

FROSTBITE

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FADE IN:

EXT. BLACK CREEK - WOODS - NIGHT

A blizzard howls. Snow sweeps through trees like claws.

THOMAS RIVERS (40s) pushes through the storm, clutching a walkie-talkie.

THOMAS
(into radio)
Megan... almost home. Just... stay inside, okay?

Static.
His breath frosts instantly.
A familiar shape emerges ahead —

A SNOWMAN.

Eight feet tall.
Perfectly symmetrical.
Coal eyes staring straight at him.

THOMAS
...Hello?

The snowman's head **tilts**.

A CRACK echoes.
A long branch arm unfolds, **reaching**.

Thomas stumbles back—

A BLAST OF FROZEN AIR hits him full force.

His scream freezes mid-breath. Frost
races up his skin.

His eyes glaze over.

Standing behind him now — grown from the snowman's form — is the **FROST
WARDEN**, towering, ancient, alive.

It watches Thomas fall.

Learning.

Breathing.

EXT. BLACK CREEK - ARCHIVE BUILDING - SAME NIGHT

Lights flicker inside the small municipal archive.

INT. ARCHIVE BUILDING - NIGHT

MEGAN RIVERS (17) studies old winter folklore in a dim reading room.

She rubs her hands for warmth — her phone buzzes.

TEXT:

Dad: "Storm bad. Be home soon."

Megan smiles faintly.

Then—

A SHADOW passes across the frosted window.

She stiffens.

MEGAN

...Dad?

A TALL FIGURE stands in the storm.

Barely visible. Motionless.

The lights die.

Temperature PLUMMETS instantly.

Her breath becomes fog.

The figure steps closer.

Megan backs away—

The window EXPLODES inward, showering frozen shards.

The **Frost Warden** towers on the other side, its blue eyes burning.

MEGAN

(screams) NO!

She bolts out the back door—

EXT. ARCHIVE ALLEY - CONTINUOUS

Snow blinds her. Storm
roaring.

Behind her, heavy footsteps CRUNCH through the alley.

She hides behind a dumpster—

The Warden's silhouette looms past, searching.

It ROTATES its head unnaturally, listening.

MEGAN clamps a hand over her mouth.

After a long, terrible moment— It
moves on.

Megan collapses to her knees, sobbing.

EXT. TOWN CENTER ROAD — MINUTES LATER Megan
stumbles through drifts.

LEO (18) nearly bumps into her.

LEO
Jesus! Meg!?

She grabs him desperately.

MEGAN
(stammering)
Something... took my dad.

Leo freezes.

INT. LEO'S HOUSE - NIGHT

Warm fire. Friends gathered:

- **ELLA** (17)
- **LILY** (8)
- **LEO**
- **MEGAN**

Suddenly- **BOOM**

BOOM BOOM.

They jump.

LEO

Who is it?!

BRODY (O.S.) Open
up!

SHERIFF BRODY storms in - frostbitten, shaken.

BRODY

Thomas Rivers is missing.

Megan breaks.

The lights **FLICKER**.

The temperature drops-

On the window, frost forms in the shape of a **handprint**.

A deep, inhuman **VOICE** curls through the keyhole:

WARDEN (V.O.)

Meeeeegan...

Lily **SCREAMS**.

Brody raises his gun.

BRODY

Everyone move. We're leaving. **NOW**.

EXT. BLACK CREEK - STREETS - NIGHT

The group hurries through the storm.

Megan looks back—

A lone SNOWMAN stands in the center of the road. Its head slowly turning to follow her.

MEGAN

(whisper)

It's watching us...

Brody ushers them forward.

EXT. ARCHIVE BUILDING - NIGHT

Brody unlocks the door.

BRODY

We bunker inside and—

A SHADOW rises behind Megan.

She turns—

The FROST WARDEN CHARGES, ice swirling violently around it.

MEGAN RUN!

They dive inside.

Brody slams the door.

The Warden SLAMS into it a second later, shaking the whole building.

Glass CRACKS.

The door hinges GROAN.

The monster presses its massive hand against the glass—

FROST SPREADS FAST.

MEGAN

It followed me...

BRODY

(terrified whisper)

Why the hell is it after YOU?

Megan's voice is small. Broken.

MEGAN

Because it took my dad.

The Warden's glowing eyes burn through the cracking glass.

CUT TO BLACK.

Perfect – we move into **ACT II**, the *full blockbuster* escalation of **FROSTBITE**.

This is where everything goes big:

- The Warden evolves
- The body count rises
- Megan's infection begins
- The military shows up
- The town collapses
- Secrets about Megan's father surface
- The Warden's obsession with her becomes undeniable

Here is **ACT II – Part 1 (Pages ~25-45)**. *Professionally formatted and cinematic.*



FROSTBITE – ACT II

(Blockbuster Version)

ACT II

INT. ARCHIVE BUILDING - NIGHT

The Frost Warden's massive silhouette looms through fractured glass. The frost spreads in branching veins.

BRODY

Board the windows! Move it!

Leo and Ella drag filing cabinets, slamming them against the weak spots. Lily hides under a desk, sobbing.

Megan backs away from the door as **the Warden's claws push through the widening cracks—**

Its voice vibrates through the entire building:

WARDEN *ssoo...*
warm...

The room temperature drops another 20° in seconds.

Megan's breath crystallizes midair.

MEGAN

(whisper) Why
me?

A beat.

The Warden's glowing eyes widen— As
if it heard her.

WARDEN *ssoo...*
mine...

The glass **SHATTERS INWARD.**

The Warden surges through—

BRODY

FLARES—NOW!

Brody fires a flare directly into the Warden's chest.

A BLINDING BURST OF LIGHT and HEAT.

The Warden SHRIEKS—an animalistic howl—its form melting, folding, recoiling.

Its entire body collapses into a swirling mound of snow that pours back out the window and disappears into the blizzard.

Silence.

Everyone gasps for breath.

Leo looks at Brody, stunned.

LEO

That thing's afraid of heat?

Brody's hands shake as he reloads.

BRODY

Not afraid.

(beat)

But it can be **hurt**.

Megan's voice is small.

MEGAN

We need to find my dad's research.

Brody and Leo exchange looks—they know she's right.

INT. ARCHIVE BASEMENT - NIGHT

The basement is dark, cold, filled with decades of forgotten history.

Megan flips through ancient documents by flashlight. Ella helps, quietly crying.

ELLA

My parents... my whole street... they're just gone.

Megan freezes.

On the table lies an old newspaper from **1902**:

"THE FROST WARDEN RETURNS – ONLY ONE SURVIVOR."

A photo of a terrified young girl, wrapped in blankets.

MEGAN

(reading)

"He hunted one. The warmest heart in town."

(beat)

"He always chooses one."

Leo steps back.

LEO

Meg... that's you.

Megan's hands shake violently.

MEGAN

Why? Why me?

Before Leo can answer— A

THUD upstairs.

Then a SCREAM.

Lily.

BRODY (O.S.)

UPSTAIRS! NOW!

Everyone runs.

INT. ARCHIVE MAIN FLOOR – NIGHT

Lily stands frozen in the middle of the room, staring at the open doorway.

A small **snowball** rolls across the floor toward her.

It stops at her feet.

Then— It

hatches.

A tiny, horrible, half-formed creature crawls out, made of ice and sticks.

A **Warden SENTRY** – a small scout form.

It looks up at Lily with curious, innocent malice.

WARDEN SENTRY

Waaaaaaarm...

Megan grabs Lily just as the sentry LEAPS, jaws snapping.

Brody **stomps** it mid-air. It explodes into frost dust.

But Megan sees something:

Lily's breath is freezing faster.

The air is colder around her.

The Warden was using her as a lure.

Megan realizes:

MEGAN

(terrified whisper)

It can track us... By
our *warmth*.

Leo helps Lily breathe into his coat.

LEO

We gotta move. This place won't hold.

BRODY

Then we head to the station. Reinforced steel. Generators. Weapons.

Megan looks out the shattered window.

The blizzard moves... unnaturally.

Like it's **circling** the building.

MEGAN

It's driving us out.

(beat)

It wants us to go there.

BRODY

We don't have a choice. Move!

EXT. BLACK CREEK STREETS - NIGHT

The storm howls.

They push through knee-deep snow.

Suddenly—

A CHILD'S LAUGHTER echoes in the whiteout.

A tiny silhouette runs between parked cars.

LILY

It's a boy!

ELLA

No—Lily, wait!

A small figure approaches them... slowly.

As it gets closer, they see:

It's a **child-sized snowman**, head lopsided, coal eyes melting down its cheeks, holding a **frozen teddy bear**.

It reaches its arms out—

WARDEN SENTRY

Maaa-maaa...

Brody doesn't hesitate.

He SHOTS.

The little snowman explodes—

—And from the blast radius, something MUCH LARGER rises in anger.

The Frost Warden erupts from the snowbank behind them—**now twice its original size**, spikes of ice running down its arms.

LEO RUN—RUN

NOW!

The team SPRINTS.

The Warden charges after them, its massive arms smashing into cars, sending metal flying.

Megan slips—

The Warden's claw SLAMS into the ground inches from her.

It lowers its head toward her—

And she hears a whisper through the storm:

WARDEN

You... belong... with me...

Brody throws a road flare between them.

The Warden recoils, SCREAMING.

They grab Megan and flee.

EXT. POLICE STATION - NIGHT

The group races toward the station.

The Warden's silhouette follows, just beyond the whiteout.

Ella fumbles for the keys—

ELLA

Come on, come on—!

The door unlocks.

They dive inside.

INT. POLICE STATION - CONTINUOUS

Hayes, the deputy, points a shotgun— Then lowers it in shock.

HAYES

Sweet mother—Brody, what the hell is out there?!

BRODY

Something that kills the cold.

(beat)

And it's coming for *her*.

Megan stares at her trembling hands.

Her fingertips are turning... pale.

Almost bluish-white.

Like frostbitten skin.

MEGAN

Leo... something's wrong with me.

Leo steps closer, horrified.

A faint line of **frost** spreads from Megan's wrist toward her elbow... as if something is **growing beneath her skin**.

LEO

(whispers)

Meg... what did it do to you?

She doesn't answer.

Because she can't.

Her breath fogs... even though the room is warm.

The Frost Warden's voice WHISPERS through the vents:

WARDEN (V.O.)

Meeeeegan...

Every radio COMBUSTS in blue flame.

Lights flicker violently.

The Warden is HERE.

Right outside.

Absolutely — we push deeper into the **blockbuster escalation** now. This is **ACT II — Part 2 (Pages ~45–65)**, where:

- The Warden **invades the police station**
- Megan's infection escalates
- A major character dies
- The Warden evolves into its **second form**
- The military arrives but is **hopelessly unprepared**
- The scale of the threat becomes undeniable This section is

BIG, SCARY, and CINEMATIC.



FROSTBITE — ACT II, PART 2

(Blockbuster Version)

INT. POLICE STATION — NIGHT

Everyone gathers in the center of the room.

The lights flicker rhythmically — like a heartbeat.

BRODY

Everyone stay away from windows. Hayes—get the generator running. We need heat.

HAYES nods and hurries down the hall.

Megan stands unnaturally still.

Her breath frosts the air in long, slow pulses.

Leo notices.

LEO

Meg... talk to me. You feeling anything?

Megan touches her neck.

Her skin is so cold it's almost bluish.

MEGAN

It's like... something's rooting inside me.

She winces — a shock of pain shoots up her forearm.

A faint cracking sound beneath her skin.

LEO

Meg—hey—look at me.

She tries.

She really does.

Then—

Megan suddenly grabs her temples, gasping.

MEGAN

(whispers)

He's... *calling* me.

Brody steps in, raising a pistol.

BRODY

Whatever it did to her, we can reverse it.

(beat)

But we need to keep her warm.

Megan flinches at the heater nearby — like heat *hurts*.

Leo sees.

LEO

She can't get too cold.

But she can't get too warm either.

A beat.

Ella whispers the truth:

ELLA

She's turning...

Megan closes her eyes — tears freezing on her cheeks.

MEGAN

I—I don't want to hurt anyone...

Leo takes her hand gently.

LEO

You won't. I won't let you.

Suddenly— **A BOOM**

from below.

Lights flicker violently.

Hayes SCREAMS from the generator room.

HAYES (O.S.)

BRODY!!! HELP—HELP ME—!!!

Brody runs.

INT. GENERATOR ROOM – CONTINUOUS

Brody bursts in—

Hayes stands frozen solid from the waist down.
His torso trembles, frost cracking across his skin.

Behind him, the **Frost Warden's arm** is emerging from a VENT SHAFT,
reforming from snow and steam.

Hayes's face contorts in terror.

HAYES

(crying)

It's inside the walls—

The Warden's claw BLADES through Hayes's chest.

A horrible CRACK.

Hayes shatters into ice fragments.

BRODY

NO—!!!

Brody fires repeatedly — bullets ricochet off the ice-arm.

The Warden retreats into the vents, snow trailing behind it.

Brody backs away, horrified.

**INT. POLICE STATION — MAIN ROOM — MOMENTS
LATER**

Brody stumbles in, shaken.

LEO
Where's Hayes?

Brody doesn't answer.

Just shakes his head.

Everyone goes silent.

Then—

Metal groaning.

Slow.
Deliberate.

The air pressure drops.

Megan grabs Leo's arm, panicked.

MEGAN
It's in the vents.
(voice shaking)
It wants me...

A VENT GRATE above them bulges outward—

Ella screams—

BRODY
MOVE! DOWN! NOW!

The vent EXPLODES.

The **Warden pours out** like a waterfall of ice, hitting the floor and rising into its **SECOND FORM**:

THE FROST WARDEN — EVOLUTION II

- Taller
- Longer arms
- Face stretched into a jagged grin
- Multiple layers of ice shifting like armor
- Voice deeper, resonating

Everyone freezes.

The Warden turns its head slowly toward Megan.

WARDEN You...
are... **mine**...

Megan backs away.

MEGAN
Get away from me—!

Brody FLIPS the kill switch on a flamethrower rig.

Brody FIRES—

A massive BLAST OF FLAME engulfs the Warden.

It ROARS in a horrifying blend of steam and rage — its entire left side melting.

The Warden lunges for Megan—

Leo TACKLES her aside just in time.

It slams into the wall instead — taking out the whole corner of the room with it.

The Warden collapses into a heap of melting snow—

—then SLITHERS away through the broken wall and into the blizzard.

Silence.

Everyone breathes hard.

Brody lowers the flamethrower.

BRODY

(catching breath)

It's growing back stronger every time.

Ella steadies Lily.

ELLA

Then what do we do? How do we stop it?

BRODY

We don't.

(beat)

But the military can.

A bright FLASH outside.

Everyone runs to the windows—

EXT. BLACK CREEK - NIGHT

A military convoy pushes through the storm.

Searchlights.

Drones.

Flamethrower units.

Cold-weather armor.

A dozen vehicles.

Dozens of soldiers.

Hope.

Leo exhales.

LEO

Okay. Okay... good. We're saved.

Megan doesn't look relieved.

She looks... terrified.

MEGAN

No...

(voice trembling) No,
no... it's too late...

Brody grabs her shoulders.

BRODY

Megan, what's wrong—

Megan's eyes fill with horror.

MEGAN

It's coming back.

Brody freezes.

BRODY

How do you know?

Megan's voice breaks.

MEGAN

Because I can *feel* it.

Everyone turns to the entrance of town— A

massive ripple distorts the blizzard.

Like something **HUGE** is moving through it... unseen.

Then—

A **HUMVEE** near the front of the convoy suddenly **IMPLODES** in a burst of frost.

Soldiers scream.

Another vehicle is lifted **into the air**, hurled through a store front.

Panicked soldiers **FIRE** everywhere— But

the Warden is too fast.

It appears in flashes:

A massive, spiked silhouette ripping through vehicles with **inhuman strength**.

Explosions.
Shrapnel. Chaos.

The Warden tears through armored men like paper.

LEO
Jesus Christ...

LILY
(crying)
I want to go home...

The frost across Megan's skin spreads further.

Her breath becomes a long plume of white.

Her eyes flicker- Blue.

Wardens-blue.

Leo sees it.

LEO
Megan...?

MEGAN
(terrified, cracking) It's
in me.
It's in me...

Brody grabs radios, keys, trying to think.

BRODY
We have to move. We have to get out of town-NOW.

The military lines COLLAPSE.

The Warden stands in the center of the street, glowing eyes locked on Megan from across the battlefield.

It lifts one long claw and points directly at her.

WARDEN

Come... home...

Megan steps backward in pure terror.

LEO

Meg—don't listen—

She collapses, shaking violently.

The frost-tendrils under her skin PULSE harder— Like something is answering its master.

Megan SCREAMS—

The Warden ROARS—

And the blizzard tightens around the station like a closing fist.

Brody shoves weapons into Leo's arms.

BRODY

MOVE! MOVE! MOVE!

They grab Megan, Lily, and Ella—

Dart out the back door—

Just as the Frost Warden CRASHES through the side of the police station in a storm of ice and screaming metal.

CUT TO BLACK.

Buckle up — this is where the movie turns into a **true blockbuster horror event**.

This is **ACT II — PART 3 (Pages ~65-85)**, the *midpoint escalation* where:

- Megan's infection progresses
- The Warden evolves into its **third form**
- The group tries to escape town
- The Warden blocks every exit
- The **Elementary School Massacre** becomes the biggest set piece so far
- Megan learns the truth about why *she* was chosen

- Her father's final message surfaces This is the beating heart of the film.
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FROSTBITE – ACT II, PART 3

(Blockbuster Version)

EXT. BACK STREETS – NIGHT

Snow drifts like ash.

The group sprints through the storm – Brody carrying Lily, Leo supporting Megan, Ella behind with a rifle.

The Warden's roars echo from the ruined police station behind them.

Megan stumbles, gripping her arm – frost veins crawl up her skin like black spiderwebs.

LEO

Meg – stay with me. Come on–

MEGAN

(terrified whisper)

It's getting inside my head..

Snow swirls around her in unnatural patterns, curling toward her like it's *listening*.

Leo notices.

LEO

(to Brody)

We need to keep her warm – now.

BRODY

Closest shelter's the school.

Megan freezes.

MEGAN

No-no-NO. That's where it wants us.

Ella, exhausted and crying, snaps:

ELLA

Where else do we go?! The whole town's a freezer!

A THUNDEROUS ROAR shakes the street.

Everything goes quiet.

Brody sets his jaw.

BRODY

Move.

EXT. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – MINUTES LATER

The school looms like a black shape in the storm.

Lights flicker faintly inside.

A playground sits frozen solid – swings swaying without wind.

Megan clutches Leo's arm.

MEGAN

(low, shaking)

It's here...

A child's laughter ECHOES.

Lily hides her face.

BRODY

Let's get inside. Quick.

INT. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - HALLWAY - CONTINUOUS

The hallway is coated in frost.

Children's artwork hangs on walls — some paper figures slowly freezing mid-crinkle.

Ella stares, horrified.

ELLA

This isn't from the storm.

(beat)

It's him.

Brody scans ahead with a flashlight.

BRODY

Gymnasium's the warmest room. We hold there.

Megan suddenly winces — grabbing her head.

LEO

Megan?!

She hears a voice.

Inside her mind.

WARDEN (V.O.)

I sseeeee you...

Megan bites her fist to keep from screaming.

Brody kneels in front of her.

BRODY

(urgent)

Meg, listen to me. You have to fight it.

She looks him dead in the eyes.

MEGAN

I think... I think it's tracking me like a beacon.

Leo pulls her close.

LEO

Then we keep you alive long enough to figure this out, okay? That's the plan.

Megan nods weakly.

INT. SCHOOL GYM - MINUTES LATER

They barricade the double doors.

Brody sets up a propane heater.

Brody checks his ammo.

Leo wraps Megan in a thick thermal blanket, hands shaking.

He touches her cheek — she's ice cold.

LEO

Meg... please don't go numb on me.

MEGAN

(soft)

I'm still here.

Ella tends to Lily.

Ella glances at Megan's spreading frost veins.

ELLA

(afraid)

What happens when it reaches her heart?

Silence.

Then—

A distant metallic SCREECH echoes through the school.

Lily shakes violently.

LILY

He's coming...

The lights cut out.

Pitch dark.

A single emergency light flickers red.

Then—

The gym doors begin to freeze over.

FAST.

Ice races across the metal.

Leo points the shotgun.

LEO

Brody—

BRODY Get
ready.

A loud **KNOCK**.

Then another.

Then, slowly...

A familiar voice:

WARDEN (O.S.) *Let
me in... Megan...*

Megan covers her ears.

MEGAN

Stop—STOP—

Leo grabs her hands.

LEO

Look at me—LOOK at me. Stay with me.

Her eyes flicker icy blue.

The Warden's voice becomes her father's.

THOMAS (O.S.)

Megan... sweetheart... open the door... Megan

BREAKS.

MEGAN

(sobbing) Dad...?

BRODY

It's not him. Don't listen.

THOMAS (O.S.)

Please... it hurts... let me in...

Megan stands, trembling—

Leo pulls her back.

LEO

MEGAN, NO—

Suddenly— **BOOOOOOM.**

The gym doors SHATTER inward.

Shards of ice fly everywhere.

The **FROST WARDEN — THIRD FORM** emerges.

NEW FORM DETAILS:

- 12 feet tall
- Spine of icicles jutting out
- A distorted, half-human face layered into its chest (Hayes's)
- Massive claws
- Eyes glowing brighter than ever

It steps inside—

The temperature drops **impossibly.**

Megan collapses, screaming in pain as the frost in her veins PULSES in sync with the Warden's steps.

WARDEN

(voice trembling with hunger)

Come home... my warm one...

Leo aims the shotgun—

BRODY

WAIT—

The Warden SLAMS Leo with its arm — throwing him across the bleachers.

It reaches for Megan—

Brody fires the flamethrower— A

HUGE BLAST of fire erupts.

The Warden staggers, melting — but SURGES THROUGH THE FLAMES, BURNING, enraged.

Ella drags Lily away.

MEGAN

(crying) LEO!!!

Leo pulls himself up, blood dripping down his forehead.

He sees the Warden lowering toward Megan— And

BRODY leaps between them.

BRODY

YOU WANT HER—YOU COME THROUGH ME—

The Warden grabs Brody by the torso.

BRODY (grim

smile)

Do your worst.

The Warden RIPS Brody upward and SLAMS him onto the floor— Brody's

body hits with a sickening crack.

Megan SCREAMS.

LEO

BRODY!!!

The Warden leans over Brody's dying body.

BRODY

(choking, last breath)

Do it, kid...

(run...)

The Warden crushes him.

Megan SHRIEKS — an inhuman sound — collapsing to her knees.

The Warden kneels in front of her.

It touches her cheek with surprising gentleness.

Wardens' voice softens.

WARDEN

Soon... you will understand...

Then—

It **DISSOLVES INTO A CYCLONE**, snow and ice exploding outward, blasting through the school wall and into the storm.

The blizzard roars after it.

Silence.

Smoke.

Flames.

Blood on the court.

Leo crawls to Megan.

LEO

Meg—Meg—hey—hey, look at me— Megan

lifts her face.

Her eyes glow blue.

She whispers:

MEGAN

(terrified)

Leo...

I don't think I'm surviving this... He
holds her as she breaks.

ELLA
(crying)
Where do we go? Brody's gone—everyone's gone—
Leo looks at the hole blown in the wall.

LEO
We have to get out of town. Now.

Megan shakes her head.

MEGAN
We can't.
(beat, horrified) It
froze every exit.

Leo blinks.

LEO
What?

Megan looks up, tears freezing on her cheeks.

MEGAN
I felt it. When it left.
(beat)
It sealed Black Creek in a dead zone.
No roads. No trails. No
way out.

A cold realization.

ELLA
It's trapping us?

MEGAN
(shivering) It's
preparing... for
something bigger.

Leo's hand tightens on hers.

LEO

Meg.

What is it preparing for?

Megan stares through the hole in the wall – out at the swirling storm –

And whispers:

MEGAN ...Me.

Absolutely – this is the **ACT II FINALE**, the enormous escalation that pushes us into the final act.

This is **ACT II – PART 4 (Pages ~85-100)**, where:

- Megan learns what the Warden truly wants
- Her father's final message resurfaces
- The Warden evolves into its **fourth and deadliest form**
- The military carpet-bombs Black Creek
- The entire town becomes a frozen crater
- Megan is partially taken
- The **DAM SEQUENCE** begins, setting up Act III

This is the part producers will call the "holy sht sequence."*



FROSTBITE – ACT II, PART 4

(Blockbuster Version)

EXT. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – NIGHT

The group escapes through the gaping hole the Warden blew in the wall.

The blizzard is howling like a living thing – snow whipping in spirals around Megan specifically.

Leo wraps his arm around her waist to keep her from collapsing.

Ella carries Lily, both shaking.

LEO

We need shelter – anywhere warm.

MEGAN

(whisper)

Warmth won't help anymore...

Leo looks at her, terrified.

LEO

Meg, don't say that—

MEGAN

(quiet, broken)

I can... feel him.

(beat)

And he can feel *me*.

As if summoned—

A distant ROAR rips through the night.

Ella turns toward the sound.

ELLA

He's still close.

MEGAN No.

(voice hollow)

He never left.

EXT. MAIN STREET - NIGHT

The group reaches the center of town.

And sees **the impossible**:

Every exit road is encased in **thick walls of vertical ice**, stretching 30 feet high — like a fortress.

LEO

Jesus...

Ella drops to her knees.

ELLA

He trapped us.
He really... trapped us.

Megan steps toward the ice wall.

Her hand rises... almost involuntarily.

When she touches the ice—

The entire wall PULSES with blue light, responding to her.

Leo pulls her hand away.

LEO
DON'T touch it!

Megan stumbles backward, breathing fast.

MEGAN
I'm connected to it...
The whole town...

Her breath turns to ice.

A military DRONE flies overhead with a searchlight.

VOICE ON LOUDSPEAKER
"CIVILIANS — LIE DOWN WITH HANDS VISIBLE. EVAC TEAM INBOUND."

Leo waves desperately.

LEO
WE'RE HERE! WE'RE—!

Suddenly the drone's feed glitches.
Static.
The searchlight flickers—

Then the drone is **ripped from the sky** by a pillar of ice erupting upward.

It explodes.

Megan screams.

MEGAN
NO! NO STOP—

He's trying to isolate me— Ella
grabs her arm.

ELLA
Meg—he's *protecting* you!!
Like you're... important to him!

Megan trembles violently.

MEGAN
(whispers) I
know.

EXT. FROZEN TOWN — CONTINUOUS

The wind shifts.

Snow begins to swirl unnaturally... forming a massive vortex above the town square.

The Warden is coming.

LEO
We need cover—NOW!

Ella points to the only warm structure left — the **library**.

They run.

INT. LIBRARY — NIGHT

The interior is dim, emergency lights flickering.

Stacks of books half-frozen.

It's warmer — barely.

Megan collapses by a table.

Ella sets Lily down.

Leo closes all curtains.

Megan rubs her arms – but the frost veins have spread to her shoulders.

She winces.

LEO

Meg – breathe – breathe, okay?

We'll figure this out–

MEGAN

(grabbing him weakly)

Leo... I'm not scared of dying.

(beat)

I'm scared of becoming him.

She breaks down.

Then– A faint

BEEP.

Something rolled out of her jacket pocket.

Leo picks it up:

A cracked audio recorder.

LEO

What's this?

Megan gasps.

MEGAN

My dad's... field recorder... Leo

presses PLAY.

Static.

Wind.

Footsteps.

Then **Thomas's voice:**

THOMAS (V.O.)

If you're hearing this... Megan, sweetheart... I didn't make it home.

Megan claps a hand over her mouth.

THOMAS (V.O.)

It woke up again. The Frost Warden. It wants a match. A counterpart. A warm one.

Leo and Ella exchange looks.

Thomas's voice grows more strained.

THOMAS (V.O.)

It doesn't kill the warm ones. It... bonds with them. Absorbs them until nothing is left but winter and its own will.

Megan sobs silently.

THOMAS (V.O.)

If it chose you... run, Megan. Run as far as you—

A horrific SCREAM. Then static.

The recording ends.

Silence.

LEO

Meg...

Your dad tried to protect you.

Megan wipes frozen tears from her cheeks.

MEGAN

(whispers)

He knew...

He knew it wanted me...

The lights flicker violently.

A massive SHADOW moves past the frost-covered windows.

The Warden is near.

EXT. BLACK CREEK – SKY ABOVE TOWN – SAME TIME

A formation of military bombers appears above the clouds.

COMMANDER (V.O.)

"Target confirmed. Operation SNOWFALL authorized." Bomb

bay doors open.

Leo sees the shadows overhead through a skylight.

LEO

Oh no...

Oh God no...

MEGAN

What?

LEO

They're going to **bomb the town.**

ELLA

They'll kill us!

Suddenly—the wind EXPLODES downward as the Frost Warden ascends from the vortex... EXPANDING.

MUTATING.

Growing into its **FOURTH FORM** in midair:

THE FROST WARDEN — FINAL FORM BEFORE THE DAM

- 20+ feet tall
- Ice tendrils whipping like tentacles
- A skeletal, ancient face carved into its chest
- Entire blizzard concentrated around its body
- Wings formed from sheets of razor-sharp ice
- Voice deeper, almost godlike The bombers LOCK ON.

MISSILES FIRE.

The Warden spreads its wings—

And the entire storm **bends to its command**, deflecting the missile volley upward—

The bombs EXPLODE in the sky.

The shockwave knocks the group inside the library off their feet.

Lily screams.

The Warden lands on Main Street with a tremor.
Its glowing eyes pierce the building Megan hides in.

WARDEN
(roaring)
COME TO ME.

Megan convulses — her body arching unnaturally.

The frost veins pulse in rhythm with the Warden's voice.

Leo grips her shoulders desperately.

LEO
Meg — you need to fight him — FIGHT HIM!

Megan looks up — tears freezing instantly.

MEGAN
(whisper)
I can't...

Her pupils flicker blue.

She stands.

Leo tries to grab her — but a BLAST OF ICE knocks him back across the room.

The Warden's voice fills the entire library.

WARDEN
My warm one... come home... Megan

steps toward the door.

In a trance.

Leo drags himself across the floor, coughing blood.

LEO

(gasping)

Megan—DON'T—PLEASE—

Megan turns back, tears falling silently.

Her voice breaks.

MEGAN

I'm sorry, Leo.

She steps outside...

The door SLAMS shut by ice.

EXT. FROZEN TOWN SQUARE – CONTINUOUS

Megan walks into the storm.

The Warden lowers itself toward her – gently – its tendrils curling around her like a lover, not a monster.

Its voice is soft now.

WARDEN

You are warm.

You are mine.

You complete me...

Megan's breath stops.

Her skin crystallizes.

She is partly absorbed.

The Warden lifts her toward its chest—

Leo BURSTS out of the library window, shredded and bleeding.

LEO

MEGAN!!!!!!!

He tackles the Warden's arm with everything he has.

The Warden swats him aside like paper.

Leo hits a truck windshield and collapses.

Barely alive.

But alive enough to hear Brody's last words echo in his mind:

BRODY (V.O.)

Keep her warm.

Keep her human. Leo

feels his pocket— A

single **road flare**.

He ignites it.

LEO

(roaring)

MEGAN — FIGHT THIS!!!

He **SHOVES** the burning flare against her crystallizing chest.

Megan **SCREAMS**.

The Warden **ROARS** in agony as steam bursts from its torso.

Megan falls free—

Leo catches her.

The Warden reels back—

A massive piece of its chest **SHATTERS**.

The first real damage inflicted on it.

Leo drags Megan away desperately.

MEGAN

(crying, terrified)

Leo... don't let me become it... don't let me—

LEO

I won't.

(over her ear, fierce) I
won't lose you.

Behind them—

The Warden slowly regrows the shattered ice... But
weaker.

Rage boiling.

It spreads its wings— And
charges.

Leo pulls Megan close—

And whispers:

LEO
We're going to the dam.

CUT TO BLACK.

Absolutely — this is the FULL BLOCKBUSTER FINALE. This is the ACT III sequence (Pages ~100-115), where everything explodes:

- Megan's transformation accelerates
- The Warden evolves into its final God-tier form
- The dam becomes the battleground
- A frozen tidal wave threatens to wipe out the region
- Leo's life hangs in the balance
- Megan must choose between humanity and the Warden
- And the entire franchise is set up

Get ready — this is the third-act set piece Hollywood pays for.



FROSTBITE – ACT III

(Blockbuster Version)

EXT. BLACK CREEK DAM – NIGHT

The dam looms out of the storm – an enormous structure coated in thick ice.

The turbines groan beneath the weight.

Leo carries Megan toward the entrance.

She's barely conscious – frost creeping across her neck and face, her breath flickering blue.

MEGAN

(whisper, fading)

Leo... I can't... I'm so cold...

LEO

(gritting teeth)

Stay with me. Please.

Behind them – a distant, echoing ROAR.

The Warden is coming.

INT. DAM – ENTRY TUNNEL – CONTINUOUS

Leo pushes through a frozen steel door. The tunnel is lined with frost, icicles dripping like fangs.

Megan blinks weakly – her pupils shifting in and out of icy blue.

MEGAN

(weak)

I can hear him...
He's calling me...

LEO

Ignore him.

MEGAN

(voice shaking) I
can't.

INT. DAM CONTROL ROOM – MOMENTS LATER

Leo kicks in the door.

Panels spark. Lights flicker. The building's systems barely functional.

He sets Megan against a control console. She shivers violently – blue veins pulsing across her arms.

LEO

Meg—listen.

You're not him.

You're not *its*.

You're *you*.

tries to breathe... but frost clouds every exhale.

MEGAN

(crying softly)

It hurts, Leo...

It hurts so much...

Leo holds her head to his chest.

LEO

I know.

I know.

We're ending this.

He scans the room.

Then he sees it:

An emergency override switch -

The one that opens the floodgates beneath the reservoir.

But the controls are frozen solid. Leo pounds them with his fist.

Nothing.

LEO

Come on—COME ON—

Suddenly—

The temperature drops.

Lights dim.

Footsteps echo in the steel hallway.

Slow.

Heavy.

Ancient.

Megan

Leo turns.

INT. DAM HALLWAY - SAME TIME

The Frost Warden enters the tunnel.

But not like before.

FINAL FORM - "THE ANCIENT WARDEN"

- 25 feet tall
- Chest glowing with molten blue frost
- Wings extended full-span
- Spine of ice spires
- Face carved into a horrific, godlike mask
- Snow and wind orbit him like a hurricane
- Voice reverberates like thunder

WARDEN

Warm one...

No more running...

Ice splinters under its feet. It
approaches the control room.

INT. CONTROL ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Leo stands in front of Megan, shaking but trying to be strong.

LEO

(over his shoulder) Meg.

Meg—listen to me.

You are NOT going with him.

looks up – but one of her eyes is now fully blue, glowing like the Warden's.

MEGAN

(soft, conflicted)

I... don't know if I can stop myself... Leo

grabs her frozen hand.

LEO

Then I'll stop you.

She breaks – sobbing silently.

MEGAN I'm

scared.

I'm so scared...

Leo pulls her close.

LEO

I love you, okay?

No matter what's happening to you. You hear me?

Her breath catches.

She blinks – Megan surfaces for a moment. Her human eye fills with tears.

MEGAN

(whisper)

Leo...

The Warden's voice THUNDERS:

WARDEN (O.S.)

Megan

She is not yours.

INT. CONTROL ROOM DOORWAY - SAME TIME

The Warden fills the entire frame. It
looks down at Leo like a mosquito.

WARDEN

Step... aside.

Leo spreads his arms.

LEO

No.

WARDEN

I said..

(the storm grows deafening) ASIDE.

The Warden SWATS him -

Leo is flung across the room, smashing into electrical
panels.

He collapses, unconscious.

INT. CONTROL ROOM - CONTINUOUS

The Warden lowers itself to Megan.

It speaks gently - almost soothing.

WARDEN

*You are cold... You
are fading... And
you are mine.*

It reaches for her face with massive clawed fingers—
grabs its wrist.

Stops it.

Her eyes blaze bright blue.

MEGAN

Not yet.

The Warden freezes. It
tilts its head.

Then — It
smiles.

WARDEN

You are becoming me.

Megan shakes, fighting the infection with every ounce of
will she has left.

MEGAN

(gasping)
No... I'm
becoming...
STRONGER.

She grabs the console beside her —
HER TOUCH FREEZES IT SOLID. The
infection is changing her fast.
Suddenly—

Leo coughs blood, lifting his head.

LEO

Meg...

Megan

Flood the dam..
It's the only way...

Megan looks at the giant override lever.

It's encased in ice.

She looks at her own hands – half-human, half-frost.

MEGAN

I can do it...

She stands – barely.

The Warden watches curiously.

WARDEN

*Yes... my warm one... Open
it.*

Freeze the world with me... Megan

stumbles toward the override.

Leo drags himself across the floor.

LEO

Meg... please– Don't
listen–

The Warden places a massive claw on Leo.

Pushing him down.

WARDEN

He is irrelevant.

Leo SCREAMS–

Megan spins, eyes blazing.

MEGAN

NO!!!

She SLAMS her hands into the console –

FROST blasts from her fingertips –

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But the console RUPTURES under the force.

Electricity sparks.

Lights flare.

The dam SHUDDERS violently. Leo

yells over the chaos:

LEO

Meg – THE TURBINES – DOWNSTAIRS –

If you freeze the gears, the pressure will FORCE the
floodgates open! The Warden ROARS.

WARDEN

She is MINE!

Megan looks at Leo.

Megan looks at the Warden.

Megan looks at the stairs to the turbines.

Her jaw hardens.

MEGAN

(whispers)

Then come and get me.

She RUNS.

The Warden SHRIEKS – blasting the control room apart with a
storm of ice shards.

INT. DAM TURBINE ROOM – MOMENTS LATER

Colossal machines.

Water roaring below.

Steam.
Sparks.

Megan races inside – frost spreading behind her with every step.

She collapses at the edge of a massive turbine.

MEGAN
(panting)
Please... work...

She places her frost-covered palm onto the steel— A massive wave of ICE erupts outward. The turbine starts FREEZING SOLID, gears locking up — Pressure builds.

Meters spin into the RED.

The entire dam GROANS — metal warping under stress.

Then—

A BLAST OF WIND.

The Warden descends into the turbine room like a fallen god.

WARDEN
You belong to ME.

It hurls a tendril of ice —
It WRAPS around Megan's torso —
She is yanked off her feet and dragged upward.

MEGAN
SCREAMS.

The Warden lifts her to its enormous face.

WARDEN

Be reborn.

Its chest splits open – revealing a swirling vortex of frost.

It tries to pull her inside.

Megan's skin crystallizes.
Her hair freezes into white.
Her veins turn blue. She is
half-absorbed.

Leo rushes in, barely standing.

LEO

MEGAN—!!!

He leaps – wraps his arms around her waist –
Refusing to let go as the Warden pulls. Leo is
being dragged toward the vortex too. Megan
looks at him – tears freezing instantly.

MEGAN

(whisper)

Leo...

Let go...

Leo grips tighter.

LEO

Never.

Not even now.

Not even if it kills me. The

Warden bellows.

WARDEN

Then you will DIE.

It blasts Leo with a shockwave of ice – Sending him flying across the turbine room.

He hits a pillar hard. He doesn't get up.

Megan SCREAMS in agony – torn between worlds. The turbine GEARS finally LOCK from the ice she spread– PRESSURE builds– A klaxon blares:

WARNING: STRUCTURAL FAILURE.

MEGAN

(struggling)

If I go...

I take you with me.

She places both frost-infected hands on the Warden's chest–

And FREEZES THE CORE.

The Warden SHRIEKS – a sound of pure rage.

The ice spreads across its chest –

Across its limbs –

Crystallizing its entire body– But Megan's arms are trapped deep inside it.

She whispers:

MEGAN

Dad...

I'm coming home... The
dam EXPLODES.

EXT. BLACK CREEK - DAWN

A colossal eruption of water and ice tears the dam apart. A
frozen tidal wave crashes over the valley.

Shockwave.
Steam.
Silence.

Everything goes white.

EXT. GLACIAL FIELD - HOURS LATER

The entire valley is now a glittering glacier - Black
Creek buried beneath miles of ice.

Snow falls softly.

A figure emerges from the mist.

Leo.

Barely alive.

He drags himself across the ice.

Blood freezing on his clothes.

He looks up...

He sees a silhouette standing on the glacier ridge.

Tall.
Still.

Not human.

MEGAN.

Her skin pale as frost.

Hair white.

Eyes glowing blue.

One half of her body is human.

The other...

Carved in the Warden's image.

She speaks with two voices – one human, one ancient.

MEGAN

(soft, layered)

Leo...

Leo crawls toward her.

LEO

Meg...

You're alive...

She steps back – afraid to hurt him.

MEGAN

You need to go.

(beat)

I can't stay human. Not
anymore.

Her breath turns to a swirling frost pattern.

Behind her – THE

WIND OBEYS.

Circling her like a crown.

MEGAN

(whispers)
I'm so cold...

Leo reaches toward her -

LEO
I don't care.
I'm not afraid.

She flinches - glowing eyes dimming. A tear
slides down her cheek - freezes mid-fall.

MEGAN Then
run.
Before I can't...

She turns toward the horizon - And the
entire blizzard moves with her.

Leo falls to his knees.

LEO
Meg...
Don't leave me...

She looks back one last time.

MEGAN
(soft, tragic)
I'll always protect you. She
disappears into the storm.

FADE OUT.

POST-CREDIT STINGER

EXT. ANTARCTICA - RESEARCH OUTPOST - NIGHT

A scientist samples ice outside the base.

He looks down at a small frozen puddle.

The puddle... SMILES.

MEGAN (V.O.)

Winter's here.

The puddle erupts upward, freezing the scientist solid.