

The Blood Countess Sides: Ilona Darcy and Dot

Ilona

Well you're going to have to figure out the Romanian pronunciations and use it on the Romanian people, Dot. It's easy when you've been here as long as I have...

Darcy follows Ilona in.

Darcy

A week longer than us.

Dot follows Darcy

Dot

So, two weeks.

Ilona

I need to greet the Minister and go over a few things.

Darcy

I'll bet you want him to go over a few things all over you.

Ilona

Gross. He's probably old enough to be my Dad.

Dot

He is very charming.

Ilona

How do you know?

Dot

The Ministry has a website. Remember? I did all the research? He's very handsome and charming in a "Good Evening" sort of way. His family is as old as the hills.

Ilona

No! No talking about you-know-who—

Darcy

He Who Must Not Be Named? Who's that, Ilona?

Ilona

You know the rule! We don't talk about Count—

Dot

– Him –

In the Castle of Elizabeth Bathory. Ilona

What if they knew each other? Darcy

Who? Dot

No. Not you and the Minister, like, really. Gross. No; what if Countess Bathory and Count Dracula— Darcy

Don't mention that name! He didn't give anything to the story that Elizabeth Bathory didn't give first! Ilona

Except the name. Dot

Dracula. Darcy

God Damn it, Darcy! Ilona

I'm just saying what if they met and – Darcy

– exchanged fluids and – Dot

– had a kid. Darcy

I'm very flattered but I'm no daughter of Dracula! Ilona

We don't talk about Count Dracula in this castle! Darcy and Dot

God Damn it! Ilona

Darcy

Don't flatter yourself. I'm talking about the Minister. He's probably as old as these mountains. He's probably related the Count and the Countess and he's probably going to "want to suck your blood."

Dot

She'd love it!

Ilona

I would love nothing more than the Minister of Culture to say a few words, get his ministry to give us a bunch more money and beat it so we can have the rave and let the students give us all their excess energy. It makes me hungry just thinking about it.

Dot

There she goes with the Psych Vamp thing...

Ilona

It would be so much better if he entered the Great Hall and saw The Blood Queen but – you guys! What are you doing? Get back in there and greet the guests!