

# TAKE AWAY



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## CHARACTERS

PENNY

OSCAR

MATT

## SCENE 1. INTRODUCTION

*(Three people meet in the street.)*

**PENNY:** Hey guys!  
**OSCAR:** Penny, Matt  
**PENNY:** Oscar!  
**OSCAR:** How are you doing?  
**MATT:** I'm fine thanks  
**PENNY:** It's been a long time  
**OSCAR:** Indeed  
**MATT:** Hey, I'm sorry, I'm really busy. I gotta go.  
**OSCAR:** Yeah, me too!  
**PENNY:** Yes, I'm in a hurry too.  
**MATT:** What a coincidence!  
**PENNY:** Do you know what?  
**MATT:** What?  
**PENNY:** I've been missing you guys.  
**OSCAR:** Oh!  
**Oscar & MATT:** Well, I need to go now!  
**PENNY:** I'd love to see you soon guys! We should meet up sometime.  
**Oscar & MATT:** Yeah. We should!  
**PENNY:** Bye!

*(Penny stops time.)*

**PENNY:** Hello everyone! This is such an uncomfortable situation, isn't it? But still better than the last time they saw each other, two months ago.  
**OSCAR:** I hate you.  
**MATT:** I hate you more.  
**OSCAR:** I hate you more than I hate anything in the world!  
**MATT:** I hate you more than I hate anything in the universe.  
**OSCAR:** I hate you more...

**PENNY:** There you go! The situation was even worse. I wouldn't say it's my fault but almost. They are siblings and they were chefs back then...But, let's start from the very beginning..!

**OSCAR:** Hi! My name is Oscar, I am eighteen years old and I live in Newcastle, UK. I used to work in a pizza take away with my brother. We were really happy, but then... everything changed.

**PENNY:** Thank you, Oscar... Now, you!

**MATT:** Hi, my name is Matt, I'm eighteen years old...

**PENNY:** Wow! You look younger.

**MATT:** Really?

**PENNY:** Yes, I think so.

**MATT:** Everyone tells me so... And you know what?

**PENNY:** Matt... Don't beat around the bush, please.

**MATT:** Oh sorry, my name is Matt, I'm eighteen years old. I also live in Newcastle. I'm an ecologist and I am vegan. I'm good at many things. I loved working in a pizza take away with my brother... But then... everything changed.

**PENNY:** Thanks. They are lovely, aren't they? I'll tell you what happened. It was three years ago. They used to work in a pizza take away. And I went there one day...

*(Matt is on the phone.)*

## SCENE 2.

**OSCAR:** Hello!

**MATT:** Hello! May I help you?

**PENNY:** Sure, I'd like a pepperoni pizza to take away.

**OSCAR:** Of course. It will take twenty minutes.

**PENNY:** No worries. I'll wait over here.

**OSCAR:** Good!

**MATT:** Isn't she Penny Rogers? The influencer? The host of the TV show Battle Chef?

**PENNY:** *(To the audience.)* Yes, it was me. I'm Penny Rogers, I'm 19 years old and I also live in Newcastle. I had two million followers on Tik Tok and IG

**MATT:** IG?

**PENNY:** Instagram.

**MATT:** Oh!

**PENNY:** I'm talking to the audience. You are not supposed to be here. You are in the past right now. Well, at the time everybody said that their pizzas were the best in town, so I had to try them.

**MATT:** Let me explain you who Penny Rogers is... She hosts the most famous TV show... Battle Chef. Do you know the song? Battle chef, Battle chef, I'll sent you a pdf so come with us to battle chef...

**PENNY:** Yes, this is my show.

**OSCAR:** Excuse me, are you Penny Rogers?

**PENNY:** Yes, it's me!

*(They fall in love.)*

**MATT:** Oscar! We have so much work to do...

**OSCAR:** Have you seen her? She's so pretty!

**MATT:** There's no time for flirting.

**PENNY:** Hey everybody says your pizzas are the best here in Newcastle. May I see the way you cook them?

**OSCAR:** Sure, but there's no special secret.

**PENNY:** I'm sure there is. What is your name?

**OSCAR:** Oscar

**MATT:** I'm Matt, by the way.

**PENNY:** Hi Matt

**OSCAR:** Emmm...

**MATT:** The pizza!

**OSCAR:** Oh sure (*He's getting nervous.*) you have to knead the dough for the pizza... And then... You add the ingredients...

**MATT:** What's going on with you? You look so nervous.

**OSCAR:** Yeah!

**PENNY:** Do you want me to go?

**OSCAR:** No!

**MATT:** It doesn't look like a pizza!

**OSCAR:** Yes, it does

**MATT:** You should start kneading again!

**OSCAR:** Are you mad? She's looking at me. I don't want to seem like loser.

**MATT:** Ok, Let me help you. I know what we can do.

OSCAR: What are you doing?  
MATT: That's it. Take it to the oven!  
PENNY: Then they took the pizza to the oven, and when it was ready...  
OSCAR: What is that?  
MATT: Tell her that this is a heart-shaped pizza!  
OSCAR: Hey Penny, this is a heart-shaped pizza that I made just for you.  
MATT: Hahahaha! You're a Romeo.  
OSCAR: And, please let me add our special touch!  
MATT: What is our special touch?  
OSCAR: I don't know. Who cares? Give me that canister.  
MATT: There it goes! Give her the pizza.  
OSCAR: Well, Penny, here's your pizza.  
PENNY: Thank you!! Bye!  
OSCAR: Bye!

*(She leaves.)*

OSCAR: What was in the canister?  
MATT: Spanish *guindilla*.  
OSCAR: Oh no!  
PENNY: So, I went home, I was so tired and I remembered Oscar. He was so cute, I opened the box and I saw the heart-shaped pizza and I took a picture. I immediately uploaded it to IG.  
MATT: Sorry?  
PENNY: Instagram  
PENNY: And I tried it! It was a bit spicy *(She coughs.)* but delicious. *(She coughs and coughs.)*  
Oh I need water!  
OSCAR: Hey! Penny has tagged us!  
MATT: What?  
OSCAR: She loved the pizza.  
MATT: Oh gosh!  
OSCAR: The post already has two hundred thousand likes.  
MATT: Wow!  
OSCAR: We're gonna be famous!  
MATT: Oh Oscar! *(They hug.)*

PENNY: And then it happened. The following morning tons of people went to the take away.

OSCAR: Wow! Who are all these people?

MATT: Everyone wants the heart-shaped pepperoni pizza!

MATT: *(Ordering.)* Ten more heart-shaped pizzas!!

OSCAR: Wow! We've never had so many customers!

PENNY: And the following day they had even more people.

OSCAR: *(The guys work faster.)* Twenty heart-shaped pizzas to take away.

MATT: Oh no!

OSCAR: Come on Matt! One last effort!

MATT: Last? There's still three hours until closing time!

PENNY: They were interviewed by the local stations *(She plays a journalist.)* Good afternoon. We're here with Oscar, the take away king.

MATT: Excuse, we are two here. We share the business.

PENNY: Where did the idea of the heart-shaped pizza come from?

OSCAR: It just came to me like that. *(He snaps his fingers.)*

MATT: What?

OSCAR: Shhhhhhh!

PENNY: Who's he?

OSCAR: He's my brother. He helps me a lot!

MATT: But... Oscar...

OSCAR: So remember to come to our pizza take away. You won't be disappointed.

PENNY: They were even in The Royal Mail, the most important newspaper in the UK.

OSCAR: I cannot believe it

PENNY: *(Acting like a TV news host.)* A success story in the UK. A guy from Newcastle breaks the rules of take away restaurants.

MATT: Just one guy?

OSCAR: Say it! Say it!

PENNY: He's the Take Away king!

TAKE AWAY KING SONG  1

*The take away king song  
I am the take away king!  
he is, he is  
I am the take away king!  
you are, you are*

*So, you gotta bow,  
bow, bow, for the king!*

*Everyday you hear about me on the radio  
(radio)  
And everyday you see me on the news  
(that's right)  
Whether in mono or in stereo  
(it's better in stereo)  
'cos I am here to say that*

*So, you gotta bow,  
bow, bow, for the king!*

*So congratulations, I have arrived  
I'm the take away king and I'm shining so bright  
These are your dreams coming true  
You've been waiting forever for me to cook for you*

*I am the take away king!  
he is, he is  
I am the take away king!  
you are, you are*



## SCENE 3.

MATT: Oscar

OSCAR: Yes!

MATT: I am fed up of cooking pizzas

OSCAR: But why?

MATT: We can do other things.

OSCAR: There's no need. Pizzas work very well.

MATT: I think is time to evolve.

OSCAR: Evolve? *(He laughs.)*

MATT: Yes Oscar! Evolve. We've been doing heart-shaped peperoni pizzas for almost half a year. People are going to get tired of them.

OSCAR: Why?

MATT: I've been thinking about also selling vegan food to take away.

OSCAR: Vegan food? *(He laughs.)*

MATT: Yes! Vegan food! Salads, falafel. It could be good.

OSCAR: Definitely not, Matt.

MATT: Oh please!

OSCAR: I am not a good cook. I'll keep making pizzas.

MATT: We can sell both things.

OSCAR: I am not sure about that...

MATT: Come on brother...

OSCAR: Ok!

PENNY: So they started to also sell vegan food to take away.

OSCAR: It looks disgusting!

MATT: Shut up!

PENNY: At the beginning, the vegan food wasn't very successful.

OSCAR: Ten more pizzas!

MATT: Oh no!

OSCAR: How many salads did you sell? Oh! Just one!

MATT: Don't laugh at me!

OSCAR: Oh! Wow. You're the new take away king!

PENNY: But then one day... Oh Damn! I don't have any costumers over here... Ok! I'll play them *(She acts like a costumer.)* Can I get ten salads to take away?

MATT: Ten salads to take away? Oh! Thank you, dude!

**OSCAR:** Ten?

**MATT:** Of course. It will be a pleasure. Would you like to try a falafel as well?

**PENNY:** *(As a costumer.)* Falafel? Is it the thing made of chickpeas?

**OSCAR:** Yes! Don't take it. It's disgusting.

**MATT:** Try it please. Is it good?

**OSCAR:** Puaj!

**PENNY:** *(As a costumer.)* What is he doing?

**MATT:** Oscar, don't be silly. What do you think? Oh! Delicious? Thank you!

**OSCAR:** Any heart-shaped pizza, dude?

**PENNY:** No, thanks

**OSCAR:** No? Ok. You miss it.

**MATT:** Hello Madam!

**PENNY:** Oh! I have to be a madam now!

**OSCAR:** Hey! I know her! She always buys pizza.

**PENNY:** Two veggie burgers to take away, please.

**MATT:** Right away! Raw, rare, medium rare, medium or medium well?

**PENNY:** It's a veggie burger, I don't know.... Raw, please.

**MATT:** Right away!

**PENNY:** It was just the beginning. Suddenly no one seemed to like pizzas anymore. So one day I went to the take away. Hello!

**MATT:** Penny! It's been a long time. How are you?

**PENNY:** Everything's going well guys!

**OSCAR:** Glad to hear that, Penny.

**PENNY:** But suddenly I found Oscar was acting quite mean.

**OSCAR:** Why did you come here, Penny?

**PENNY:** I just wanted to try Matt's food!

**OSCAR:** What?

**MATT:** What would you like to try Penny?

**PENNY:** Did I say something wrong Oscar?

**OSCAR:** No! Everything's fine.

**PENNY:** Are you sure?

**OSCAR:** Completely sure!

**MATT:** So... Do you want a veggie steak?

**PENNY:** I'm dying to try the samosas. Everyone says they are wonderful.

**OSCAR:** Bah!

**MATT:** Why are you so mean to me, Oscar?

OSCAR: I am not being mean!

MATT: Yes, you are.

OSCAR: I said I'm not!

MATT: I said you are!

PENNY: Guys!

MATT: Do you want me to tell you the truth?

OSCAR: What truth?

MATT: He's jealous!

OSCAR: I am not jealous.

MATT: He always treated me so badly.

OSCAR: What are you talking about?

MATT: He can't stand that I am being successful with my vegan food

OSCAR: It's the most disgusting food I've ever tried

MATT: How dare you?

PENNY: Calm down guys!

MATT: I won't calm down. He discovered the heart-shaped pizza because of me.

OSCAR: That's not true.

MATT: The day you first came here he fell in love with you...

PENNY: What?

MATT: Yes! He was so nervous that he couldn't even make a pizza.

OSCAR: Matt! You're embarrassing me.

MATT: I felt that way so many times.

PENNY: Is it true?

MATT: I helped him and I made the heart-shaped pizza.

PENNY: Really?

MATT: And I made it because I knew he fancied you.

PENNY: Oh!

OSCAR: I'm fed up of you! I can't see your ugly face anymore.

MATT: You're the ugly one here.

OSCAR: I'm not ugly. You are as ugly as a fish.

OSCAR: You are as ugly as a crocodile!

MATT: You are as ugly as a bald chicken!

OSCAR: You are as ugly as a pink snake!

MATT: And you are as ugly as a dead potato.

OSCAR: What? What? I can't stand this. *(He leaves.)*

PENNY: *(She runs after him.)* Oscar! Oscar, wait.

OSCAR: Oh Penny! I feel so ridiculous!

PENNY: Don't be silly. Why?

OSCAR: I can't stand my brother anymore.

PENNY: So did he tell the truth?

OSCAR: What truth?

PENNY: That you fancied me the first time I came to the take away.

OSCAR: I did! You're so pretty!

PENNY: Oh! I think you're so handsome.

OSCAR: Maybe I am the take away king but you took away my heart the first time that I saw you.

PENNY: Oh! You're a poet!

OSCAR: I am whatever you want me to be.

*(They are about to kiss.)*

PENNY: Hey! I know what we can do!

OSCAR: *(He's left kissing the air.)* What?

PENNY: Why don't you come to my show?

OSCAR: Where?

PENNY: *(To the audience.)* At first, I thought it was a good idea.

PENNY: To Battle Chef. My show.

OSCAR: Me?

PENNY: Yes. You and you brother!

OSCAR: But why?

PENNY: It will be the biggest battle of all. The battle of two brothers.

OSCAR: It sounds good.

PENNY: So, you can prove you're a better cook than him.

OSCAR: Yes! I will crush him like a little bug.

PENNY: I'll call Matt!

OSCAR: I don't think he will want to go. He's a coward.

PENNY: I'll try anyway.

PENNY: So I called Matt. My plan looked perfect. There would be a battle on TV and at the end I would say it was a tie, so they would realize they were both good. Matt accepted the duel as well...

MATT: I will crush him like a little bug

PENNY: They were preparing the duel, so the day finally arrived.

## SCENE 4.

PENNY: Good afternoon, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to Battle Chef!

**BATTLE CHEF SONG**  2

*Battle chef battle chef*

*Don't be scared*

*Don't pretend to be deaf*

*Come on join us*

*Battle Chef*

*Lights, camera, action, the stage is set,  
The Battle Chef TV Show, a culinary duet,  
With knives in hand and aprons tied,  
They're ready to create, side by side.*

*Battle chef battle chef*

*Don't be scared*

*Don't pretend to be deaf*

*Come on join us*

*Battle Chef*

*Welcome to the Battle Chef TV Show,  
Where food becomes an art, let the flavors flow,  
From the savory to the sweet, the spices high,  
A gastronomic battle, where champions vie.*

*Battle chef battle chef*

*Don't be scared*

*Don't pretend to be deaf*

*Come on join us*

*Battle Chef*

**PENNY:** Thank you very much for coming to this wonderful show! Today the cooking universe will change because we will have a brand, new star! Today we will have the best chef ever! Let's welcome tonight's contenders  
Matt Green, big applause for him.  
And the other contender is his brother Oscar Green! How are you guys?

**OSCAR:** I'm good, ready to beat my brother!!

**PENNY:** Oh!

**MATT:** Not even in your dreams!

**OSCAR:** We're brothers but we don't talk to each other!

**MATT:** Yes, I'm the more handsome one.

**OSCAR:** I hate you!

**PENNY:** Ok! Let's go to the heart of the matter.

**OSCAR:** Heart? What heart? Mine is perfectly good!

**MATT:** Sure!

**PENNY:** I mean, let's go straight to the point!

**OSCAR:** What point?

**PENNY:** Whatever... Ok! You are the contenders today!

**MATT:** And I will win.

**OSCAR:** Not even in your dreams.

**PENNY:** Guys! Go to your places. Let's start the competition.

**MATT:** Oh! I am so nervous I've got the shakes.

**OSCAR:** You will bite the dust.

**PENNY:** They are big rivals. This is going to be very exciting.

**OSCAR:** Grrr!!!

**PENNY:** First test!!!

**MATT:** How many tests do we have?

**PENNY:** Two!

**MATT:** Wow I thought it was just about cooking.

**OSCAR:** Eeeerrr...

**PENNY:** Be quiet, we don't have all night.

**OSCAR:** Sorry!

**PENNY:** First test.... How to teach a chef!

**OSCAR:** I don't know how to do it!

**MATT:** This is so difficult!

**PENNY:** So, we have to call our first guest of the night. Any volunteers in the audience?  
*What's your name?*

*What do you want to be when you grow up?*

*What is your favourite food?*

*What's your favourite flavour?*

*Ok, now it's time for you to be chef... show them how it's done. Very good! Let's go to the second test... Time for cooking!*

**MATT:** Oh! I can't do this.

**PENNY:** What do you think...?

**OSCAR:** He can't think.

**PENNY:** Shhh!

**OSCAR:** I'm sorry.

**PENNY:** As I was trying to say before. What are you going to prepare?

**OSCAR:** I will prepare my heart-shaped pizza.

**PENNY:** What about you Matt?

**MATT:** I ... I...

**PENNY:** Is anything wrong Matt?

**MATT:** Yes. I guess so!

**PENNY:** Let's have a round of applause for Matt. He looks very nervous!

**OSCAR:** Clap, clap, clap! Let's see what he is going to do!

**PENNY:** Please, Oscar. Be quiet.

**MATT:** I can't stay here Penny.

**OSCAR:** What?

**MATT:** I love my brother. I was happy when we weren't successful. Now I don't recognise him.

**PENNY:** Oh!

**MATT:** And the worst part is I don't even recognize myself. Bye guys. You win Oscar. Congratulations!

*(He leaves.)*

**PENNY:** So, then I think we have a winner here... Osc

**OSCAR:** No! This is all your fault Penny. You got us fighting and you brought us here. I don't want to be here in your show. I'm sorry.

**PENNY:** So... We don't have a winner today. Thank you very much, dear audience. See you soon! I apologize to the audience but I thought it was a good idea and... **(She leaves the stage crying.)**

**SCENE 5.**

**PENNY:** And then... One day, two months on...Oh guys!

**OSCAR:** Penny, Matt.

**MATT:** Oscar!

**PENNY:** How are you doing?

**OSCAR:** I'm fine thanks.

**PENNY:** It's been a long time.

**OSCAR:** Indeed.

**MATT:** Hey, I'm sorry, I'm really busy. I gotta go.

**PENNY:** Yeah, me too!

**OSCAR:** Yes, I'm in a hurry too.

**PENNY:** Well, nice to see you guys!

**OSCAR:** What a coincidence!

**PENNY:** Do you know what?

**MATT:** What?

**PENNY:** I've been missing you guys.

**MATT:** Oh!

**Oscar & MATT:** Well, I need to go now!

**MATT:** I'd love to see you soon guys! We should talk sometime.

**Oscar & MATT:** Yeah. We should!

**MATT:** Bye!

**PENNY:** No! I'm so sorry! Please forgive me both! It won't happen again!

**OSCAR:** Oh! Penny!

**PENNY:** I thought that taking you to the show was a good idea. I wanted to set a tie, but everything went wrong and I'm so sorry I broke your relationship as brothers.

**OSCAR:** He was so cruel to me.

**Matt:** Who? Me?

**OSCAR:** He said I was ugly... In national television.

**MATT:** You said the same.

**PENNY:** I remember the day I went to your pizza take away. You were both laughing behind the bar.

**MATT:** We used to do that.

**PENNY:** Oh! I feel so stupid! I don't have siblings and I ruin your relationship.

**OSCAR:** No worries, Penny. I love my brother.

**MATT:** What?



**PENNY:** Good!  
**OSCAR:** I'm so sorry bro! I was arrogant and mean.  
**MATT:** I'm sorry too, bro. I love you.

*(They hug.)*

**MATT:** Well, now I have to go. See you soon guys. We can meet up another day.  
**PENNY:** Ok, bye.  
**OSCAR:** Bye Penny.  
**PENNY:** Bye Oscar.  
**OSCAR:** Bye.  
**PENNY:** *Au revoir.*  
**OSCAR:** Hasta la vista.  
**PENNY:** Oh! I don't know any other languages. I'm English, you know...  
**OSCAR:** No matters... hey Penny. Do you still fancy me?  
**PENNY:** I do! Do you?  
**OSCAR:** I really do.

*(They kiss.)*

**THE END**