

From here onwards, Folio stops numbering the scenes. We are allowed to be surprised -- we are entitled to ask why -- but there is no need to panic. A scene is a scene, whether the printer marked it as such or not.

### Scene 30 (V vii 22-32)

A little later, somewhere on the battlefield.

(V vii 22) *Enter ...* The stage stays empty for a moment, and then Macduff appears. Like Macbeth, he is roaming the battlefield looking for somebody to kill. Unlike Macbeth, he is hunting for one person in particular.

(V vii 29) *There thou should'st be.* Some noise from behind him tells Macduff that he is going in the wrong direction. So he turns around, exiting on the same side where he entered.

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