actually have no idea. It's been
following me around all day.

INT. LOUD HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - LATER

Lincoln stands with Mom, Dad, and Gramps. He holds up the
present and opens it. REVEAL a DAVID STEEL COMIC.

160 LINCOLN

<GASP!> David Steele issue number
one?!

161 DAD

Your Gramps gave it to me when I
turned 12...

162 LINCOLN

(hugging Dad and Gramps)
Thank you, guys!
(flips through it, amazed)
Oh man, I've got to tell Clyde
about this!

Excited, Lincoln tries to call Clyde from his David Steele
watch, but nothing happens. After a beat, Lola's Princess
Ride crashes through the wall.

163 DAD/GRAMPS

<AWESTRUCK GASP!>

164 LINCOLN

Whoops... wrong button.

165 DAD

Lincoln. Is that... a spy car?!

166 GRAMPS

Can we ride it!?

167 DAD
Yeah, can we? Please?

Lincoln nods as the three strike a spy formation.

168 LINCOLN
<CONFIDENT CHUCKLE>

We enter another James Bond-style fantasy sequence of the trio posing around the Princess Ride. The fantasy sequence is cut short by Lola entering the room.

169 LOLA
HEY! Is that my Princess Ride?!

Lincoln, Dad, and Gramps exchange a look.

CUT TO OUTSIDE as the three speed off.

170 DAD
Step on it, Lincoln! She's gaining on us!

171 LINCOLN
(to camera, panicked)
David Steele will return.

172 LOLA (O.S.)
LINCOOOOOLN!!!

173 LINCOLN
Hopefully...

THE END.