

Time Lapse - Donkey and Shrek are now walking through the field heading away from DuLoc. Shrek is munching on an onion.

DONKEY

Let me get this straight. You're gonna go fight a dragon and rescue a princess just so Farquaad will give you back a swamp which you only don't have because he filled it full of freaks in the first place. Is that about right?

SHREK

You know, maybe there's a good reason donkeys shouldn't talk.

DONKEY

I don't get it. Why don't you just pull some of that ogre stuff on him? Throttle him, lay siege to his fortress, grinds his bones to make your bread, the whole ogre trip.

SHREK

Oh, I know what. Maybe I could have decapitated an entire village and put their heads on a pike, gotten a knife, cut open their spleen and drink their fluids. Does that sound good to you?

DONKEY

Uh, no, not really, no.

SHREK

For your information, there's a lot more to ogres than people think.

DONKEY

Example?

SHREK

Example? Okay, um, ogres are like onions. (he holds out his onion)

DONKEY

(sniffs the onion) They stink?

SHREK

Yes - - No!

DONKEY

They make you cry?

SHREK

No!

DONKEY

You leave them in the sun, they get all brown, start sproutin' little white hairs.

SHREK

No! Layers! Onions have layers. Ogres have layers! Onions have layers. You get it? We both have layers. (he heaves a sigh and then walks off)

DONKEY

(trailing after Shrek) Oh, you both have layers. Oh. {Sniffs} You know, not everybody likes onions. Cake! Everybody loves cakes! Cakes have layers.

SHREK

I don't care... what everyone likes. Ogres are not like cakes.

DONKEY

You know what else everybody likes? Parfaits. Have you ever met a person, you say, "Let's get some parfait," they say, "Hell no, I don't like no parfait"? Parfaits are delicious.

SHREK

No! You dense, irritating, miniature beast of burden! Ogres are like onions! And of story. Bye-bye. See ya later.

DONKEY

Parfaits may be the most delicious thing
on the whole damn planet.

SHREK

You know, I think I preferred your humming.

DONKEY

Do you have a tissue or something? I'm
making a mess. Just the word parfait
make me start slobbering.

They head off. There is a montage of their journey. Walking through
a field at sunset. Sleeping beneath a bright moon. Shrek trying
to put the campfire out the next day and having a bit of a problem,
so Donkey pees on the fire to put it out.