"The real Pig Flu's story"

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To Bérangère, with love.
FADE IN:

EXT. STREET – DAY

It is very a quiet street. The birds twitter happily in the trees. Suddenly, a noise can be heard coming from the corner. It's coming loud and loud...

Then, emerges from the corner to the street a furious crowd... shouting...

CROWD
Death to Pig Flu!

There were dogs, chickens, turkeys, cats, mouses and other animals.

CROWD
Death to Pig Flu!

The neighbors come out to see what is happening.

INT. PIGS HOME – KITCHEN – DAY

Inside, MOTHER PIG is cooking, as a little pig (PIG FLU) watches a cartoon on the TV. The cartoon show stops and enters another show, about cooking...

SPEAKER
(on TV)
Hi, I'm Hot Helmet, and this is TDKLW. Today we'll have the great chef star Antony Bargain!

Antony Bargain enters.

HOT HELMET
(on TV)
Hi, Tony!

ANTONY BARGAIN
(on TV)
Hi, Hot!
HOT HELMET
(on TV)
What will prepare for us today, Tony.

ANTONY BARGAIN
(on TV)
Well, Hot, today I'll prepare a piglet German sauce.

Mother Pig hears what Antony Bargain said on TV show and runs to switch it off!

PIG FLU
Mom!?

MOTHER PIG
It is not a show for a kid!

She stops for a while and listens to the shouting coming from the street...

MOTHER PIG
What's happening?!

She dries her hands and runs to the main room. She looks by the window and draws a curtain.

MOTHER PIG
Holy pig!

PIG FLU
What's happening mom?

MOTHER PIG
Such!

EXT. PIGS HOME - CONT.

The crowd stops in front of the Pigs home.

CROWD
Come out Pig Flu! Come out Pig Flu!

A DOG comes to the front of all of them.
DOG
(shouting)
Hey, Pig Flu, get out now, otherwise we will get in and bring you out on force!

INT. PIGS HOME - DAY

PIG FLU
Hey mom, they are calling me outside...

MOTHER PIG
Shut up! Be quiet, right now...

DOG (OS)
We will get in...

MOTHER PIG
Hey, listen to your mom... Stay right here and be quiet, okay?

PIG FLU
Okay.

MOTHER PIG
Mom loves you.

PIG FLU
Me too, mom.

Mother Pig adjusts her dress on and her hair. She walks to the main door while Pig Flu stays still and watches through the curtains.

EXT. PIGS HOME - DAY

Mother Pig arrives outside. The crowd stays silent.

MOTHER PIG
What do you want from us?

DOG
We want Pig Flu.
CROWD
(shouting)
Yeah! We want Pig Flu!

MOTHER PIG
Why? What he made to you?

DOG
He may got people ill and die!

MOTHER PIG
Who said that?

DOG
Well... We don't really know who, but we know Pig Flu is making people die... And that's enough!

CROWD
Yeah! That's enough!

MOTHER PIG
My son didn't do anything wrong! Now, get out from my garden!

DOG
No! We will invade it now!

The crowd advances to the Pigs home...

A shotgun resounds...

BANG!

DOG
What's a hell!?

A MAN dressed in white appears and makes his way in the crowd, handing a rifle...

He joins Mother Pig and turns to the crowd...

MAN IN WHITE
(strong accent)
Stop, you idiots! Live these people alone! I will kill the first that crosses that line!
The crowd rumbles, discussing to each other...

**DOG**
(to the crowd)
Hey, you cowards. Come on, are we afraid of this idiot...

**MAN IN WHITE**
(to Mother Pig)
Call your son.

**MOTHER PIG**
But...

**MAN IN WHITE**
Call your son!

Mother Pig turns back through the door.

**MOTHER PIG**
Pig Flu! Come here!

Scared, Pig Flu joins her mother and the Man in White. The three faces the crowd.

**MAN IN WHITE**
(to the crowd)
Look at him! LOOK AT HIM! Do your narrow minds really think he could do you any harm?

Pig Flu rises his sad little blue eyes to the crowd. The animals anger appears to recede.

**MAN IN WHITE**
Don't you ever think you could be manipulated by the media machine? Huh?

The animals turn to each other.

**MAN IN WHITE**
Millions people are ill, dying, throughout the world. All this because everyone of you's incompetence or ignorance. And no one tells you about it. The whole world closes his eyes.
MAN IN WHITE (cont'd)
My message to you all is simple:
go back home and enjoy the ones
you love. Take care of them for
they may disappear anytime. This
piglet is innocent. You all
guilty!

One by one, the animals get out from the Pigs home as the
dog still tries to convince them...

The Man in white turns to Mother Pig.

MAN IN WHITE
(strong accent)
Don't worry mom. They won't come
back anymore. I'll protect you...

MOTHER PIG
Oh, thanks... Please, come in...

MOTHER PIG
I don't know your name...
Mister?...

The two get into the house.

MAN IN WHITE
(strong accent)
Oh, pardon, mom, let me introduce
myself... Michel Le Cook, at your
service!

As the man in white enters the house, the blade of a large
knife shines from under his apron.

Mother Pig closes the door.

Above the door, a wood panel reads:

" NEVER TRUST IN ALL TYPE OF GOODNESS"

FADE OUT: