

Short Script for the piece

'PART THE LEAVES, UNLEASH DESTINY'

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Location: the Temple in the Jungle, South America

Time: Dark

00:02: The two companions look up decisively, knowing what they must do.

00:14: They walk up the steps of the Temple, stumbling from the wounds and weariness of the Jungle's ordeals.

00:37: They fling the main gate of the Temple open. The main hall is large and imposing, ornate with mystical drawings and sculptures of the tribe that has protected the Temple for countless generations. Opposite the entrance, on the center of the wall there is a huge ornate circle with what looks like a keyhole in the middle.

The man reaches in his shirt and uncovers the medallion his mother gave him before she died. The woman does the same.

Combined, they form the same shape as the keyhole.

Memories of his beloved mother pass through their mind as they caress each other's medallion misty-eyed.

They look at the keyhole and insert the medallions together.

1:12: Bolts and heavy lumber creak to life and shatter the silence. The building begins to shake...

1:38: the building starts collapsing at superhuman speed around him, enveloping him in a tornado of rubble that collapses in on itself like a black hole. They stare calmly, accepting their fate. A flash of white light – cut to next scene.

1:48

Location: the Forest on the Other Side

Time: Sunrise

They find themselves magically transported on a self-animated rock plateau suspended in mid-air.

1:58: As the rock rises, it reveals the place they have been searching for: the Forest on the Other Side.

They jump off at the edge of a thickly leaved cliff and part the leaves...

2:09: As the leaves part, the Lost City is revealed – an endless stretch of magnificent golden spires piercing the sky in all their gleaming glory. They cry and laugh out loud while gripping each other furiously.

2:26: They begin to descend the small hill to reach the Lost City.

2:36: They arrive at the main entrance of the City...