Living Dead in Denmark

Character Descriptions

OPHELIA – Protagonist, Hamlet's former lover who killed herself, evolves from a scared and confused person to a badass hero and refuses to back down when she believes she is fighting for what's right. Part of a zombie killing team with Lady MacBeth and Juliet. Sings a song with the Gravedigger (female/female presenting)

LADY MACBETH – Shakespeare's iconic Scottish queen, crass, loves violence. Part of a zombie killing team with Juliet and Ophelia. Falls in love with Juliet. (female/female presenting)

JULIET – Part of a zombie killing team with Ophelia and Lady MacBeth. Starts out bookish and appearing to prefer non-violence, but turns out to be a double agent with killer fighting skills. Falls in love with Lady MacBeth. (female/female presenting)

THE GHOST/HAMLET – Leader of the zombies and bent on the destruction of humanity. Ophelia's former lover who is still in love with her. Merciless and will not let anything stand in the way for the ultimate goal.

HORATIO – Ophelia and Hamlet's former friend. A member of the human resistance and a strong fighter. Has romantic feelings for Ophelia.

FORTINBRAS – Former King and current general leading the human resistance against the zombies; actually an evil and maniacal villain

TITANIA – Queen of the Fairies, Hamlet's partner in the crusade to destroy humanity, in love with Hamlet, sings a lament about what their relationship could have been

PUCK – Titania's minion, a comical trickster, talks primarily in slang

ROSENCRANTZ – Former friend of Hamlet, now a zombie. Guildenstern's BFF.

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WITCH 1 – One of the witches who brought about the ruin of Lady MacBeth's family, speaks in rhyme.

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MACDUFF - One of the witches transformed into Lady M's worst enemy; fights Lady M.

TYBALT – One of the witches transformed into Juliet's worst enemy; fights Juliet.

PARIS HILTON – One of the witches transformed into Ophelia's worst enemy; fights Ophelia.

GRAVEDIGGER – a character with Samuel L. Jackson inspired dialogue who cheers Ophelia up and then is promptly killed by zombies. Sings a song with Ophelia.

CALIBAN – A terrifying monster with a beautiful soul, sings a song about how everyone only sees them as evil because of their looks but don't look deeper to the good within. Initially works for Hamlet and fights Ophelia, Juliet and Lady M, but befriends Lady M and changes sides.

OBERON – The former leader of the Council of Winter and Titania's former lover; is killed by Hamlet. LAERTES – Ophelia's brother, now driven mad by grief and being the subject of terrible experiments. A sad and broken shell of a person.

All actors play zombies when needed