

TAMAR is a young Jewish bridesmaid who is always prepared and ready while others are not. She is also a very responsible type. Must speak with a Hebrew accent.

RACHEL

Tamar, some of the girls' lamps are going out,
do you think they have enough oil? What if he does come tonight.

TAMAR

**I warned them about that, they said they would
get more oil but I guess they have not.**

BRIDESMAIDS

You have oil, you must share yours.

TAMAR

**No, then we may not have enough.
I told you to be prepared.
You must go and buy some for yourself.**

Tamar grabs Rachels veil and helps her put it on.

TAMAR

**Here let me help you. I cannot believe it, your mother
was finally right! Girls get your lamps ready.**

RACHEL

Oh no, the other girls, they are not here! They are going to miss the wedding!

TAMAR

**Rachel, we tried to warn them, but they refused to listen.
Quickly now let us go and meet your groom. Come girls we must go!**