

Mad Libretto

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Why do thespians have to be so... dramatic about what you can and can't say? Like it's bad luck to wish them good luck? I can't even repeat what you're supposed to say in France! And what if somebody wrote a second Scottish play? Nobody would know which one you were talking about! Well I've had it! From now on I'm coming up with my own **cryptic** substitutions for any words that originated in the theater. And I'm going to tell those actors straight to their faces why I'm doing it. I've got it all planned

out: I'll go Lost migrants, born travelling $\left(\frac{1}{1}\right)$ to a different theater every night. If they're equipped for it, I'll wait until the Initially, Beckett lost a critical key one uses to turn off the <u>lights</u> $(____{\overline{5}} ___{\overline{11}})$ between scenes and lower myself from the rafters so when the lights come back, I'll be like a God in the Apparatus may enrich randomly $\left(\underline{}_{8} \underline{}_{15} \underline{}_{15} \right)!$ Otherwise I'll Draw attention from torn page: just scratch out the tenth letter $\left(\underline{}_{13} \underline{}_{-13} \underline{}_{3} \right)$ them all by emerging from the <u>Rear crushed scenery</u> $\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{16} - \frac{1}{16}\right)$. Before they

can react, I'll use my moment in the Citrus diet is the center of attention $\left(\frac{14}{14}\right)$ to say all those taboo words and phrases and explain why the superstitions around them are absurd. It'll be such a Turning point (possibly disastrous) is Houston ballplayer pinch hit following Tiger error. $\left(\underline{}_{4} \underline{}_{10} \right)$ for their production! I'm sure the audience will agree with me, so I have something planned for my Riotous clan sent in to cut short last hurrah $(--\frac{1}{2}----, -\frac{1}{7}--), too---a$ real **power move** that will drive my point home.

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