

# Minstrel/Jester Side

This is the story of “The Princess and the Pea.” Or rather the true story.

Which we happen to know for the very good reason that we were there. It takes place in a small kingdom ruled over by a talkative Queen... and a mute King. Twelve girls came to the castle hoping to wed the Prince, each one a true princess. But for one reason or another, each one was found to be unsuitable by the Queen. On this particular day, they were testing Princess #12...

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not a du - et if you lis - ten with both of your eyes.

(MINSTREL,  
JESTER:)

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Kind - ly... with both of your... We pro -

**KING:**  
(pantomimes)

(lis - ten) (eyes.)

(MINSTREL,  
JESTER:)

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duce a u - nique and re - mark - a - ble blend when we raise our three



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oth - ers would lan - guish and die. We're like three diff - 'rent

(MINSTREL,  
JESTER:)

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MINSTREL:

peo - ple with on - ly one... The King and the Jes - ter and

KING:  
(pantomimes)

(heart.)

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(MINSTREL:)

MINSTREL,  
JESTER: 61

I. Sing, Hey, non - ny non - ny hey! Non - ny non - ny