

Demon Slayer S.3 E.10

Title: Love Hashira Mitsuri Kanroji

Character List:

Tanjirou Kamado, Nezuko Kamado, Genya Shinazugawa, Mitsuri Kanroji / young Kanroji (Y.Kanroji), Obanai Iguro, Kanroji's father (Father), Kanroji's mother (Mother), Hantengu, Zouhakuten, chef, sumo wrestlers (Sumo Man / Men), woman, boy, Kanroji's fiancé (Fiance)

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[Scene: In the forest surrounding the Swordsmith Village. Kanroji appears in the sky.]

Zouhakuten Hm?

[Action: Kanroji cuts through the wooden dragon Tanjirou is trapped in and frees Tanjirou.]

Zouhakuten You damn slip of a girl...

[Action: Kanroji charges toward the wooden dragons.]

Kanroji Hup!

[Action: Kanroji's sword ensnares the wooden dragon. Kanroji whips her sword over her head.]

Kanroji Hah!

[Action: The wooden dragon is knocked into the other two dragons. Kanroji charges toward Zouhakuten.]

Kanroji Ngh...

[Scene: In the forest surrounding the Swordsmith Village. Kanroji stands before Zouhakuten.]

Kanroji Hey, you!

You've gone too far! I'm taking Nezuko and Genya back from you, all right?

Zouhakuten Shut up, you shameless tramp! There's only one person in this world who can order me around.

Kanroji Ah!

(Thoughts) "Shameless tramp"?!

(Thoughts) Tramp... Me? You're talking about me?!

(Thoughts) Unbelievable! What a foul mouth that boy has! And he's around the same age and size as my little brother!

(Thoughts) Oh, wait, but demons don't look their actual age, do they?

(Thoughts) Still, what a horrible thing to say!

[Action: Zouhakuten strikes a drum and unleashes an attack.]

Zouhakuten Crazy Cry of Thunder Death!

Tanjirou Ms. Kanroji!

Kanroji Love Breathing, Third Form!

Catlove Shower!

[Action: Kanroji dispels Zouhakuten's attack.]

Kanroji I'm angry, all right? I'm not holding back just because you look like a child!

Tanjirou Wow!

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) This young girl slashed through the attack itself.

Kanroji Ngh...

Tanjirou (Thoughts) I've never seen a sword shaped like that!

(Thoughts) It's too fast to follow with the eye! Is that because of how supple it is? It's flexible beyond belief!

(Thoughts) The swordsmith who forged it is amazing, but Ms. Kanroji is even more amazing for being able to wield it!

[Action: Zouhakuten strikes a drum and launches a series of attacks at Kanroji. She dodges them.]

Kanroji Love Breathing, Second Form... Love Pangs!

[Action: Kanroji cuts through a wooden dragon's body. Another dragon attacks.]

Kanroji Sixth Form... Cat-Legged Winds of Love!

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) She can still keep up even at this speed?

Kanroji Ngh...

Zouhakuten Then I'll bury her with a technique!

(Thoughts) Blood Demon Art... Countless Striking Trees!

[Action: A bunch of dragon heads charge toward Kanroji.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) Kyaa! What a wide-ranging technique!

[Action: Tanjirou sees a balled-up trees where Hantengu is being sheltered.]

Tanjirou Ah!

(Thoughts) Oh, crap! The main body's running off!

[Action: Tanjirou charges toward Hantengu but is hit by a wooden dragon.]

Tanjirou Gah!

Kanroji (Thoughts) Can I take on this many of them?

Love Breathing, Fifth Form! Swaying Love... Wildclaw!

[Action: Kanroji cuts through the bodies of numerous wooden dragons.]

Kanroji Ngh...

[Action: Kanroji whips her sword around Zouhakuten's neck.]

Kanroji Got him!

Tanjirou (Thoughts) So fast! But it's no good!

Ms. Kanroji --

[Action: Zouhakuten prepares to screech.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) Is he about to do something?

(Thoughts) But I'm good! As long as I slice off his head...

Tanjirou Ms. Kanroji! That's not the main body! It won't die if you cut off its head!

Kanroji (Thoughts) What? No way! For real?!

(Thoughts) I made the wrong call --

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) Compressed Sound Waves!

[Action: Zouhakuten screeches at Kanroji.]

Kanroji Ah... Ahh...

Tanjirou Ms. Kanroji!

Nezuko Ngh! Ngh!

[Action: Nezuko rips her arm away from the wooden dragon.]

Genya Urahh!

[Action: Kanroji falls to her knees.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) Unbelievable!

(Thoughts) This girl... Even after getting hit by that attack, she's kept her body structure intact!

(Thoughts) Did she tense up all her muscles just before she got hit?

(Thoughts) Nevertheless, she still shouldn't have been able to withstand it!

[Action: Zouhakuten begins walking toward Kanroji.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) It's baffling! No, wait. I see. This girl's muscular strength is a mismatch for her build. An abnormal constitution!

(Thoughts) This is great. Consuming high-quality flesh leads directly to power. But first, let me pulverize her skull and brain tissue!

[Action: Tanjirou races toward Kanroji. Zouhakuten prepares to punch her.]

[Scene: In Kanroji's past. Kanroji's first fiance calls to her on a bridge.]

Fiance Ms. Kanroji?

Ms. Kanroji?

Ms. Kanroji?

Kanroji Ah...

Fiance No one could ever marry you but a bear, a boar, or a cow.

The thought of that bizarre hair color being passed down to my children makes me shudder.

Let's forget this marriage interview ever happened. Please forget about me. Farewell.

Kanroji (Narration) At 17, my prospective marriage was called off.

[Scene: Even further back in the past. Kanroji's father swings around a very small Kanroji.]

Father Hahaha!

Y.Kanroji Ahh~! Fufu... Ahh~! Fufufu... Fufufu!!

[Action: Kanroji's father flexes his arm.]

Father Isn't your daddy amazing?

Y.Kanroji Ahh~...

Hmph! Huh?

[Action: Kanroji tries to flex her arm.]

Y.Kanroji Mmm... Ah...

Mother Fufu... What are you doing? She's just a child!

Y.Kanroji Mother!

Kanroji (Narration) I couldn't flex the muscles on my thin arms, but there's a story that my mother has told me over and over about my childhood.

[Scene: During the evening, at Kanroji's house. Kanroji's mother, who is pregnant, carries a wooden bucket.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) It was when I was 14 months old, right when my mother was pregnant with my little brother.

Mother Phew... Hmm?

Mitsuri?

Where are you, Mitsuri?

Y.Kanroji Ngh...

Mother Mitsuri --

[Action: Kanroji appears, carrying a large rock over her head.]

Y.Kanroji Rahh!

Mother Eek!

Kanroji (Narration) Small child that I was, I wanted to help her in the kitchen and lifted up a 33-pound pickling stone.

(Narration) Though my mother was renowned for being unflappable, that day, she was blown away for the first time in her life.

Y.Kanroji Goo...

Mother Thanks for always being a good helper!

[Scene: At a soba shop. A slightly older Kanroji eats a bowl of soba.]

Kanroji (Narration) And ever since I was a child, I've had a big appetite.

(Narration) I loved to eat.

Y.Kanroji Phew!

Chef Now that's a healthy appetite! Come on, how can you sumo wrestlers lose to her?

Sumo Men I mean, we hear you, but man...

Y-Yeah...

[Action: Kanroji's mother puts down a plate of sakura mochi.]

Mother There you go! Sakura rice cakes for dessert!

Y.Kanroji Ahh... Thanks! Don't mind if I do!

Sumo Men Ahh...

[Action: Kanroji sits down to arm wrestle.]

Sumo Man Are you really sure about this?

Father It's totally fine! No need to hold back at all!

Chef Hey, you heard him! Go for it!

Sumo Man Ahh...

[Action: The sumo wrestler prepares to arm wrestle with Kanroji.]

Chef Are you ready? Game on!

[Action: Kanroji instantly slams the sumo wrestler's hand to the table.]

Y.Kanroji Hup!

Sumo Man Woah!

[Action: Kanroji's family leaves the restaurant, leaving the arm wrestler on the ground in shame.]

Y.Kanroji Fufufufu...

Father Your arms may be thin, Mitsuri, but the density of your muscles must be extraordinary!

Y.Kanroji Heh!

[Scene: The night Kanroji's marriage was called off. Kanroji sits in bed as the rest of her family prepares to sleep.]

Kanroji (Narration) But... as I grew older, little by little, I began to realize I wasn't like the other girls around me.

Mother, do you think I can ever become someone's bride?

Mother Why would you ask me that?

Kanroji Well... because I'm so strong, and I eat a lot, and even my hair color is weird...

Father You can just stay at home forever, Mitsuri.

Kanroji But... women are supposed to get married and be someone's wife, right?

Father You can just stay at home forever.

Kanroji Mm...

[Scene: The morning after the marriage is called off. Kanroji dyes her hair black.]

Kanroji (Narration) The day my prospective marriage was called off, I decided I had to hide it all.

(Narration) I dyed my hair black. I stifled my urge to eat. And I pretended to be weak. Everyone in my family was worried about me.

(Narration) And then one day, I met a man who said he wanted to marry me.

[Scene: Another day. Kanroji walks behind her second prospective fiance.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) Can I do this? Can I let this happen?

(Thoughts) Am I going to live like this for the rest of my life?

(Thoughts) Eating voraciously, being strong, my hair color... All of that is who I am! Am I going to pretend to be someone I'm not?

(Thoughts) Isn't there something I can do? Some way that I can help others while being me?

(Thoughts) Does this mean that there's no place in this world for me as I am?

(Thoughts) Isn't there anyone who will love me?

(Thoughts) This isn't right. It can't be right!

[Scene: In the present. Tanjirou, Nezuko, and Genya tackle Kanroji away from Zouhakuten.]

Tanjirou Urahhh!

Group Ngh...

Tanjirou Ngh!

Get up, get up, get up! The next attack is coming!

Genya I know that, all right?!

Kanroji (Thoughts) Huh? Did I black out?

Tanjirou We have to protect Ms. Kanroji! She has the most potential, so she's our ray of hope!

As long as she survives, we can win for sure! Let's win together!

[Action: Tanjirou, Nezuko, and Genya carry Kanroji.]

Nezuko Mm...

Tanjirou Nobody's gonna die! None of us!

Zouhakuten How comical.

[Action: Zouhakuten releases a lightning attack.]

Genya You're kidding me...

[Action: Zouhakuten's lightning strikes.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) Did I get them?

Kanroji You guys, thank you!

Zouhakuten Hm?

[Action: Kanroji waves her sword around in the air.]

Kanroji I'm a Hashira, and I messed up! Sorry!

I'll never let my friends die, okay?

Genya Ngh...

Kanroji Because the Demon Slayer Corps is my precious home! Upper Rank or whatever you

are, it makes no difference to me!

Tanjirou (Thoughts) She slashed through it all! She's so cool!

Kanroji There's no way... I will ever lose to evil people!

Now brace yourself! I'm going for the kill now!

[Scene: In the past, at the Demon Slayer headquarters. Kanroji sits before Ubuyashiki.]

Ubuyashiki Splendid. You're someone the gods have a special love for, Mitsuri.

Take pride in your own strength.

All those who speak ill of you fear your talent and wish they could be you. That's all.

[Action: Kanroji cries.]

Kanroji Mm... Wahhh! Thank you very much! Wahhh!

(Thoughts) Father... Mother... Thank you for making me strong from birth!

(Thoughts) Everyone in the Demon Slayer Corps has accepted me!

[Scene: Sometime later. Kanroji sits with two Kakushi members.]

Kakushi Congratulations on being promoted to Hashira!

Yes, congrats!

Kanroji Kyaa~! Thanks! I'm going to give it my all!

Do you want some sakura rice cakes? Sorry, I only have a few!

Kakushi Hahaha...

[Scene: Sometime later, at night. Kanroji beholds a demon.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) The people I protected from demons thanked me with tears streaming down their faces.

Slayers Only a Hashira could... Just one strike!

Kanroji I've gotten rid of the evil demon, so you're safe now! Don't worry! Hehe!

Woman Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

Boy Thank you!

[Scene: A new day, at a restaurant. Kanroji and Iguro sit down for a meal.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) Mr. Iguro gave me some long, striped socks!

[Action: Iguro holds out a pair of socks as he turns away.]

Iguro Here.

Kanroji Huh? What? What's this? What's this? Mr. Iguro, what's this?

Iguro Take them.

Kanroji Huh? For me?

[Action: Iguro nods his head.]

Kanroji What~?! I'm so happy! I'll treasure them, I promise!

Iguro No need to treasure them.

Kanroji Wha... No way... That would be such a waste.

Iguro It's fine.

If they get ripped, I'll give you a new pair.

Kanroji Ah... Okay!

[Scene: In the present. Kanroji prepares to fight.]

Kanroji (Thoughts) I've wondered to myself whether a girl should be this strong. Would people say yet again that I couldn't be human? I was afraid, so I've been holding back my power...

Tanjirou Ah...

Kanroji (Thoughts) ... but not anymore.

Tanjirou (Flashback) She's our ray of hope!

Kanroji Ngh...

Zouhakuten Ah... Ngh!

[Action: Zouhakuten strikes a drum. Wooden dragon heads appear and move toward the group.]

Kanroji Just leave it to me! I'm going to protect you all, okay?

Ngh!

[Action: Kanroji charges forward and cuts through the dragons. Zouhakuten strikes his drums and summons more dragons.]

Kanroji I'll take care of this one!

Tanjirou Ah...

Kanroji Ngh!

So you guys go on ahead and defeat the main body!

Tanjirou Nezuko! Genya!

Genya Yeah!

[Action: Kanroji continues to hold off the wooden dragons.]

Kanroji Ngh!

(Thoughts) I have to increase my heartrate!

(Thoughts) I need to speed up my circulation... to get faster... and stronger! More!

[Action: Zouhakuten sees Tanjirou, Nezuko, and Genya running through the trees.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) You little brats...

[Action: Zouhakuten strikes his drum, sending a dragon toward Tanjirou's group.]

Kanroji Hah!

[Action: Kanroji slices through the dragon.]

Kanroji Didn't I say I was going to protect them? I'm not letting you go that way!

Genya Tanjirou! Where's the thing containing the main body? Can you spot it?!

Tanjirou I can!

Ngh...

[Action: Tanjirou closes his eyes and smells the air. He traces the trail to Hantengu.]

Hantengu Urgh...

Tanjirou Found it!

This way!

(Thoughts) While Ms. Kanroji is dealing with that child demon, we have to slash the demon's main body as soon as we can!

Kanroji Hah!

[Action: Kanroji cuts through more wooden dragons.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) This young girl... She's moving even faster than before!

Kanroji Ngh!

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) What did you do? What are you doing? What on earth --

Kanroji Ngh...

[Action: Zouhakuten sees the Demon Slayer mark on Kanroji's neck.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) A mark? Did she have that from the start?

(Thoughts) That... looks a lot like a demon's crest!

Kanroji Ngh!

[Action: Kanroji launches forward. Zouhakuten strikes his drum, but Kanroji dodges the attacks.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) This is beyond annoying!

(Thoughts) Thanks to this slip of a girl, I can't unleash my lizards on those brats!

Kanroji Hah!

[Action: Kanroji cuts through another dragon.]

Zouhakuten (Thoughts) Despicable! Nevertheless, it won't last forever. She's sure to lose stamina! All humans do!

Kanroji When I say I won't let you go, I mean I won't let you go!

[Action: Tanjirou, Nezuko, and Genya continue on Hantengu's trail.]

Tanjirou Ah! That's it! It's inside that tree!

Hantengu Urgh...

Tanjirou (Thoughts) There's no doubt in my mind! The demon's inside that tree!

Let's catch up to it!

Nezuko Mm!

Genya Urahhh!

Tanjirou Almost there!

Genya Stop, you bastard!

[Action: Genya swings at the tree but can't cut through it. The tree swings around. Tanjirou, Nezuko, and Genya grab onto it.]

Tanjirou Erk! Urahhh!

Nezuko Ngh!

Tanjirou Don't let it shake you off! Hang on tight! Hang on tight!

Nezuko Ngh...

Tanjirou Before this tree thing... Before that snake-lizard thing comes this way!

While Ms. Kanroji is stopping it from attacking!

Nezuko Ngh!

Genya (Thoughts) I can't even swing my sword like this! So... all I can do is this!

[Action: Genya bites into the tree.]

Tanjirou (Thoughts) Woah, he's biting it! His teeth are crazy strong!

But won't that give you an upset stomach?! Genya, are you gonna be okay?!

Genya

Grrr!

(Thoughts) By devouring demons, it's only temporary, but I can gain demonic traits!

Ngh...

(Thoughts) If I consume a strong demon, it boosts my regenerative abilities and increases my muscular strength!

Urahhh!

[Action: Genya rips through the trunk of the tree, sending the top part flying to the ground.]

Tanjirou

(Thoughts) It's down!

(Thoughts) Now!

[Action: Tanjirou launches toward the tree, but branches appear and whip around.]

Tanjirou

Ngh!

(Thoughts) The branches are like whips!

(Thoughts) Stand your ground! Keep moving!

Ngh...

Nezuko

Ngh!

[Action: Nezuko throws her blood onto the tree. It bursts into flames.]

Tanjirou

(Thoughts) Nezuko's Blood Demon Art!

Nezuko

Mm...

Tanjirou

(Thoughts) It's sluggish now thanks to the flames! It's going to work! I can do this!

[Action: Flames appear from Tanjirou's sword.]

Tanjirou

Hinokami Kagura... Flame Dance!

[Action: Tanjirou slices through the tree.]

Tanjirou

(Thoughts) I still haven't landed a blow on the demon!

[Action: Nezuko and Genya grab parts of the tree.]

Nezuko Ngh!

Genya Ngh!

Tanjirou (Thoughts) This isn't going to end until I cut off the main body's head!

Genya Do it! Tanjirou!

[Action: Tanjirou prepares to swing but finds that Hantengu is nowhere in the tree.]

Tanjirou (Thoughts) It's gone!

(Thoughts) It ran off again! Where'd it go? Where'd it go?!

(Thoughts) It can't have gotten that far!

[Action: Tanjirou sees Hantengu slinking off in the grass.]

Hantengu Eek!

Tanjirou Ngh... You bastard! Don't run away!

Hantengu Eek...

Tanjirou Don't run away from your responsibilities!

For every sin you've ever committed, every evil deed, I'm going to make you pay for everything you've ever done!

You're not getting away, no matter what!

Hantengu Gah...

[Action: Hantengu trips and falls.]

Hantengu Ngh...

Samurai (Flashback) For what you've done, you're going to take responsibility! Not anyone else!

(Flashback) You two-faced, shameless liar!

Hantengu (Thoughts) I've never once uttered a lie since the day I was born... I'm a virtuous weakling!

(Thoughts) As pitiful as I am, nobody shows me any sympathy!

[Action: Hantengu begins to cry.]

Hantengu I... I... I've never lied... Wahhh!

[Action: Hantengu runs off.]

Tanjirou Come on, Nezuko! Genya!

Nezuko Ngh!

Genya Ngh...

[Action: Genya grabs a tree trunk.]

Genya Grrr... You piece of crap!!

[Action: Genya unroots the entire tree.]

Genya Enough is enough, you stupid moron!!

[Action: Genya throws the tree at Hantengu.]

Hantengu Ahh!

[Action: Hantengu dodges Genya's attack.]

Hantengu Gahhh... Eek!

[Action: Nezuko jumps into the air and prepares to smash Hantengu with a kick.]

Nezuko Ngh!!