

# Magician

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INT. 'A' TRAIN - (MOVING) - SAME TIME (N1)  
(RYAN, JIMMY, TRANSIT COP, SUBWAY MAGICIAN, BACKGROUND)

CLOSE ON JIMMY AND RYAN, STANDING.

RYAN

You'll get to your date, don't worry.

JIMMY

(ANNOYED GRUNT)

RYAN

Cheer up, how does that old expression go? Better late than never.

JIMMY

Yeah, better late than never, not better late and handcuffed to two dudes.

WIDEN TO REVEAL THE TRANSIT COP IS STILL HANDCUFFED TO THEM.

TRANSIT COP

I said I was sorry.

RYAN

(TO COP) There's no pleasing some people.

JIMMY

(ANNOYED GRUNT)

RYAN LOOKS DOWN TO SEE A MAN IN TAILS AND A TOP HAT.

RYAN

Excuse me, sir, are you a magician?

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MAGICIAN

Yes, I am.

RYAN

Do you know how to get these magic handcuffs off?

MAGICIAN

You just pull them and they release.

RYAN

I already tried that.

THE MAGICIAN TAKES A CLOSER LOOK.

SUBWAY MAGICIAN

What are those, Prestos? They were recalled. The only thing that'll go through those is an industrial fire ax.

JIMMY LETS OUT ANOTHER ANNOYED GRUNT, AS WE...

**STOP**  
CUT TO:

True Jackson VP