

Green Arrow and Black Canary Movie

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FADE IN:

EXT: BUILDING ENTITLED WILD CAT'S GYM- NIGHT.

Ted Grant, age 68, and Black Canary, age 25, stand on mat and spar. Woman fighting well but is over powered by man.

TED GRANT:

Nice try Dinah. But you need to keep your guard up on the left.

BLACK CANARY:

I know Ted. You know I could have won if I...

TED GRANT:

Used your little birdcall. I really find that unlikely.

Both get up and get drink of water. Black Canary goes to table and sees note.

BLACK CANARY:

What is this, an overdue bill?

TED GRANT:

Nah, that's just a threat from Tobias Whale.

BLACK CANARY:

Another threat? Is this because you didn't throw last week's fight to his boxer?

TED GRANT:

Of course it is. You know me. I couldn't lose to someone that just couldn't even land a descent punch.

BLACK CANARY:

Maybe these threats should tell you it's time to retire.

TED GRANT:

And what die as a quitter? No way. I can handle anybody. I mean I'm Wild Cat.

BLACK CANARY:

You were Wild Cat and now your Ted Grant and you are sixty-eight years old. You have to stop someday.

TED GRANT:

Well that day is not today. I don't need you telling me when it's time to quit. I wouldn't do that to you.

BLACK CANARY:

I know, but Ted if you keep pissing off these gangsters they're going to do something drastic.

TED GRANT:

Let them do what they want.

BLACK CANARY:

Ted, come on.

TED GRANT:

Look Dinah, I made up my mind and nothing is going to change it. Sorry but not even you.

Knock on door is heard and Black Canary goes to door. She opens it to find a deliveryman holding package.

DELIVERY MAN:

Package for Mr. Ted Grant.

Black Canary takes package and signs paper.

BLACK CANARY:

Thank you.

Delivery man stares at Black Canary.

DELIVERY MAN:

No thank you.

Black Canary looks to see if there is a card but none can be seen. Deliveryman turns to walk to car when Black Canary holds up hand.

BLACK CANARY:  
Who sent this?

DELIVERY MAN:  
Don't know. Some guy just told us to deliver it.

Deliveryman walks to car while looking at Canary and bumps into car and falls to ground. He gets up, goes into car and drives away. Black Canary smiles at clumsy action. She looks at box and then puts it on table not noticing it starts to beep and antenna comes out on top. She walks back to Ted who is at punching bag.

BLACK CANARY:  
Now where were we?

TED GRANT:  
You were trying to tell me to quit.

BLACK CANARY:  
I didn't say quit. I'm just saying you have to take better care of yourself. You aren't as young as you used to be. And continuing to do those extreme fights and making a crime boss angry will just get you closer to being put into the ground. I only want to help you because you've been...

Ted starts to slow down on punches. Black Canary notices and goes to him.

BLACK CANARY:  
See? You're getting slower.

TED GRANT:  
It's not me, I just feel kinda dizzy.

BLACK CANARY:  
What do you...?

Black Canary starts to move around in a dizzy like state.

BLACK CANARY:  
What's happening?

Ted looks and sees box and antenna on top.

TED GRANT:  
What is that?

BLACK CANARY:  
What? The box? The deliveryman  
said he didn't know where it came  
from.

TED GRANT:  
Did it have something sticking out  
of the top before?

Black Canary notices and both try to get to table. Black Canary collapses on ground but Ted makes it and throws box into wall. Box opens and machine is revealed inside and turns off.

TED GRANT:  
What the heck is this?

Ted notices device counting down and goes to Black Canary. He places mat on her.

TED GRANT:  
Brace yourself.

CUT TO:

EXT: WILD CAT'S GYM

Outside of gym where explosion occurs and building is encased with flame. Black Canary climbs out from under mat and sees Ted on top of her bleeding.

BLACK CANARY:  
Ted? Ted!

Black Canary holds Ted in her arms and cries. Fade out.

Opening Credits.

FADE IN:

EXT: THREE YEARS LATER STAR CITY WAREHOUSE- NIGHT

Three men place boxes into truck while one man sits in driver seat.

MAN 1:  
Come on guys we gotta hurry.

MAN 2:  
What's the rush? Whale can wait.

MAN 3:  
Yeah man, why are you so jumpy?

MAN 1:  
Because I don't want any trouble.  
Especially on what happened to  
Earl last week when he didn't  
deliver. I heard Whale had him  
lunch with some sharks.

MAN 3:  
Come on man we're right on  
schedule. What could happen?

Man 4 climbs down from truck.

MAN 4:  
Will you ladies stop gossiping? I  
haven't got all night.

Man 4 is hit and pinned to truck by a green arrow. He  
struggles but is kicked by man swinging down on wire connected  
to arrow. He falls unconscious and three men look at man.

GREEN ARROW:  
Actually you will have all night  
in jail.

Green Arrow turns to other three and draws bow.

GREEN ARROW:  
Gentlemen, I don't think those  
belong to you.

Man 1 takes out gun and starts shooting. Green Arrow dodges  
and jumps on crates and fires arrow at gun, which explodes.

Green Arrow fires another arrow that breaks and forms bolo around Man 1 and he falls to the ground struggling to get free. Green Arrow walks to him and looks around.

GREEN ARROW:  
Now where are your friends?

Man 2 hits Green Arrow in back with crowbar and Green Arrow rolls forward as Man 2 charges. Green Arrow fights against Man 2 but is held down.

MAN 2:  
Not so tough at close range are ya?

GREEN ARROW:  
Not really, but I'm pretty clever.

Green Arrow takes out arrow from sleeve and slams into Man 2, which electrocutes him. Green Arrow gets up and he punches Man 2 out cold. Green Arrow looks to see Man 3 running away.

GREEN ARROW:  
Now let's see, go with three out of four or go for the whole package?

Green Arrow watches man run and thinks.

GREEN ARROW:  
Whole package it is.

Green Arrow shoots arrow upward and swings toward direction Man 3 ran. He swings to see Man 3 being beat up by figure in shadows.

BLACK CANARY:  
Where's Tobias Whale? I know you work for him, I just heard you scum talking about him.

MAN 3:  
Who's Tobias Whale?

Figure grabs arm and begins to twist it and man screams in pain. Green Arrow watches and then begins to jump down to them. Figure stops twisting and looks at man.

BLACK CANARY:

Lie again and I'll ripe your arm off.

MAN 3:  
I don't know where he is okay. He calls us. We don't see him face to face. I swear.

Green Arrow jumps down behind figure and goes to her.

GREEN ARROW:  
Ah, excuse me. I got dibs on this guy.

Figure turns to be woman. Green Arrow stares at her.

GREEN ARROW:  
Wow. And I thought I knew all the pretty faces in Star City, which means you must new around here.  
Name's Green Arrow and your name?

BLACK CANARY:  
Black Canary and now if you will excuse me, I still have some questions for this thug.

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah, but you see Star City is my turf, so why don't you just take it easy and we can figure out this situation over dinner.

Black Canary uses her sonic scream and knocks Green Arrow into wall and pins Man 3 into wall.

BLACK CANARY:  
Last time, where is Tobias Whale?

MAN 3:  
I told you lady, I don't know. We were hired tonight to get that stuff in the crates that's all. We didn't even know what was in them.

Black Canary looks at thug, sighs and punches him out cold. She then walks past Green Arrow on ground and disappears into shadows as Green Arrow watches.

GREEN ARROW:  
Who was that woman?

CUTS TO:

EXT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES- DAY.

Building shown to scale as people enter.

INT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES- DAY

Green Arrow, as Oliver Queen, age 30, walks down hallway with Diggle, age 42, by his side as people work.

DIGGLES:  
And as you can see everything is ready to go on the satellite project.

GREEN ARROW:  
Ah ha.

DIGGLES:  
And there are a few people with complaints about the washrooms.

GREEN ARROW:  
Ah ha.

DIGGLES:  
And you have been nominated for the ugliest CEO in the world.

GREEN ARROW:  
That's impossible.

DIGGLES:  
Just seeing if you were paying any attention to anything I've been saying.

GREEN ARROW:  
Sorry Diggle, I was just thinking about last night. First four common hoods stealing high-class sonic technology, and then this new vigilante shows up.

DIGGLES:

You mean the woman that kicked  
your ass?

GREEN ARROW:

She got a lucky shot. And how was  
I supposed to know she had powers.

DIGGLES:

And because of that you can't stop  
thinking about her. Did you at  
least get her name? That way you  
can find out if there will be a  
second date.

GREEN ARROW:

She said her name was Black  
Canary. But she wasn't even black  
so I don't have any ideas on where  
she is or where she came from.  
And besides, why would I focus on  
an incredible beautiful woman  
that's trying to rein in on my  
turf?

DIGGLES:

Okay time to change the subject.  
It looks like it's time for the  
receptionist interviews.

GREEN ARROW:

Receptionist interviews?

DIGGLES:

The interviews that you scheduled  
for three weeks ago. And that I  
have reminded you of everyday  
since then.

GREEN ARROW:

I told you then, and I'll tell you  
now. I don't need a receptionist.

DIGGLE:

Yeah right and do you remember  
what happened when you forgot the  
gala party you planned because you  
lost your schedule?

GREEN ARROW:

Oh right.

DIGGLES:

Well the first candidate is in  
your office right now.

GREEN ARROW:

All right, let's get this over  
with.

CUTS TO:

INT: OLIVER QUEEN'S OFFICE.

Green Arrow and Diggles going into office where Black Canary sits wearing a black wig on other side of desk. Diggles looks at clipboard where he reads name.

DIGGLES:

Oliver Queen, this is Dinah Lance.

Green Arrow looks to see woman and just stares at her.

GREEN ARROW:

Hello.

BLACK CANARY:

Hello Mr. Queen.

Green Arrow walks to shake hands and then to sit behind desk.

GREEN ARROW:

Welcome to Queen Industries. You know my name and I know your name, but since he's here, this is John Diggle, my personal bodyguard. But everyone calls him Diggles.

Black Canary turns and smiles at Diggles. Diggles smiles back and shakes Black Canary's hand.

BLACK CANARY:

It's nice to meet you Mr. Diggle.

DIGGLES:

Everyone calls me Diggles because I allow them to. You have the same opportunity.

BLACK CANARY:  
Noted.

Black Canary looks back at Green Arrow looking at resume at desk.

GREEN ARROW:  
All right let's get to it. What qualifications do you have to be my receptionist?

BLACK CANARY:  
Well as my resume states, I have several degrees in law...

Green Arrow looks at her up and down as she talks. Diggles softly hits him to focus.

BLACK CANARY:  
And for the last three years I have been a swimsuit model.

GREEN ARROW:  
I see, anything we may know about?

BLACK CANARY:  
You know Star City extreme sport magazine.

GREEN ARROW:  
SCESM? Yeah, why?

BLACK CANARY:  
I was on the cover of last years December.

GREEN ARROW:  
With the caption "let this heat you up"?

BLACK CANARY:  
Yes.

GREEN ARROW:  
I see.

GREEN ARROW  
(TO HIMSELF)

And she was the hottest girl in  
that magazine for this entire  
year.

GREEN ARROW:

Well I can see you have great  
qualifications. But why would  
want to work for this corporation  
when you have such successful  
applications? Such applications  
as understanding law and walking  
around in a bikini.

Black Canary laughs at comment.

BLACK CANARY:

Because I have spent the last  
three years searching for  
something that's been missing in  
my life. And I believe that this  
industry can help me find whatever  
it is I'm looking for.

Green Arrow thinks about answer and smiles at Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:

Well you seem well qualified and I  
don't have much time for today, so  
Diggles send everyone else home.  
I've got a new receptionist.

Black Canary stands up and shakes Green Arrow's hand.

BLACK CANARY:

Thank you Mr. Queen you won't  
regret this.

Green Arrow looks down Black Canary shirt as she shakes his hand.

GREEN ARROW:

No, I don't believe I will regret  
this at all. Would you please  
wait outside for a moment?

Black Canary shakes her head in agreement and walks outside  
the office. Green Arrow turns to Diggles.

GREEN ARROW:

I'm going to give her a tour of the building. But before I do, I was wondering...

DIGGLES:  
She's not married, not dating anyone.

GREEN ARROW:  
Where would I be without you Dig?

Green Arrow leaves room and Diggles smiles and rolls his eyes.

DIGGLES:  
I have no idea.

CUTS TO:

INT: PENTHOUSE- DAY.

Tobias Whale, a huge man with pale white skin, sits on couch with two women in bikinis feed him grapes as figure of man talks on screen.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Do you have any idea how stupid your men are?

Tobias raises hand and girls stop feeding him grapes. He swallows food and looks at screen.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Calm down my friend. Everything is under control. I just sent a new crew to get the parts you wanted. And because Green Arrow attacks at night, they're moving right now.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
They are getting the supplies in broad daylight? Don't you realize they could be spotted?

CUTS TO:

EXT: STAR CITY WAREHOUSE- DAY.

Area being robbed by men wearing officer uniforms as Tobias Whale speaks.

TOBIAS WHALE

(VO):

Yeah but you see I like to have a few actors in my organization. You know men that can be there and look like they belong. After all, the best place to hide is in plain sight.

CUTS TO:

INT: PENTHOUSE.

Returns to room with figure talking on computer with Tobias Whale.

COUNT VERTIGO:

I see, so when will I get my shipment?

TOBIAS WHALE:  
You'll get it by this afternoon.

COUNT VERTIGO:

Good, I don't want another mishap like that little stunt you pulled on Ted Grant. That kept me at bay for three years.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Grant had what came to him. And if you ask me it was well worth three years.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Not with my technology or time.  
If you have scores to settle,  
don't use your partner's work.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
I'll keep that in mind. As I have done every time you mention it.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Fortunately, even with your blundering, everything moves into

focus and soon this world will belong to me. Til we meet again.

Screen turns off and girls turn to Tobias.

GIRL 1:  
Are you really going to take orders from that guy?

GIRL 2:  
Yeah, I thought you were the big fish around here?

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Patience girls, he and me have a deal. Once the "world," as he put it is under control, all the wealth it has will belong to yours truly. And as soon as it's mine, then we'll be free of his annoying attitude. Now, how about some music?

Tobias turns on stereo and girls go back to feeding him grapes.

CUTS TO:

INT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES.

Green Arrow walks with Black Canary around building.

GREEN ARROW:  
And as you can see we are a fully developed corporation so you have to keep up with everything that is going to come my way.

BLACK CANARY:  
That won't be a problem Mr. Queen.  
I am a quick study.

GREEN ARROW:  
Good, because most of our projects are pretty complex. I myself have trouble with the details at times, and rely on the help of my top computer advisor Felicity Smoak.

BLACK CANARY:  
I have heard of this Felicity  
Smoak. When will I meet her in  
person Mr. Queen?

GREEN ARROW:  
She's currently in the Bahamas.  
She's been working so hard I  
wanted to give her some time to  
relax

BLACK CANARY:  
Very generous Mr. Queen.

GREEN ARROW:  
If you do good work for me, you  
get rewarded. And Felicity does  
good work.

BLACK CANARY:  
Based on what I have heard about  
you it would seem like she was one  
of your...

Green Arrow stops and raises hand.

GREEN ARROW:  
I'm going to stop you right there.

Green Arrow turns to Black Canary and faces her straight in  
the eye.

GREEN ARROW:  
Look I admire your spirit and your  
attention to detail when  
researching this job, but I feel I  
have to tell you to not jump to  
any conclusions. Ms. Smoak is a  
dear friend that I think of her  
more as a sister than anything  
else. Understood?

BLACK CANARY:  
Yes sir. I'm sorry I didn't mean  
to pry. It's just I heard about  
you being...

GREEN ARROW:

I know, and a bad reputation can lead people to make assumptions. I don't care I just want you spreading rumors about me. For you see I've learned that the best way to remove a bad reputation is to show people the side that they never expected. Make them see the kind of person you are now then how you used to be.

Green Arrow smiles at Black Canary, turns back and continues to walk as Black Canary smiles at Green Arrow, blushes at his handsome face, but regains her senses and follows him.

BLACK CANARY:  
Well all right then, since I need to stay on top of things at this corporation, I feel I have to ask this question.

GREEN ARROW:  
Ask away.

BLACK CANARY:  
How goes the work on your satellite project coming along?

GREEN ARROW:  
Well we...

Green Arrow turns back to Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
How do you know about that?

BLACK CANARY:  
Like you said sir, I did my research. And I heard a few things about your company working on such a project. And I find it so assuring that people like you want to help everyone in the country of America become closer. It's one of the reasons I wanted to work here, to help people with such a cause.

Green Arrow smiles at comment.

GREEN ARROW:

Good to hear. As I just said,  
make them see how you are now then  
how you used to be.

BLACK CANARY:

Indeed.

GREEN ARROW:

But that doesn't mean you still be  
a little bit on how you used to  
be, if you catch my drift?

BLACK CANARY:

I do sir. And I guess I'll just  
have to take your word for it.

Green Arrow smiles at Black Canary as she blushes and continues.

GREEN ARROW:

Anyway, just so you know we are  
planning to expand the project to  
the entire world, not just  
America.

BLACK CANARY:

The entire world?

GREEN ARROW:

We're calling it Operation Global  
Bridge. Just imagine it. Every  
person being able to communicate  
with one another with each message  
being translated into the  
receiver's personal language.  
That was Felicity's touch in the  
system. So, no more  
misconceptions, no  
misunderstandings, and no...

COUNT VERTIGO:

Chaos.

Green Arrow and Black Canary turn to see Count Vertigo, age 33, standing at end of the hallway.

COUNT VERTIGO:

Mr. Queen, how goes our little project?

GREEN ARROW:  
Ah Mr. Vertigo.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Count Vertigo!

GREEN ARROW:  
Right Count Vertigo. All the material for the satellite is being worked on as we speak. Oh, this is my new receptionist Diana Lance. Ms. Lance, this is my partner on the Global Bridge Project for the last few years now. He's a royal in a small country called Vlatava.

Black Canary goes to Vertigo and raises her hand to shake.

BLACK CANARY:  
I see, nice to meet you sir.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Your servants do not bow before a powerful figure? That's not the way of Vlatava.

Black Canary frowns at Vertigo and puts her hand down.

BLACK CANARY:  
I'm not a servant.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Keep telling yourself that pheasant.

Black Canary growls angrily at Count Vertigo.

GREEN ARROW:  
Okay well Count Vertigo is everything ready on your end of the project?

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Not yet. There have been a few problems with the server that I

need to sort out; it should be ready in about a year.

GREEN ARROW:  
All right, keep me posted.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Of course partner. And here's a tip, teach your "receptionist" some respect toward her superior.

Count Vertigo walks away. Green Arrow and Black Canary watch him walk away.

BLACK CANARY:  
Charming man.

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah, but his work on the satellite has been productive. Without him, it would have taken years for my tech boys to do half the work he's doing now. So, I humor his little royal attitude.

Black Canary looks at watch.

BLACK CANARY:  
Ah Mr. Queen according to the schedule on your desk, you have to attend a charity for the Star City Orphanage tonight.

Green Arrow looks at watch suddenly upon hearing these words.

GREEN ARROW:  
Oh that's right. On the top of the game on your first day huh? That's good to know Ms. Lance. Well keep everything neat in the office and I'll be back in a few hours. And then maybe we can go for a drink and explain about how I used to be as to how I am now.

BLACK CANARY:  
Perhaps, Mr. Queen.

Green Arrow walks away and Black Canary watches him leave.

CUTS TO:

INT: OFFICE OF OLIVER QUEEN- NIGHT.

Black Canary hacks into server with device.

BLACK CANARY:

Come on Frank, you told me that  
this would get me in.

As device continues to scan computer, Black Canary sees  
picture of Oliver and Diggles shaking hands in front of  
building.

BLACK CANARY:

I never expected you to be so  
charming. I heard you were but  
still I never expected so much.

Black Canary shakes her head back and forth.

BLACK CANARY:

Focus Dinah, this guy is bad news.  
Don't be fooled by his charms.  
Just get what you need, get out,  
and take him and Whale down.

Device beeps and files poor in.

BLACK CANARY:

Yes, thank you Frank. Now let's  
see here.

Black Canary works at computer and sees many files. One  
entitled Global Bridge. She opens file to look around.

BLACK CANARY:

Well that's interesting, but not  
what I'm looking for.

She closes folder and keeps looking around and sees file that  
is entitled Top Secret.

BLACK CANARY:

Hello, what do we have here?

Black Canary tries to access but has some trouble.

BLACK CANARY:  
Top secret is right, but Frank told me that this unit could get me in, no matter the security. Now, what was that code? Oh, now I remember.

Black Canary presses keys on device for code 73546213 and computer says access granted.

BLACK CANARY:  
Jackpot! Now let's see what your hiding Mr. Queen.

Black Canary looks and sees several files that show her Green Arrow secret.

BLACK CANARY:  
I can't believe it. The handsome billionaire is really a masked vigilante. The same vigilante that stopped Whale's men last night. But that doesn't make sense.

DIGGLES:  
What doesn't make sense?

Black Canary looks up and sees Diggles standing at door.

BLACK CANARY:  
Mr. Diggle? I didn't expect you back so soon.

DIGGLES:  
Mr. Queen wanted me to check security and I realized I left something in his office. Now, what are you doing Ms. Lance?

BLACK CANARY:  
I was just checking to see about a virus warning in the server.

DIGGLES:  
With a hacking unit?

Black Canary looks at device on desk as Diggles looks at it.

BLACK CANARY:  
You know what this is?

DIGGLES:  
I used to be armed forces and I  
know a guy that supplies the  
military with those devices. Now  
what are you doing with it? I'm  
not going to ask again.

Diggles steps forward, Black Canary picks up unit and jumps up  
and kicks Diggles to ground.

BLACK CANARY:  
Leaving. Tell Mr. Queen that I  
had to take an early retirement.

Black Canary runs into hallway. Diggles gets up and follows  
Black Canary as he phones Green Arrow.

CUTS TO:

EXT: STAR CITY ORPHANAGE.

Green Arrow at charity standing in front of people.

GREEN ARROW:  
And our future lies in the care  
and support of the next  
generation, especially those that  
are without family to guide them.  
My goal is to strive for a secure  
foundation to help the children of  
Star City that are in need of a  
friendly hand. Thank you.

Photographers take picture of Green Arrow as he poses with  
children. After the photos that teenagers high five him and  
walk away as the male curator walks to him.

CURATOR:  
Mr. Queen I can't thank you enough  
for this generous charity drive.  
This will really help the kids  
reach their full potential.

GREEN ARROW:  
Just glad I could help.

Green Arrow hears phone ring, he picks it up and sees Diggles number.

GREEN ARROW:  
Excuse me.

Green Arrow goes to clearing and picks up phone.

GREEN ARROW:  
What's up Diggles?

DIGGLES:  
Your new receptionist just hacked  
into the system.

CUTS TO:

INT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES HALLWAY

Diggles goes to consol and activates system.

DIGGLES:  
I'm putting the building into lock  
down, but by the way this woman is  
moving I don't think that will  
hold her for very long.

CUTS TO:

EXT: ORPHANAGE

Green Arrow goes to car holding phone in hand.

GREEN ARROW:  
I'm on my way.

Green Arrow gets to car, opens truck and opens case in truck  
to reveal bow inside.

CUTS TO:

INT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES.

Black Canary running down hallway to find every exit closed  
off. She looks around.

BLACK CANARY:  
What is going on?

DIGGLES:

Whenever the building is put on lock down every entrance and exit is sealed off. Now give me that device.

BLACK CANARY:

I don't have time for this dead end.

DIGGLES:

Well you are not going anywhere.

Diggles charges and fights Black Canary. He swings his fists at her and she dodges each one and tries to low sweep him. Diggles jumps to avoid kick and he continues to punch at Black Canary. She jumps over him and punches him stomach twice and then follows with an elbow strike to the head.

DIGGLES:

I know those moves. My instructors showed me them and told me that they came from the professional fighter Wild Cat. Did he train you?

BLACK CANARY:

I was one of his best.

Diggles gets up and puts his guard up as Black Canary charges. Black Canary kicks Diggles across hallway. Diggles lies on ground as Black Canary goes to air duct. Diggles looks up as she goes in.

DIGGLES:

Air ducts, right.

CUTS TO:

EXT: QUEEN INDUSTRIES ROOF.

Black Canary climbing out onto roof. She runs but stops as arrow lands in front of her.

BLACK CANARY:

I was wondering when you'd show up.

Green Arrow swings down to her.

GREEN ARROW:

All right miss, I should warn you  
these arrows are non-lethal, but  
they hurt a lot.

Black Canary:

I would imagine, Mr. Queen.

GREEN ARROW:

You mean the billionaire playboy?  
What makes you think I'm someone  
like him?

BLACK CANARY:

Mainly base on the data on your  
arrows from the top-secret files  
on your computer network.

Green Arrow sighs in frustration and looks at Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:

I see you've been working late Ms.  
Lance.

BLACK CANARY:

Let me through.

GREEN ARROW:

Sorry can't, it's against the law  
to hack into a multi-million  
dollar corporation for espionage.

BLACK CANARY:

You think I'm a spy?

GREEN ARROW:

Give me a reason not to think  
that.

BLACK CANARY:

I can't deal with this.

Black Canary steps forward.

GREEN ARROW:

I said you are not going...

Black Canary screams and Green Arrow flies off of roof. Green Arrow grabs handrail of fire escape.

GREEN ARROW:  
It's her.

Black Canary jumps off roof to other roof, throws off blue dress coat, and black wig and runs away while Green Arrow follows. Black Canary lands on third roof when Green Arrow fires arrow that shoots out a net to capture Black Canary. Black Canary gets up and turns to reveal herself wearing blue jacket, stockings and a black shirt and removes net as Green Arrow arrives and attacks. Green Arrow continues to fire arrows as Black Canary dodges and tries to attack while they talk.

BLACK CANARY:  
I understand you want me to keep your secret, but I am not after you.

GREEN ARROW:  
If you aren't after me then why did you want to be in Queen Industries? And I want the real reason this time.

BLACK CANARY:  
Because I thought you were in league with Tobias Whale.

GREEN ARROW:  
Tobias Whale? The crime boss?

BLACK CANARY:  
You know him?

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah, he's responsible for several acts of smuggling, drug dealing, and murder throughout the area. He used to work in Gotham, but he recently moved here. But why do you want him?

BLACK CANARY:  
It's personal.

Black Canary dodges arrow and reaches Green Arrow. She goes to attack and Green Arrow dodges attacks.

CUTS TO:

EXT: BUILDING ROOFTOP.

Men watch fight on rooftop near by.

MAN 1:

Boss, I've got Green Arrow on target as well as some woman that's fighting him. Do you want us to take them both out?

CUTS TO:

INT: TOBIAS WHALE'S PENTHOUSE.

Tobias Whale talks into phone while sitting in penthouse.

TOBIAS WHALE:

The chance to catch a pain in my side and get a new lady friend in the process. It's too good of an opportunity to pass up. Take them down. But I want them alive.

CUTS TO:

EXT: ROOFTOP.

One man takes out device and presses button as other two watch and put ear plugs in their ears.

MAN 1:

Let's silence these pests.

CUTS TO:

EXT: ROOFTOP WHERE GREEN ARROW AND BLACK CANARY ARE FIGHTING.

Black Canary continues to attack as she disarms Green Arrow and they both fight hand to hand. Green Arrow swings punches, but Black Canary easily dodges and sweeps his legs. Green Arrow falls to ground and Black Canary pins him down.

GREEN ARROW:

You know if it weren't for the fact that you and I are fighting so intensely, I would so enjoy this moment.

BLACK CANARY:  
Then leave me alone! I just need to...

Sonic wave hits Black Canary and she starts to act nauseously, Green Arrow sees her change as she steps off and walks away. He goes to her and starts to feel dizzy himself.

GREEN ARROW:  
What's happening?

BLACK CANARY:  
Oh no. Not again.

GREEN ARROW:  
I'll ask again what's happening?  
And why do I feel so sick right now?

Both collapse as men come to them as Green Arrow presses button on belt.

CUTS TO:

INT: WAREHOUSE.

Green Arrow waking up in warehouse tied up and hanging on hook. He looks around and sees Black Canary tied to chair.

MAN 2:  
I just don't get why we can't take off his mask or his hood.

MAN 1:  
Because the boss said not to until he gets here.

MAN 2:  
And why take the girl?

MAN 1:  
Maybe the boss wants to make her an offer. You know a way of

saying thanks for helping take down this Robin Hood wanna be.

MAN 2:  
Well how much longer are we going to wait?

MAN 1:  
Better question. When are you going to shut up?

Third man steps forward after looking out a window.

MAN 3:  
Guys, look alive. Whale just arrived.

GREEN ARROW:  
Great now I've been taken captive by a bunch of crime lord goons. This will not be good for my hero reputation.

Men turn as door opens and Tobias Whale enters warehouse.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Good work boys. Ah, Green Arrow we meet face to face at last.

GREEN ARROW:  
Tobias Whale, I can see why you have that name. You need to lay off the pie.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
I'll think about it.

BLACK CANARY:  
You slime!

Whale turns to see Black Canary awake and looks closely at her.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
I know that face. Is that Dinah Lance? Man it's been forever, how's Ted?

GREEN ARROW:

Ted? Who's Ted?

BLACK CANARY:  
Ted Grant, my mentor.

GREEN ARROW:  
Ted Grant? The heavy weight -  
boxing champ? I heard about him.  
Some say he's the best fighter in  
the world.

Whale turns to Green Arrow.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
And an idiot that messed up a  
perfectly fixed fight. All he had  
to do was take a dive, but he  
didn't and that cost me a fortune.  
He was also someone I hated to do  
business with.

BLACK CANARY:  
And you tried to have him killed.

Whale turns back to Black Canary.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Tried? What do you mean tried?

BLACK CANARY:  
That's right, Ted's alive you  
overgrown guppy.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Good to know. So after our plan  
is done, I can go pay him a visit  
and kill him myself.

GREEN ARROW:  
Our plan?

TOBIAS WHALE:  
But first I always like to see  
whom I'm going to kill. So, get  
ready Green Arrow because as soon  
as that mask goes off, you're  
dead.

GREEN ARROW:

At that alone is such a terrible honor. To be unmasked by an overweight guppy.

Black Canary looks and sees Green Arrow revealing to have small knife in glove trying to cut the ropes holding him. Tobias Whale turns to men.

Tobias Whale:  
Lower him down.

Men begin to lower hook as it reaches Whale.

GREEN ARROW:  
Where are you?

Tobias waits for hook and turns as car crashes through doors and men move away. Car slams in metal and hook swings out. Green Arrow cuts knot holding him and he falls to ground and lands and rolls to safety. He gets up and goes to Black Canary and cuts her loose with knife.

BLACK CANARY:  
Who's that?

GREEN ARROW:  
A friend.

Diggles comes out wearing mask and shooting at Whale and men. They duck to cover and fire back. Green Arrow and Black dodge bullets, gets to quiver on ground where third man was standing, and Green Arrow fires arrow, which causes flash of bright light. Diggles closes eyes as light blinds Whale and his men as heroes escape in car. Whale watches them escape and smirks as men move to follow. He raises his hand to them.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Let them go. It doesn't matter if they escape or not. We got them right where we want them.

CUTS TO:

EXT: STAR CITY STREETS.

Car with heroes driving around Star City.

BLACK CANARY:

Where are we going? Whale is back there.

DIGGLES:  
To regroup and figure out our next move.

Black Canary looks at driver as he takes off mask.

BLACK CANARY:  
Diggles? Why am I surprised? But how did you know what happened and where to find us?

GREEN ARROW:  
Just as we were being grabbed I signaled him to come and get us. He's pretty quick.

DIGGLES:  
Years of training in the military.

GREEN ARROW:  
But it did take him pretty long.

DIGGLES:  
It took a while to shut down the lock down when your girlfriend tried to escape at Queen Industries.

GREEN ARROW:  
Just saying.

BLACK CANARY:  
And I am not his girlfriend!

DIGGLES:  
All right fine. Now would you care to tell us what this is all about?

GREEN ARROW:  
That sounds like a great idea.

Black Canary looks at them both.

BLACK CANARY:

Get us somewhere safe and I'll tell you everything.

GREEN ARROW:

Then I guess we're taking you back to my house. And it's only our second date.

Car drives off.

CUTS TO:

INT: TOBIAS WHALE PENTHOUSE.

Goons packing up materials for Whale. Computer beeps and one of the girls hands it to Whale.

GIRL 1:

Tobias, it looks like you got a call.

Whale takes computer and turns it on to reveal dark figure.

COUNT VERTIGO:

What happened? I received word that Green Arrow is on your trail.

Whale looks around.

TOBIAS WHALE:

Who squealed?

Men look at Whale and Man 3 from warehouse begins to flinch. Whale snaps his fingers and two men take the Man 3 away. Whale looks at computer.

TOBIAS WHALE:

Just a minor set back. He has no idea what we're planning.

COUNT VERTIGO:

Good, because I cannot afford any distractions at this time. If he crosses your path again, I don't need to tell you what you must do.

TOBIAS WHALE:

Don't worry about it. I can handle Green Arrow. Everything's under control.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
It better be. Don't make me regret joining forces with such a idiotic brute.

Computer screen turns black and Whale throws it into wall.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Annoying pest.

CUTS TO:

INT: QUEEN MANSION.

Green Arrow and Black Canary sit in living room as Diggles makes drinks.

GREEN ARROW:  
So, you were here to take down Whale. What's that got to do with Queen Industries?

BLACK CANARY:  
It all started when Ted Grant's gym blew up three years ago by some device that was mailed to him. I have a friend that traced the device to a branch of Queen Industries. That led me to the conclusion that Tobias Whale had some connection to the company. So, for the last three years I have been working to uncover the connection. I heard all about you Mr. Queen and I worked to become something I knew would get your attention, a beautiful receptionist. No offense.

GREEN ARROW:  
None taken. And you played the role perfectly. Go on.

Black Canary smiles at Green Arrow and blushes.

BLACK CANARY:

My plan was simple, get into Queen Industries, get the evidence of Whale's attack at the Gym and take him down once and for all. And maybe take down his partner in Queen Industries in the process. Unfortunately, I didn't find anything but...

GREEN ARROW:

My secret nightlife.

Diggles carries drinks to them.

DIGGLES:

Felicity and I told you not to hold that kind of data on your computer.

GREEN ARROW:

Lesson learned. Can you let the lady continue Dig?

Diggles turns to Black Canary.

DIGGLES:

Actually, no, I need to ask one question. Where did you get that hacking unit? You mentioned a guy named Frank.

BLACK CANARY:

Frank is an old friend and also a student of Ted's. He now works in the military and before you ask, he didn't give it to me. He told me what it could do and I knew it could help me with my goal so I stole it.

DIGGLES:

Good to know. But why did he give you so much detail about it?

BLACK CANARY:

He's a lonely man and I'm pretty curious.

GREEN ARROW:

Makes perfect sense to me as well as any other lonely man in the world.

BLACK CANARY:

Anyway, I just wanted to find some way to incriminate Whale. I thought that with you being connected I would find something on his criminal activities, but all I found besides your data was the date of the satellite project being today.

Green Arrow about to drink, but stops from hearing comment.

GREEN ARROW:

What? The project isn't supposed to ready until next year. You were there when Vertigo told me that.

BLACK CANARY:

I know but according to the data on the server, it was being launched today at midnight. I assumed you wanted to get it in the atmosphere to do some testing of it in actual space. I mean, it was on your computer.

Green Arrow thinks for a minute.

GREEN ARROW:

Would you excuse me? I need to make a call to the Bahamas.

Green Arrow goes to phone, dials numbers, and talks. Diggles goes to Black Canary.

DIGGLES:

So, what exactly was your plan? Incriminate Whale or kill him?

BLACK CANARY:

What do you mean?

DIGGLES:

Back at the warehouse I needed to wait for the opportune time to move in and bail you two out. So, I waited outside and while I was out there I heard how you sounded. You sounded like someone that was going to ripe out his heart, not throw him in jail.

BLACK CANARY:

I just want to stop him. Ted got hurt badly by that explosion. He's been in a hospital bed for the last three years. I worked my ass off trying to pay for those bills and watched him suffer as he woke up to find out his gym was destroyed. A gym he spent half his life building to help others grow. I couldn't just sit by and let the man who did that to him walk. Ted means the world to me. You see I lost my parents when I was very young.

DIGGLES:

I'm sorry to hear that. It must have hard for you. But how does Ted fit into that situation?

BLACK CANARY

Ted was an old friend of my parents. My father was a cop who was killed in action and I don't know what happened to my mother. All I know is that she died helping people and after she died Ted took me in. He trained me, cared about me, and became my second father. I mean he even gave me the name Black Canary. Those reasons alone is why I need to make sure Whale is stopped before he hurts anyone else.

DIGGLES:

I understand, but don't forget there is a limit to how far

someone needs to go to stop  
someone else.

BLACK CANARY:  
I know that.

DIGGLES:  
You say you know it, but do you  
believe it?

Green Arrow comes back into room.

GREEN ARROW:  
I just got off the phone with  
Felicity. I had her go into my  
server and see if there were any  
changes recently.

Black Canary turns to Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
She can get into your server all  
the way from the Bahamas in just a  
few minutes?

DIGGLES:  
She can do a lot of things with a  
laptop computer.

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah and she says that the  
satellite is ready for launch  
thanks to Count Vertigo's input  
and as requested by him to be  
tested in an outside facility  
prior to my confirmation.

BLACK CANARY:  
Which means...

GREEN ARROW:  
He lied to me and he stole my  
project. Then he covered his  
tracks by putting the data in my  
computer to throw me off. He must  
have found how to get into my  
server. But why would he do that?

Black Canary thinks for a moment.

BLACK CANARY:  
Tobias said our plan. Right?

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah he did.

BLACK CANARY:  
Well think about it. He sends goons to steal technologies that are associated with sonic vibration. Such technology that is similar to what has been used on us.

GREEN ARROW:  
What do you mean?

BLACK CANARY:  
When looking into the device origin, I also had it looked at and I found out what it does. You see it makes a sonic wave that disrupts the brain and causes confusion and lack of coordination.

GREEN ARROW:  
So, that's why we got all nauseous back on the roof. Those goons must have used the sonic device on us.

BLACK CANARY:  
Exactly. A device that could generate the effect on anyone who hears the sonic frequency. And the satellite is a means to send a strong enough signal...

DIGGLES:  
...to send that frequency to everyone in the country and then the world.

GREEN ARROW:  
Which means the man who constructed the satellite

personally can make all of that possible.

BLACK CANARY:

Which means that Count Vertigo and Tobias Whale are working together. And that's why the device that almost killed Ted came from your company.

GREEN ARROW:

Because Vertigo was working at my company at the time and Tobias must have borrowed the technology.

DIGGLES:

And if they succeed, then everyone on Earth is going to be completely at their mercy.

GREEN ARROW:

Then we got to find them.

BLACK CANARY:

But how? The data only said when they were going to launch the satellite. It didn't give a location for us to follow.

GREEN ARROW:

Then I guess we find out what we need to know the old fashion way. Diggles, Canary and I are going out. Felicity is still on the phone in the other room, tell her the situation, get her to start brainstorming and just tell her I'll pay the long distance phone bill.

Black Canary gets up and runs out the door with Green Arrow.

CUTS TO:

INT: DARK ROOM WITH SCREENS OF SATELLITE IN VIEW.

Count Vertigo watches satellite from room as Whale enters. Count turns to him revealing himself.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Ah Mr. Whale, is everything in  
order?

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Yeah, everything's set for our big  
take over. Which means my friend  
we are about to be very rich men.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
And powerful men as well. For the  
world will bow to our glorious  
might.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
And no one can stop us.

Vertigo turns to Whale.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
As long as they are no further  
interruptions.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
There won't be. I told you Green  
Arrow has no idea what's going on.  
Besides all he knows is that I'm  
involved and he doesn't even know  
where I am.

Tobias turns and watches satellite as Vertigo stands next to him.

CUTS TO:

INT: NIGHT CLUB

People dance on floor as men sit and enjoy music. Benny, a common looking thug, sits and watches girls dancing. He then turns to thug next to him.

BENNY:  
In all of Star City, this is where  
you can come and enjoy a night of  
pure peace and enjoy the scenery  
to the fullest.

THUG:  
You said it man.

Benny and Thug cling glasses together as an arrow flies through air and hits DJ table and music stops. Crowd stops dancing and looks around. They see Green Arrow and Black Canary and move away.

GREEN ARROW:  
Sorry folks, shows over.

Green Arrow and Black Canary walk across room to table of thugs and looks at Benny.

GREEN ARROW:  
Hey there Benny.

Benny looks at Green Arrow.

BENNY:  
Arrow! What are you doing here?  
And who's your date?

GREEN ARROW:  
This is Black Canary. She's new in town and I promised to show her a good time. She's looking for an old friend, which is why we're here. I need info and you are the only punk I know that probably has it. You know about every criminal in this city and what they're up to, right? So what have you heard about Whale?

Seven men sneak behind Green Arrow and Black Canary and are about to attack.

BENNY:  
Depends, do you mean the water one or the land one.

GREEN ARROW:  
Benny, I don't time for games.  
Where's Tobias Whale?

BENNY:  
You have to give me a minute. I need to think before I can answer such a complicated question.  
That's what happens when you know

what goes on in the underworld.  
You just don't know who's gonna  
come out and attack.

Men charge but are attacked by Black Canary. Black Canary turns and jumps up to scissor kick 2 of the charging men. She then goes to third man and punches him in the throat and flips over another man, lands, grabs him and kicks his legs and throws him to a table. Crowd moves away as another man swings at her with crowbar, with her kicking and using him as a means to flip backwards behind another man who see karate chops on the neck. As she fights, Green Arrow continues to talk to Benny who looks in fear as he watches fight.

GREEN ARROW:

By the way did I forget to mention  
that she's not just my date, she's  
my muscle? And if she does that  
to them, think what she'll do to  
you for not giving us what we want  
to know about her friend.

Benny watches Black Canary beat up remaining two thugs and he starts to shake in fear and looks at Green Arrow.

GREEN ARROW:  
Benny, talk now!

BENNY:  
Okay. It's just I don't know  
anything.

GREEN ARROW:  
Too bad. What bone do you think  
she'll break first? I guess we'll  
just have to find out. Wait here  
I'll go get her.

Green Arrow gets up and turns away. Benny sees Black Canary beat down thug.

BENNY:  
Wait, wait! I only know about  
tonight. I heard that he's been  
seen at the old radio station. No  
one knows why, it's like he's just  
waiting for something.

Green Arrow stops and turns his head back to Benny.

GREEN ARROW:

Good to know.

One of fallen men gets up and grabs Canary behind her. Green Arrow turns and shoots man that is holding Black Canary and arrow stuns him as Black Canary breaks hold by back elbowing him and punches him out cold. Man drops to ground as Black Canary and Green Arrow walk to exit.

GREEN ARROW:

Thanks Benny.

Green Arrow and Black Canary leave with seven men unconscious and Benny shakes until he passes out.

CUTS TO:

INT: RADIO STATION AROUND 11 P.M.

Vertigo sits and watches clock.

COUNT VERTIGO:

In one hour the domination of this world will come. For as the people struggle to even move my forces will move in and take the world by storm and I will become a king of all nations.

TOBIAS WHALE:

And I get all the wealth of the nations as we agreed.

COUNT VERTIGO:

Of course you will my friend. All the wealth shall be yours to possess and the control shall be mine alone. Now leave me, I have some last minute preparations that need my attention.

TOBIAS WHALE:

Fine. Good luck partner.

Tobias leaves room as Vertigo watches screen.

CUTS TO:

EXT: ROOFTOP.

Green Arrow and Black Canary on roof across radio station. Black Canary stands for look out as Green Arrow talks on phone. She looks to see time is at 11:30 p.m.

BLACK CANARY:  
We only have half an hour to get over there and stop them.

Green Arrow comes out of shadows, and stands next to Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah, we better hurry.

Black Canary turns to Green Arrow holding binoculars.

BLACK CANARY:  
Where did you go?

GREEN ARROW:  
Needed to pick up something.

BLACK CANARY:  
Well anyway I just don't understand why here of all places. I mean why hide the satellite here?

GREEN ARROW:  
Where else would you hide a sonic machine than in an old radio station? A radio station is the perfect place when you think about it. I mean it does have the technology that can help boost or weaken the signal by remote.

BLACK CANARY:  
Good point. But I only meant why in a place where people can come and go?

GREEN ARROW  
They must have learned that it would be empty. You see the old radio station has been out of business for months. And as you

know, sometimes the best place to hide is in plain sight.

BLACK CANARY:

I guess, and the concept of using the radio station is pretty poetic. Radio brings music to make people move, and this weapon that they made also makes them move, but in a different way.

GREEN ARROW:

Which is why I talked to Diggles about getting ready to retaliate the problem.

BLACK CANARY:

Retaliate? How?

GREEN ARROW:

According to the information you have so generously given, Felicity found the haul of the satellite has a major design flaw that Vertigo probably didn't pay attention to. So I had Diggles and her work out a method to stop the satellite before it's too late.

BLACK CANARY:

Really, do you think their method can stop the satellite in time?

GREEN ARROW:

Most definitely. Those two are the best people I have ever known. They've come through time and time again and with the world in the balance, I can't think of anybody I can count on more to increase our chances.

Green Arrow looks at Black Canary with concern.

GREEN ARROW:

And speaking of chances, Diggles also told me about how much you want to take down Whale. I know

what he did to your mentor was rough, but do you really want to take him down permanently?

Black Canary turns away from Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
Whatever it takes to make sure he never harms anyone again.

GREEN ARROW:  
Yeah and he deserves every bit of pain and suffering you can give him. But that's not the kind of person I see you as.

Black Canary turns to Green Arrow rapidly.

BLACK CANARY:  
Excuse me?

GREEN ARROW:  
I believed you when you said that you liked the idea of helping people. That shows that you are a caring person. And those kind of people are not those that can kill others. Even if those others are creeps like Whale. You showed me the person you are.

BLACK CANARY:  
You don't know me; so don't act like you do.

GREEN ARROW:  
I know you're angry right now. I'm angry too. I trusted Vertigo to help me create a means to help the world get closer. And he has turned it into a means to conquer the world that I wanted to help.

BLACK CANARY:  
Vertigo just took your toy and made it bad. Whale almost took the only father I have ever known in my life. It's not the same thing.

GREEN ARROW:

I know it isn't. I just want you to think about what you are going to do before you make any rash decisions.

BLACK CANARY:

Let's just stop these maniacs before they hurt the entire world. We're running out of time.

Green Arrow looks at Canary and then turns to station.

GREEN ARROW:

You have a good point. So, let's take them down.

Green Arrow turns to building and fires an arrow and grabs Black Canary to swing to building where three men sit and wait.

CUTS TO:

INT: RADIO STATION- NIGHT.

Two men sit and play cards and Man 3 paces back and forth.

MAN 3:

This is so boring. How long is this going to take?

MAN 1:

The boss said that the plan goes off at midnight. Give me two cards.

Man 2 takes two cards and give Man 1 two new ones.

MAN 2:

I know what the boss said, but why the hell is it at midnight?

MAN 1:

Don't know, don't care. For after tonight we will be quite rich my friends. I call.

Man 1 and Man 2 lay down cards as Man 3 looks outside and sees heroes swing in. Man 3 is kicked down by Black Canary as Green Arrow shoots arrow and catches other two in a net. The two turn and climb up the stairs to find an empty room.

GREEN ARROW:  
Okay I think we're in the clear.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
If you think that, then you would be wrong.

Tobias Whale steps forward out of shadows and takes off his jacket.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
And here I thought I had to hunt you two down. I guess I should have known you would be stupid and come right to me. Either way you just saved me some trouble, so I'll make it quick.

GREEN ARROW:  
Well see about that Moby Dick.

Green Arrow holds bow and points at Whale. Black Canary stops him.

BLACK CANARY:  
He's mine, go stop the satellite.

GREEN ARROW:  
No way am I leaving...

BLACK CANARY:  
Just go. I got this.

Green Arrow nods, fires arrow above Whale and swings over him by running on wall. Whale tries to grab him but misses. Black Canary steps toward Whale.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
It doesn't matter, I'll get him later. There's no way he can stop the plan now.

BLACK CANARY:

You won't be getting to anyone later. I'm taking you down right now.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
That's something I would like to see.

Black Canary walks toward Whale and takes off jacket. Whale and her circle around each other.

BLACK CANARY:  
I hope your partner is okay up there by himself.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Yeah me too. I mean I wouldn't want anything to happen to him before I step in and take over the plan and finally shut up his royal mouth. He thought I just wanted money but I want more.

BLACK CANARY:  
You want to control. Well that's not going to happen.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Really? I think Ted would disagree with you.

Black Canary charges and attacks Whale with strong punches and kicks but they have no effect on Whale. Black Canary jumps on him and tries to kick again. Whale catches kick and throws Black Canary across room into wall. Black Canary gets up and tries attacking again and Whale talks to her as she attacks.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Grant would have at least been a challenge unlike you little girl.

Whale swings his arm and knocks Canary away. He then grabs Black Canary and squeezes her in a bear hug.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
And all little girls like a big hug. Amazing really, you came all this way to stop me and avenge Teddy and now you'll die. The

whole mask thing doesn't apply to you. But my only regret is that you won't see your teacher's cold dead face as I strangle him.

Tobias Whale continues to squeeze and Black Canary screams in pain until arrow flies and lands on Whale's face and covering his eyes with fluid. Whale is thrown back and weakens grip, which give Black Canary chance to counter and releases herself from Whale. She falls to ground, rolls to safety and stumbles backwards as she tries to get up. Whale moves around and tries to remove fluid from eyes. Two arrows fly to Whale and he coughs as smoke comes out of them. Green Arrow swings to Black Canary.

BLACK CANARY:  
You came back? I told you to stop  
the satellite.

GREEN ARROW:  
I know, but I just remembered, you work for me, and what kind of boss would I be if I let one of my employees die, especially such a hot one that I want to get a drink with?

Black Canary smiles at Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
Thank you.

Whale clears smoke, rips off liquid from face and moves toward the heroes.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Forget the mask rule! I'll crush you both right now!

Tobias Whale charges and heroes jump away from each other to safety. Green Arrow looks at Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
You have to do that scream thing.

BLACK CANARY:  
What for?

GREEN ARROW:

Trust me.

Green Arrow jumps to the side as Black Canary dodges Tobias Whale attacks and back flips to safe distance and screams at Tobias Whale. He slows down, but keeps moving forward as Green Arrow puts ear plugs in, stands behind Black Canary and fires arrow into scream, which then fly at Tobias Whale's feet, which explodes and releases gel that begins to solidify. Tobias Whale tries to continue to move but Green Arrow fires three more gel arrows, which encase Tobias Whale's body with a solidified coating to stop him from moving. Green Arrow taps her shoulder and as Black Canary stops screaming and breathes heavily she looks at Whale and Green Arrow takes out ear plugs and puts them in belt.

TOBIAS WHALE:

I can't move.

BLACK CANARY:

Good. Then I can finish this.

Black Canary looks at Whale. Green Arrow stands between Black Canary and Whale.

GREEN ARROW:

We got him. We can let the police handle it from here. Once we stop Vertigo, Whale will be charged for his crimes, all of them. Do what Ted would want you to do. Which is right now stopping Vertigo.

BLACK CANARY:

But Whale has to pay for what he did to Ted. I can make him pay for everything he's done right now.

TOBIAS WHALE:

Then what are you waiting for? You're absolutely right, you can kill me and avenge Teddy. But I don't think you have the guts to do such a gruesome act.

Black Canary looks at Whale, pushes Green Arrow away and takes arrow from arrow quiver, and goes to Whale's head with arrow head.

BLACK CANARY:  
Wanna bet?

Green Arrow grabs hand and stops Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
You don't want to do that.

Black Canary looks at Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
Why not?

GREEN ARROW:  
Because you'll be just like him.  
And I may not know Ted Grant, but  
I don't think he would want you do  
be a murderer on his behalf.  
Because that would mean that  
everything he taught you didn't  
mean anything.

Black Canary looks at Whale, puts down arrow and sighs.

BLACK CANARY:  
You're right.

GREEN ARROW:  
Then let's go.

TOBIAS WHALE:  
Yeah, run away and...

Green Arrow takes arrow from Black Canary, puts it away, and takes out another arrow, slams it on liquid and it sprays Whale with gas that knocks him out. Black Canary looks at Green Arrow smiling.

BLACK CANARY:  
Thank you.

GREEN ARROW:  
Don't mention it, someone had to  
shut him up.

Both run to door and climb up the stairs.

CUTS TO:

EXT: ROOF.

Count Vertigo stands at area with view of the satellite as it is about to launch.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Only ten minutes until I rule this world with an iron hand.

Green Arrow and Black Canary arrive on roof and see Count Vertigo working. Count Vertigo turns to see them.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
I see I have some guests no thanks to my ex partner Mr. Whale.

GREEN ARROW:  
Give it up Count Vertigo.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
So you know who I am?

BLACK CANARY:  
Let's just say we know people that are aware of you. Like Mr. Queen who isn't too happy about you taking his project and using it to enslave the world.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
I see my other partner told you about me. However, he did not tell you everything.

Black Canary charges and Green Arrow draws arrow. Count Vertigo raises hand and sonic wave hits both making them dizzy.

GREEN ARROW:  
What's happening?

COUNT VERTIGO:  
My gloves have smaller devices that allow me to control a specific sonic burst that affects the human brain function of coordination. As you may have already realized.

BLACK CANARY:  
Just like what happened back in  
Ted's gym.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Yes, Mr. Whale wanted to get even  
with Mr. Grant and I needed the  
device tested.

GREEN ARROW:  
So, just as Black Canary said, you  
gave it to him to use on Ted  
Grant.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
Correct I gave it to him to test  
because I had more important  
things to do. The attack on the  
gym was his idea alone. I would  
have used it more practically and  
secretively. But, I guess that's  
what happens when you ally  
yourself with a brute like Whale.  
But the time of talk is over, now  
you two will die.

Count Vertigo moves forward and punches Green Arrow who can't move properly. Count Vertigo then moves toward Black Canary. Canary tries to throw punch, but it is dodged by Vertigo and he grabs her, chops her and kicks her away.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
I am a master of martial arts.  
And with such skill combined with  
your lack of coordination, there  
is no way you can even lift a  
finger against me.

Canary tries to punch, but Vertigo dodged punch, jumps up and kicks her into Green Arrow.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
You two heroes are nothing  
compared to Count Vertigo.

BLACK CANARY:  
Maybe not alone, but together...

Black Canary holds Green Arrow's hand and they stand up.

BLACK CANARY:  
We might be enough.

Count Vertigo attacks two with a kick, but two coordinate on each other, Black Canary leans to the left and Green Arrow spins around behind Vertigo where he lands a punch on him.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
What is this? There is no way you should be able to fight back.

Count Vertigo charges and tries to karate chop, but Green Arrow leans back and Black Canary rolls over him and kicks Vertigo. Green Arrow takes out arrow.

GREEN ARROW:  
Get in close.

Count Vertigo charges and attacks, but two dodge and Green Arrow places arrow on Count Vertigo glove, which electrocutes and disables the effects. Green Arrow moves aside to catch his breath as Black Canary regains coordination and lands several punch kick combos on Count Vertigo and takes his second glove off his hand and smashes it on the ground with a rock. Count Vertigo recovers and matches Canary's movements.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
You can't win.

BLACK CANARY:  
Just watch us.

Black Canary continues attack but Count Vertigo takes out knife and is about to stab. Green Arrow sees knife and jumps in way and is stabbed in the left arm. Green Arrow screams in pain, falls to ground in pain. Black Canary looks in horror and angrily screams at Count Vertigo and he goes flying into the console and falls to ground out cold. Black Canary goes to Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
Why did you do that?

GREEN ARROW:  
Call it the gentlemen in me.

BLACK CANARY:

Show what you are rather than what you were? You do know that means that you are stupid, pig headed, macho, and...

Black Canary smiles at Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
...very sweet.

Green Arrow smiles at Black Canary as she goes to Count Vertigo and rips off his cape. She comes back and faces Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
This may sting.

She takes out knife, throws it away as Green Arrow groans in pain, she then takes cape piece and wraps it around his arm to cover up wound. Satellite activates and system begins to count down for launch.

BLACK CANARY:  
We're out of time.

Computer counts down starting at 60 seconds.

GREEN ARROW:  
According to the computer, we only have a minute before this thing launches. We've got to destroy it.

BLACK CANARY:  
How do we do that? I can't scream anymore and I don't think any of your arrows can break it.

Green Arrow pulls out arrow.

GREEN ARROW:  
Think again. I told you that the haul had a design flaw. One that makes it unable to shield the core from a strong enough electric charge. So Diggles gave me these.

Green Arrow looks through arrows and pulls three out.

## GREEN ARROW

Felicity gave Diggles directions on how to assemble them. These three arrows are designed to generate a strong magnetic pulse that will penetrate to the machine's core and cause a system overload, but I can't fire them like this.

Black Canary takes bow in her hands.

## BLACK CANARY:

Then I will.

Black Canary fires one arrow and misses.

## GREEN ARROW:

Canary stop!

She fires a second arrow and misses again due to wind current.

## BLACK CANARY:

Oh come on.

Green Arrow goes to her.

## GREEN ARROW:

You got to relax.

Green Arrow puts arm around waist and stands next to her.  
Black Canary blushes.

## GREEN ARROW:

Look at the target and focus only on that target. Clear your mind and that target will be the only thing you will see, and once you have that clear in your mind you can always make your mark.

Black Canary holds up bow and carefully aims arrow at Satellite.

## BLACK CANARY:

This is for you Ted.

Black Canary breathes and releases arrow. It flies through the air and hits the side of Satellite and electrocutes side

and causes structure to explode. Both move and duck down as wreckage falls over them. Vertigo gets up and sees damage and tries to run to door.

COUNT VERTIGO:  
This is not over. I will return  
and I shall...

Vertigo is tied up by bolo and falls to ground. He looks up to see Green Arrow standing next to Black Canary holding bow as they both smile over him.

GREEN ARROW:  
Not a bad shot for a beginner.

BLACK CANARY:  
Thanks. But I hope Mr. Queen had  
insurance on that satellite.

Both look at wreckage and start to laugh.

CUTS TO:

EXT: HOSPITAL TWO WEEKS LATER- DAY.

Black Canary takes Ted out in wheelchair.

TED GRANT:  
Three years I was in that hospital  
bed and now I'm stuck in this  
stupid thing.

BLACK CANARY:  
It's called a wheelchair Ted. And  
the doctor specifically explained  
for you to stay on it until  
further notice. Besides he told  
me that it maybe only for a few  
months.

TED GRANT:  
That doesn't mean I have to like  
it.

Ted holds up newspaper in his lap.

TED GRANT:  
By the way, the paper here says  
that Whale was arrested a few

weeks ago and is now finally going on trial for his crimes.

Black Canary looks at Newspaper entitled "Crime Boss and Associate apprehended by Green Arrow and Associate."

BLACK CANARY:

I heard about that. It's good to know that overgrown guppy is going to face what he's done. And that he's associate Count Vertigo is being taken back to his country to await trial from his own people.

Ted turns to her and smiles.

TED GRANT:

Nice job.

BLACK CANARY:

Thanks. But now what?

TED GRANT:

Good question.

They go forward to see a man holding a sign saying Grant and Lance.

TED GRANT:

What the?

DIGGLES:

Ride for Dinah Lance and Ted Grant.

Black Canary looks carefully at driver as he removes his hat and reveals himself as Diggles.

BLACK CANARY:

Diggles?

TED GRANT:

You know this guy?

BLACK CANARY:

Yeah, but...

DIGGLES:

Just get in. Everything will be explained when we get there.

TED GRANT:  
Get where?

DIGGLES:  
You'll see.

Black Canary and Ted look at each other. Canary helps Ted into car and they drive off.

CUTS TO:

EXT: CONSTRUCTION SITE- DAY.

Diggles, Grant and Black Canary arrive where Green Arrow stands looking over papers with left arm in a cast.

DIGGLES:  
Mr. Queen, as requested, this is Ted Grant and Dinah Lance.

Green Arrow turns and smiles at Black Canary.

BLACK CANARY:  
Mr. Queen!

Green Arrow looks at Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
Call me Ollie.

Green Arrow holds out hand to Ted.

GREEN ARROW:  
It's nice to meet you Mr. Grant.  
My name is Oliver Queen.

Ted shakes Green Arrow's hand.

TED GRANT:  
Nice to meet you Mr. Queen, and I don't want to sound rude... Oh forget that, what's this about?

GREEN ARROW:  
This is simply about your gym Mr. Grant.

TED GRANT:  
My gym?

GREEN ARROW:  
This is the exact location your old gym was three years ago. It's been on hold until now and I just bought it.

Ted turns away from Green Arrow and looks at area.

TED GRANT:  
Good for you. What are you going to do with it?

GREEN ARROW:  
I'm giving it to you.

Ted turns abruptly to Green Arrow.

TED GRANT:  
What?

Black Canary stands stunned at comment.

GREEN ARROW:  
It will be your property, just sign the paperwork and you can lead the top construction workers of Star City to build the gym just the way you want it. Down to every last detail.

Ted looks and sees papers. He looks at Green Arrow and smiles.

TED GRANT:  
I don't know what to say.

DIGGLES:  
How about thank you?

Ted turns to Diggles, smiles and turns back to face Green Arrow with a tear in his right eye.

TED GRANT:  
Thank you.

GREEN ARROW:  
Don't worry about it. Just sign  
here.

Ted signs the papers and looks down to the lot and the crew  
who are taking a break.

TED GRANT:  
All right ladies! Let's get to  
work. I want this place build to  
scale and then to shine like a new  
pair of shoes.

Men jump up and start moving along as Ted holds up the blue  
prints to the gym and grabs a pen.

TED GRANT:  
And who designed this a five year  
old? This is what it should look  
like.

Ted starts to make adjustments and looks down on men at work.  
Black Canary turns to Green Arrow.

BLACK CANARY:  
I don't know what to say.

GREEN ARROW:  
Consider it your severance  
package. You were a great  
receptionist. Even if you just  
worked for that one day and never  
came back to work. Which is why I  
had to fire you.

BLACK CANARY:  
I had to take care of Ted. While  
I was gone he tried to escape from  
the hospital and I had to make  
sure he stayed put.

GREEN ARROW:  
Never mind your excuses.

Green Arrow smiles at Black Canary.

GREEN ARROW:  
Take care of yourself Dinah.

Green Arrow kisses her cheek and he and Diggles walk away,  
Black Canary watches them leave. Ted looks back at her.

TED GRANT:  
I told you to keep your guard up  
on the left.

BLACK CANARY:  
What?

TED GRANT:  
The left side is where the heart  
is and he just broke through to  
it.

Black Canary looks at Ted.

BLACK CANARY:  
I don't know what you're talking  
about.

TED GRANT:  
Ah man. You remind me of your  
mother so much right now. She was  
just as stubborn.

BLACK CANARY:  
She was?

TED GRANT:  
Yep, and if she didn't listen to  
me, you wouldn't have been born.  
So, take the same advice I gave  
her after I realized she wouldn't  
listen. If someone breaks through  
your defenses, there isn't much  
you can do about it but accept it.

Black Canary thinks for a minute and smiles.

BLACK CANARY:  
I guess you're right.

Ted goes to her and smiles.

TED GRANT:  
Go get him.

Black Canary frowns and looks at Ted.

BLACK CANARY:  
But I can't leave you like this.  
And he has a reputation.

TED GRANT:  
I'll be okay. I still got some  
lives left. I just want you to be  
happy. And by the way you're  
smiling, I think he makes you  
happy. And some reputation is not  
going to change that anytime soon  
is it?

Ted takes Black Canary's hand.

BLACK CANARY:  
Is that really what happened to my  
mom?

TED GRANT:  
Yes it is. You know why I call  
you Black Canary? It's because  
your mother was called the Canary.  
And you are so alike and so  
different to her in so many ways.

Black Canary smiles at Ted.

BLACK CANARY:  
You really see it that way?

TED GRANT:  
You bet I do. Go get what you  
want. You deserve it and so much  
more.

BLACK CANARY:  
Thank you Ted, for everything.

Black Canary hugs Ted and kisses him on the cheek. She then turns and walks away.

CUTS TO:

INT: OLIVER QUEEN'S OFFICE- DAY.

Green Arrow going over papers on his desk.

GREEN ARROW:

Look at this to do list. I have interviews about the satellite project, investigations about my involvement in the attempt to take over the world, and the charity for the Star City hospital coming in a few days and I still haven't written a speech. All of these upcoming events and I can't get them straightened out.

Green Arrow stretches arm and screams in pain.

GREEN ARROW:

And my arm is still killing me. So Green Arrow hasn't been able to stop criminal activity which is starting to pile up I imagine.

Diggles enters office. Green Arrow looks up at him as he takes pain killer pills.

DIGGLES:

Mr. Queen, do you have a minute?

GREEN ARROW:

Why are you acting so formal John?  
What's up?

DIGGLES:

Because we need to be formal right now. Someone has arrived to apply as your new receptionist.

GREEN ARROW:

Not this again. Well it could help with the workload. Send whoever it is in.

Black Canary comes in and walks past a smiling Diggles.

BLACK CANARY:

I didn't come to apply...

Green Arrow looks up and sees Black Canary.

BLACK CANARY:

I came to get to work Mr. Queen.

Green Arrow smiles, looks at Diggles who shrugs, turns back to Black Canary and goes to her.

GREEN ARROW:

You're rehired. But you have a lot of catching up to do Ms. Lance. So, I guess you'll have to stay after hours with me to sort things out.

BLACK CANARY:

Yes Mr. Queen. After that, I would like that drink that you promised to get with me.

GREEN ARROW:

Of course, but I must warn you I tend to have fun with beautiful women that I drink with. That is how I was and chose to remain.

BLACK CANARY:

Looking forward to it Ollie.

Green Arrow moves in and kisses Black Canary on the lips. Black Canary puts arms around his neck and kisses back. Diggles goes out of room and rolls his eyes.

DIGGLES:

And now no work is going to get done.

Diggles closes door and walks down hallway.

Cuts to:

Ext: Queen industries building.

Green Arrow and Black Canary kiss each other as screen moves outward and moves away from building. Fade Out.

End Credits