## Hazel Kalani

For years and years, I've thought about acting and music every single day. It has been something that has driven me forward and given me the strength and motivation to work hard. I feel that I've always been pulled to the stage, and the thought of being on set, from the very first time I stepped on stage, and the first time I found out what goes on behind the scenes.

I've been singing for as long as I can remember as proven by the many videos of me singing "Let it go" or "Frosty the Snowman," and I've been memorizing, quoting, and acting alongside my favorite movies and tv shows since, I'd say around fourth grade, when I first started learning how to study and memorize.

Being a working actor has always been a dream of mine, and I'm not usually one to give up on my dreams. I mean, why should I give up something that brings me so much joy, lets me explore and understand what my characters are going through and what their life is like, might help bring awareness to topics that need to be brought up more, that might help me tell someone's story who didn't get to tell it themself, makes me feel like I'm doing what I'm meant to be doing, and makes just as much like me as I do any other time of the day, week, or year.