

hiya ms julia and mr sam! it is i ms emily here to bring u ur wonderful, eloquent jury questions of course.



I am not going to be mean because I dont like being mean to people at finales bc it's already nerve wracking enough I know yall dont want to be screamed at by me. I will just scream in jury. and I will be stern. teehee.

firstly, congratulations are in order because making it to the end of this game is NOT EASY! you both did played very well to get you to the end, but now it's time to prove to the jury that you did not just play to get to the end, you played to *win*. and please remember win or lose, you made it and we didn't!

now for the individual questions!

sam,

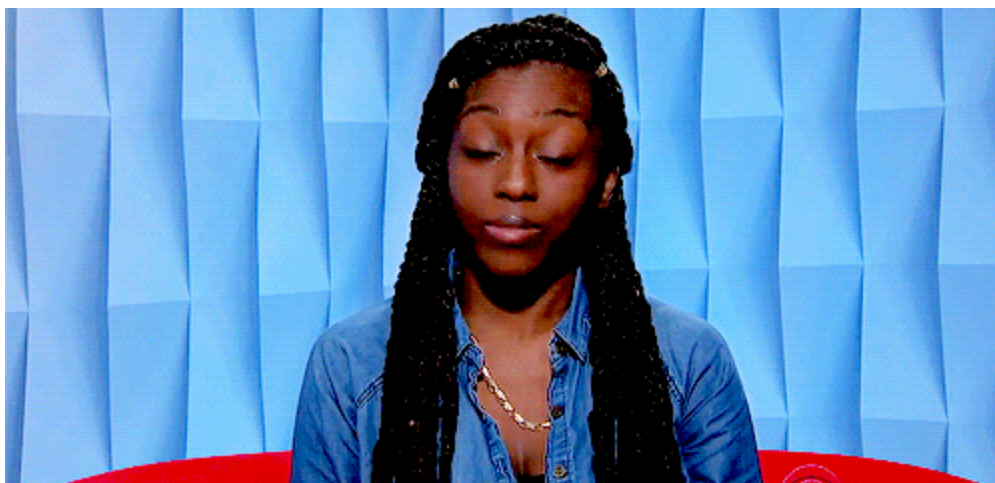
please watch this video for me:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bj6Ampm-mNI>

I am aware that this is a video about survivor, but I started playing orgs from survivor then migrated to big brother so SUE ME!

I want you to convince to me that you are *not* a kingmaker. because this video basically explains you in your final four position with your veto. prove to me you're not a kingmaker.

my second task for you is to rewrite your goodbye messages for everyone. you literally were my only vote to evict at final four and you sent me to the jury with only a SENTENCE. you voted in the minority for so many votes (as you said, a *whopping four votes against me*) for jury management, yet you absolutely wasted your opportunity to have any jury management with me. I begged for my life for two hours straight the night before, you didnt speak to me at all the next day, you didnt show up for my eviction, then gave me a sentence long goodbye message. rewrite my goodbye message and make it good. then rewrite your goodbye messages for everyone else, but to my knowledge they *also* all got just a sentence. do better.



julia,

first of all, I love you with my whole heart. this is us you're natalie I'm bronte:



I'm so proud of you for getting this far. I know how hard you've worked and how well you've played, but I'm worried that the jury is lumping our games together and giving me too much credit where credit is *not due*. my task for you is to explain to the jury how we were two separate players, had separate agendas, yada yada yada. they just need to know that you weren't just my tag a long. also if you can highlight some moves you made either to protect yourself/protect me/other players or where you felt alone yet persevered, that would be very helpful for your case too!!

second, u r so pretty and I love u. I know I already said I love you I'm so proud of you I LOVE YOU

third, first non-em person to trophy is a WOMAN everyone! HELL YES. women made up half of this game at the final four AND at the final two. we done did it.



and that's all I've got! thank you both for making this season great. I'm so thankful for the experience. and I've never gotten fourth before, so that's pretty fun. I get a bubble! and it's the same placement as my bb queen keesha smith so... I say it's a win! xoxo. love you both!



Sam's Response:

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Thank you!

About Being Away During F4

I will go over this part right now since it's a more personal question

"I begged for my life for two hours straight the night before, you didnt speak to me at all the next day, you didnt show up for my eviction, then gave me a sentence long goodbye message."

Yeah, that was an awful thing to do. I didn't mean that as a personal slight. During the endgame I was juggling this with an internship with a 1 hour+ drive either way, that goes from 12PM to past 8PM. Your eviction day was one of those long days. That was the reason I said to you I was going to be on unpredictably, and the reason I was not online.

The extent of my damage control with you was telling you that I was "very likely going to be evicting you" and that you should set your "expectations low" the night before; I should have either made clear that it was going to be our last real opportunity to talk or wrote a more elaborate good-bye message.

About Kingmaking

The number one thing about a kingmaker is that "they have no win equity when they get to the end." But if I have at least 4 people who are open to voting for me or on the fence, then *I do have win equity* and that means I'm not a kingmaker. I'm someone who is competing for

the throne. That's a very simple answer, but I think that's an effective one. Are there four people whose "votes are up in air?" Then chuck kingmaking out the window because I am someone who can win.

Goodbye Messages

I'm leaving at 6:15PM!

And I've managed my time poorly, trying to convey my game and writing and revising and erasing. These speeches are probably going to be like my game - functional, but at times rough around the edges.

Short and sweet and genuine is what they're meant to be.

This is what the padding would've been:

I love you all, you're all queens and kings and icons, you were all fun to talk to and fun to work with and let's talk more in the future.

That is all cliched, but true. Here's the more important parts:

Amelio - Amelio I had wished I worked with you in EMvv and it was a blast to work with you now. I got a big kick when the Fantastic Four Alliance was formed because a Mari Mari, Angsana, and Sarawak were all working together at that point in the game where we all were from seperate places during vivor. It was also nice to have a another fan of despair.

Emily -

You were someone I really liked during this game (despite my voting record) and you had an easygoing manner in everyday convos that made you fun to chat with. Weirdly I feel like our games would complement each other's; it would be fun to work with you in another game.

Wryan -

You are the king of kings! You had a reaction pic for every situation and stirred up drama after Jayden went. I enjoyed our mock fight and the various names of our F2s, even if I couldn't type in it in public.

Kori -

Talking to you was fun because you were someone who I felt like would call out bull or hint at it if you saw it. I also enjoyed our constant plot to have weebz run the game even if nothing ever came of it.

Matt - You were the a blast to plot with in this house; I think the Rose Gold PoV plot and #SaveAnthonY2k was the most fun I had all game. For some reason I pictured you working at the North Pole until I realized that the Christmas tree shop is in fact a local retail store with NJ.

Jayden - You were amazing at stirring up drama and I think your rivalry with Anthony was one of the best arcs of the game. You always

had a good sense of how to play the middle... are you thinking of doing politics in your future? : 0

Jake -

Wish we aligned more this game. I think you were the most tactical and cerebral player here. We should play chess together! I know you're good at knight's move at the very least.

Julia's Response:

EMILY I LOVE YOU SO MUCH!! I'm honestly so glad you asked me this question because I wanted to be given the opportunity to explain myself and prove that I played my own game, and made my own decisions instead of being your sheep.

Starting with the less important of the 2 claims - that we played the same game - I believe this is completely untrue. First off, we were both closely connected to different people (for example me to Ryan and Jakey, you to Kori and Matt), and this obviously led us to having different short term goals. There were many instances where we wanted different things and made different decisions. While we were both social players, I believe you were more of an obvious social threat since people knew about your relationships and connections, while I kept mine relatively hidden. Strategically, we had a different approach to the game - I believe your goal was to get by using your connections and social game, while my main aim was to plan ahead and make sure that anything I did in the present meant that I would be well positioned in the future, for example making it public that my target was Jayden so people would be comfortable knowing where I stand, trying to keep Ryan in the game at f5 knowing that this would almost certainly give me a confirmed spot in the final 2, talking a lot to Ryan during the double, knowing that he would have some sort of influence over Agus's noms etc.

Now onto the claim that I believe has TARNISHED my reputation!! - that I was just your sheep or your lackey and that you were the one completely in control of our relationship. I know some people may believe that I was playing for you and didn't have my own game but I'd like to stress that this wasn't the case. Like I mentioned in my speech, part of my strategy was to downplay my threat level, and a big component of this strategy was to make other people seem like bigger threats than me, and to use them as shields. I overplayed your closeness to Matt and Kori to make you seem like a bigger threat. I believed that playing up your threat level meant that since we were viewed as so close, when we were inevitably targeted you would be the one on people's minds, while I could slide by relatively unscathed. Although we were both always on everyone's minds, I was the one who remained untargeted. I was the one who made the first move and formed all the alliances we were in together instead of just sitting back and following your lead. Also, there were many instances when I chose to do something that only benefited my game, and possibly hurt yours. Some examples I can think of off the top of my head:

- Convincing you to vote to evict Jayden over Jakey, even though it would possibly hurt your relationship with Matt
- Throwing you under the bus to Agus and Ryan to protect myself
- Renominating Matt during my HOH when you told me not to
- Trying to keep Ryan safe at f5
- Exposing my alliance with Kori/Matt/you to Ryan so I would be safe during his HOH week

Lastly, I was going to cut you if I ever felt like it would benefit my game. The reason I kept you around was because it was beneficial to me. In different circumstances where I would not be gaining the same benefits I would have evicted you. Every time I kept you around, I did so because it benefitted MY game, not because I was your goat or that I was doing everything for your sake. Every move I made in this game I made because I thought it would benefit me, not because you told me to or because it would help you. At the end of the day we had a working relationship where we were both equals. We were on the same page a lot of the time which is why we usually agreed on most decisions. When we weren't on the same page I didn't just follow you - I actually convinced you to do something for me and also made decisions you didn't agree with. You did play a great game and I believe that I did too, but we both had a different approach that shouldn't be labeled as the same game and I was NOT your sheep/2nd vote/goat!!!

Now let's move onto when I protected myself/you/others. A lot of the game I mainly focused on protecting myself, since that was always my main priority. I spent the earlier stages in the game trying to protect our gay alliance, an

example of this was when Ryan and the first time Scott was nominated during the prejury phase and I actively campaigned for both of them to stay. The three times you were a final nominee, I always campaigned for you to make sure you had the votes. The only time I felt alone in this game was when Kori used his true love's kiss on you because I felt like there was a chance you would pick him over me, which is not something I wanted. But truth be told, I was never alone in this game up until the F3 because I always knew you would have my back.