

EXT. SHIP DECK - NIGHT

The pirates bring ELIZABETH to Captain BARBOSSA.

ELIZABETH

Captain Barbossa, I am here to negotiate the cessation of hostilities against Port Royal.

BARBOSSA

There are a lot of long words in there, Miss; we're naught but humble pirates. What is it that you want?

ELIZABETH

I want you to leave and never come back.

BARBOSSA

I'm disinclined to acquiesce to your request. Means "no".

ELIZABETH

Very well. I'll drop it.
(dangles medallion over the sea)

BARBOSSA

Me holds are burstin' with swag. That bit of shine matters to us? Why?

ELIZABETH

It's what you've been searching for. I recognized the ship. I saw it eight years ago on the crossing from England.

BARBOSSA

Did ya, now?

ELIZABETH

Fine. Well, I suppose if it is worthless then there's no point in me keeping it.
(threateningly let's the medallion chain fall a little bit out of her hand)

BARBOSSA

(gasps, pauses, then chuckles)

You have a name, Missy?

ELIZABETH

Elizabeth... Turner. I'm a maid in the Governor's household.

BARBOSSA

Miss Turner...?

(looks at other pirates and then back at her)

And how does a maid come to own a trinket such as that? Family heirloom, perhaps?

ELIZABETH

I didn't steal it, if that's what you mean.

BARBOSSA

Very well, you hand it over and we'll put your town to our rudder and ne'er return.

ELIZABETH

(she hands the medallion over, he gives it to his monkey to be taken away, but nothing more is done)

Our bargain?

(the other pirates start giving orders for the ship to leave, and BARBOSSA starts walking away)

ELIZABETH

Wait! You have to take me to shore. According to the Code of the Order of the Brethren...

BARBOSSA

First, your return to shore was not part of our negotiations nor our agreement so I must do nothing. And secondly, you must be a pirate for the pirate's code to apply and you're not. And thirdly, the code is more what you'd call "guidelines" than actual rules. Welcome aboard the Black Pearl, Miss Turner.