WATCHTOWER 3.01 | "Lazarus"

Exclusive Preview
Scene #30: "Stalling"

INT. TEMPLE, TRAINING ROOM - AFTERLIFE

Bruce pulls himself up off the floor. RISES to Talia. She closes in on him.

BRUCE Is that how this place works? A simple thought, and you're there?

Her hands find his face. Examines him.

TALIA Thinking of little old me, were we? Can't say I'm flattered. You look like hell. Then again, I wouldn't trust daddy to send me something better to...

Talia presses her lips to his ear.

TALIA (CONT'D) (whispers) ... "play" with.

BRUCE This toy is taken, sweetheart.

TALIA That doesn't bother me.

She snatches a quick peck, before darting back. Laughs. Disgusted, Bruce wipes his lips-

BRUCE Belive it or not, your father didn't send me here to show you a good time.

TALIA

Are you sure?

Talia moves back in, but he blocks her.

BRUCE

Stop it.

TALIA Of course. But you have to know by now that father can't be trusted. (beat) You really think he sent you all this way *just* to bring me back? CLOSE IN on Bruce as he tries to put the pieces together-

BRUCE He's stalling...

A smile grows on Talia's lips...

BLACKOUT.