Audition Sides for Mrs Adami & Chief Oseni (Her Male Friend)

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Characters:

Mrs Adami - Mid 50s

Chief Oseni - Early 60s

Scenario:

Mrs Adami and her friend Chief are in her shop in Isale Eko. The discuss the sudden death of Kemi Kosoko...[New Lines]

INT. MRS ADAMI'S SHOP - DAY

CHIEF, MRS ADAMI'S MALE FRIEND is eating, with MRS ADAMI reading a gossip magazine, and drinking from a glass.

CHIEF OSENI

...Do you remember Otunba Kosoko?

MRS ADAMI

(preoccupied)

Hmm?

CHIEF OSENI

Otunba Kosoko.

MRS ADAMI

Otunba Kosoko?

CHIEF OSENI

You remember now - Otunba Kosoko. I introduced you to him at Olori Ali's 60th a few months ago.

MRS ADAMI

Oh yes! Otunba Kosoko! Very handsome man, and he dresses well. I told you to introduce us.

CHIEF OSENI

Yes.

MRS ADAMI

What about him?

CHIEF OSENI

I hear his wife is sick -

MRS ADAMI

(sharp attention)

Eeenh? What is wrong with her?

CHIEF OSENI

No one knows. Some people suspect foul play.

MRS ADAMI

Eeenh.

(thoughtfully)

Is it serious?

CHIEF OSENI

What -

MRS ADAMI

Anh, anh! Her sickness, now -

CHIEF OSENI

Ah. Mrs Adami, I'm surprised. It is you who usually gives me this kind of information.

MRS ADAMI

I know, I know - I've just had a
lot on my mind. Oya, tell me now -

CHIEF OSENI

Ah, from what I hear, she can't last o!

MRS ADAMI

Ah, what a shame. And so young too. Hmm. Life is unpredictable.

(beat)
So - where does he live?

CHIEF OSENI

Mrs Adami, you're funny o!

MRS ADAMI

Anh, anh - will I hear that the woman is sick, and pretend I didn't hear? I'm not that kind of person, o! Life is short - we must do what we can to help each...

CHIEF OSENI

I will find out for you -

MRS ADAMI

And his phone number -

CHIEF OSENI

(laughing)

Mrs Adami! Remember me when you come into your kingdom o!

MRS ADAMI

Chief, don't worry. Chop, I chop, God no dey vex. Death is part of the cycle of life, abi?

CHIEF OSENI

Abi o!

MRS ADAMI's phone rings

MRS ADAMI

Hello? Ahhh, madam! Your fabric arrived from Switzerland almost a week ago...yes...please come o...