## **Aladdin Jr - Audition Script**

## Sultan

SULTAN - This is preposterous! Clearly I've spoiled the girl. Well, all that's going to change. From now on, I intend to reign over her with an iron fist!

(JASMINE enters.)

JASMINE - Father?

SULTAN - (instantly doting) Yes, pumpkin? (catches himself) What did you say to that poor prince?

JASMINE - I told him the truth: that if he marries me, he'll get an equal partner with an equal say. Why do I even have to marry at all? What's wrong with a woman running the kingdom?

SULTAN - Jasmine, you're a princess. The law states that you must marry a prince by the next moon. We must uphold the ancient ways, dearest.

JASMINE - If I have to marry someone I don't love, then maybe I don't want to be a princess anymore.

SULTAN - It's not just the law. I won't be around forever, and I want to make sure you're taken care of.

JASMINE - I can take care of myself, thank you! (JASMINE exits.)

SULTAN - (flustered, following JASMINE) Jasmine, if you don't choose a husband tomorrow, I will choose one for you!