

Grizz

What's up, everybody? Welcome back to Just Roll With It: Total Monster Kill. I've settled on that title, so that's what we're gonna be fucking doing now. Rawr. That's what monsters do. How are you guys doing? Hope you guys are good. I am your humble dungeon master, Grizzly. Please put the air horns in there. Here today with me are the wonderful hunters. Say hello, hunters. Your best fucking dungeon- not dungeon, dragon. Roar. One, two, three. (Collective roars)

Jin (Condi)

My- I just want to- mine was implied with, like, a ":3" Just so everybody's aware.

Everett (Bizly)

I just meowed.

Jin (Condi)

You did, you did meow.

Lucia (Milo)

See, I actually committed to it and then nobody else did it. I was doing it alone.

Grizz

I'm very fucking proud of you, Milo. You were my pride and joy. Um, today, let's- let's get back into it. Usually I would do this whole cinematic where we last left off, but I want to try something different today and pass the ball to you guys.

Jin (Condi)

What.

Grizz

What do you remember? What do you remember from last session?

Lucia (Milo)

I'm pulling on my collar right now, dude.

Grizz

What happened last session, gang?

Everett (Bizly)

Mid recording, you're just gonna throw this at us? When you write the intro, you write it beforehand. You could have fucking told us!

Grizz

I didn't write the intro today because I wanted us to do this together. So I'll give you a little hint.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, so last time, Walter put the money inside of the vent and the wall. And Skylar. Skylar's been curious.

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You are wasting everybody's time.

Everett (Bizly)

Whether or not he has a second phone. And I think Walter Junior was getting bullied at the store.

Jin (Condi)

That does happen a lot.

Grizz

Please, Milo, let's start with you. Even though you were introduced last.

Lucia (Milo)

We. My phone going off. Sorry, we-

Grizz

Oh, my God.

Lucia (Milo)

I- listen. He's telling me to get on the treadmill.

Grizz

I am going to become the danger Skylar.

Lucia (Milo)

So we all showed up to a big motherfucking egg.

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Yes, made of glass.

Lucia (Milo)

Is big and made of glass. And we were all introduced to the environment and where we'll live by this guy Rock, I think his name was.

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Guildmaster Rock!

Lucia (Milo)

And, and Hunt Master Hawk.

Jin (Condi)

Rock and Hawk.

Lucia (Milo)

Rock and Hawk.

Grizz

Walk and Hawk. And you guys talk to Brock.

Jin (Condi)

Is there- is there another one? Is there a third, like leader with a- with another similar scheme.

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No.

Jin (Condi)

Are you sure?

Grizz

Continue, please.

Lucia (Milo)

And we were all introduced to the concept of being hunters. And they were talking about there have to be special motherfuckers to do a specific role. And that happened to be us.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

Now, there was something that happened.

Jin (Condi)

You are missing, like, a big important part, for sure.

Grizz

Yeah. The whole beginning and then, like, the whole middle part, but you got to the end. So let's back up.

Jin (Condi)

So let's back up a little bit.

Lucia (Milo)

I don't know how to summarize.

Everett (Bizly)

A special character was introduced directly before my little flashback sequence.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. It was there for sure.

Everett (Bizly)

Calling out to me and suggesting that my mother does not love me or that my mother was gonna die. Or he said something about my mother.

Jin (Condi)

Something about your mother.

Everett (Bizly)

Was Alf the alpha. And-

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Elf. Alf the alpha elf, full name.

Everett (Bizly)

I've just been saying Alf the alpha. But, yes, he was an elf.

Jin (Condi)

I feel like it gives him too much credit if you just call him the alpha.

Everett (Bizly)

I mean, I give him as much credit as he's asking for. You know, like.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I guess.

Everett (Bizly)

I mean-

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Alf, first name, middle name The, last name Alpha, other last name Elf.

Everett (Bizly)

We got together and had grilled cheese. It was just cheese off of a grill. I don't know how it didn't melt. Not really understanding the physics of cheese in the world, but I'm gonna let it slide. And then Alf showed up, and we threw cheese at him. No.

Lucia (Milo)

Well, he was insulting using my cheese. My grilled cheese. So I threw the grilled cheese.

Grizz

Yes.

Everett (Bizly)

Yes. And then later on, we got together and threw cheese at him.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah.

Grizz

Condi, what do you remember from last session? And then I'll take it from here.

Jin (Condi)

Alright so we did, like, three flashback sessions, okay?

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Yes.

Jin (Condi)

Um.

Grizz

Yes.

Jin (Condi)

Mine, mine. I was back in the old days, training. Training with my good pal, good buddy, Trey. And my master, Eva, Milo's sister died. And I think parents, too, are also dead. Really, really just sad and tragic and. And Bizly.

Everett (Bizly)

What a classic D&D character.

Jin (Condi)

Bizly is- Bizly. Everett James Petalbridge, man.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, baby.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. Okay. Then we went inside and we- we saw Hawk and Rock. And they- they were talking to us.

Everett (Bizly)

Try to summarize mine. You just said his full name. What the fuck, man? No bit, what the hell?

Jin (Condi)

I don't know, man. You just, like- you just, like, had a snake and, like.

Everett (Bizly)

No, that's so little of what happened.

Grizz

You had the opportunity to recap your own flashback.

Jin (Condi)

You like, looked at fire, and you were like, "What does it mean to die?" Um, at like six years old. So, like.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, so you do know what happened. It just didn't feel worthy of it.

Jin (Condi)

It's just like Everett James Petalbridge man, you know?

Jin (Condi)

We met a little guy who really needed to pee. Forget his name.

Lucia (Milo)

Uh Pebble.

Jin (Condi)

Did not- Pebble. Yeah, did not write that one down. Actively wanted him to get away from me. We arm wrestled to oblivion. I killed you. Yes, yes. Brought you to the doctor's office. Something happened with Milo. Was not paying attention to that while I was having-

Everett (Bizly)

I have no idea what happened.

Jin (Condi)

Too locked in to this, to our competition. Okay. We got called up to get a special mission. We're capturing a monkey-bull creature, which is beyond my comprehension. Cannot even imagine what that might look like. And we cannot kill it. Otherwise, they will be very upset and sad with us, and we'll get sent to timeout. And that's around where we ended.

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Yes.

Jin (Condi)

We also threw cheese at Alf the alpha Elf in his room. We broke into his room, and then-

Grizz

You did. You made a mortal enemy out of Alf the alpha.

Jin (Condi)

This is good.

Grizz

Well, well done, hunters. Yes. You guys have arrived here on the dragon's egg. You are now a part new, fresh, professional hunters of the Black Blades, the guild specially tasked with hunting monsters that are deadly and detrimental to the race, the human race. So, the hunt begins as you guys have just woken up on a new day, knowing that today is the day that you guys are going to set out on your task, on your mark, to hunt this incredibly dangerous, crazily described monkey-bull creature. To start the morning off, there's a few things you guys do to prepare automatically. One of those things is Jin going to be exchanging his golden beetle that he got from hunt Master Hawk to Frank and Francine, the traders on the first floor. Other than that, though, is there anything that, uh, Lucia and Everett, you guys, would like to do?

Lucia (Milo)

Um, did they notice how messy the fucking room is?

Grizz

Oh, right. So, last night, when you guys got to your bedrooms, you would have noticed that it was in disarray. Uh, almost intentionally. So everything was pulled. Like, drawers were pulled

out, hammocks were disordered, like, you know, like, kind of, like, unwound and crooked. Everything was disorganized. How did you guys feel about that?

Jin (Condi)

"Wow. Just like home. I'm glad you- honestly, it's just- it's just like, how I like to keep it. This is great."

Everett (Bizly)

I look over to Lucia, and I just look down at the mess, and I have that look that Gordon Ramsay has on his fucking face when he's watching somebody fuck up.

Jin (Condi)

Wow, my clothes already have a pile in the corner.

Everett (Bizly)

I look at Lucia, I look at Jin, who's just happy with it.

Lucia (Milo)

"You like?"

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah, this is great."

Everett (Bizly)

"Why?"

Lucia (Milo)

"Cozier."

Jin (Condi)

"Much cozier." I look, and I just. I'm just nodding repeatedly.

Everett (Bizly)

I'd like to- I'd like to. Here's what I will do: I will go into the room. I will break it up into quadrants. I will take the quadrant that is mine. I will push all of the shit out of it. Like, just directly over. Like you're pushing something under a bed.

Grizz

Yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

Or, like, into a. Into a crap closet, but just over into Lucia's space and then my space will have nothing but a mat on the floor.

Lucia (Milo)

Office/Male living space.

Grizz

Fucking fantastic.

Everett (Bizly)

I'll sit down, crisscross applesauce in that space and I'll just look at them.

Jin (Condi)

I have like a ball and cup.

Everett (Bizly)

"It's not a mattress, it's a mat."

Jin (Condi)

"You sure you don't want like a bed, like bed frames?"

Grizz

There are no bed frames, it is just hammocks.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, man.

Grizz

Need to cut you off. I already described the hammocks.

Jin (Condi)

Damn it.

Grizz

At least in these ones. You guys are in the rookie. You guys slept in the rookies.

Jin (Condi)

Why did Alf the alpha Elf have bed frames? What the fuck?

Grizz

Did they? I don't remember.

Jin (Condi)

I don't know.

Grizz

You know what? Nah. Yeah, that'd be a little weird. You could, you could have imagined them being way nicer because this was- you came into your room and it was so disorganized and theirs was like really clean.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, well, now it's covered in cheese, so who's the real winner?

Grizz

True. Anyways, okay-

Lucia (Milo)

Dude, that shit's gonna be in every bed.

Grizz

I do wanna skip ahead to the next day. Like I was saying, if Everett, you and Lucia don't have anything that you want to do to prepare, just to remind you there are like, there's food, there's the blacksmith, there's all kinds of things. You don't have to do those right now if you don't have anything that you need to get prepped, we'll just start with Jin. As you head down to the ground floor out of the hunter spire, a lot of the traders here, including Frank and Francine, are packing up their equipment and their pouches and the like, and a lot of them are actually exiting the Dragon's Egg towards the ferry boat so that they can go back to the other continents around the world to get more supplies and, you know, more goods. And you manage to just catch Frank as he is packing up. You walk over, he says, "Oh, hey bud. So you're trying to catch me right before I go, eh?"

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. This, in your accent just-

Jin (Condi)

"What can I help you with? All right, I'll make some special time for a special guy."

Jin (Condi)

It just offends me deeply on like a primal level, like something deep within my brain. It just doesn't want. Nevermind. "Okay, I listen, I just have this golden beetle. I had to capture a monster today with my team and we need the equipment to do so."

Grizz

"Ooh, special request from hunt master, eh? All right." He grabs the golden beetle, opens up a crate in the back.

Jin (Condi)

"It's just so much. It's just a lot."

Grizz

"You youngins and your hormones, bud." And he goes back, opens up a crate, quickly, comes back and he's holding three little, almost like paper wrapped red bombs balls. And he hands those to you, and then he hands a sort of shock trap of some sorts that you hook onto your wayside. And he explains to you, "These here, we only have three left. And you should know how they work just from your training and such. Once a monster's weak enough, they'll be more susceptible, eh? To being put to sleep with these little bombs here, eh? But you only have three shots. And sometimes monsters have a bit more con than other monsters, and they can shake off the effects, eh? So get them weakened and throw the bombs and make sure you have flat surface to throw them on, because you do have to strike the ground pretty hard for them to pop and release the gas. And then once the gas is released, eh you want to clear out of there. Otherwise you might get put to sleep as well, eh?"

Grizz

"So once the monster is asleep, you put the little trap underneath it. And they should use some- some arcane devices that I got from the mainland and, you know, put it in a little bit of an electric trap. That sound good, eh?"

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah, yeah, yeah, that was good. Good explanation. Sorry." I look over and I see Alf.

Everett (Bizly)

I appear next to you.

Grizz

Alf is, so I described this to Lucia when you guys were arm wrestling, and Lucia was looking over a balcony and seeing all the other areas of the ground floor. And there is actually kind of a training pit and, like, an arena and some other, I would say, like, a weightlifting area, but it really is just kind of like, stones and rocks attached to sticks. And he is currently on one of these, like, planks doing the bench press. (Grunting)

Everett (Bizly)

"Doesn't seeing his face simply just make your day that much worse?"

Grizz

"All right. That's fucking 50!"

Jin (Condi)

"I've never seen such fucking poor form in my life."

Grizz

He sits down, he starts resting. "One, two. Fuck. All right, it's time to go again!"

Jin (Condi)

"I hate him."

Lucia (Milo)

I walk up behind Everett, "He's not even going to failure."

Jin (Condi)

"I hate him so much."

Everett (Bizly)

"No, no it's not."

Jin (Condi)

"That's not how you build muscle. I haven't seen him eat any protein all day."

Lucia (Milo)

"I think he's gonna throw something out."

Jin (Condi)

"I hope so."

Everett (Bizly)

"Good. Let his weakness show its true colors."

Jin (Condi)

"I hope he throws something out, and I hope that the monster gets him because of it."

Everett (Bizly)

"Now you're thinking like me."

Jin (Condi)

"I just don't like that guy."

Everett (Bizly)

"Don't think anyone does."

Jin (Condi)

"I wish I had more cheese."

Jin (Condi)

"Oh right. Anyways, he was explaining. Oh, where did he go? Oh..."

Grizz

You see both Frank and Francine already heading out with their equipment. "All right, eh? Have a good hunt today, eh? Be safe."

Jin (Condi)

"Okay. Well, yeah, I mean, it was pretty easy. It's just like the classes that I totally also paid attention to."

Everett (Bizly)

"You've got a trap."

Jin (Condi)

"The trap and some uh, some little tranq balls."

Everett (Bizly)

"Tranq balls?"

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah."

Grizz

Tranq balls. That's awesome.

Jin (Condi)

"Uh three of them, actually, maybe. Maybe we should each take one."

Everett (Bizly)

"How about you hang on to those and I'll focus on the real work?"

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah. Okay."

Grizz

You hear at the foot of the steps, you actually see the huntmaster clearing her throat with her arms crossed to get all of your attention. And once she sees you guys look over at her, she says, "Are you three ready?"

Everett (Bizly)

I leap up like a cat who got scared.

Lucia (Milo)

I immediately go back into the salute position.

Jin (Condi)

"Yes, hunt master."

Grizz

What have you decided? Your hunting party will be named by.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, fuck.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, okay, okay.

Jin (Condi)

Um.

Lucia (Milo)

"Tranq- Tranq Balls."

Grizz

At the exact same time, you guys actually see the hunting party led by Alf the alpha, walk past her, give you guys a glare as he goes. "Let's fucking go, Team Alpha."

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, right now, I need the two of you to stop me from calling us Team Sigma.

Lucia (Milo)

It's kind of hard.

Jin (Condi)

It's kind of hard, it's really hard.

Grizz

In my outline. I already have it as fucking Team Sigma. Just giving you the opportunity to either change your mind or canonize it.

Jin (Condi)

Just say it, dude.

Everett (Bizly)

I look around to those next to me, my companions that will accompany me on this journey. I look back to the hunt master, and I say, "We'll be Team Sigma."

Grizz

"Right. Team Sigma."

Jin (Condi)

"What?"

Everett (Bizly)

"Far better than the Alpha."

Grizz

"If you'll allow me, I'd like to lead you to your traversal eagle."

Jin (Condi)

"Actually, a few questions before we go. What kind of biome are we in today? How's the weather looking? All that stuff? Just with hunting conditions."

Grizz

"Walk and talk, Team Sigma."

Jin (Condi)

"I can't do that. One thing at a time."

Everett (Bizly)

I'll make the face. I make the sigma face.

Jin (Condi)

What the fuck does that mean?

Lucia (Milo)

I start hitting you.

Grizz

Fuck, fuck, fuck. Okay, so-

Grizz

My, my cheeks get sucked in-

Lucia (Milo)

Stop it.

Grizz

Stop.

Jin (Condi)

Dude, stop, stop.

Everett (Bizly)

"I'm getting in the zone." I do it again.

Lucia (Milo)

"Get out."

Jin (Condi)

"Leave the zone."

Everett (Bizly)

"You need to be prepared for anything, Jin."

Jin (Condi)

"You need to stop making that face."

Everett (Bizly)

I look at him closer and I- and I, like, do it more like my face starts to get red. My cheeks.

Jin (Condi)

"Oh, that's it. Is this a competition, is it?" I make the face.

Lucia (Milo)

I start yanking on both of your arms.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm rolling performance. I'm rolling performance. I'm rolling performance. That's 12.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, I'm rolling performance. 13. Get fucked. Mine's slightly better.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, fuck you!

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Jin (Condi)

Just a little bit.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm mewling, I'm mewling.

Jin (Condi)

My cheeks are just, like, a little bit more in, you know?

Everett (Bizly)

My hair is, like, kind of covering it so you can't see it as pronounced,

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, yeah.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia looks at both of you and starts trying to do it, too.

Jin (Condi)

Performance. Let's see it. Get in here.

Lucia (Milo)

I roll an 8. It's, like, really bad. It's like.

Everett (Bizly)

It just looks like she's tasted something sour.

Lucia (Milo)

It looks like she ate a lemon.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah. "Very good, Lucia. A face like that will scare off any monster."

Grizz

Luckily, Hunt master Hawk's back is turned as she's leading you guys up the steps, and she's explaining over your fucking shenans. She says "The 50th floor is reserved for takeoffs, where the hunting parties are carried by each of their own respective giant eagle to their region that their target will be in its natural habitat. There are five main regions in Sarrus. There's the tropical coast where the Dragon's Egg lies, the rainforest, where you will be today, the volcano, which nobody gets near, the swamp strip and the winter biome toward the north. Any questions so far?"

Lucia (Milo)

"No."

Everett (Bizly)

"Why does nobody go to the volcano?"

Grizz

"Excellent question, Everett. Because of the nature of wild magic surrounding the volcano's base, it's too dangerous for most hunters to traverse. And we also believe that there's something inside of it, possibly the reason that we are stationed here on Sarrus. A beast? A monster? Nobody knows. Nobody's ever been able to get inside the volcano to find out."

Everett (Bizly)

"I noticed you said most, not all hunters."

Grizz

"I told you yesterday that we have lost a lot of our vets. Some of our best are here, injured, and some, in their rebellious and impatient nature, tried to scale the volcano themselves recently, and none of them returned."

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah, it's good you said that. I wasn't thinking about potentially trying that in the future."

Everett (Bizly)

"I was."

Grizz

"Well, if you succeed on your hunt today, and may I remind you that capture is the goal, killing will result in a failure and consequences. If you do succeed, which I believe you will, we will be one step closer to scaling that volcano."

Jin (Condi)

"All right."

Grizz

"You asked about weather."

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah. Um, what are the conditions?"

Grizz

"In the rainforest you can expect rain later in the day. It will make the hunt a little bit more difficult, but-"

Everett (Bizly)

"Wouldn't want it to be too easy."

Jin (Condi)

"We can also use it to our advantage."

Grizz

She continues leading you guys up the steps all the way to the 50th floor, which actually kind of expands out into a circular platform where you see posts and stables and tons of these giant eagles that are just kind of like living up here and being treated and cared for. And there's also hunting parties, a lot of new hunting parties, especially Jin. You see in the distance, Trey with his own hunting party, getting ready to dismount. He looks over, gives you. A little bit of wave and a salute. "What they got you hunting today?"

Jin (Condi)

"Bull monkey."

Grizz

"Huh? They got us near the swamplands. We're looking for something that lives in the water."

Jin (Condi)

"I have to capture mine."

Grizz

"Oh."

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah."

Grizz

"Why?"

Jin (Condi)

"Um-"

Everett (Bizly)

"Confidential. Don't worry about it."

Grizz

"Oh, don't worry about it, dudes? I'm fucking worried about it."

Everett (Bizly)

"Your bloodline will end at you."

Jin (Condi)

"I'm gonna blow this guy up with my brain."

Grizz

"See you in the fucking fail, losers!" As Alf uh-

Everett (Bizly)

"I will ensure you do not procreate."

Jin (Condi)

"I hope- I hope we do."

Grizz

Alf is taking off with his crew, and then Trey soon after leaves and you guys get directed towards your own giant eagle. Which one of you, actually, two of you, will be able to ride on one of its talons, and the other, the heaviest one, Jin, will be on the other.

Jin (Condi)

"I'm a pretty heavy guy."

Grizz

This is pretty standard. You look up and you see that you are in a glass dome or glass egg, but for whatever reason, and it kind of goes. You don't even know how the glass egg got here because it certainly couldn't have been constructed by normal means. But you watch the eagles as they fly up to it. They end up flying straight through it.

Jin (Condi)

"Oh."

Lucia (Milo)

"How did they do that?"

Jin (Condi)

"Is that- I- I don't know. I'm scared."

Grizz

Pretty fantastic magic, courtesy of Osiris Black.

Jin (Condi)

"Of course."

Everett (Bizly)

"Who is that? That sounds so familiar."

Jin (Condi)

"That's the most powerful mage in the world or something."

Grizz

"The first one. He's still alive today, even. Hundreds and hundreds of years since he first was gifted. The first one to be gifted by the stars like you, Lucia."

Lucia (Milo)

"Oh."

Grizz

"Perhaps someday, you will be creating giant eggs for the rest of the world to live in as well."

Lucia (Milo)

"Can I make it like a big-"

Everett (Bizly)

"What are you thinking?"

Lucia (Milo)

"Big cheese."

Everett (Bizly)

"It could be a big cheese. Yeah, a big cheese shape. The biggest cheese."

Jin (Condi)

"The biggest cheese."

Grizz

Hunt master. Uh, which one of you is leading your troop today?

Everett (Bizly)

"I am."

Jin (Condi)

"No, I- I'm leading."

Everett (Bizly)

"I am leading."

Jin (Condi)

"I've got- I've got the trap and the tranqs."

Everett (Bizly)

"And I've got the skill to do what needs to be done."

Jin (Condi)

"And I've got the skill as well."

Grizz

Hunt master Hawk, she takes a sort of, like, curved horn off her belt, tosses it at the two of you. I need you guys to roll a contested, hmm, sleight of hand.

Lucia (Milo)

Can I also roll one?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah.

Grizz

Oh, sure. Yeah, yeah, of course.

Grizz

If you want to try and beat them to catch it.

Jin (Condi)

I rolled a fucking 10.

Everett (Bizly)

Natural 1.

Lucia (Milo)

17.

Grizz

Oh, my God.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, so here's what I think would be so funny is: it, like, comes to me and I'm almost about to catch it, and then it, like, tips off the edge of my finger. It goes over to Jin, and we're just, like, like, pushing it up back and forth, and then it, like, comes down, and she's just, like, catches it, not even really trying.

Lucia (Milo)

I just hold it in my hand.

Grizz

Yeah.

Lucia (Milo)

And I look at both of you, and then I just start marching forward.

Grizz

You get ready to board the eagle. The hunt master says, "Well, then, Lucia, lead them well, and whenever you succeed, make sure to blow directly into that horn to let us know that we are ready to pick it up."

Lucia (Milo)

"Sir, yes, sir."

Grizz

"Now be off," she says. And the eagle picks you guys up, and you guys head out of the Dragon's Egg towards the rainforest region of Sarrus. We cut over to you guys flying above, you see dense trees blanketing. You can't see the ground. And the eagle flying as close as possible to the leaves before dropping you guys. As you begin to descend, you rapidly, you fall down into the jungle and then land on your feet, not too far of a fall for you guys because it did get as close as possible to the ground. So I won't make you roll anything, and, like, you're not in danger. But as soon as you hit the ground, you are surrounded, the three of you, by a vast forest. And you can, you know it's vast just by flying over, getting that bird's eye view when you kind of, like, drifted through the clouds and saw the island. This forest particularly, spans hundreds of miles. It's a vast forest with a complex ecosystem. You look around, getting all the smells in. It's verdant, it's lush, it's biodiverse, and it's filled with a network of trees that stretch high into the sky, branches that you just fell through, webbing together, forming canopies that loom over the forest's path.

Grizz

Because of these trees and branches, the sunlight is restricted. But the layered nature of the topography means that it's a bit cooler and darker on the ground where you are right now, but brighter and warmer as you ascend the cliffs. So now the tracking part of the hunt begins. Where would you guys like to start?

Jin (Condi)

"Um,"

Everett (Bizly)

"Well I guess we should follow the leader."

Jin (Condi)

"Why are you so bitter about it?"

Everett (Bizly)

"I should have had that. You got in my way."

Jin (Condi)

"You got in my way. I could have had it, too."

Jin (Condi)

"You got in my way, and it won't happen again."

Jin (Condi)

"Okay, lead the way."

Lucia (Milo)

I-

Everett (Bizly)

"Okay."

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia, like, turns in, like, a full 360. I want to check the ground. Are there any footprints?

Grizz

Sure, sure. Go ahead and roll an investigation check or survival. You can choose.

Lucia (Milo)

This is the same. I'll do investigation. 11.

Grizz

As you're looking around, you notice that the paths are, there are multiple sets of footprints that lead in various directions. And it's even tougher because you're not totally sure what set of tracks you're looking for other than possibly the one of an- like an ape or a bull. It's a little bit unclear, but there's too many different tracks with an 11 for you to like pick one over the other. And actually, as you notice how many tracks there are, you get the sense that there are tons of beasts and a lot of them are big that live in this forest and traverse it. And you begin to hear trees begin to like split as something is approaching all three of you right now.

Jin (Condi)

"Hey, maybe we should uh, there's no point wasting energy on other monsters. Maybe we should fuck away for now. Let it pass?"

Everett (Bizly)

"You would say that."

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia nods.

Grizz

So Jin, you guys are gonna stealth. What about you, Everett?

Everett (Bizly)

I'm going to ascend the tree in stealth. Yes, but I want to watch.

Grizz

Okay, so three of you roll stealth check.

Jin (Condi)

11.

Lucia (Milo)

16.

Everett (Bizly)

15.

Grizz

Oh, excellent. Guys. As Everett ascends a tree, like a fucking little monkey, digs his claws into the bark to get up it too. It's really crazy. It's really fast. You guys kind of rush off the path just a little bit to find a thick bush and layered leaves that you guys can hide behind. As you guys all stealth, you all kind of get the same kind of view. Lucia and Jin, yours is a little bit less than ideal because you're peeking through leaves. But Everett, you get this clear view. You see a huge, massive, almost tyrannosaurus rex shaped creature. But its head is that of like, kind of like a hammerhead shark almost. And this tail behind it is, is just as similar. It doesn't even look like it belongs on land. But for some reason it's walking around. It's breathing air, it's looking around and it leaves these massive webbed but clawed marks in the ground as just going about its path. You hear this like low rumble, almost kind of like an alligator sound in its throat that kind of echoes through the trees and causes birds to fly away. And it begins to head, let's say like south.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

What would you guys like to do? Is it doesn't notice any of you, just.

Everett (Bizly)

Well, I'm not fucking with that.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, I'm gonna stay hidden until it's gone.

Grizz

Okay, good. Yeah, good stealth guys. Cuz that would have sucked if it saw you like so bad. So you guys reconvene once it passes and you feel safe. What would you guys like to do now to try and- to try and track it? You- these- There's a bunch of tracks around. You can ask any questions about what you know about the monster as well. Cuz you did get some explanation yesterday. But I realize that you might not have taken notes. So if you have any questions, you can ask.

Everett (Bizly)

I'd love to know what kind of habitat where this place would kind of set up its home.

Grizz

So I'll just give you guys a little bit of what you heard yesterday. You know that it has some sort of necrotic aura, so everything around it supposedly decays.

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, right.

Grizz

And you also know that as a bull monkey, this kind of whole region, this whole rainforest region could be, you know, anywhere. But you're likely looking for, you know, dense trees pretty much everywhere around you. It's not totally clear, like, its habitat, if that makes sense.

Everett (Bizly)

Right.

Lucia (Milo)

So is there any sign of, like. Like, wilting plants or, like-

Grizz

Excellent. Okay. Roll perception.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, that sucks, dude. 11. I have a fucking plus five to that too.

Grizz

It's okay. 11. You're looking for something pretty specific now. And 11 is higher than a 10. So as you're looking around and you're looking for wilted plants, and, like, what you're not seeing is like, dead trees and dead plants, you're not seeing dead giveaways, pun intended. But you do see remnants of, like, small decayed leaves. And there's, like, groove. There's like. There's a groove in the ground. Like something is dragged through it. And you recognize a groove like this, like a. Like a snake or such. But this groove in particular, the vegetation around it, the dirt itself, it all just kind of seems to be a little bit grayer, a little bit more blighted than the rest. And this could be the direction that you're looking for, for that specific trail.

Lucia (Milo)

I want to walk over to Jin and Everett and point at the- at the groove on the ground and go, "I think this is where it is."

Everett (Bizly)

"What do you think that?"

Lucia (Milo)

"It's gray."

Everett (Bizly)

"Yeah. Look, there's a lot of gray stuff around here, okay, leader? What makes you think this is going to take you to the monster?"

Everett (Bizly)

"You are so bitter."

Lucia (Milo)

"They said yesterday that it has an aura.."

Everett (Bizly)

"Aura."

Lucia (Milo)

"We can't kill it because the aura goes away. Aura." And I point again at the ground.

Everett (Bizly)

"What does aura have to do with gray? You're making no sense, okay. You never should have had that horn."

Lucia (Milo)

I start doing the face again.

Everett (Bizly)

"You only have it because Jin got it in my-"

Lucia (Milo)

It's even worse this time, it looks fully looks like I ate a lemon.

Everett (Bizly)

"Okay, we'll go your way. Just stop."

Lucia (Milo)

I turn around, and I walk.

Jin (Condi)

"Honestly, good leadership. You defused that situation really well. For the record, I agree with you."

Everett (Bizly)

"I bet you do. Can't stay away from a bandwagon, can you, Jin?"

Jin (Condi)

"Okay, it's not really a bandwagon when it's one other person, okay?"

Everett (Bizly)

"Call it whatever you want."

Grizz

You follow this groove, and it does disappear every once in a while. It almost like. You see the groove and the- in the dust and the dirt in the floor, and then it disappears for a little bit, and then it drags again, and you keep following that around for a little bit. And you guys set out early in the morning, because, as you know from when you took the hunter's exam, hunting at night is far more dangerous than during the day. And so you are a bit on a time limit. You're trying to finish this by sunset. You guys walk for a few hours following this path, and you're scaling up tree trunks that kind of curve up ledges. You scale different cliffs, you walk down different paths. You go through tunnels, you swim through little, small cavities of water. Not necessarily rivers, but just kind of, like, banks of water. And it is a trek for a bit, as you're kind of following, and you're beginning to see a bit more of signs of, like, decay. Dead leaves, dead birds.

Everett (Bizly)

"Could be anything."

Grizz

And then at some point, who has the highest passive perception?

Everett (Bizly)

Me.

Jin (Condi)

11

Everett (Bizly)

11.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, 15.

Everett (Bizly)

God damn it.

Grizz

Lucia, since you have the highest passive perception and you're actually kind of leading the trek here, my first question, because I almost forgot. Did you leave Amber behind today, or did you bring her with you? Okay, good. So, Amber. Amber's back. Back home. That's really good to know. You hear. You guys kind of exit a tunnel system that's created by fallen over trunks of trees. And then you hear a (Inhale) a sharp inhale close by.

Lucia (Milo)

"What's that?"

Grizz

Catches everybody's attention. Yours first, Lucia.

Everett (Bizly)

"What's what?"

Lucia (Milo)

"Sound."

Jin (Condi)

"It definitely didn't sound good. Should we get closer and check it out?"

Lucia (Milo)

Does the- does it sound, like labored?

Grizz

Yes.

Everett (Bizly)

Does it sound human?

Grizz

Yeah. You guys kind of all shift your focus to this sound, and you see. You see a few corpses. And then next to those bones, you see a person laid up against an overgrown, mossy covered rock with half of their body pretty much disintegrated.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Grizz

Flaking into, like, gray dust and ash. You see someone just going (labored breathing)

Everett (Bizly)

Oh. Come down and kneel right next to him. "What's happened?"

Grizz

"Please help. Help."

Everett (Bizly)

"You fought well, Hunter."

Jin (Condi)

"What did this to you?"

Grizz

Horned... primate...

Jin (Condi)

I look back at both of them

Everett (Bizly)

Is this something that we think could be healed at all?

Jin (Condi)

Or is this guy like dead? I'm actually gonna look to Lucia for this. Cause she is-

Lucia (Milo)

I'm like, panicking.

Jin (Condi)

Oh.

Lucia (Milo)

I'm trying to figure out what I can do.

Grizz

Take your time.

Everett (Bizly)

"Lucia, can this be healed? Lucia?"

Lucia (Milo)

"I don't know."

Grizz

Roll a medicine or arcana check.

Everett (Bizly)

"You're the leader. You have to lead."

Lucia (Milo)

17.

Grizz

Oh, 17. By absolutely no means magical can this guy be cured of his, what looks like you can only guess, maybe necrotic monster blight. You feel the arcing kind of like energy off the side of his body. He's been hit by something, a blast of some sort that is just slowly eating him away until he will just be bones like his party beside him. At your current power level, the most you can do is ease the pass or hasten it.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia shakes her head.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Lucia (Milo)

Kind of kneels down next to the guy. "What's your name?"

Grizz

"Jackal."

Lucia (Milo)

"Jackal."

Grizz

"My party, Team Echo. Walnut." There's like, a small, like, gnomish set of bones. "Sunflower."

Everett (Bizly)

Does he have any kind of weapon on him? Maybe like a dagger?

Grizz

You see, because he's, like, slumped on the rock. On. Both of his hands are kind of open. You see two square shaped, oversized chef knives that are broken. Like, just cracked. Like they

were slammed against something hard and then shattered. So he's kind of just holding two handles and a bit of broken blade.

Jin (Condi)

I'd also like to look at him and see. I assume there's probably a way to distinct if somebody is a fresh hunter or a more veteran one. Is there anything on him?

Grizz

There is a way to know. You can tell just by this guy's tattoos that he is about mid ranked, so he's not fresh, but he's not like, he's not been here as long as maybe the hunt master or maybe some others.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, so he's at least experienced.

Grizz

Probably stronger than you are. Definitely at least in knowledge.

Jin (Condi)

Jin definitely, I think a sort of somber and serious look kind of takes his face as he realizes just what we're up against right now. And he looks back to Everett and Lucia and says, "Well, what should we do? I mean, should we just. Is there any saving him, Lucia?"

Lucia (Milo)

"No."

Everett (Bizly)

If there's a shard of his blade on the ground, I'd like to pick it up and I'll just hold it and look over to them.

Jin (Condi)

I give a nod. I think.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia turns away.

Everett (Bizly)

I get close to him. I kind of part my hair a little so I can look him in the eyes. "May the stars guide your path to peace." And I take the blade, and I push it into his throat.

Grizz

He's gone.

Everett (Bizly)

I don't break eye contact.

Jin (Condi)

Do we, um. I probably give it a moment, but do we have, like, anything, like, flares or something that could potentially bring attention to things like this, to, like, watchers or anybody who would be keeping an eye out over the island?

Grizz

Yeah, like, maybe, like, a yellow colored flare that you can shoot up? It is a little tough to find a space to shoot it up because of. Again, you look up, and there's just, like, web, almost like a spider web, but it's made of thick tree branches and stuff like that. It's really hard to see the sky. That's probably why they haven't been found yet. But, yeah, I'd say you could at least mark the location on maybe, like, a map or something.

Jin (Condi)

I just want to- I want to make sure that they're found.

Grizz

For sure.

Jin (Condi)

"Okay, well, it sounds like we found our mark."

Grizz

You can see their footprints and stuff, where they- where he ran from and dragged the two other party members, and you can continue to follow that. And the decay gets. It is more noticeable now.

Everett (Bizly)

I close his eyes and stand up and, "Where to next?"

Jin (Condi)

We follow their tracks. I think team lead.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia would kind of just have her head down, and I think at this point, just hand the horn to, to Jin and just kind of follow quietly behind the both of them.

Jin (Condi)

No.

Grizz

Aw, so sad.

Jin (Condi)

"I think you should keep it. Lucia. Listen, the fact is, at the end of the day, this is a dangerous monster. If something happens to Everett and myself, we're going to be in the thick of it, fighting with this thing. You need to be able to signal anything that could happen."

Everett (Bizly)

"He's right."

Lucia (Milo)

She kind of nods her head, just starts walking forward.

Grizz

All right. You guys continue following the trail, and eventually you start seeing stumps where trees have been. It looks ripped off, knocked down, but the logs are missing, and the stumps themselves are dark and dead. A lot of the vegetation on the ground is dead as well. And I need to know before you come to this kind of, like, open recess. It's kind of like break in the trees almost forcefully as the area gets more and more blighted. Would you guys like to be stealthy?

Everett (Bizly)

Hell, yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Yes. Absolutely.

Grizz

Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

Holy motherfuck yeah.

Grizz

One more group stealth check here.

Jin (Condi)

16.

Everett (Bizly)

Less good there.

Grizz

16 from Jin, 11 from Everett, and 4 from Lucia. You guys reach a break, like I said, in the forest. And you see it's like a circular opening of just dead ground. And as you guys get closer, raindrops begin to break through the branches before it starts pouring. Your vision gets a little bit worse because of the lack of sunlight and the amount of rain. And in the distance, as you guys

creep into this open area, you see the silhouette of a huge beast. You get closer carefully. You would guess that if it walked bipedally, it may stand straight up to be over 20 feet tall.

Everett (Bizly)

Jesus.

Grizz

Even at your size, Jin, you probably come up to the middle of its shin. Yeah, it moves around hunched over as its hulking ape arms kind of like punch into the earth. Its back legs are hooved and as thick as logs. And you see what's causing that groove in the ground that you've been following. As its tail heavily drags through the mud with a knotted barbed sphere at the end, it lumbers over toward some trees. Even through the rain you can see this smoke like nasty aura rising from its dense, leathery skin. It touches a tree, its bark darkens, becomes brittle, and then it easily rips the tree from its stump. And these trees are big, but that stump, like you've seen before, quickly begins to decay until it just hollows out in the middle, just like all the grass and vegetation in the area, as I've described. And it turns around and just that movement causes you guys to flinch down further to try and hide, just out of instinct. Turns around, you can see two long horns that curve out and up. Its facial features resemble a terrifying primate with hooked teeth. A jut out from the bottom lip.

Grizz

And its eyes that are devoid of any light or soul. You can also tell from this distance what the hunt master described. This like, black stone that grows out of its skin, protecting many of its vitals like a natural armor. You guys see what is truly a predatory beast that owns and kills any part of this forest as it pleases. I'm going to roll its perception.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, lord.

Grizz

It is raining, pouring. Which means everyone's perception is at disadvantage, including the monster. It has a plus two. I want to take the average of your own of your guys rolls, so 16, 11, 4. The average of the roll is ten. So it has to roll seven or lower to not see you. And it's at disadvantage.

Jin (Condi)

There's a chance.

Grizz

It's a 15?

Jin (Condi)

Oh.

Lucia (Milo)

So I'm like closing my eyes super hard in real life as if it's gonna help. He can't see me if I can't see him.

Grizz

Rolled a 10.

Jin (Condi)

Fuck.

Lucia (Milo)

I'm so sorry. I brought the average down.

Jin (Condi)

This is what makes D&D interesting.

Everett (Bizly)

Here's the thing. Here's the thing is, you definitely did.

Lucia (Milo)

Fuck you.

Jin (Condi)

But-

Everett (Bizly)

I wasn't gonna have a "but". I was just.

Lucia (Milo)

I know, that's why I said "Fuck you."

Jin (Condi)

But you are the reason.

Lucia (Milo)

Cuz I knew it was gonna stop there.

Grizz

Lucia. You're watching it rip trees off, and it's building some sort of den for itself. This area is surrounded by broken trees, building walls. What are you thinking as you're in hiding?

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia's kind of checked out right now. Like, mentally. You can see her shoulders have not relaxed the entire time that she was leaning. Kind of hunched over, looking at the ground the entire time, and her hands are consistently shaking. And every so often, she kind of looks back and forth between Everett and Jin and tries to find some semblance of grounding, but I don't think. I don't think they're super grounded right now.

Everett (Bizly)

No. I'm not making eye contact with anybody right now.

Jin (Condi)

I'm locked in on the fucking guy.

Grizz

In your tenseness and your obliviousness, you step back just a little when it turns around and you hear (crack) and it immediately stops while it's holding this tree trunk, and it locks eyes with you. And it begins to make the most visceral, barbaric, terrifying, loud screeches and screams and roars as it raises the log over its head and goes (howling), I need you guys to roll initiative. Unfortunately, no surprise on the big guy, but you have entered its den and it is angry.

Everett (Bizly)

This is 24 with a natural 20.

Grizz

Holy shit. Well done. Well done. First round, top of the round is going to be you, Everett. So it immediately, you notice right away as it's like jumping from- from hoof to hoof, screeching and holding this log above its head. It is about, you guys are on the entrance. There's only, like, one entrance. The rest is surrounded by, like, walls of tree trunks that's been building up, and it's on the very other side, so it's about 60 feet away. So it's a little far for the first round, but that's kind of what happens when you fail your stealth check. So just letting you know, that's what you see right now, what would you like to do for your turn?

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, so I'm going to use my bonus action to immediately take my more bestial form.

Grizz

Okay, excellent.

Everett (Bizly)

What I do is I immediately leap up and start to climb up a tree. And as I do, these black veins that come from his chest start to bulge out even further, and move up his neck and up his face. And his eyes flip to that beast form. His skin almost starts to harden and look more like a monster's hide. He leaps out into the air, and just as he does, lightning strikes down into him. And you see, as it like, channels through his body and shoots out towards the beast. I want to use my breath of the dragon.

Grizz

Oh, okay. Yeah. Fucking-

Jin (Condi)

That's sick.

Grizz

Sick. Okay. Yeah yeah yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

That's a- that's a dex save.

Grizz

Dexterity saving throw DC 12, right?

Everett (Bizly)

DC 12, yeah,

Grizz

It's not proficient in dex saves, only has a plus three, so. 8 or lower?

Everett (Bizly)

Does rain have any effect on a dex save? I know if it does on him, it will on us. I'm just asking.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that's. That's a very slippery slope.

Everett (Bizly)

I know.

Jin (Condi)

Literally.

Everett (Bizly)

I know.

Grizz

Like, moving on the ground here will be difficult terrain. You can try and circumvent that by rolling- I'll tell you what, I want you to roll when it actually comes up. It is not going to be a dex save, unless you choose for it to be a dex save, so. No, it's. It's not necessarily that the rain has gives him disadvantage, it's just that it's risky to move on the ground. Okay, move quickly on the ground. But he rolled a 3, so he fell.

Everett (Bizly)

All right, that's 2d6. 9 Lightning damage. You see, as he in the air, it's almost like a cool freeze frame. The lightning comes down through one hand, you see the veins start to light up through him, straight up. Avatar, the last airbender, comes out the other hand, and I would like to end my turn in another tree nearby.

Grizz

Okay. Sick. As long as you're climbing up on trees and stuff, remember like, there's the walls around this kind of arena. I guess its den is, they're stacked up on most of the ends, so you can climb up those. I'll say, you get like, just a bonus to your AC, while you're in those trees. However, when you see the lightning strike its body, it spreads around and tries to shock its nervous system. But those stones that jut out of its skin, you notice it kind of like absorbs some of it, and it doesn't look like the lighting itself affects it as much as you thought it would. Jin, it's your turn.

Jin (Condi)

"All right. Everett, Lucia, I'm counting on you."

Jin (Condi)

He's gonna run in and I'm assuming its attention is pretty firmly on Everett right now. Just for flavor, can I, like, run up to it, try to slide under its legs and get behind it, like in the mud.

Grizz

You do have to move 60 feet to get to it.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, okay. Gotcha, gotcha, gotcha.

Grizz

Yeah, if you dash, I think you can make it.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, no, I'll just. I'll just dash in. Yes, so that'll be my turn, is just running in and, like, basically signaling, "Hey, let's fucking get this done, everybody."

Grizz

Okay, sick. I'll quote you not raging for your bonus action or anything.

Jin (Condi)

Um, I'm gonna hold off for now.

Grizz

Okay. You rush in, slide under its legs, get within melee range. Your sword, which is 5ft, right? Your swords like 5ft long?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, it's- it's a big sword.

Grizz

Okay, cool. I'm doing mental distance math for this because it's important to me. It is now the horned primates turn. As it was already preparing to do so, it throws that tree trunk log directly towards. See, it was gonna hit Lucia, but it did just get struck by Everett. And it can't really hit you, Jin, until it throws this shit down. So it's gonna fucking toss that shit towards Everett, who has a 17 AC right now.

Everett (Bizly)

I would like to use my reaction to deflect missile. Can I do that?

Jin (Condi)

That's a big fucking missile.

Grizz

Deflect a fucking- hold on hold on. Is there a size limit? Because it is a fucking tree trunk.

Everett (Bizly)

It just says *'If you're hit by a ranged weapon attack, you can deflect or catch the missile.'*

Lucia (Milo)

Catch.

Grizz

Ain't no fucking way, dude.

Jin (Condi)

This is totally dm discretion, I think.

Grizz

So. Yes, yes, yes. You can use a reaction to do this. However, you will be rolling the 1d10 +9. And if you- if you reduce it to zero, then you can spend a Ki point to- to redirect it. But you only have, like, a range of. It looks like 60 feet, so. Oh, you guess you could hit him if you. You have to- you have to decrease the damage all the way, though, so don't roll yet. Roll. I'll tell you to roll it if it hits.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, I will say this. I'll let it hit if I- cuz I wanna- I wanna roll the 1d10 +9. I'll totally let it hit.

Jin (Condi)

You're crazy.

Everett (Bizly)

And if I don't it-

Grizz

I guess so. Are you sure? I mean, like. I'll let you let it hit.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, I mean, it's cool, right? Like-

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, totally. I'm gonna let this fucking happen. Are you kidding? I'm Everett James Pedalbridge.

Grizz

Okay, you said it, and now I can tell you. I rolled two natural 1s, so serious. I'm not using that dice anymore. Okay, so that is actually that's- it's 25 damage. Hit by tree trunk.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay. I can't do it all.

Grizz

Yeah, I know, you subhuman little shit

Jin (Condi)

But you still deflect it somehow.

Everett (Bizly)

All right, that's 14

Grizz

You will take, 11 damage.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, that's not even on my temp.

Grizz

Yeah, way better than 25, dude. So it's still really fucking sick. But also, you could have just not gotten hit at all.

Everett (Bizly)

It was worth the risk if I could have redirect.

Jin (Condi)

Risk/Reward was cool.

Everett (Bizly)

And so what I- what I want to do is instead of, like, could I possibly just hold out my talons straight so that it kind of splits around me and it still, like, hurts, but half to either side.

Jin (Condi)

That's cool as hell.

Grizz

Yeah, awesome. Lucky for you, though, they can only throw once. It turns around to look at you, Jin it leads back. So you do get an attack of opportunity if you want to use a reaction.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I absolutely will. At least back. I fucking slide under it. And as it does, I go for a swing, as was standing back up, and it's leaping back. 18 to hit.

Grizz

18 definitely hits. Go ahead and roll the damage still gonna leap, but-

Jin (Condi)

That's gonna be 13 damage.

Grizz

You immediately notice that when you strike it, it's extremely thick. It's very hard to slash it with your sword at the moment.

Jin (Condi)

Mm hmm. So resistance, probably.

Grizz

Yeah. You can tell it's a little resistant to your sword, but it still jumps up. You- dude it leaps, like, 20 feet into the fucking air, grabs one of the branches above it, then lands on the ground 20 feet away from you, and then it fucking drags its hoof like a ball in the ground, and then charges you. I need you to make a dexterity saving throw.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. So with lists, I do have. Let me look my feats again. It's in here somewhere.

Grizz

No worries.

Jin (Condi)

Danger Sense: You have advantage on dex saving throws against effects that you can see while not blinded, deafened, or incapacitated. So I have advantage on this?

Grizz

You have neither of those things. Yeah. Roll, you need it.

Jin (Condi)

18

Grizz

18. Fuck, yes, dude.

Jin (Condi)

I definitely needed it.

Grizz

You dodge out of the fucking way. It rushes right fucking past you. You've already used your reactions. You can't hit it. And it is now about, like, we'll say, move the- it's, like, 10 feet away from you now. Okay, that's its fucking turn. Lucia, you are up. You're in the battle now. You're hunting the beast,

Jin (Condi)

You're hunting the beast. It's just you. Lock in!

Lucia (Milo)

Oh my God, where's Carl? So it. Jacobs, Mr Beast. It's a. Whatever. Um, where's Nolan? Is that better? How close is it? Because I know it moved towards Jin. How close is it to me now? Still 60?

Lucia (Milo)

Jin moved the whole 60 feet over there? I'd say it's like, maybe, let's say, like, 45 feet away from you now.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. Still works. I do just have a question. He's doing, like, necrotic damage, right? Or no?

Grizz

Oh, thank you so fucking much for reminding me. It has that aura around it. Jin, I need you to make a DC. Uh, sorry, not the d- I'm not telling you DC. I need you to make a constitution saving throw.

Lucia (Milo)

Oops.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

Oh, fuck.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, it was almost a natural. 1. 12, 12, 12.

Grizz

Okay. 12, unfortunately, still doesn't succeed.

Jin (Condi)

That's fine.

Grizz

I wish I made you fucking do this before you took your attack. But anyways, you immediately start breathing in the fumes emanating from its body. You. And you're poisoned.

Jin (Condi)

Ooh.

Lucia (Milo)

I feel like I just asked the teacher if we have homework.

Everett (Bizly)

You did.

Grizz

No. No. Thank you so far fucking much for reminding me because that's a big mechanic of the fight. It changes how you play. Okay.

Lucia (Milo)

So I wanted to ask, if an enemy is doing necrotic damage, does necrotic damage still affect it?

Grizz

Yeah, it's possible. You don't- you don't know it. Just because it has an elemental affinity doesn't mean that it's immune to it.

Lucia (Milo)

I just wanted to make sure if it was, like, an absolutely not scenario.

Grizz

No, no. No way.

Lucia (Milo)

So, Lucia is still in the same spot. She's just been, like, sitting there, just, like, shivering, watching this entire thing happen. But she can muster up the courage to point at the monster, and I want to use Toll the Dead.

Grizz

Oh, okay.

Lucia (Milo)

Which you point at a creature within range and it has to succeed on a wisdom save or take, I think it's 1d12, because it's already taken damage.

Grizz

Yeah yeah, that's true. Okay, I'll go ahead and roll the wisdom save. What's the DC?

Lucia (Milo)

13.

Grizz

Unfortunately, I rolled a natural 15. Does it take half?

Lucia (Milo)

Damn, I don't think so.

Grizz

Mmm. Unfortunate. That's okay, though. That's okay. You still have movement, you have your bonus actions.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah. I want to use shield of faith on Everett, and that gives him +2 to AC.

Everett (Bizly)

Holy fuck, my AC is 19. Good Lord.

Grizz

It'll be 18 when you leave the trees if you do.

Everett (Bizly)

Yes, yes, yes.

Grizz

Yeah. That's awesome. Okay. Do you have- do you have an idea of what your magic looks like when you cast it?

Lucia (Milo)

So, she points at this beast, and you notice a beam of light kind of starts forming at the tips of her fingers, but her fingers kind of start to shake a little bit too much and it kind of just droops. Just nothing happens. She's, like, waiting for the bells to, like, ring in her mind and she's like, "What- what the fuck? What the fuck? What the fuck? Come on."

Grizz

I believe that's your turn. Do you want to stay where you are? Do you want to move at all?

Lucia (Milo)

I'll move my 30 feet, I think, closer to Jin.

Grizz

Okay, thank you. Cool.

Jin (Condi)

I'm probably gonna need that.

Grizz

That means top of the round is you, Everett. What you doing?

Everett (Bizly)

I am going to rush straight for this beast and I'm going to immediately go for a strike on him.

Grizz

All right? You hop down from the trees, you rush forward. Here's what I need from you. Because the rain has been raining for long enough now and I keep forgetting about it. It is extremely muddy ground, so you either move cautiously as difficult terrain, so you'll only get 20 feet of movement, or I will let you risk falling and slipping by rolling a check of your choice, using any of your skills. If you can explain the skill. A little more complicated, but it's a little more fun.

Everett (Bizly)

Let me see what I can- what I can justify. Let me see what I can bullshit. Yeah, I'm gonna do acrobatics and just kind of, like, still use the trees to move along.

Grizz

Yeah. It's just an experimental mechanic to give you, like, more options, to be creative, that's all.

Everett (Bizly)

I like it. I like it. Yes. 23.

Jin (Condi)

Nice.

Grizz

23 is super easy. Yeah. You can rush forward and you can take your attacks and then you can rush away back to the trees. Unless you disengage with a bonus action, you'll get attack of opportunity. You know that by the way.

Everett (Bizly)

Are there trees near him?

Grizz

We're in a clearing of mud and, like, decayed fucking vegetation and stuff. And surrounded you is like a wall of built up tree logs that he's been building. Like he's trying to build himself a little dome, you know?

Everett (Bizly)

I see.

Grizz

And then above you are there like, tree branches that web and stuff and create canopies.

Everett (Bizly)

I'll hit him. I'll hit him and then see- see what I can do. The first hits was 15, though.

Grizz

A 15 just hits

Everett (Bizly)

Really? Holy shit. All right, the next one, what is a 11? That's not gonna hit.

Grizz

That one will miss.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm gonna do that as fire damage with my draconic strike.

Grizz

Okay, cool.

Everett (Bizly)

And I am going to use my bonus action to disengage to get out of there.

Grizz

Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

Seven fire damage.

Grizz

Okay, so it's a few things before you disengage and run away. It- okay, so you strike it. Describe- the first is- first of all, describe me what it looks like when you punch it with fire. And how then how you switch the elements from lightning to fire.

Everett (Bizly)

Well, I most definitely do like, kind of a flip and then push myself up and then come barreling towards it with my feet first. And then my feet just kind of like get all fiery from the, I don't know, like how a spaceship come down from space and they get all fiery.

Grizz

Are you like, injecting yourself with anything?

Everett (Bizly)

Um, no. This stuff is kind of like, already in me. I'm just channeling it in the moment, like-

Grizz

Okay. Fucking sick. Alright, cool. As you do that, you strike it. And you also watch once more. How much damage was it?

Everett (Bizly)

7.

Grizz

The rocks, unfortunately absorb the fire just the same.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay. Okay. So it's not jus-

Grizz

Good to know. You're figuring it out. You're figuring out so fucking proud of you. And it does take its reaction as soon as you hit it, you see it immediately gets fucking pissed. It goes and then it strikes you before you even get a chance to disengage and move in this. In this fury. 27 to hit?

Everett (Bizly)

I think so. Yeah.

Jin (Condi)

No, that doesn't hit, dude. Don't lie to him.

Grizz

For sure.

Everett (Bizly)

I just wanted to give him a fair chance.

Grizz

Well, 12 points of bludgeoning damage. He just fucking smacks you and it fucking hurts, dude. Okay. You like my damn description?

Everett (Bizly)

I mean, I'm looking at my- my health and yeah, it fucking hurts.

Grizz

All right, so. But you're able to. You're able to move back to the trees if you'd like?

Everett (Bizly)

I do.

Grizz

Okay, next up is you, Jin.

Jin (Condi)

I start my turn, would you allow me to do like, a free action survival check, perhaps? With the goal of looking at the black stone on his body and seeing if maybe there's any chips or anything and what might have caused that damage.

Grizz

Okay, before that. Because I keep fucking forgetting.

Jin (Condi)

Yes.

Grizz

When you got into range, Everett, you inhale the fumes emanating from its body. Roll a constitution saving throw for me.

Everett (Bizly)

That is a dirty 20

Everett (Bizly)

Dirty 20? Exactly like the Hunt master hawk assumed. This whatever it's coming off of its body, you seem to have ingested far fucking worse. And you breathe that shit in like it's air and it does not affect you whatsoever. But you can see that it is like it actually actively poisoned jin.

Everett (Bizly)

That is one small drop in a whole bucket of drugs.

Grizz

Okay. Good to know. Now, yes, you can do a free survival check to remind me again what you're trying to figure out.

Jin (Condi)

I'm trying to, because you, you mentioned that the, this black stone on its body is, is basically covering his vitals and protect him, essentially. Right. And absorbing the elements. I wanted to see if there is any, like, marks on it or like scuffs and what might have done it, like, if it was a blunt weapon, yada yada, you know, basically seeing if there's any, any physical damage from like, the previous hunters and what they might have done to do it.

Grizz

Okay, gotcha. Yeah, go ahead and roll a survival check.

Jin (Condi)

Damn. 9.

Grizz

9. You remember that Guildmaster Rock mentioned some kind of black, like, dark ore. You don't remember what he was talking about and, but you gather that this kind of does look like some kind of ore that grows out of it. It's extremely fucking tough and it is absorbing elements. You can at least gather that bludgeoning probably would, it would not be resistant to it. But you're not, you're not sure if that's what you're trying to figure out.

Jin (Condi)

That's fair. That was what I was going to try next anyways. If you would allow me to change my damage type by hitting with like, the broad side of my sword.

Grizz

You were carrying, kind of like an oversized metal slab. So if you just whacking it with like the flat side or the dull side. Yeah, I'll let you change your damage type.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, awesome.

Jin (Condi)

Cool. I'm gonna start, yeah, I'm gonna start wailing on it like that. Okay. You see Jin starts to, like, sweat a lot. He goes red and this kind of fucking aura appears around. And as he begins to rage and charges in towards this giant monkey-bull creature, his eyes are kind of blurry right now. Cause he's poisoned. He's like, "This is gonna be interesting." And runs in and is gonna go for a broadside slash with a greatsword.

Grizz

Okay, so I think you're rolling straight cause you're poisoned and raging.

Jin (Condi)

I think it's only when I do reckless attack. Yeah.

Grizz

Okay, nevermind.

Jin (Condi)

I'm going to leave it then and just do disadvantage for this one. So 15 to hit the first attack.

Grizz

Okay. 15 actually does just hit.

Jin (Condi)

Nice. Okay. 12 damage using the blunt side of the sword,

Grizz

You whack it. 12 fucking damage. You can see that a little bit of those rocks, stone does crumble away, but it's extremely fucking tough. Only like little bits and pieces fall into the ground below you and kind of like sink into the mud.

Jin (Condi)

And then my second attack is going to be 10 to hit.

Grizz

10 to hit does not hit. Sorry.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that's fun. He swings it. "I knew it. Everett."

Everett (Bizly)

"What?"

Jin (Condi)

"It's weak to blunt. Use your fists or something. I don't know, man."

Everett (Bizly)

He doesn't say anything, but he acknowledges.

Lucia (Milo)

Dude, I'm weak to blunt.

Everett (Bizly)

I fucking. I fucking roll one up. I fucking roll one up. Up right now.

Grizz

All right, any. So you've used your bonus action, your actions. You want to move away at all or you want to stay next to it?

Jin (Condi)

I want to stay right next to it.

Grizz

Okay. Fucking fantastic it is-

Jin (Condi)

Also, it does take an additional 2 damage. Yeah, forgot about that.

Grizz

No, that's great. Great to know.

Jin (Condi)

And an additional 3 damage from my storm aura. My bad. That's fire damage, by the way. So it half that

Grizz

Now it is the horned primates turn. I finally get to fucking say, You just smacked it so fucking hard, it is getting progressively more and more pissed off. Let's see. I'm trying to think if Lucia is close enough to it to inhale the fumes.

Lucia (Milo)

I was right- I mean, I actually don't know how close I was to Jin. I ran to Jin. 30 feet.

Jin (Condi)

You were about 30 feet away from me at that point.

Grizz

Okay, I'll just say. We'll say that for your turn. Like, its arms are themselves are like 10 feet long, and it, like, wildly fucking swings them toward both of you and it's gonna hit- try and hit Jin first, just to punch you in the face. 21 to hit.

Jin (Condi)

That does it.

Grizz

And then it at the same exact time. Once it, like, it almost uses its own momentum as it swings its left fucking hulking fist at you, and it swings the rest of its body as well to kind of hit you with a combo to smack you with its tail.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

It's a natural 19.

Jin (Condi)

That does it.

Grizz

Oh, fuck, dude. No, I'm gonna roll these two first. Cuz this. This is a little. A little rough. When you get hit with this fist, you take 10 points of bludgeoning damage.

Jin (Condi)

Halved, so five.

Grizz

Yep. Because you're raging and then you take from the tail. The smoky, like, nasty aura is almost kind of like, condensed around this ball. And when it fucking, it hits you in the stomach and the diaphragm kind of crushes it almost. You feel those barbs dig into your skin and pierce it, and you feel immediately fucking almost inebriated. Go ahead and make a constitution saving throw.

Jin (Condi)

God, please. Fuck my life. 11.

Grizz

With an 11. Fuck, dude, this is bad. So first you take 12 points of bludgeoning damage. Halved to 6.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

Then it's fucking hard.

Jin (Condi)

It does.

Grizz

You feel yourself. You're gonna hate this.

Jin (Condi)

I feel like I am.

Grizz

You are stunned,

Jin (Condi)

You son of a bitch.

Grizz

Then it sees you get kind of, like, knocked back and disoriented, and in that moment, it is fucking bloodlusted.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I did just do like actual damage.

Grizz

It is going to- it raises its right fist up and it's going to fucking hit you again.

Jin (Condi)

It gets advantage. I'm stunned.

Grizz

Hoo, natural 19.

Jin (Condi)

You just stop rolling. You just stop rolling. Good. Ouchie.

Grizz

That is a 10 extra points of bludgeoning damage. Halved to 5.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, so am I- am I stunned? Like, missed my turn, next turn or?

Grizz

Once you're smacked with that second fist, you feel yourself come back to your senses, but you've been absolutely fucking brutalized. And I'll say that you can't use your reaction to- as it is about to fucking hop 20 feet up and then 20 feet away. But, Lucia, I guess you are close enough if you do want to take. Use your reaction to hit it. You can try.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, sure. Is 19.

Grizz

Yeah, 19 does it. Go ahead and roll that uh bolt damage.

Lucia (Milo)

2.

Grizz

Okay. Cute.

Jin (Condi)

Little 2 damage.

Grizz

You just kind of see it stick into its body a little bit. As it hops away, it grabs one of the branches above it and then swings 20 feet. It's in like the- towards the entrance direction almost. So it's a little bit further from you guys now. And it's definitely farther from you, Everett. So next up is going to be Lucia.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. How close are the two of them to me? Like, within a range.

Grizz

Since you didn't inhale the smoke, you wouldn't have been close enough to Jin. So say you're probably, like, 15-ish feet away or so.

Lucia (Milo)

And then Everett is- is he in a tree?

Everett (Bizly)

I'm in a tree.

Lucia (Milo)

You motherfucker.

Everett (Bizly)

I shouldn't be that far.

Lucia (Milo)

No, I mean, I was seeing if I could Balm of Peace on both of them. Like, just, like, run from one to the other, but I don't think I can.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, help Jin.

Lucia (Milo)

No, I am. Yeah, I th- this is the plan. Don't worry.

Everett (Bizly)

I can't believe how much, like you've- you've gotten fucked up just now.

Lucia (Milo)

I think I'm just gonna run to Jin.

Grizz

Okay.

Lucia (Milo)

And I want to cast-

Grizz

Cautiously or risky? You either use all your movement cautiously or only half your movement if you risk it.

Lucia (Milo)

I think I'll go cautiously.

Grizz

Okay, cool. Yeah, you can make it to him easily.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah. And I just want to cast Cure Wounds on him. So Lucia kind of tiptoes around all of the mud and the rocks, and slowly makes her way over to you and just fucking licks her hand and slaps it on your stomach. And you slowly start to feel the wound on your chest healing, and it kind of burns a little bit, but you can't figure out why. Like, you're like, is-

Jin (Condi)

Are you killing me or hurting me?

Lucia (Milo)

Is it just kind of how the spell feels? You don't know. And you get 1d8 +2. So. Awesome. Wow.

Jin (Condi)

Hey, that's okay. That put me back over 40. So like-

Everett (Bizly)

Wait, back over 40?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, man.

Everett (Bizly)

How much fucking health you have?

Jin (Condi)

54.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, you need to start helping me instead. Fuck this guy.

Lucia (Milo)

You literally went, "Nah, Jin needs it, man. Jin needs- don't even-"

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah. I didn't know he was a fucking powerhouse.

Jin (Condi)

Well yeah. I take hits for a living, okay. It's what I do. It's what I'm here for. Okay, I'm gonna. I'm gonna distract the monster, and you- you go in for the big attack.

Lucia (Milo)

And I kind of want to, like, lean over and whisper to Jin, "Don't kill it."

Jin (Condi)

"I'm not trying to. Thank you, but it's still looking pretty healthy to me."

Lucia (Milo)

And I don't think I'm gonna take a bonus action because.

Grizz

Sick. Okay, cool. That's your turn.

Jin (Condi)

Yep.

Lucia (Milo)

That's it.

Grizz

Next up, Everett. What are you- what's you up to?

Everett (Bizly)

How fucking far is it?

Grizz

It's far enough to where you're gonna have to either choose to risk falling in the mud or move cautiously.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm gonna risk it.

Grizz

Okay. Okay. Acrobatics again.

Everett (Bizly)

Natural 1.

Grizz

What the fuck? Okay, so here's what happens. You move at least half your movement. You get right up closer to, like, Lucia and Jin, and then you slip and fucking eat the mud. You are prone.

Jin (Condi)

"Dude, seriously?"

Everett (Bizly)

"Shut up and focus and help me up."

Grizz

You are prone so you can't get up and use your- your movement. So do you want to use your action or bonus action on this turn from where you are? You have anything for distance?

Everett (Bizly)

To do what?

Grizz

If you have any distance? I don't know. Any ranged attacks?

Everett (Bizly)

No, man. I don't have shit.

Grizz

You don't have shit? I could have sworn you have, like, darts or the dragon breath or something.

Everett (Bizly)

I have a dart. It doesn't do very much.

Jin (Condi)

It does a d4. +4.

Grizz

Well, it adds up in the end.

Everett (Bizly)

Can I use my action to get the fuck up?

Grizz

Technically, yes, cuz you would be dashing, so. So, yes, you can. You can do that and stand up. That's actually really- that's actually really good.

Everett (Bizly)

I'll do that. And then I'm gonna use bonus action Patient Defense, and spend a ki point. So to take the dodge action.

Grizz

Alright. Sick. So it has advantage. Cool. Next up is Jin.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. You just got up, right?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah.

Grizz

You did. Okay, so the monsters, like 20-ish feet away from. So you don't- you don't have to risk it with your movement, I think.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

You have 40. Damn, you guys are fast fucking boys.

Jin (Condi)

Yes.

Grizz

What would you like to do?

Jin (Condi)

Did you say it jumped up or like is it on the ground?

Grizz

It jumped up 20 feet to grab one of the branches and then swung about like 20 feet away. So it's like 20. It's on the ground again, 20 feet away.

Jin (Condi)

First of all, would you let me, like, with my attacks, attempt to destroy the plating so that their attacks do better? And when I get the vibe, they'd be upset about it, like the. The association, like Hunt Master Hawk, all those guys? If I did that?

Grizz

I just- I think that you would know that, like, if this is the ore that the Guildmaster Rock was talking about, it's valuable to like you, like yourself, you know, because it could be a we- it could be made into weapons if you have enough of it.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

So it's pretty valuable to the entire thing. If you- if you did that and then left it here, they'd be a little upset for sure.

Jin (Condi)

We could just like, pick it up afterwards, basically. Like the chunks.

Grizz

Yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

Unless you forget about it.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, I'm gonna look at Everett. I'm gonna say, "Okay, I'm gonna distract it and try to break off the stone, okay? You go for the vitals."

Everett (Bizly)

"Yeah sure."

Jin (Condi)

"Just don't kill, it, okay? Lucia, really relying on you here to let us know when you think it's probably ready to be captured."

Everett (Bizly)

I was choking on fucking water. Sorry. No, I was. I mean, in real life, I was drinking fucking water. "Yeah, sure."

Jin (Condi)

And, uh. Do I ever get to try to resist the poison again, by the way? Or is it just, uh, there?

Grizz

You're poisoned for a duration. I'll let you know.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, gotcha. And then I'm gonna. Yeah. Saying all that. I'm gonna go up and I'm going to once again do a big, sort of, like, hulking, almost 360 spin into the stone, if I can, of my great sword.

Grizz

Okay. Roll the hit.

Jin (Condi)

Natural 1. Cool. And my second hit. I'm still. I'm a tornado. I keep going. 16.

Grizz

16 does hit. You sure you don't want to reckless the first one?

Jin (Condi)

Actually, yeah. If you'll let me. If you'll let me sure, why not?

Grizz

Yeah, dude.

Jin (Condi)

I will- I will do reckless.

Grizz

Then you can- you can roll twice for both.

Jin (Condi)

So.

Grizz

So advantage for the first one is

Jin (Condi)

I'll just-if it's okay, I'll just take the first roll on both of those, because they both are. They're 17 and 19.

Grizz

Oh, yeah, sure.

Jin (Condi)

Cause I don't think it, like, it just negates the disadvantage. Right?

Grizz

Oh, yeah. 17, 19, okay, I see that. Yeah, sure, sure. That works. So both of your attacks will hit.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I just, like, go. I slide into it. I get momentum, I start using the mud beneath me to keep me kind of moving forward towards it. I start spinning like a fucking tornado as I just, like, whack it consistently.

Grizz

You're, like, cutting through the rain that is pouring all around all of you and causing this fucking almost like. Like vortex of a water tornado around you. Okay. Sick.

Jin (Condi)

And for the, for the second hit, I would also like to use my Martial Adept feature and do a goading attack.

Grizz

Okay, what is- what do I roll for that?

Jin (Condi)

So that is gonna be a Wisdom saving throw.

Grizz

DC?

Jin (Condi)

15.

Grizz

I rolled a natural 1.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. So for this turn or until the beginning of my next turn, the target has disadvantage on any attack roll against anybody else besides me.

Grizz

Okay. Sick. It took how much damage from both attacks?

Jin (Condi)

12 plus 13, 25 damage.

Grizz

25 bludgeoning damage?

Jin (Condi)

Yes.

Grizz

Okay, you see that as you are doing this, the make of your sword is not meant to be used this way. And it is. It is damaging it quite a bit. Yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that's fair.

Grizz

Okay, so it has disadvantage on anyone but you on its next turn.

Jin (Condi)

Yes.

Grizz

All right. And you're staying within his range?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I'm not leaving it. I am, absolutely. I did- the first one, it hits. It hits him in the fucking stone. The second one, I kind of like do an overhead and fucking bonk him on the head to really piss him.

Grizz

Okay, sick. Well, lucky for you, it is his turn. So.

Jin (Condi)

If possible, actually, at the end of my turn, I'd like to be making him face away from the other two, actually. Sorry, that's the end.

Grizz

What do you think this is? Fucking tanking in Final Fantasy XIV?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I'm tanking in Final Fantasy XIV. Okay. Okay. It's all I ever do. It's my entire life.

Grizz

What the fuck?

Jin (Condi)

Listen, it's just the back is a vulnerable spot, okay? You know, you don't want- you don't want your back to the enemy, and I want back to us. Okay? It's just the way it is.

Grizz

Uh, you know? Sure, I guess. I mean, it still knows where the other guys are. It's okay.

Jin (Condi)

I just- I just- it's just flavor, man, whatever.

Grizz

Okay, so it actually, it is like, it's like hopping and stuff, like it like, like an angry fucking primate might and it is pissed. It's drooling and it's exhaling, you know, steam and viscera and saliva. And it's just going to fucking do like a somersault to smack you on the head with its fucking tail. And that is going to be 24 to hit with its tail.

Jin (Condi)

That is surely hits.

Grizz

Oh my God, I forget. I fucking. Holy shit, dude, you're so lucky. I forgot last round, but now I didn't.

Jin (Condi)

Uh oh. What does that mean?

Grizz

So 14 points of bludgeoning damage. Make that con save once more.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that figures. That's halved too, right? Dude, I keep rolling a 6 every single time. I have an issue.

Grizz

You still rage, right?

Jin (Condi)

I am. Yes.

Grizz

Okay, cool. Yes, that is halved because you're raged, but you do immediately get stunned once more and it's going to fucking beat you up.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that makes sense. Ouchy. Oofy. Ow, ow, ouchie.

Grizz

Okay, first fist attack after the somersault as it slams its fist onto you. Natural 20, fuck.

Jin (Condi)

"Don't worry, guys, I can take him."

Lucia (Milo)

It's okay guys, I healed him 4 HP.

Jin (Condi)

"Everything's gonna be fine."

Grizz

14 points of bludgeoning damage again. And then once- one more slam on you. Natural 20. No fucking way. No fucking way.

Everett (Bizly)

You're going to delete his entire health in this turn and kill him!

Jin (Condi)

I'm okay. I'm a little fucked up.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, I totally used the wrong Cure Wounds too. That's awkward.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, two natural 20s?

Grizz

Oh, well, I have an advantage on both attacks.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm saying like, that shit could very much kill you.

Jin (Condi)

That would very much kill a normal person.

Everett (Bizly)

Like wipe you out. Like player death.

Jin (Condi)

I am a barbarian, to be fair.

Jin (Condi)

Dude, I could have healed you so much more, I feel so bad.

Grizz

So you take 11 points of bludgeoning damage.

Jin (Condi)

Halved?

Grizz

Yep. Halved.

Everett (Bizly)

On a natural 20?

Grizz

Yeah, I mean, I rolled pretty low on the d6s.

Jin (Condi)

High on the hit, low on the damage. Bless.

Grizz

You're very lucky it did not roll natural 20 on its tail.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that makes sense. That would hurt.

Grizz

That shit fucking hurts.

Everett (Bizly)

I was gonna say he did a lot more than that to me without just- just-

Jin (Condi)

That was with a actual tree trunk that you chose.

Everett (Bizly)

No, no, he hit me.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, yes. You hit- got hit too.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, I got hit too.

Grizz

Oh, right, right, right. When it struck you one time I rolled M=max damage on that one.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, okay. Yeah, that makes fucking sense.

Grizz

So that's its actions. It's multi attack. You are fucking like dazed. You're not stunned for the rest of the round. Just for that, just for once, you get hit and then hit again and you're like, you. You guys see that Jin, he successfully goaded it and got what was coming.

Jin (Condi)

"I got what I wanted."

Grizz

As your vision is like shaking and then blurring, you're trying to like situate yourself. The horned primate, he turns around, runs his hoof on the ground and begins to charge at Lucia and Jin, who are sitting far away. Let me roll something right here. He's totally good. He is doing- he's being pretty risky here. Once again, since you were stunned, no reaction to hit him, I think that's better than losing your turn.

Jin (Condi)

I agree. Yeah, I'm fine with losing reaction.

Grizz

So both of you go ahead and make a dexterity saving throw as he charges with his horns directly at you. This is the bull side of the creature.

Everett (Bizly)

I did take the Dodge action. Does that give me anything for-

Grizz

You do roll with advantage, by the way.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, thank God.

Grizz

Roll it. No, no, not you. Lucia. Hold on. Give me one second.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, no.

Everett (Bizly)

Natural 1 and a natural 20.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

Good thing you had advantage, huh? What was yours, Lucia?

Lucia (Milo)

2. It rolled over a natural 20 and then just tipped.

Grizz

Everett, you successfully duck under the way and dodge. Lucia, you get hit by. Not necessarily hit, but under your feet. His fucking face and horn scoop you up. And then he stands up full 20 feet, lifts you into the air, and you get thrown 30 feet into the air and you land on the branches above. You're now like 30-ish, probably 30 feet hanging on to a branch above this kind of like den area now.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh my God.

Grizz

You're technically prone as well.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

Okay, so that's its turn. It's now next to Everett. It's further away from you, Jin. Lucia, it's your turn.

Jin (Condi)

You're in a tree now.

Lucia (Milo)

Am I- am I hanging on to this branch, like with my hand?

Grizz

You're most certainly hanging with your hands.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

You are in a bad spot, if you fall, you will take damage. And if you want to get back on, if you want to pull yourself onto the branch, it will be a strength check. Like athletics.

Lucia (Milo)

And I'm- and I got a negative 1 in strength, baby.

Everett (Bizly)

Wow.

Grizz

Or you can continue to hang, but then you can't use your hand. So it's really up to you.

Everett (Bizly)

I hope you got a spell.

Lucia (Milo)

Give me one sec.

Everett (Bizly)

What you got? Like what even?

Lucia (Milo)

I don't know dog. I don't know. Spawn a trampoline under me? I can't use Mage Hand because I can only. I'm not- I'm not that, I'm not that petite.

Jin (Condi)

Surely not.

Grizz

Yeah.

Lucia (Milo)

Only hold ten pounds. Maybe if I was a newborn baby.

Grizz

It's a somatic spell too. So Mage Hand requires your hands.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, fuck. You're right, dude.

Grizz

Anything that has that little S on the notes, S or M, you cannot do. You can only do vocal stuff right now.

Lucia (Milo)

Got it. Got it.

Grizz

Unless you pull yourself up or drop.

Jin (Condi)

You can cast Light.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, dude. Oh, I could see so much better.

Grizz

It's also really slippery. This branch is extremely slippery.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, just- just a- another question. How does it. How does he look? Does he look like he fatigued at all? Like he's close to anything? So we should, like, back off and, like, try and capture him.

Grizz

Look down, look down from your branch and give me a, let's just say Medicine.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

Check.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. Sick, 23.

Grizz

23. Yeah. This is your job. He is looking. Here's what I'll say, first of all, he's energized, but it's almost like he's being fueled by pure aggression and rage. He still has some sort of control with his attacks, but every time he takes damage, he gets more progressively triggered. But he has taken damage. He's starting. There's, like, the rocks around him as Jin has been hitting him and as Everett's been hitting him, it's crumbling away and starting to reveal, like, different wounds and such. So he's panting, he's angry. He's getting a little bit more sloppy, but he's not quite fatigued enough to where you think he would be successfully captured. He has far too much energy for that.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, so.

Grizz

Thank you, Monster Hunter, for being able to help describe how a monster is looking.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

Waiting for the fated limp.

Jin (Condi)

Surely it shows its face eventually before I die.

Grizz

All right, what would you like to do?

Lucia (Milo)

Would the strength check be an a- my action?

Grizz

Normally it's like half your movement.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, okay, okay.

Grizz

But if you do fail, you will fall.

Lucia (Milo)

So I want to shout a command. It's like 60 feet from me, right? Or less.

Grizz

Yeah, yeah, sure. Command will reach. Command will reach. You would know that the creature has to speak your language for the command. I think if it doesn't understand your language, it won't. You don't know. I mean, it's a primate. Maybe it does. I don't know. Evolution.

Jin (Condi)

Maybe it's smart.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, sign language make the Mage Hand do it.

Lucia (Milo)

Dude, give orange. Me give- eat orange. Okay, I'll try.

Grizz

Okay. What's the one word?

Lucia (Milo)

And I just want to grovel. But I don't think she would know the word grovel, so I think she would just go "Sit." And I want to see if it would just fall prone.

Everett (Bizly)

Somebody's weird fuckng dog.

Grizz

Sure. Okay. I'm going to roll the wisdom save, right. Okay. I rolled a natural 16, so- I know it's unfortunate. I think it would be really funny if it just like, sat down immediately. What you do notice, though is that it kind of. Its head flinches towards you in it when you yell it. As if it did understand some sort, some bit of the language. Monkeys. Monkey do not speak a monkey understand.

Lucia (Milo)

Monkey understand, monkey know.

Grizz

But the magic does not take effect.

Lucia (Milo)

Fucking-

Grizz

So would you like to pull yourself up or would you like to just hang here?

Lucia (Milo)

No, I just want to hang here. No, pull up- try and pull up. My weak little twig arms.

Grizz

Okay. Roll your athletics check, actually, or- yeah.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, athletics. Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

Could be argued that acrobatics work- oh you already rolled it. Oh, it was bad.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, acro- acrobatics is plus zero.

Grizz

Mmm.

Lucia (Milo)

I mean, it's either an 8 or a 13

Everett (Bizly)

That's really, really not much better.

Jin (Condi)

Like, not really much better, unfortunately.

Grizz

So you struggle. You're trying to swing yourself up and you're swinging yourself a little bit too much. And this branch is a little too slippery. Your fingers, unfortunately, it gives and you are gonna fall about 30 feet towards the ground, into the mud. Oops. Shit. That's- aw, man. I'm not really great on these damages. 5. That's 6 points of damage.

Jin (Condi)

Could be worse.

Grizz

I rolled a 3, 2, and a 1.

Jin (Condi)

You broke your tail bone.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah. My butt hurts.

Grizz

Yeah. Well, luckily the mud is kind of a cushion, if it was hard ground it'd be a little worse. I believe that's your turn. You did just take damage, so just roll a- because your- your Shield of Faith is concentration. So just roll that con save. You're all good. You're all good. 11. That's what you got?

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah.

Grizz

Okay. Yeah, you're all- you're all good. You're still- you still got that up.

Lucia (Milo)

Sick.

Grizz

So top of the round is going to be Everett.

Everett (Bizly)

I hit the wounds. I hit.

Grizz

Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

I hit it. First one, first one 24,

Grizz

24 hits.

Everett (Bizly)

Second one, natural 19. That's 26.

Grizz

That fucking hits.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm gonna spend a ki point and I'm gonna hit it and ge- wait. I'm gonna roll this damage and make sure it's not gonna die. That was only a 5. The next one-

Grizz

You have two attacks? Holy shit.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah. Five and an eight.

Grizz

What elemental damage are these?

Everett (Bizly)

It's not. It's just- it's just bludgeoning.

Grizz

Oh, okay, okay. So you're not using your monster affinities to be stronger?

Everett (Bizly)

No, no, no, I'm just hitting it. It just lets me change the element in case that something is weak to the element.

Grizz

Right? Mm hmm. It's not dead, no.

Everett (Bizly)

Cool, cool, cool. Okay, okay, so I use a Ki point. Flurry of Blows, I get two more armed attacks. That one is another natural 19. It's a 26 to hit. This one is a- that's a 9 to hit. That didn't work.

Grizz

That does not hit. Okay, one more.

Everett (Bizly)

But this one is 9 damage.

Grizz

9 damage. So a total of 22 bludgeoning damage on.

Everett (Bizly)

Yep.

Grizz

The mon mon.

Everett (Bizly)

I fucking bounce around this thing, just pinging it every in it in its little weak points.

Grizz

Oh, okay, cool. Fucking sick.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm relentlessly brutalizing this thing.

Grizz

You rush up, you go, *bam, bam, bam*. That's the end of your turn.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, pretty much. I'd love to know how it's looking though.

Grizz

You- as you finish, *bam, bam, bam*, you punch into this creature, leaving like, dents into its fucking skin. And you are- you guys have almost completely removed a big portion of the kind of rocks that are covering all- it's all of its vital parts points. And this ore, or the stone is crumbles beneath it and lays in big chunks around its feet. But it kind of like steps on and smashes. And before your turn happens, Jin, because it will be your turn, you watch this creature stand on both of its hind legs, and it begins to fucking beat its chest next to you. And it is making the most vile, thunderous screams as it began, like, its aura almost begins to kind of like static, like electrify, but it's still that same sort of smoke. It's just kind of like mixing together. And it's hair standing up. Its skin begins kind of like stretched out and thin. You can kind of almost see

something translucent below it, beneath it. And it is screaming and enraged. Okay, so it is extremely fucking angry. And now that it is enraged, it is going to use a legendary action to leap into the branches.

Grizz

And this leap does not provoke opportunity attacks. And it leaps into the branches above and begins to kind of like, swing away. And as it touches the branches, you see them, like kind of. It's moving now and the branches decay, but don't necessarily break. So that's its turn. It gets, let's say, like 30 feet up and about 10 feet away. It's total of 40 feet. But it's above now. Now, Jin, it is your turn.

Jin (Condi)

It's above?

Grizz

Oh, yeah, it's swinging away. It's- it's leaving.

Jin (Condi)

Um. "Okay, we got to chase that motherfucker."

Grizz

And it's pissed. It's very pissed.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I guess I'll chase it. How far away is it from me right now?

Grizz

It's all the way above in the branches. So first you have to get up there. So 40 feet total, but 30 feet of it is vertical.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, I'm gonna pull out my javelin and try to throw it. I want to see if I can potentially throw it at a branch or his hand. One of the two, probably the branch, to try and, like, snap it off and make him fall to the ground.

Grizz

Okay. Sick sick sick. Also you can roll to hit the branch. Yeah, yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. I'm still poisoned.

Grizz

Actually, on this turn now. No, the poison does subside.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, I'm gonna reckless attack this one.

Grizz

Okay, cool. Reckless attack.

Jin (Condi)

Advantage, natural 20.

Grizz

Natural 20. You don't have to roll damage. This tree- you will hit the decaying. Okay, sure. Max damage. Okay. Sick. All right. It definitely snaps. It is a monkey, so it might be able to catch itself. I'll have it a roll dexterity save with disadvantage because of how fucking sudden this is. And it's raining. First one's a 14. We'll say the DC here, actually. What's your strength? What's your strength?

Jin (Condi)

My strength?

Grizz

Yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Plus four.

Grizz

Your guy's proficiency is plus two.

Jin (Condi)

Wait, three, three, three.

Grizz

Then we'll put the DC add, plus 4, plus 3, 7, 10. We'll put it like 17. So he has to roll with the dex, three he has to roll 14 or higher. And he just rolled. I think I just rolled- I forgot what it was. It was pretty high, though, though. So this is the last roll disadvantage. He rolled a 4.

Jin (Condi)

Yes.

Grizz

Rolled a 4. Oh, my God, dude. He completely loses his grip and slips. He's still about 40 feet away from you guys outside of the recess, you guys. He's now moving through the jungle. But that is your- that's your- you fucking did that. Okay, what are you doing now?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I'm going to run towards him. I mean, he's on the ground now, right?

Grizz

Yeah, 40 feet away. So you either have to risk falling because you're still in the mud, or only move 20 feet.

Jin (Condi)

I'm gonna risk falling because I can still get a second attack.

Grizz

Okay. Okay. Okay. Yeah. If you don't slip, you can get a second attack. Go ahead and call the ability check you want to use, and if it's anything other than like athletics, acrobatics or whatever, try to explain it to me.

Jin (Condi)

Would you, would athletics work for this?

Grizz

Yeah, sure. Okay.

Jin (Condi)

I use my muscles and shove my feet into the. Into the mud, so I don't slip. 23.

Grizz

23. Good. You make it to him. Go ahead and hit that second attack.

Jin (Condi)

Does reckless attack work on both attacks or just one?

Grizz

Wouldn't matter because he is prone. So you have advantage.

Jin (Condi)

Oh that's true. That's- wow, that sucks. 16.

Grizz

16. But 16 does hit.

Jin (Condi)

Cool. Okay. Oh, yeah, I kind of run in. I like, almost like a fucking hammer slam down again with the broad side. And hopefully my sword doesn't break because that would be tragic and sad. That's gonna be 11 damage, plus 2,

Grizz

11 damage, plus 2. Let me roll the fall damage as well. 13 fall damage. 11 great sword damage.

Jin (Condi)

God, I hope it doesn't die.

Grizz

24 points of damage. However, in its state of being enraged, you know this. Know all too well.

Jin (Condi)

Uh oh.

Grizz

Doesn't look like it really cares too much about this attack or falling.

Jin (Condi)

Uh oh.

Grizz

12 Points of bludgeoning damage. And it is right in front of you. Are you doing anything else with your turn?

Jin (Condi)

Um, I'm chilling. Yeah, no, that's it.

Grizz

Okay.

Jin (Condi)

Um. And hopefully it doesn't kill me now. You know, just like idle thought, hopefully it does not murder my life.

Grizz

So before it hits its turn, because it's the end of your turn, it will use a legendary action. It'll be to this round now. It only has three, so it's when you use two to do this, it lets out a guttural roar. And I need all of you guys to make wisdom saving throws.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, God. I'm bad at that.

Lucia (Milo)

I'm really good. Doesn't matter though, cuz I rolled a 2.

Jin (Condi)

Oh thank God.

Everett (Bizly)

16.

Jin (Condi)

I rolled a 19.

Lucia (Milo)

7? I have a plus 5.

Everett (Bizly)

I have a plus one.

Jin (Condi)

I have a plus one as well.

Grizz

So here's the thing. Here's the thing. This makes total sense to me, by the way, when it roars, first of all, Everett and Jin, you guys shudder a bit. Actually, Everett, it actually, because of the kind of, like, monster DNA within you, you get the sense immediately that this is a- you almost feel the fear of a creature that is pissed off its predator, and it's going to be. And it's going to die. If you get any closer to it, you will die. You, however, do shake it off, because you are badass. Lucia, you do not. You are frightened immediately as it roars. And you, if you failed by one more, you would have had a way worse time. Luckily, you did not fail by ten. But you are frightened. And when you are frightened, you can't move closer to it. You'll be frightened to the end of its next turn. Jin, you're good. Now it's going to take its actual turn. Jin, you're the only one kind of next to it right now, and it doesn't like being pursued. It doesn't want to be pursued at all.

Jin (Condi)

I know, but, like, I mean, what we. It's a target. We got to kill, not kill it. Catch it.

Grizz

All right.

Jin (Condi)

I'm sorry. I'm a little mad right now.

Grizz

It's enraged.

Jin (Condi)

I did just attack recklessly, too.

Grizz

Yeah. Okay, so that's a 19 to hit.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, it hits.

Grizz

All right. The tail comes and swings around, slaps you.

Jin (Condi)

Course it's the tail. Of course it's the tail.

Grizz

That is 12 points of bludgeoning damage and make it a con save.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. Wow. I cannot roll good con to save of my life. I've rolled 6 on every single one of them.

Grizz

That sucks, dude.

Grizz

Unfortunately, you get fucking smacked.

Jin (Condi)

That's eleven.

Jin (Condi)

Why does this keep happening to me?

Grizz

The first one hits natural 19. Jesus, dude. The riptide dice are crazy. It's a 17 to hit. The second one.

Jin (Condi)

That hits, that hits.

Grizz

Take 22 points of bludgeoning damage.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, okay. Yeah. You guys see Jin is barely holding it together. Barely. He looks like one eye is closed and swollen over, and the other eye is just closed because he's, like, about to pass out.

Grizz

This creature is face to face with you looking just as fucking irritated, and it is injured, and it is trying to get away, but you have successfully held it here. Damn, dude. Fuck. All right. Okay, so next up is you, Lucia.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. I'm trying to think of what I can do with my voice.

Grizz

You're not hanging anymore, so you're not. No, no.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, but I can't move.

Jin (Condi)

You can reach me. Can you not move?

Lucia (Milo)

I can't walk, right?

Grizz

Right, right, because you're frightened. You can see it, but you can't get closer.

Jin (Condi)

Right.

Everett (Bizly)

I think I'm nearby you still, right?

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. You're, like, right. Next to each other.

Lucia (Milo)

How close are you to me?

Grizz

You're right next to each other.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. I feel like I should be helping Jin right now, but-

Jin (Condi)

I'm kind of, in a position of my own creation.

Lucia (Milo)

This is true. I think Lucia is just going to, her knees are almost starting to buckle in because her entire body has just kind of gone, like, stiff. And she briefly kind of, like, paws over to try and grab on to something to stabilize herself, and she grabs onto Everett, and then she casts Cure Wounds as she grabs onto him.

Everett (Bizly)

An-anything to not deliberately help Everett, huh?

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Can't do that.

Lucia (Milo)

No, I hate you.

Everett (Bizly)

It's okay, I hate you too.

Grizz

All right. How much healing is he getting?

Lucia (Milo)

Um. I'm gonna do- how do you look?

Everett (Bizly)

I'm not, like, terrible, but I'm not great. I'm not great, for sure.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. Okay. I'm gonna actually use the correct spell slot for this one. It's gonna be $2d8 + 2$. So I healed you, 13.

Everett (Bizly)

13? See, I didn't even take all that. That brings me back to full.

Grizz

Sick. Okay. Yeah. You are in this situation, Lucia, and one of your worst fears has the potential to be realized where you can't even get closer to Jin and he's on knocking on death's door. So just instinctively trying to keep yourself from falling over, you accidentally heal Everett. And then it is Everett's turn.

Everett (Bizly)

I would like to get over to the beast.

Grizz

Okay, you're gonna have to roll that acrobatics or slip. Unless you bonus action Step of the Wind.

Everett (Bizly)

I'll roll the acrobatics.

Grizz

Cool.

Everett (Bizly)

Fuck, all right an 11?

Grizz

So you absolutely will slip. However, I will let you retroactively bonus action plus reaction here. Step of the Wind to catch yourself.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, I'll do that.

Grizz

Cool.

Everett (Bizly)

I want to get over to this motherfucking monkey and smack the shit out of it.

Grizz

All right, go ahead, roll to hit.

Everett (Bizly)

First one is gonna be a 21.

Grizz

21 definitely hits.

Everett (Bizly)

Second one. 25.

Grizz

They both fucking hit, dude.

Everett (Bizly)

Big money. Okay. All right. Damage on the first one, that's gonna be 9. Damage on the second one, that's gonna be 10. So 19 damage. Fuckin rolled a 5 and a 6 on the d6s.

Grizz

Are you using any of your elements? You know that it absorbed fire, it absorbed lightning. A lot of those rocks have been broken off though, and it's.-It's aura is noxious and poisonous. You know that already. You also would have seen that in its enraged state, it did seem to shrug off the- the blunt attacks from Jin.

Jin (Condi)

Mm hmm.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay. With every punch into the beasts wounds, I want to stick my hand in, and from my hand, it secretes an acid.

Grizz

Yes, dude. Yes.

Everett (Bizly)

From each of the teeth embedded into his knuckles. And I just kind of twist my fist inside.

Grizz

Okay. In that case, it will take the full 19 points of damage. Excellent choice. Fuck, dude. Yes. Yes. It is not limping or labored breathing. Is that the end of your turn?

Everett (Bizly)

That is my action bonus. Action reaction. I can do no more. That is the end of my turn.

Grizz

It will use a legendary action here. And as you strike it, you sink in, and this acid secretes from your claws like a snake's venom. And it retaliates and it takes a deep inhale and its own fumes enter its nostrils. And then it roars into your face, Everett and releases this sort of like, necrosis breath. I need you to make a con save.

Everett (Bizly)

Come on, baby. That is cocked as hell. But it's a 16.

Grizz

Oh my God. You just passed. You would take half damage. Um. Dude, oh my God. I don't have enough. I don't have enough dice for this. Hold on, let me look. So you take half of 43 points of necrotic damage.

Everett (Bizly)

Wow that would have killed me instantly.

Grizz

Yes, it would have. It would have killed you instantly, my friend. Are you still up?

Everett (Bizly)

Wow. What is half of that?

Grizz

Half of that is 22 points of damage.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm still up, yeah. Thanks to Lucia.

Grizz

All right. Okay. Okay. So that's legendary action. Lucia, you see, both of your companions, your party members, the Sigmas.

Lucia (Milo)

I've been locked out.

Grizz

They are nearly dead. Next up, Jin.

Jin (Condi)

Fuck.

Grizz

It's whatever kind of, like, extra vitality it got from being enraged. It was kind of. It was run through, as Everett rushed over here and punched the shit out of it. But it is still raged up. Like, it's still enraged.

Jin (Condi)

Mm hmm.

Grizz

So what are you doing?

Jin (Condi)

Oh. Risk reward brain activate.

Everett (Bizly)

Risk. Risk. Risk. Risk.

Jin (Condi)

But I'm so dead right now.

Lucia (Milo)

If you die, I'm gonna kill you.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, fuck.

Everett (Bizly)

On the first one would be pretty fucked up.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah dude.

Jin (Condi)

It would be kind of fucked up. Would you allow me to toss something to Everett as a object interaction?

Grizz

Yes.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. I'd like to pop off the little cap I have on. I probably, like, put them in a little tube. Okay, for the- yeah, I'm popping off for the tranquils and toss one to Everett.

Grizz

Okay.

Jin (Condi)

I'm just gonna yell, "Hey, heads up. I need to back off for a second. This is on you."

Everett (Bizly)

I catch it, but I don't say anything. You can just hear, like, almost like a growl in his breath.

Jin (Condi)

And for my action, I'm going to disengage and try to run back to Lucia.

Grizz

Nice, dude. I, like, purposefully didn't use its reaction when Everett hit it, so. Yeah, you're good. You're good, man. All right. You rush over, she's a little farther away actually.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. I'll do it recklessly again.

Grizz

So athletics.

Jin (Condi)

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Grizz

Got it. You're good. You make it over there. You- you are pretty expertly moving through the mud and stuff, and also, the rain is still pouring through, so you get over to Lucia. Right on. Nice. Okay. You say anything when you get to Lucia?

Jin (Condi)

"Listen, I mean, like, normally, I can't feel anything, but right now, I can't feel anything." And my rage does wear off now since I didn't attack this turn.

Grizz

Right, yeah, sure.

Lucia (Milo)

I think Lucia would just hug him.

Grizz

You get a nice hug in. When it comes back to your turn, you'll no longer be frightened, however.

Grizz

Good luck out there.

Grizz

End of Jin's turn. Here's what I'm gonna do. He's gonna use this last legendary action for the round to move. To do that leap once more, instead of leaping up into the branches, which was gonna be fun to fight in, but you guys broke it.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, my bad.

Grizz

He's going to just leave like 45-ish feet away.

Everett (Bizly)

What the ass?

Grizz

Because it's legendary action. Yeah, instead of going up and away, he's going just straight up away. He's a fucking monkey bull. And because it's legendary action doesn't provoke opportunity attack. And that's going to be legendary action. And now it's his turn. He is going to rip a tree off and throw it at you, Everett.

Jin (Condi)

Dodgeless one, maybe.

Everett (Bizly)

Sure. I don't let it hit me this time.

Grizz

Okay, first one's a 3. Advantage when he's enraged. Second one is a 16, so it's definitely gonna hit.

Everett (Bizly)

16 does not hit, I have Shield of Faith.

Grizz

No no no, 16 is what I rolled.

Everett (Bizly)

Fuck.

Grizz

So it definitely will hit with its plus 6.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, fucking the missile thing. The missile thing. The missile thing.

Grizz

Yeah, yeah, you better, you better, you better hope I roll low, too.

Jin (Condi)

Maybe you can throw it back. That'd be awesome this time, surely.

Grizz

That would actually be kind of sick. Let me grab my uh-

Everett (Bizly)

It's gotta be 19 or lower for me to even have a chance.

Grizz

It's possible. Okay, I rolled a 9 and 1, so it's a 10 plus 6, so 16 points of bludgeoning damage. All right, now roll their deflect. It's possible.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, what do I need? What do I need? What do I need? I need to roll a 7 on this d10. There. There is such a low chance but there's a chance. But there's a chance.

Jin (Condi)

But there's a chance.

Everett (Bizly)

All right, hands in the- hands in the sky. Hands in the sky.

Grizz

Dude, I'm having such a great fucking time.

Everett (Bizly)

I need your energy.

Everett (Bizly)

I need your energy. I need your energy. I need your energy. Milo, your hands up? Give me your energy. Give me your energy. Give me your energy. 8!

Grizz

Please tell me, are you going to spend a Ki point to redirect the tree?

Jin (Condi)

Are you- are you gonna swim the Ki point?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah!

Jin (Condi)

I'm good.

Grizz

Does he take half damage or what is it?

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, so it's not- okay, so here's the thing is, it's not actually a redirection. I just get to make a ranged attack myself.

Grizz

Okay. Okay. Flavor deflect missiles attack. Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

All right, roll the hit. Natural 19. That's 26.

Grizz

Fuck, yes, it is.

Jin (Condi)

Fucking go.

Grizz

Roll damage.

Everett (Bizly)

Well, that's only five damage.

Jin (Condi)

Hey, it's something, dude.

Grizz

Five damage? This shit adds up. Let me tell you.

Lucia (Milo)

Your vote matters.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm really trying to visualize this. I mean, he's throwing an entire tree at me, right?

Grizz

Yeah, dude, whatever you want. It doesn't have to make sense.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, fuck it. I grab the entire bitch and I, like, grab onto a piece of it. I grab onto a nearby tree and I swing around and I use the momentum and I swing it back at the fucking monkey.

Grizz

You're in your beast form, man. This is what you're about. You're a monster fighting a fucking monster. You swing that shit right back at him. He takes-

Everett (Bizly)

I get monstrous.

Grizz

Takes the damage, he gets smacked with it. It's just going fucking crazy. In the background, he is 45 feet away. That's his damn- he took damage on his own turn. Ha ha get fucked. So, Lucia, it is your turn.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. Jin's next to you looking fucking dead.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, I'm just trying to think of a fun way to-

Jin (Condi)

Give me some berries you picked.

Lucia (Milo)

Dude, the berries in my bag, they're totally poisonous. I'll just use Channel Divinity on Jin. What do I roll for that?

Grizz

For Balm of Peace, if you're doing the healing one, it's 2d6. And you'll add two to that.

Lucia (Milo)

So that's 11.

Jin (Condi)

11. That is still much better off than I am currently. That's enough to maybe survive another onslaught. Maybe.

Grizz

When you use Balm of Peace, you go out and you hug him. And this feeling of like support and closeness gives him. You almost kind of like channel the magic instinctively just through this action of peace. And it also removes being frightened from you.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

So you're no longer frightened of the big-

Jin (Condi)

I've unlocked a new emotion. Before I only knew rage. Now I know calm.

Everett (Bizly)

His tranquility has found him.

Grizz

Awesome. Yeah. And Jin, you can tell Lucia is feeling the pressure. So would you like to do anything else in your turn? Do you want to move now? Bonus action? You can get closer to Everett and the monster if you want.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, I want to get closer to Everett. What's the deal with the tranq ball? Did we throw that or no?

Jin (Condi)

No, I just- we have three of them and I gave one to Everett.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay. Okay. That's what that was. Okay. Yeah. So I just want to- I just want to move next to Everett if I can.

Jin (Condi)

I'm gonna give you one too. Just before you run up, just in case.

Grizz

Okay. Running through the mud. Go ahead and make a check of your choice. Just to not slip, so we can keep consistent.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

So, like, for example, if you wanted to do a performance, you could just like, describe how you gingerly tiptoe through the mud or something like that.

Lucia (Milo)

I think I'd do a performance.

Grizz

Like a dance? Almost.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah. So here, let me roll this first just to know what I should go off. 23.

Grizz

Yeah, you're good. You can move. You can move your full speed through the- through the mud to get to Everett.

Lucia (Milo)

So Lucia very gingerly lifts her dress and her cloak as to not get any more mud on it, even though she's like totally covered in it already.

Grizz

Yeah.

Lucia (Milo)

And she looks on the ground for like, stones that she can kind of, of leap one to another off of and makes her way over to Everett.

Grizz

Okay, sick there is- he's a little far, but you are 30 feet closer, so you're at least, like, you can shout and talk and stuff.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

However, if that is the end of your turn, yes?

Lucia (Milo)

Yes.

Grizz

At the top of the round, you guys all hear, the monkey is like, sorry, not the monkey. The horned primate is like, you know, 45 feet away from Everett, who's the closest. Just throw a fucking tree at him. Got redirected, got slapped. It is- it's looking rough. And you guys hear (Tarzan-like cry) and then you fucking see-

Everett (Bizly)

Fucking Tarzan showed up?

Jin (Condi)

No.

Grizz

Not Tarzan, but landing on the head of the horned primate, wrapping the giant fucking bone grade sword around its neck to hold on. You guys then hear after the yell, "So this is your special assignment, huh, fucking losers?"

Jin (Condi)

I fucking knew it. He's gonna ruin everything.

Grizz

"We'll see who kills him first."

Jin (Condi)

"No, we're not killing him."

Lucia (Milo)

Fucker.

Grizz

Good luck convincing him not to kill this- this monster.

Lucia (Milo)

I have an idea. I have an idea.

Grizz

So that is a- he's going to go after Jin. Oh, yeah, he's on top of the fucking monster. Everett, it's your turn. You see Alf, the alpha Elf, 45 feet away, the fucking horned primate begins to freak out. Screeching and roaring. What do you do, Everett?

Everett (Bizly)

Rolling something.

Grizz

"Can't wait to kill this and take all the fucking credit, dude."

Everett (Bizly)

I look to Lucia because Milo said you had a plan. I want- I want to give you the option before I do something.

Lucia (Milo)

I just look at you and I go, "I want to kill him." What I mean by that, what I mean by that is I want to see if I can get close enough to touch him and use Feign Death on him, so he just drops limp.

Everett (Bizly)

When you say that, I look down at the pellet in my hand and I- and I look up to you.

Lucia (Milo)

I shake my head, I go, "No."

Everett (Bizly)

I just nod.

Lucia (Milo)

I shake my head. There's a great misunderstanding happening.

Grizz

I think Everett is insinuating that he'll throw a tranq ball at him to try and make Alf fall asleep, right?

Everett (Bizly)

Yes.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

I'll let you do that. And I'll just keep fighting the beast.

Grizz

There is a big problem, by the way. If you don't stop Alf, the alpha Elf, he probably will kill this beast. And if you do fail the mission, there will be consequences.

Lucia (Milo)

I also, I think it's probably smarter to use the tranq ball just because he's, like, on top of the thing.

Everett (Bizly)

Sure.

Lucia (Milo)

Feign Death is a touch.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Lucia (Milo)

Like, I would have to be, like, dead next to him. So I was immediately kind of like, I can't really do that, unless he falls down.

Everett (Bizly)

I still have to get near him. So I- either way, I want to get close. Do I still have to- are we still in the bad terrain?

Grizz

The mud?

Everett (Bizly)

Can I use the trees at this point to traverse?

Grizz

Oh, you know what? You guys are far enough out of the, like, big kind of blighted area. I'll say that you're good. You're good on moving your full movement now.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Grizz

Because the big problem here is now Alf.

Everett (Bizly)

Cool, cool, cool, cool. All right. I want to get 40 feet over there. That puts me 5 feet away from the beast, which is 5 feet away from Alf. And I want to try and put this fucking tranq thing. I want to throw it at him.

Grizz

Okay, so-

Everett (Bizly)

I have darts. Could I put it in, like, a dart or something?

Grizz

Yes, that'll work a little bit better. Because normally you have to strike these on the ground for them to burst open and release the fumes. But if you use a dart, I'll let you roll. And if you hit, I'm guessing you're trying to hit the monster. If you're trying to hit Alf, it'll be a little bit higher or different AC. But if you're trying to hit the monster, if you hit, I'll let the tranq ball burst. Okay. Sound good?

Everett (Bizly)

You know what? I rolled for who I was gonna fuck with. It's definitely Alf. He's caught my whole attention. I'm gonna throw.

Grizz

All right, man. Roll that shit.

Everett (Bizly)

That is a 22.

Grizz

Hey, 22 doesn't hit. But- no I'm just kidding.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, I thought you were serious.

Grizz

It's a- no it hits.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Jin (Condi)

What?

Everett (Bizly)

Wait, it doesn't hit?

Grizz

That's kind of crazy. No, it does, it does.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Lucia (Milo)

I thought like, what kind of being is this dude?

Grizz

I was just pulling your- your- your tail, man.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm like, dude, maybe he is the alpha elf.

Grizz

I mean, yeah, you guys definitely have a hard fight, but him being here probably means that he's done with his.

Lucia (Milo)

Sid, the sigma sloth.

Jin (Condi)

I figure he had a little baby garbage, little tiny monster. Like a little- little salamander on a rock.

Grizz

Okay, so you did 8 damage. I'll roll the con save for the sleep. For Alf.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, if it can take down a creature like this, this guy's gonna be fucking dead.

Grizz

Right, right. But the creature has to be really weak. Like, you know, near dead.

Everett (Bizly)

I get. I guess he's, like, full.

Grizz

Yeah. Alf is- Alf doesn't look like, he's had a hard time today.

Lucia (Milo)

What the fuck is he doing here?

Everett (Bizly)

We goaded him in.

Jin (Condi)

Well we did goad him into coming here.

Lucia (Milo)

That's true.

Jin (Condi)

He just didn't show like at the time we wanted him to.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, we wanted him to show a little before, but that's fine.

Grizz

Fortunately, I rolled in natural 17. The riptide dice are just too GOATed.

Everett (Bizly)

That's true.

Grizz

So he does- he will take 8 points of damage. Strikes into him, fucking- the thing explodes above the- the primates head and just kind of like mystifies around and you hear, "Dude, what the fuck? You playing dirty, dude?"

Everett (Bizly)

"I want to fucking kill you."

Grizz

"I like to see you try, cuz I'm gonna fucking kill this monster, dude." And with that-

Lucia (Milo)

I wish I had cheese on me right now.

Grizz

Since your action- any bonus actions you'd like to do or movement, you actually. You move closer. So any bonus action channeling my Edward Twilight for this dude, the suck fans will know.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm up low, so there's not really much I can do.

Grizz

That's really fun.

Everett (Bizly)

So that- yeah, that's gonna be it for me.

Grizz

Okay. Okie dokie. Creature is gonna use a single legendary action and it's just gonna start fucking booking it with. With Alf on its head, on its back, locked in. And so it gives another 45 feet away. So, Lucia and Jin, it's fucking- it's far. And at this point, it's climbing up those- those kind of like tree trunks that are like super massive and curve up. It's running away somewhere. But Jin, it is your turn.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. I got healed. I stand up. "Okay. We have to go catch that thing now, I think. Oh, shit. Shit. Fuck." I'm gonna start, da- I'm gonna dash. I'mma dash and run. Try to catch up.

Grizz

Right on.

Jin (Condi)

I'll just do athletics again. 25.

Grizz

You're good. And now you don't have to worry about it, cuz you're out at the mud. So 80 feet, you can keep the guy in sight now. Okay. Since you are in range, like. Like probably like 15 feet

or so away now. You can see as you're kind of running through like a hollowed out, like a mad- you know, those trees are like laid over. They're so big, you can kind of run through them because they're like hollowed out. That's what you're running through at this moment. Also kind of going up a slope. You see, after you is Alf's turn. He is going to fucking try and like- like stab his sword directly into the primate's eye. That's gonna hit with a 16.

Lucia (Milo)

Holy shit, dude.

Grizz

He's gonna hit him again.

Jin (Condi)

You better not.

Grizz

Okay.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm gonna fucking ruin this guy.

Grizz

That's gonna hit with an 18. So both of his attacks hit.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, wait, does he ever, did he get poisoned by being on top of.

Grizz

Rolled a natural 15? So no, he does not get poisoned.

Jin (Condi)

Fuck. Fuck. Shit.

Grizz

Good reminder though. Oh my God. So he does a total of 17 damage. It is slashing. So it is halved. You see he also like kind of steering him, grabbing his horns do these attacks, smashes through the log that you're running through and into a bunch of trees, causing some of them to slant and makes the creatures stumble almost. He's like, "This is fucking easy. Why do they have you guys do this?" And that- that is his turn.

Lucia (Milo)

"I'm gonna kill him."

Jin (Condi)

"I should- we should kill him. We can do plausible deniability. We can claim it's an accident."

Grizz

Next up is the fucking horned primate.

Jin (Condi)

I hope he kills him.

Grizz

You know what, dude? It's gonna grab him. Let's do contested strength here. Alf rolled an 11 plus. Okay, then horned primate rolls. Oh my God. What? Why did I roll a 4? Dude.

Jin (Condi)

Why is, why is he being baby now? Now that he's attacking the dick.

Grizz

He tries to reach up to grab and he fucking can't. What? Why? How? Giving him advantage.

Jin (Condi)

Dude, I will be very upset.

Grizz

Okay okay, that's better that's better. He is- he is raging, so he should be able to have advantage on that. Anyways, so he grabs Alf off the top of his head like a fucking, like a little doll. That's how big this, this creature is, this beast. And then he, he tosses him at you, Jin.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh,

Jin (Condi)

Oh. Uh-Oh.

Grizz

Be a little less little as damage. Fuck.

Everett (Bizly)

This guy better take like 30 damage right in front of me.

Grizz

So 15 to hit actually. I rolled pretty low.

Jin (Condi)

That does hit.

Grizz

That does? Okay. It won't be as, it won't be as much. You both are gonna take the exact same amount of damage. Cuz he's hitting you. Max damage though. That's a- that's a. It's a 16 bludgeoning damage. Oh my God. You're not raging, are you?

Jin (Condi)

No.

Grizz

You're gonna get smacked in the head with not only just Alf's bod- like, he's pretty jacked too. He's heavy. His heavy body and his heavy sword. And both of you go, "Oh, fuck, dude. Watch where you're fucking standing, dude."

Jin (Condi)

"I'm going to fucking kill you, Alf."

Grizz

"Should be worried about this fucking monster that they want to kill. Not me, dude."

Jin (Condi)

"We're not trying to kill the monster."

Grizz

"I could see you're like on death's door right now. So I'll take care of this. How about you just shoot your little flare and call Hunt Master mommy to bring you home?"

Jin (Condi)

"If you kill that thing you're taking- you're taking the punishment."

Jin (Condi)

Roll persuasion, jin.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I have ba- nothing on that. 5.

Grizz

"What kind of punishment would you get for killing a fucking monster? Dude, dude?" And he's amped up.

Jin (Condi)

I have 1 hp, so.

Grizz

Good attempt, though. Next up, Lucia.

Lucia (Milo)

How close is Jin to me? Okay, word. How far is the beast?

Grizz

Just a little bit further because he's in front. They like kind of ran.

Lucia (Milo)

Would you say it's within 60 feet?

Grizz

No, unless you move your full 30 feet of movement, then yes.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, because it's like actively, like leaving, right?

Grizz

Yeah. Except it just kind of got disoriented. So it's not running anymore. But it was trying to. You can get within 60 feet if you move 30 feet forward? Yeah. What are you wanting to do?

Lucia (Milo)

I'm wanting to call it so it stops running away so we can actually capture it. But I also don't want Jin to beef it.

Grizz

Yeah, it's stationary right now.

Lucia (Milo)

If I use my movement, can I get up to where Jin is?

Grizz

You'd have to dash. So you'd have to use your action to dash.

Lucia (Milo)

I'm gonna use Sanctuary on Jin.

Grizz

Okay. Okay. Okay, cool.

Lucia (Milo)

And that makes it so they have to do a wisdom save if they want to attack him.

Grizz

Yes. Yes. No, that's huge. That's a huge move. That would keep him alive.

Lucia (Milo)

And if I need to run towards him to do it because it's 30 feet range, so.

Grizz

Yeah, I say you can- if you move your full 30 feet, you have the 30 feet range. You can reach him with that. Yeah, yeah, you don't have to go.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia makes her way towards Jin, just kind of looking around and scowling at Alf. And she doesn't really say anything or use her hands. She just kind of closes her eyes and imagines Jin in a bubble. And that bubble almost kind of materializes and forms around him.

Grizz

Cool. Fuck. You know what, though? At the end of your turn, it uses legendary action, the two of it that it has left to do the raging roar of death. So who's within 30 feet?

Grizz

Jin and Alf. I think it's Jin and Alf.

Jin (Condi)

Is Everett not as well? Or is it just us too?

Grizz

I don't think Everett has taken his turn to rush over.

Jin (Condi)

Gotcha.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, I'm 50 feet away right now, I think.

Grizz

Yeah, somewhere around there. So yeah, just you two go to make that wisdom saving throw as it, like, roars for its life. And this time that it roars, it's even more desperate. So you know that it's getting- it's getting weak. Like, way weaker.

Jin (Condi)

Natural 1.

Grizz

No way, dude. But you're weaker too. You're fucking scared.

Jin (Condi)

I'm fucking, like, literally hardly conscious.

Grizz

Okay, I'll roll for Alf here. Natural 20.

Jin (Condi)

Fucking kidding me.

Everett (Bizly)

Alf, you fucker.

Grizz

He looks down at you. "Oh, looks like you got a condition too, dude." Insinuating that you piss yourself.

Jin (Condi)

There's no coming back. There's no coming back from that one.

Lucia (Milo)

"It's just mud, it's just mud."

Grizz

All right, top of the round.

Jin (Condi)

"It's been raining a lot. It's been raining a lot."

Grizz

The rain stops. No I'm kidding. Everett it is your turn. Top of the round.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm going to have to use- if I want to even fucking get there and be able to do something, I'm going to have to use my last Ki point.

Grizz

You have 45 feet of movement, though, or 40.

Everett (Bizly)

40. It's 50 feet away.

Grizz

I mean, we're theater of the mind, I'll say that. You can move and get to it so you don't have to burn your last Ki point.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay. Awesome, awesome. Cool.

Jin (Condi)

As Everett passes, can I give him my last tranq?

Grizz

Oh, sure. Yeah, yeah, yeah.

Jin (Condi)

Okay. I'm gonna look at him and I'm gonna give him a gaze. Like, "I'm gonna keep this motherfucker here."

Grizz

Oh, okay.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Jin (Condi)

"This is on you, now."

Everett (Bizly)

Here's the thing. How- okay, I want to know a few things. How's this monster looking?

Grizz

The monster, once you get. Once you're running past, you can see that it is now it's breathing and starting to shake. It has many visible wounds, almost no protection. It has not yet been broken from its rage. But even then, it's- well, looks like it might start limping soon.

Everett (Bizly)

Like it might start limping soon, like it still needs to take more damage?

Grizz

It is certainly killable right now.

Everett (Bizly)

So I'm having one thought here. Right, is I'm down to take this pellet and go and knock it out. But the thing is, if there ever was a time for that fucking monster side to take over, it would happen when he's looking at a beast that's fucking wounded for sure.

Jin (Condi)

Mmm.

Grizz

Go ahead and roll wisdom save.

Everett (Bizly)

Can I know what the DC is?

Grizz

Let's see. How difficult do you want it to be to resist?

Everett (Bizly)

I have a plus 1. Probably not impossible, but, like-

Grizz

Let's set it at 14 then.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Grizz

So you need to roll a 13 or higher.

Everett (Bizly)

All right. 14 or higher.

Grizz

13 or higher.

Everett (Bizly)

Fuck. Fuck. Fuck. Fuck. Fuck. Fuck.

Jin (Condi)

What did you roll?

Everett (Bizly)

I got a 3 total.

Grizz

Just like how you felt during the hunter's exam when the three of you were tested by fighting and killing a monster, you feel this almost, like, bubbling in your stomach, like there's venom coursing through your veins. Your heart is pumping nothing but pure, monstrous bloodlust. Even your eyes darken the light and soul leaves.

Jin (Condi)

No.

Grizz

The colors all turn to red. The creatures all turn to prey.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm sorry, gang, I didn't mean this. I didn't mean to fucking.

Jin (Condi)

You knew what you were doing.

Grizz

Normally, I'd have you roll kind of like a reckless, you know, target. You got Alf, you got Jin. Can't get to Lucia. You get the monster, but there's not a fourth one, so it's not really an even role. The biggest creature you have to kill for dominance, it's pretty clear.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Grizz

Okay, so go ahead and, uh, rush towards that horned primate and-

Everett (Bizly)

Give everything I fucking got.

Grizz

Show em who's the al- the sigma.

Everett (Bizly)

Jin, you would see Everett just blast past you, moving straight towards this beast in a primal rage.

Jin (Condi)

"Aw shit, no. Not now. Everett!"

Everett (Bizly)

See the poison dripping down from his gauntlets with those teeth, jagged. I'm gonna keep rushing towards in a feral rage and go to plunge my fist into it.

Grizz

Roll to hit.

Everett (Bizly)

First one's a 21.

Grizz

Oh, yeah, that hits. Oh, yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

So it's a 21. Next one is. It's a 16.

Grizz

That also hits.

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, am I a dickhead?

Jin (Condi)

Perhaps.

Everett (Bizly)

Am I a dickhead? I mean, I'm already here. I feel like I'm a dickhead.

Grizz

Yes.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah. I have one last Ki point.

Grizz

It is Fury of Blows right now.

Everett (Bizly)

All right, all right, all right. That's two hits. Next one. God. Fuck. Next one's a 22 to hit. Dude, I'm so sorry. The I- dude. Next one is a 14.

Grizz

That one does miss.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay, okay, okay, okay, so this is- God. Max damage on that one. That was 10. 10 plus 8. That's 18. 18. Another max damage. 28 damage.

Jin (Condi)

What the fuck?

Grizz

28?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah.

Grizz

Are you still doing acid?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah.

Grizz

Okay, describe. Uh. So here's what happens. You don't have anything else you can do on this turn, right?

Everett (Bizly)

No. That's like, everything I have.

Everett (Bizly)

That's all it? You rush forward with your acidic claws and the drool down your face, sharp teeth, you begin to just. I'm actually gonna have you roll intimidation as well. Okay, for everyone around you.

Jin (Condi)

I'm already frightened. I'm pretty sure it doesn't even matter

Everett (Bizly)

It's a 14.

Grizz

14? You start to smell next to you, Jin, a little bit of urine.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

Lucia, can you see this?

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, probably.

Jin (Condi)

Probably.

Grizz

It's fine it's fine. That's just good to know. You did 28 points of damage and it bubbles and sears. It eats away at the skin, revealing a ton of, like, muscle and oozing from its body. Is this black, viscous liquid. Dark, lightless blood. Exactly the type of blood that was described to you as being a deadly monster. So, first time he's actually shown leaking this much blood. You did 28 points of damage. It has 31 points of health.

Everett (Bizly)

Can I drink the blood?

Grizz

Yes, you can. I will have you roll a con save.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah. Did not do well. That was a 7.

Grizz

We will get back to that. You are most definitely poisoned now.

Everett (Bizly)

That makes sense.

Grizz

Okay,

Everett (Bizly)

Okay. But it's not dead.

Grizz

It is not dead.

Everett (Bizly)

Holy fuck.

Grizz

It has three hit points. It is going to use its legendary action, two of them, to do the same necrotic breath, in an effort to kill this predator out of fear. So go ahead. You've already failed your constitution saving throw, so you're poisoned. You just drank its blood. However, because you just drank its blood, I will say that you can roll this con save with advantage since you've already ingested this kind of necrotic, you know, monster blight.

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, thank God. That's a 16. It was gonna be a 2

Grizz

16 is what you needed. So you take half damage. Been hit by this twice now. Oh, my God. Take half of 27, which is 14 points of damage.

Everett (Bizly)

I have 15 hp.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

I will now allow you to roll a second wisdom saving throw.

Everett (Bizly)

Okay.

Grizz

Same DC of 14.

Everett (Bizly)

Come on, baby. Come on, baby. 11.

Grizz

Okay, so you're still in this state, and it's even worse now because you're knocking on the afterlife. You are nearly dead. Jin, it is your turn.

Jin (Condi)

Um, let me. Let me weigh my options. I'm frightened. I cannot approach the creature.

Grizz

"Oh, fuck, dude. I gotta kill both."

Everett (Bizly)

Fuck you Alf.

Jin (Condi)

"Lucia."

Lucia (Milo)

"Jin?"

Grizz

"You have to do it."

Lucia (Milo)

"The ball?"

Jin (Condi)

"Yes, right now." And I'm going to wrap my arms underneath of his armpits and get them in like a fucking arm bar, basically. And try to hold back Alf from doing anything.

Grizz

Yeah. Roll athletics.

Jin (Condi)

Athletics? Okay.

Grizz

If you rage, I think you get advantage, right?

Jin (Condi)

Um, yeah, sure. Why not? I got a 25, but I'm gonna rage too, just in case.

Grizz

Yeah, that's cool.

Jin (Condi)

Natural 20. Okay, 27,

Grizz

You immediately grab Alf with your- you fucking muscle him. You muscle him.

Everett (Bizly)

Break his arm, please break his arm, dude.

Jin (Condi)

You hear some cracking in his shoulders as I like. Pull his arms up, basically. Pacify.

Grizz

"You fucker, it's three it's four. It's fucking- I don't know how to count. Dude, there's too many of you."

Jin (Condi)

That's my turn.

Grizz

Yeah. Okay. It is the horned primates turn now. He does go. Oh, actually it would be Alf's turn, but you got a natural 20. And he actually only- I just rolled. I dropped my dice this way. You heard it twice. He dropped it. He rolled a 19, but he still won't beat your natural 20.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that's 27, so,

Grizz

Yeah, there's no way. He's strong, but he would have to roll a natural 20 to even have a chance. Yeah, so he stuck there. He can't really do much. It is the horned primates. Turn. Fuck, dude. Fuck, fuck, fuck, dude. He's kind of, like, trapped in this- this- this area surrounded by trees. If he- if he moves, he'll die. It's just gonna have to strike you. That is a twelve to hit.

Everett (Bizly)

Not gonna do it.

Grizz

That one doesn't hit. He has two more.

Jin (Condi)

He just likes hitting me. Like, when he rolls against me, he gets-

Everett (Bizly)

He's only got to hit me one time.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

He will hit you with that one. That's a 19 to hit.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, that hits

Grizz

Cool. Even with Shield of Faith?

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, yeah, my AC is 18 with that.

Grizz

Okay. Okay. That's 10 points of damage.

Everett (Bizly)

Yeah, that's- I mean, that takes me out. I'm down.

Grizz

Boom. You feel this poison, this monster's blood coursing through your veins and any, like, you have nearly. You've scarred it. Like, if it survived this, it would be terrified of you for life. And it just punches you in the fucking face with its gorilla arms, and you get sent flying back and you get knocked down. What are your thoughts before you go unconscious? And you can think through the mind of a monster or through your own mind, you're going unconscious. What are you thinking?

Everett (Bizly)

At this point, Everett would really just be fighting two, two thoughts, two versions of himself in his head. The one screaming at him, just calling him weak. He failed. He didn't kill it. And the other one, grateful that somebody stopped him in this moment.

Grizz

And that somebody was the monster himself. So you go down. It does still have one tail attack, but it's not in range of anyone. So it's gonna, I guess it's gonna try and limp away, and it won't get very far. So, next up. And it is limping, Lucia. What's- what's the plan? It's your turn.

Lucia (Milo)

I want to use my walking to get as close as possible to it before throwing a. The tranq ball at its feet. Would I get close enough?

Grizz

You're throwing it at its feet. You're moving 30 feet close enough. I'll say that. See, where were you?

Lucia (Milo)

I think I was close by Jin, because I had just healed him.

Jin (Condi)

You were, like, close by me yeah..

Grizz

I'll say that, yes, you can get close enough.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, so, Lucia, in a kind of just fear drunk state sees Everett get thrown against a fucking tree and is watching Jin manhandle Alf. And all of the sounds around her are bleeding together and it feels like her head's about to explode. And all that she can think of is forward. And so she kind of sloppily just tries to get one foot in front of the other and she's tripping over her dress and her cloak and can only really look forward completely down a barrel of a gun, basically, and just tries to muster up the strength and pelts the ball at the feet of the monster.

Grizz

Right on.

Lucia (Milo)

Would I have to roll for that?

Grizz

I actually don't think you need to roll. It just uses your action here. Unless you want to roll. I mean, you can if you want. You just roll like a- what?

Jin (Condi)

Just take the free pass.

Lucia (Milo)

I'll take the free pass.

Everett (Bizly)

Dude, please take the win.

Grizz

I was about to say you roll if you want. But like, there's a chance to fail and that would be a little awkward. No, it's gonna work as intended. You slam it into the ground. It's your action. You do that and it puffs into a sort of like red mist around the monster. And because it has three hp, the DC is 22. It is a plus 5 to con. You guys got it extremely weak three hp, by the way. It's really low, so it's- it's. It's almost like the perfect time to do it, which is kind of insane. Um, and it's a plus five to con, which means it will pass if it rolls to 17 or higher. I believe you only have two bombs, tranq bombs.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I have one still. Cuz Everett went beast mode instead of grabbing it. Okay, um. And Lucia, you had the other one.

Grizz

Okay, I'm gonna roll now.

Everett (Bizly)

Come on, baby.

Jin (Condi)

Come on.

Everett (Bizly)

Come on, baby.

Lucia (Milo)

Mama wants a new pair of shoes.

Everett (Bizly)

Come on, baby.

Grizz

The monster inhales this red mist and it's like batting around, it's like- like wildly waving its arms around and it can't jump because it's so injured. And it's like bleeding out of its stomach and its acid is eating away its insides. And it starts to inhale the red mist and then it slows down and falls asleep.

Jin (Condi)

Oh.

Everett (Bizly)

Holy fuck.

Lucia (Milo)

Am I within range of this gas or am I good?

Grizz

You didn't say you move away, did you?

Lucia (Milo)

No, I did. I used all my movement to get up to it.

Grizz

Oh, well then no. So just hit me with a constitution save. You have 32 hp. It's about a 15 DC.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, lord.

Everett (Bizly)

Well, God damn.

Grizz

So you as well. You the one with the horn, just immediately pass out with the- with the horn primate. But it does go down. And, Jin, you see this happen? Top of the round now.

Jin (Condi)

Oh, wait, are we still up?

Grizz

It's asleep. Alf is still up and it hasn't been trapped with the shock trap yet.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah. So, like, will he stay down for a while or do I- is this urgent?

Grizz

He'll stay asleep for a bit. Yeah, you have- you have a- you have a small window, but, like, he is three hp, so you have a- it's larger than normal. Like-

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, I'm just worried, like, if I let go of Alf and go trap it, he's just gonna go kill it anyways.

Everett (Bizly)

He's gonna kill me.

Grizz

You do it- you do go before him, so you do kind of have to choose.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

So here's the thing. First up, though, Everett, go ahead and roll a death save.

Everett (Bizly)

Sure. It's just a flat d20?

Grizz

Yeah.

Everett (Bizly)

Been a while since I've done this. That's an 11.

Grizz

11, so you get one success.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Grizz

Okay, next up, Jin, what are you gonna do?

Jin (Condi)

Lord, I wish I could hold on to that d20 forever, but I know I can't. Um.

Grizz

The natural 20.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, the natural 20. I'm sorry. Um. Ah, shit, shit, shit, shit.

Everett (Bizly)

It is all on you, my friend.

Jin (Condi)

I feel like I need to pacify this mother fucker.

Lucia (Milo)

See, I would have used Calm Emotions, but I got a little sleepy.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah, that's totally fair.

Grizz

The shock trap is at your hip.

Jin (Condi)

It is at my hip. I have one tranq bomb. I'm still raged. Okay, can I ask you a hypothetical?

Grizz

I guess so, yeah.

Jin (Condi)

If I tried to force this tranq bomb into his mouth, would that be a strength check?

Grizz

Oh, against.

Jin (Condi)

Against Alf.

Grizz

Oh, yeah. Okay, that's a contested athletics again.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, I-

Grizz

The athletics of the jaw.

Everett (Bizly)

He's grappled, so what do you have? Like-

Grizz

Grappled? No, there's no disadvantage on strength checks when you're grappled.

Jin (Condi)

Okay, then, yes. I pop out the last tranq and I push it towards his mouth and I say, "Open up, Alf. The sleep train's coming through."

Grizz

"You're fucking crazy dude. Jaw clench, go!"

Jin (Condi)

That is a dirty 20. That's my final.

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, come on.

Lucia (Milo)

Please, dude.

Everett (Bizly)

Alf, you son of a whore.

Lucia (Milo)

Alf, there's no way that your draw muscles are that strong.

Jin (Condi)

Like, what the fuck are you doing to train them?

Grizz

Oh, my God. Wait. Proficiency gives you plus how much?

Jin (Condi)

Three, right now.

Grizz

Three.

Jin (Condi)

Does he have proficiency in jaw strength?

Grizz

Contested athletics?

Lucia (Milo)

Okay, you look at his character sheet, it's like. Yeah, I mean, it's right there. Jaw strength.

Grizz

I've decided that he has a plus five. Rolled a 15. I'm gonna have you guys reroll.

Jin (Condi)

Are you fucking kidding me?

Grizz

As you tie. Yep. You tie.

Jin (Condi)

That's terrifying. That's terrifying. That's terrifying. That's terrifying. What if I roll bad?

Grizz

Don't know.

Lucia (Milo)

This is the dilemma of Dungeons and Dragons.

Jin (Condi)

17 this time. 17.

Grizz

He rolled a 3, dude. You grab his jaw, unclench that shit. He is-

Jin (Condi)

"Open wide."

Grizz

His jaw is not locked. You almost, like, kind of force him into a sigma face as he, like, squeezes cheeks and stuff. And then you push that- you push the- you push it. Make him chew. I'll have him roll the con. Save at disadvantage. Holy shit.

Jin (Condi)

God, please.

Grizz

He chews. He's coughing out this red mist. "No, dude. Oh..." he goes asleep, like, just immediately, he goes limp in your- in your grasp. You have successfully- he rolled a 4.

Jin (Condi)

I'm holding on his mouth. "Shush, little baby. Don't say a word."

Grizz

Okay.

Jin (Condi)

"Daddy's gonna capture a monster now."

Grizz

All right. What are you doing? That was your action. He's asleep.

Jin (Condi)

I leave him on the ground asleep, and I limp, I limp slowly but surely to the monster, and I set the trap at its feet.

Grizz

It's, like, kind of curled in a little ball.

Jin (Condi)

Yeah.

Grizz

A fetal position. All right, cool. I'll just say, easy enough, you can set it down. You can get it activated. You hear a bit of, like, uh. Of whirring as it sort of, like, unravels itself into place. There's a little bit of, like, mechanisms, that it's built with, but it's not too complex. Like, there's not, like, an advancement in technology. Just kind of, like, unwounds itself with springs and pulleys and then gets under it, and then an arcane burst of electric energy surrounds and wraps itself, like, almost like tangible ropes of light. Cover and restrain the horned primate, and, uh, guys, combat over.

Lucia (Milo)

Wow.

Jin (Condi)

Okay.

Grizz

you have trapped the monster.

Jin (Condi)

I'm gonna go over to Lucia and try to shake her awake.

Grizz

Okay. Uh, easy enough. You're able to shake her. It takes a few minutes, slapping around and stuff. Go to head and, uh, Everett roll another death save.

Jin (Condi)

"Wakey, wakey."

Everett (Bizly)

Sure. 13.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God.

Jin (Condi)

"You awake?"

Lucia (Milo)

"Mm hmm."

Jin (Condi)

"We got it. Um." Ever- Everett's dying, and- and we need the horn. The horn needs to be-" and I fall- I fall over. I'm so exhausted.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, my God. I- yeah, I mean, I pull out the. I pull out the horn, and I. With. I mean, I just took a good ass nap, dude.

Jin (Condi)

With renewed vigor.

Lucia (Milo)

I kind of sit up, and she goes.

Grizz

You blow that shit. And just like the roars of this creature, it echoes throughout the rainforest. What do you do after that?

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia would absolutely head over to Everett and, I mean, what does he look like?

Grizz

Dying? Like, bleeding out.

Everett (Bizly)

Mangled?

Grizz

Mangled is a good one.

Lucia (Milo)

I want to kneel down next to him and I just look pissed off. And I place my hands on the sides of his neck. Looks like I'm about to start strangling him. And I use Spare the Dying on him. And you can see a color slowly start to return to his skin. It was looking kind of blue, but now it's fleshing out to a redder tone again. And you could see she starts tearing up. Just hoping this works.

Grizz

Everett, you in the oblivion of- between life and death, you are slowly, almost like you're sinking in a dark, lightless ocean. You are just drifting, falling downwards. And you flip around and you can see the maw of some gargantuan beast opening its jaw, like in rows and rows of teeth, about to consume you forever. And then you open your eyes and you just see this slightly weeping Lucia. And you're back. And you are not still uncontrollable.

Everett (Bizly)

"What are you crying for?"

Lucia (Milo)

"Oh, thank God." Lucia just hugs him.

Everett (Bizly)

"Hey. All right, enough."

Lucia (Milo)

"You gotta stop fucking doing that." Is he still poisoned?

Grizz

Get- if I'll let you, um, either one of you.

Lucia (Milo)

Oh, I can use Detect Poison and Disease.

Grizz

You could. Go ahead.

Lucia (Milo)

Yeah, I cast it.

Grizz

Okay, you can- you're still definitely poisoned. It's a type of, like, necrotic necrosis or whatever. That kind of- that same blight that the monster exudes and still is kind of emanating that aura. And Everett, you know this feeling. You know you need to quickly inject the venom or this monster blood will blight you.

Everett (Bizly)

Hmm. Would it be alright to say I have like- like, some of it with me?

Grizz

Yeah, of course. It's kind of what you do.

Everett (Bizly)

I reach down into, like, the. The waistline of my pants and I pull out a small vial.

Lucia (Milo)

"What is that? What are you doing?"

Everett (Bizly)

"Surviving." You see he takes his fist and kind of just plunges it into his chest and like, just cuts it deep enough and then starts pouring the liquid. And you can see it like, sizzles as he screams out.

Lucia (Milo)

Lucia starts fucking panicking and is just like, "What the fuck? Stop."

Everett (Bizly)

"It's okay. It's okay."

Lucia (Milo)

"No, no, no. What?"

Everett (Bizly)

"It'll make me stronger."

Lucia (Milo)

"You're smoking."

Everett (Bizly)

"All the cool kids do it."

Grizz

And stronger it does. You feel the- the binding agent, the venom, begin to interact with the blood of this monster within you. And you can, from tomorrow onwards, once the settle, you're no longer poisoned. Well, you are poisoned, but you're not poisoned to where you're gonna die. It's the poison that you are used to, the constant poison that runs through your veins. And when you use your draconic strike ability, you can use the damage type necrotic.

Everett (Bizly)

Nice.

Grizz

However, the DC for your monster rage is higher. It was a 14. It will now be a 17.

Everett (Bizly)

Oh, damn.

Lucia (Milo)

Jesus.

Grizz

So, after you've just blown the horn, after a moment, multiple flying giant eagles descend and make their ways through the branches of the canopy and land around you. You see Hunt master Hawk, you see your own flying eagle. And then you see that she gets down. She looks at the hun-, the monster. She looks at you guys near dead, and she sees Alf there, asleep. What would you guys like to do or say?

Jin (Condi)

I'm still conscious just on the grand. Personally, I don't think I'm gonna say anything. I'm just like. I still am 1 HP. If anybody else has anything.

Everett (Bizly)

I'm good.

Jin (Condi)

I groan. I groan very loudly.

Everett (Bizly)

I groan louder than he's groaning.

Jin (Condi)

I groan even louder. It rumbles the entire forest.

Lucia (Milo)

I sit down and lay on my back.

Everett (Bizly)

I say, "Who's groaning like that? Who's being weird right now? Someone's groaning and it's weird."

Lucia (Milo)

"You're being really weird right now, and everybody's looking at you."

Grizz

Another giant eagle lands shortly after. And these tiny halflings, not- not as tiny as, like, some gnomes that you've seen around, but these halflings that are a bit more cloaked and camouflaged, like, their outfits are kind of green and lush and stuff, and match the surrounding area. And they begin to rush around. There's quite a few of them. Some of them hand you a few

vials of healing potions to each of you. And then a few of them go and they start to inspect the scene. Someone begins to collect, like, the rock the ore.

Jin (Condi)

I was gonna say that I would absolutely do that. After healing up a little bit.

Grizz

Okay. Yeah, sure. You can. You can actually help out. You can even pocket one for yourself. That's- that's pretty easy. And while they're all doing this and getting situated, they take Alf and put him on one of the giant eagles. And he, in the. In the middle of it, kind of like, wakes up groggily, looks over, he goes, "Oh, fuck, it's over. But this isn't over, monster boy. See you back at the egg."

Jin (Condi)

We made an enemy for life.

Everett (Bizly)

I just like, I just scowl and.

Grizz

They all kind of gather around. Hunt master Hawk says, "Great work. Let's return home before nightfall."

Jin (Condi)

"Yeah, that would be good."

Everett (Bizly)

I'll go over to Lucia just- who's just fucking staring at the sky I'm like "All right, come on."

Lucia (Milo)

Throw a thumbs up into the sky while laying down.

Everett (Bizly)

I hold your arm and I pull you up.

Lucia (Milo)

Okay.

Grizz

"Is there anything else to report?"

Jin (Condi)

"Um, right, there's- we found some people. Um, it was team Echo. They said Jackal, Sunflower, and Walnut." and I had her, the n- the map where I marked down the location.

Grizz

"We'll take care of them."

Jin (Condi)

"They're.... Yeah, no longer with us, but this is where their bodies are."

Grizz

She's pretty stoic, naturally, but, um. And you. You can gather that Hunt master Hawk has seen much loss.

Jin (Condi)

Mm hmm.

Grizz

But she does kind of, like, bite the insides of her lip a little. A subtle grimace. She nods. You guys gather, you get together for your giant eagle. And all together, they take off as hunt master hawk stays behind a bit for a bit longer, but you exit the rainforest, you start soaring through the sky. You can see between the clouds and the trees, the sun is setting. These, you know, hues of orange, purple, and it just. Beauty colors and paints through the sky. And despite a such a harrowing battle, you guys survived to see another one of these gorgeous days end. And that is also where we'll end the session.

Lucia (Milo)

Wow. Oh, my God.

Grizz

Alright.

Everett (Bizly)

I surely thought one of us would die.

Lucia (Milo)

I was, like, texting Nate and I was just like, *'I either wake the fuck up or Everett dies.'*

Jin (Condi)

Well, he had two successes,

Lucia (Milo)

But I was getting a little anxious.

Everett (Bizly)

I first- at first, I thought it was gonna be Jin.

Jin (Condi)

I- dude, honestly, me too. I honestly, I think I. Well, let's talk about in the world, actually. See you in the role, guys.

Grizz

All right. See you in the role.

Lucia (Milo)

Bye.