MADNESS

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INT. BATTLEFIELD - DAY 1542

(TANIRE, 34, Ginger hair with white streaks fights alongside BLYDE, 40.)

DANTE

(Angrily)

TANIRE!

(TANIRE and BLYDE turn and look. Enemies try to attack while they are distracted but are killed easily by BLYDE and TANIRE)

BLYDE

Go I have you

(TANIRE nods and walks over to DANTE)

TANIRE

(exhaustion)

end this ... no more people should have to die

DANTE

haha says the same man who killed countless

TANIRE

I am not the same man ...

DANTE

People do not change! You're still the same murderer!

TANIRE

I did what I did to protect people

DANTE

Protect? You call that protection!

TANIRE

I was following orders!

DANTE

You killed innocent people! where's your honor!

TANIRE

(Regret)

I-

DANTE

Coward!

(DANTE swings his sword at TANIRE and they clash)

DANTE

You killed my mother!

TANIRE

I- I'm sorry

DANTE

You're sorry?!

(DANTE begins swinging his sword at TANIRE and TANIRE defends himself well. DANTE knocks the spear out of his hand and swings his sword at TANIRE. TANIRE disarms DANTE.

DANTE tries to punch TANIRE and TANIRE counters knocking him to the floor bleeding.)

DANTE

You don't deserve this power...you don't deserve to be called a king!

(A Soldier ambushes TANIRE)

Soldier

Aaaaaaahhh-

(TANIRE turns around. Soldier gets stabbed in the neck by BLYDE. Blood squirts out of the soldier's neck and on to TANIRE. TANIRE wipes the blood from his face.)

BLYDE

Look out!

(BLYDE pushes TANIRE out of the way of an incoming spear thrown by DANTE. BLYDE helps TANIRE up. They look at DANTE while he stands there with blood dripping from his nose and mouth.)

DANTE

do- do you even remember them?

TANIRE

No...

(DANTE looks at TANIRE with rage in his eyes. DANTE's army starts retreating.)

TANIRE

It doesn't have to be this way...I can't change what I have done but I can make things better.

DANTE

you're just going to make things worse

BLYDE

let us help you DANTE

DANTE

Help? Did he help when he killed my mother?

(BLYDE looks at TANIRE)

DANTE

this isn't over

(DANTE runs back into the forest. The weary soldiers guide their horses over the battlefield littered with the bodies of Dante's army and head hopefully towards their town nestled against the forest up ahead.)

FADE OUT.

INT. TANIRE'S BED CHAMBER - EVENING

(Their town is celebrating their victory, but TANIRE inside his castle with his wife and daughter. ELIZA enters the room)

ELIZA

Aren't you going to celebrate love?

TANIRE

(Guilt)

No...it's been a long week

(BLYDE barges in with AL and NERO)

BLYDE

What are you doing up here? Let's celebrate!

TANIRE

No BLYDE, that's okay you all have fun.

AL

C'mon you deserve it

TANIRE

no really-

(ATHENA, TANIREs daughter walks in.)

ATHENA

Father, why aren't you celebrating?

(BLYDE points at ATHENA then looks a TANIRE)

BLYDE

(Joking)

That is a wonderful question, love.

TANIRE

Because I want to spend my time celebrating with you and your mother.

(ATHENA smiles. TANIRE kisses her on the cheek.)

ELIZA

Go honey, go celebrate with your kingdom. Just bring him back by nightfall.

(BLYDE grabs TANIRE, and they take him out of the castle and begin walking downtown.)

CUT TO.

INT. PATHWAY

TANIRE

You really don't have to do this.

BLYDE

Shut your mouth and drink.

(BLYDE grabs a mug from a bystander and gives it to TANIRE. MAEVE walks towards TANIRE.)

MAEVE

Look who finally decided to show up!

CUT TO.

INT. TAVERN - EVENING

(TANIRE, BLYDE, NERO, AL, and MAEVE enter the tavern and begin drinking. The tavern is filled with people drinking and eating. AMIRA sits alone while LEV stares at her. BLYDE approaches his son)

BLYDE

Talk to her.

LEV

Huh!?

BLYDE

It's obvious you like her just go talk to her.

LEV

No way.

BLYDE

Are you just going to stare at her? Go talk to her.

LEV

What do I say to her?

BLYDE

Just be yourself.

(LEV shyly walks over to AMIRA)

LEV

(Shy)

uh hi...

(AMIRA makes eye contact with LEV.)

LEV

(Blushing)

I was just over there, and I saw you and-well it's not the first time I've seen you-I...no- uh I'm trying to say I know of you and-

AMIRA

(Smiling)

you must be BLYDE's son

LEV

(Embarrassed)

Yes I am...

AMIRA

have a seat

(They begin talking while BLYDE smiles in the distance. TANIRE walks over to BLYDE)

TANIRE

I'm impressed she usually doesn't let guys get that close

BLYDE

Well, I am his father

TANIRE

(Smiling)

He gets it from his mother

ve

(They both chuckle. TANIRE sees ROGIER and sits next to him)

TANIRE

Good to see you, ROGIER

ROGIER

You too, to what do I owe the pleasure?

TANIRE

Your power is beyond anything I've seen, we could use you.

ROGIER

I'm sure you could

TANIRE

listen people need you and not just to be a healer...you could make sure they'll never have to see a healer again

ROGIER

That's not how it works, you know that.

TANIRE

Help me protect them.

ROGIER takes a drink

STRANGER

TANIRE!?

(TANIRE turns to see a fan walk to him)

STRANGER

You're a hero- no a champion!

TANIRE

(Guilt)

I appreciate your kind words but a hero I am not

Stranger

What?! Of course you are, let me buy you a drink

(TANIRE stands)

TANIRE

ROGIER-

ROGIER

I'm happy where I'm at.

TANIRE

if you ever change your mind the offer still stands.

(BLYDEs wife shows up.)

BLYDE

Hello my love!

(BLYDE kisses his wife.)

SYLVIE

Greetings love, where is LEV? He left his ring on the table.

BLYDE

Oh, that's probably because he's been distracted by her

(BLYDE points to AMIRA and LEV talking)

SYLVIE

Oh, she is a nice lady.

BLYDE

I'm surprised, she doesn't let men that close

SYLVIE

Well LEV isn't an ordinary man.

(They both smile)

SYLVIE

I'll give this to him after then.

(BLYDE buys a round for everyone and stands on the table)

BLYDE

It has been a long fight for everyone but thanks to TANIRE-

TANIRE

and the whole kingdom.

BLYDE

Yes, and the whole kingdom we have finally achieved peace among all kingdoms in Vas Domus for the first time in 500 years!

(The people begin cheering and drinking)

CUT TO

INT. PATHWAY OF TOWN - HOURS LATER - RAINING

(AMIRA fighting someone. There's mud all over her. The crowd is cheering while a big man is punching her. She regains her focus and catches his hand mid punch and knocks him out. AMIRA looks at her bleeding knuckles but is distracted. In the distance you can hear LEV yelling and whimpering. Two thieves are holding LEV by the shirt pushing him against the wall)

THIEF 1

What's this? Haha

LEV

Hey! Don't touch that-that's my mother's ring!

(Thief 1 grabs the ring while Thief 2 is taking everything out of his pockets.)

LEV

Hey that isn't for you!

(LEV struggles to break free from their grasp)

LEV

Let go of me!

(Thief 1 throws him in the mud)

LEV

ah!

(LEV drops the bandages he was carrying.)

AMIRA

(Demanding)

Give his stuff back.

Thief 1

(Cocky)

or what!?

(AMIRA wastes no time and closes the distance between her and the thief, she head butts him. Thief 2 throws a punch at her and AMIRA catches it and breaks his hand.)

Thief 2

Aaaaaaah!!

Thief 1

c'mon let's get out of here!

(The thieves begin running away. AMIRA picks up the dirty ring and necklace. LEV gets up grabbing the bandages.)

AMIRA

Hey, it's okay, don't worry about it they'll never do that again.

(AMIRA puts her hand on his shoulder)

LEV

(Tearing up)

No it's not okay it's all ruined I knew you were going to fight so I got some bandages for you and now it's covered in mud.

AMIRA

(Reassuring)

It's no big deal I'll heal with or without them, it was a nice thought, I appreciate it.

(AMIRA looks at the necklace and the ring as the rain washes away the mud)

AMIRA

Here this belongs to you.

(AMIRA puts the necklace around LEV's neck and puts the ring on LEV's finger.)

AMIRA

Are these your mothers?

LEV

y-yeah

(AMIRA notices some blood running down LEVs lip to his chin)

AMIRA

oh, you're bleeding

LEV

oh, it's no big deal...

AMIRA

Here let me get it for you.

(AMIRA wipes blood off his chin. He stares at her lips and AMIRA notices. Her hand moves from his chin to the side of his face. BLYDE walks towards them.)

BLYDE

What happened?

(AMIRA takes her hands off LEV)

AMIRA

Two thieves tried stealing his jewelry.

BLYDE

(Surprised)

LEV fought off thieves?!

LEV

She fought off thieves

BLYDE

ah...that's okay too I'm going to have to teach you how to fight.

LEV

That's okay dad...

BLYDE

In this world you must learn how to fight...people are dangerous.

LEV

I don't want to hurt people.

BLYDE

I know son, but you must survive.

FADE OUT.

INT. TAVERN - NIGHT

(TANIRE, TREVOR, and FROST sit at a table eating together.)

TANIRE

Thanks for coming, it means a lot.

FROST

Of course, we got here later than expected because of those damn CULTISTs.

TANIRE

What have they done now.

TREVOR

Enough

(TREVOR sips his beer)

FROST

they have already killed several locals.

TREVOR

Why did you let them come here?

TANIRE

Everyone who wants to live here should be able to if they follow my rules.

TREVOR

Are they?

TANIRE

What about the people that don't participate in that violence? Not everyone I let in were CULTISTs.

FROST

TANIRE...they've been sacrificing babies. We need to do something

TREVOR

We have already arrested many CULTISTs.

TANIRE

When morning comes, we will meet at the roundtable

(LUNA walks into the tavern)

LUNA

TANIRE!

TANIRE

Ah LUNA! It's great to see you!

(They hug)

TANIRE

How were Miranda's lessons?

LUNA

It was great!

TANIRE

(Proud)

You think you could show my daughter a few things. She's been practicing magic and sorcery, she's quite good.

LUNA

I'd love to!

(TANIRE and LUNA smile.)

TANIRE

Could you do me a favor?

LUNA

Of course.

TANIRE

Could you find BLYDE? I think he's near the entrance to the city.

LUNA

Ah yes, I saw him when I entered, I'll go get him.

FADE OUT.

INT. MARKET DISTRICT - NIGHT - RAINING

(LUNA walks outside and the streets are filled with people marching and dancing. People playing instruments and celebrating. LUNA eventually gets through the crowd and reaches the entrance. She spots BLYDE)

LUNA

Hey BLYDE!

BLYDE

Hey LUNA!

(LUNA runs to BLYDE. The sound of the rain is heavy.)

LUNA

TANIRE wants to speak with you!

BLYDE

What?

(LUNA rushes to BLYDE. BLYDE is shopping for some jewelry for his wife. The vendor and a stranger begin talking)

CULTIST

Will you serve him?

The sound of the strangers voice is muffled by the rain

Vendor

Who? -*gurgle*

(BLYDE and LUNA hears choking and looks towards the noise. He sees the vendor and the stranger. The stranger rips a sickle out of the vendor's throat, blood squirting all over the floor. The vendor holds his neck as he falls to the floor missing his throat.)

BLYDE

No!

(LUNA stands staring at the vendor. BLYDE kicks the stranger across the pathway. DON enters the city with many CULTISTs in black hoods wearing masks to cover their faces.)

DON

Are you going to get up?!

(The CULTIST gets up and runs at BLYDE. BLYDE knees the CULTIST landing the knee on his jaw knocking him unconscious. BLYDE looks at LUNA.)

BLYDE

Get TANIRE! Go! Now!

(LUNA begins running. The citizens panic and rush to safety BLYDE stares at DON.)

BLYDE

What do you want?

DON

I want to save you.

BLYDE

You must have the wrong kingdom.

DON

haha...no I don't think I do.

(DON does a hand signal and his CULTISTs begin invading the town. People are screaming and running. The CULTISTs begin killing citizens of the town and throwing torches trying to burn their buildings and houses down.)

Woman

Help me!

(BLYDE wastes no time and begins wiping out CULTISTs one by one. He throws a knife at a CULTIST that pierces his eye. Three CULTISTs approach him with pitchforks and Sickles. A man with a sickle approaches him and he swings at BLYDE. BLYDE dodges all his attacks. On the man's final swing BLYDE parries and disarms the man, punching him in the throat. BLYDE picks up the sickle and cuts the second man's leg off. The last one tries to surprise BLYDE and spear him. BLYDE notices and throws the sickle cutting off the man's head.)

DON

(Furious)

That is enough!

(DON uses gravity magic to lift a pitchfork up and hurl it towards BLYDE impaling him.)

BLYDE

ah *cough*

(Blood runs from his mouth. One of the CULTISTs grabs onto the pitchfork and tries to pull it out but is kicked by AMIRA.)

AMIRA

BLYDE, stay with me.

(AMIRA holds him as he bleeds out.)

AMIRA

The wizard should be here; he will heal you.

(AMIRA hears the soldiers approaching her from behind. She stands up and turns around and lifts her leg up and slams her foot into the ground causing it to quake. AMIRA rushes an unbalanced CULTIST and punches him in the gut, sending him flying, hitting a few other CULTISTs on the way.)

DON

You must be an Earth breaker...I have something for you haha

(DON hand signals and a 8-foot 400 pound BULSARA charges past him as AMIRA charges back, they clash. They begin trading blows. BULSARA gets the upper hand and knocks AMIRA to the ground)

BULSARA

I am strongest man alive haha

(AMIRA wipes blood from her mouth. BULSARA picks her up by her head and begins slamming her face into the ground several times.)

BLYDE

(weakly)

AMIRA...

(TANIRE impales BULSARA and lifts him up with a spear and throws BULSARA at DON's feet. ROGIER uses magic to bring AMIRA and BLYDE towards him. FROST and TREVOR stand behind TANIRE. The sound of soldiers marching is heard.)

TANIRE

You are not welcome here.

DON

We are welcome wherever we please.

TANIRE

Well not here, my soldiers are coming and you're not ready for a war with us.

DON

(smiling)

I know...

(The clouds begin to thicken and thunder roars and red lightning can be seen in the sky. TANIRE looks in the sky and gets smashed to the floor by something. TREVOR and FROST fall to the floor. TANIRE looks up as DANTE stands above him)

TANIRE

DANTE?

DANTE

I told you this wasn't over.

(DANTE punches TANIRE, with each blow lightning follows. DANTE grabs TANIRE's neck and Flies into the sky.)

DANTE

I have waited a long time for this.

(DANTE slams TANIRE onto the ground. DANTE grabs TANIRE, he begins to fly with TANIRE grinding him against the ground. DANTE flies into the sky holding TANIRE.)

DANTE

Look at your home!

(TANIRE looks down, the view of his home is of nothing but fire and destruction. DANTE looks coldly into TANIRE's eyes.)

DANTE

Everything you've worked so hard for I will destroy.

(DANTE throws TANIRE. TANIRE falls from the sky landing into his castle breaking through two floors. TANIRE lies on the third floor in pain.)

FADE OUT.

INT. CASTLE GATE - NIGHT

(TREVOR and FROST get to their feet. AMIRA and BLYDE are healed by ROGIER while soldiers show up to their defense.)

DON

Do you think these measly soldiers can stop us? You may have formidable warriors but these puppets!

(DON uses gravity and pulls a Soldier towards him.)

DON

I will perfect this world.

(By using gravity DON ascends off the floor and snaps his finger. Gravity pulls the man's armor off and rips him into clumps of meat. Everyone but the CULTISTs stare in shock.)

DON

(Disgusted)

You so-called heroes. You can't live without war, you were made to kill

BLYDE

We kill to protect!

DON

And you call that peace?

(DON descends to the floor.)

DON

Peace will be after our time.

(The CULTISTs rush the soldiers. FROST uses an ancient technique and creates a blizzard. There is snow and wind flying throughout the city.)

CULTIST 1

Do you see them!?

CULTIST 2

No, this damn blizzard!

CULTIST 3

I-Its cold

(The CULTISTs stand around with their torches looking for the soldiers. It becomes silent, the wind fills their ears as they shiver. They see a golden light.)

CULTIST 2

Hey, Over there!

CULTIST 3

What is that?

TREVOR

witness the power of a true God.

(TREVOR's hands glow with holy light. The light fades and in his hands is a sword. A group of twelve CULTISTs circle him. FROST emerges from the snow standing behind a CULTIST. FROST forms a dagger using ice and cuts a CULTISTs throat open. Blood pours from his neck but it freezes before hitting the floor. CULTISTs charge FROST and TREVOR. TREVOR makes quick work of three CULTISTs by cutting through them with ease. FROST throws her dagger at a CULTIST, hitting him in the gut. In the corner of her eye she sees a sword about to hit her. She turns her body into thick ice and the blade bounces off of her. She explodes the ice off her body sending shards flying hitting four CULTISTs killing them instantly. The four other CULTISTs stand there shivering and scared. The sound of loud footsteps can be heard in the distance.)

BULSARA

Get out of the way, you are all useless.

(TREVOR shines a bright light in his eye. BULSARA swings his arm around as he covers his eyes. TREVOR runs towards FROST.)

TREVOR

We must go, that guy will tear us apart.

FROST

yea-

AMIRA

No...I'm not done

TREVOR

Yes, you are-

(AMIRA storms past TREVOR and runs at BULSARA. She flips over his swinging arm and drop kick BULSARA, sending him flying. CULTISTs surround AMIRA. ROGIER uses magic to open portals, magic tendrils come flying out grabbing each CULTIST and pulling them inside. ROGIER shuts the portal. ROGIER turns to see TANIRE falling into the castle and DANTE follows.)

ROGIER

AMIRA you need to help TANIRE, He's not a match for DANTE now.

(AMIRA turns to ROGIER)

AMIRA

What are we going to do about-

(BULSARA hits AMIRA, sending her through buildings. ROGIER looks at BLYDE and finishes healing him.)

ROGIER

BLYDE go help TANIRE, he needs you, we will handle this.

(TREVOR helps BLYDE up)

BLYDE

FROST clear this blizzard.

FROST

Are you sure?

BLYDE

Yes, we can't fight in these conditions.

(FROST clears the blizzard allowing the CULTISTs to see them again. BLYDE turns to his soldiers)

BLYDE

Don't let them pass you

(BLYDE runs through the soldiers to get to TANIRE's castle. CULTISTs charge at the soldiers.)

FADE OUT.

INT. THIRD CASTLE FLOOR - TANIRE'S CASTLE - MIDNIGHT

(TANIRE tries to stand. His ribs cracked; he still stands. DANTE levitates through the hole in the castle.)

DANTE

You're no match for me

(Lightning starts forming in DANTE's hand and he shoots a bolt at TANIRE blasting him through a column. TANIRE stands weakly and spits blood.)

DANTE

Is this the power of a king? Pathetic!

(DANTE charges TANIRE. He swings at TANIRE several times, but TANIRE swiftly dodges every punch. TANIRE lands a devastating uppercut dazing DANTE. DANTE looks at TANIRE angrily. They begin trading blows. They eventually clash.)

DANTE

No...No! I won't let you win!

(DANTE creates a shock wave of electricity pushing TANIRE back. He flies at TANIRE and grabs him by the neck and chokeslams him through the third floor. He summons a lightning bolt and smashes it down on TANIRE, sending him through the second floor. TANIRE lies on the first floor. His ribs broken, he's bloody, and bruised. TANIRE struggles to breathe. DANTE flies down to him.)

DANTE

This is where you die TANIRE, this is for my mother.

DANTE flies out of the castle. He raises his hands. Thunder roars and red lightning strikes around DANTE. DANTE throws his hands down and a big lightning bolt hits the castle destroying it, burying TANIRE beneath the rubble.

FADE OUT.

INT. TOWN PATHWAY - HOURS LATER

(The battle rages on throughout the kingdom. MAEVE, AL, and NERO are fighting together. MAEVE looks and sees TREVOR and FROST trying to take down BULSARA.)

MAEVE

AL help them.

(A DEMONic spirit takes over AL)

DEMON AL

I will bathe in your blood BULSARA haha

(DEMON AL runs at BULSARA. BULSARA throws TREVOR into the sky.)

TREVOR

Oh shit! Ahhhh!

(BULSARA kicks FROST into a shop, the shop collapses on top of her. DEMON AL tackles BULSARA into a food cart. DEMON AL picks up BULSARA and throws him into the middle of the dirt road. Warriors fight around them. BULSARA stares at DEMON AL. They face off from a distance. Nothing but a long dirt path ahead of them. Buildings enclose them to this one path.)

BULSARA

Nowhere to run boy haha.

DEMON AL

Boy! I am thousands of years old! No one calls me boy!

(DEMON AL picks up a spear off a dead warrior. DEMON AL hurls the spear at BULSARA and it goes into BULSARA's thigh.)

BULSARA

Ah! You bastard!

(BULSARA pulls the spear out of his leg. BULSARA charges DEMON AL. AL jumps onto the wall of a tall stone building.)

BULSARA

Where are you going!?

(DEMON AL flips off the wall onto BULSARA's back. BULSARA tries desperately to get AL off of him. AL grabs onto BULSARA's head and flips over him, pulling him to the ground. DON sees DEMON AL winning against BULSARA.)

DON

You are starting to bother me.

(DON uses gravity to pick up DEMON AL and slams him multiple times into the ground knocking DEMON AL out. ROGIER blasts DON with magic.)

DON

You annoying pest!

(DON lifts rubble with gravity magic and throws it at ROGIER. ROGIER forms a magic reflective glass that reflects the rubble back at DON. DON puts a gravity bubble around him that pushes all the rubble around him.)

DON

Powerful tricks but I don't have time for you.

DON uses his powers to bury ROGIER in the ground.

CUT TO.

INT. PATHWAY

(MAEVE Looks around and sees the CULTISTs are overwhelming the soldiers.)

DON

Capture people of value and kill the rest.

(DON flies to the castle. A loud crash of thunder can be heard and the whole city flashes red. MAEVE looks and sees the castle Falling to the ground.)

MAEVE

Everybody retreat!

(Maeve blows a horn, Soldiers try to retreat. Civilians try to escape. amongst all the chaos only MAEVE and NERO meet up together outside of the castle walls.)

NERO

MAEVE what are we doing!?

MAEVE

We are retreating!

(MAEVE and NERO make it out of the city to an outpost. MAEVE and NERO sit at the outpost waiting for survivors to show up.)

CUT TO.

INT. OUTPOST - EARLY MORNING

NERO

Why did we run?

MAEVE

What do you mean? We would've died if we didn't leave.

NERO

It was cowardly.

MAEVE

To save what was left of our soldiers, our people?

NERO

I was taught to never surrender...to die in the shadows!

MAEVE

honorable even for a ninja.

NERO

What does that mean? It doesn't change the fact that we should have died there protecting our people!

MAEVE

we had to save whoever we could

NERO

Yet we are here alone.

MAEVE

Did you forget you ran too!

(NERO turns from her)

NERO

Where are they?

MAEVE

Be patient, people will show up.

NERO

Show up! We left them there! How could you be so carless!

MAEVE

Careless! I have watched so many people I loved die in front of me because of what?! Their pride! I was a kid when TANIRE found me...I care!

(NERO stays silent)

NERO

Wait do you hear that?

(NERO stands and walks towards the trees and investigates the darkness. A long skinny hand slowly reaches towards NERO from the trees. MAEVE sees it and unsheathes her sword.)

MAEVE

NERO!

(NERO ducks as the hand tries to grab him. NERO looks up but nothing is there.)

NERO

What was that!

MAEVE

I'm not sure! this place was supposed to be secure!

(MAEVE walks carefully towards NERO as they both investigate the trees. A skinny black elongated creature silently and slowly crawls down the tree. Out of their field of vision the creature stands at nine feet, its

fingers sharp like knives, eyes white like the stars in the sky, and skin smooth like a baby. The creature crawls behind them then stands slowly. NERO turns around before the creature slashes at them. NERO evades its sharp fingers, MAEVE holds her sword up and cuts its fingers off. The creature doesn't make a sound after its fingers get cut off. It grabs MAEVE with its other hand and throws her into a tree. NERO unsheathes his katana. He rushes the creature and slides evading its attack. NERO cuts the creature's leg making it fall to its knees. MAEVE gets up, she runs at it. NERO puts his katana through its chest. The creature still alive doesn't make a sound. MAEVE cuts its head off, killing it. The sound of twigs snapping can be heard. MAEVE and NERO ready themselves. BLYDE emerges.)

BLYDE

You're alive!

MAEVE

oh, it's so good to see you!

(MAEVE and BLYDE embrace.)

BLYDE

I brought more

(Survivors follow behind BLYDE.)

BLYDE

This is all I could save

MAEVE

It's okay, you did what you could.

(BLYDE looks around and sees the monster)

BLYDE

What happened?

NERO

This creature attacked us.

BLYDE

This place is supposed to be secure.

MAEVE

We know.

NERO

I thought TANIRE got rid of them?

BLYDE

We did.

(BLYDE grunts in pain. MAEVE and NERO tend to BLYDE. Al, AMIRA, LEV, LUNA, and TREVOR emerge from the crowd)

TREVOR

Oh, it is good to see you two alive

(MAEVE smiles but her smile soon fades.)

MAEVE

Where is TANIRE?

BLYDE

I could not find him; I didn't have enough time to clear the rubble. I'm sorry.

MAEVE

He's one of the strongest people to live, a building would not kill him.

(AL gets taken over by an ANGEL.)

ANGEL AL

MAEVE as long as I have lived, I have never seen anyone survive something like that.

DEMON AL

Way to be positive

AL

enough, I'm sorry MAEVE but she's right.

BLYDE

We don't know until we find his body.

FADE OUT.

INT. OUTPOST - NOON

(Night passes and everyone begins to wake. The sun is already above the hill of their camp. Survivors try to recover from the battle while heroes try to help.)

LUNA

Is there anything else I can do for you?

Survivor

No, you have my gratitude

(LUNA smiles and walks away. AMIRA sees LEV and walks towards him)

AMIRA

Good morning

LEV

(Excited)

AMIRA!

(AMIRA is startled by LEV's excitement.)

LEV

Oh my apologies

AMIRA

No need

(AMIRA sits on the log with LEV.)

LEV

Are you okay?

(LEV slowly moves his hand towards AMIRA's hand. Their hands touch.)

AMIRA

yeah

(LEV puts his head on AMIRA. The sun still rising over the hill.)

LEV

It's beautiful isn't it?

AMIRA

It is.

(BLYDE sits down and sees his son and AMIRA talking. LUNA sits next to him.)

LUNA

How long has that been happening?

BLYDE

what?

LUNA

(pointing)

That

BLYDE

oh that? Since yesterday

LUNA

well, that's nice

BLYDE

Yeah...

LUNA

Are you okay?

BLYDE

Not really, no

LUNA

We will get everyone back.

(LUNA hugs BLYDE. LUNA stands and walks back to help the survivors.)

FADE OUT.

INT. OUTPOST - LATER THAT NIGHT

(BLYDE and the rest of the survivors are building a camp. Families lay together in tents. People cook food over the fire. It's quiet, the silence is deafening. All our heroes get together.)

TREVOR

What do we do BLYDE, everyone is...

(TREVOR looks around.)
BLYDE I don't know
LUNA We should do what we can.
NERO Where do we start?
AMIRA We find him.
AL How?
BLYDE We don't know but I know someone who might.
TREVOR Who?
BLYDE We got word of CULTISTs killing throughout villages but one village closer to us called Windshale was attacked. They might have an idea of where he went.
LUNA What about our home and people? We can't just leave them here unprotected.
BLYDE You're right, you'll stay LUNA take care of them.
LUNA
uh me? Alone?

LEV doesn't fight.

Well LEV will be here too

BLYDE

LUNA

BLYDE

Which is why he's staying.

LUNA

I suppose

BLYDE

The rest of us will go to Windshale.

NERC

How will we get there if we don't have horses?

AMIRA

We Walk

NERO

All the way to Windshale?

TREVOR

You heard her

NERO

Okay then.

BLYDE

All of you get rest we will go at dawn.

(Our heroes nod and go to their tents.)

FADE OUT.

INT. OUTPOST - MORNING

(BLYDE and the rest of our heroes have been getting ready to leave. Our heroes take off to Windshale. LUNA and LEV watch as they leave.)

LEV

What do we do now?

LUNA

I'm not sure.

LEV

We should go back.

LUNA

Where?

LEV

Back home, we should help clear the debris and find anyone else.

LUNA

No it's not safe yet, we don't know if they'll return

LEV

but we could look

LUNA

No, it's not safe LEV...and if anything happens to you, your father will kill me.

LEV

But what about TANIRE-

LUNA

Our job is to protect what's left of our people, we can't just leave them.

LEV

we can't just stay here...what if they find us

LUNA

LEV it's safe, I promise

FADE OUT

INT. FOREST - DAY

(BLYDE, AL, MAEVE, TREVOR, NERO, AMIRA walk together in a forest.)

AL

(Tense)

did we have to go through the forest?

(AMIRA puts her hand on AL's shoulder. He takes a deep breath)

BLYDE

It would take longer if we followed the road, this will take just three.

TREVOR

I hope they have beer there

NERO

is that what you've been thinking about.

TREVOR

What else is there to think about on a hot day.

DEMON AL

We are hungry!

AL

Can you stop?!

DEMON AL

Maybe if you weren't such a pussy, you'd get the food yourself!

AL

Okay enough

AMIRA

We don't have much, we will have to ration.

TREVOR

We should've brought more food

BLYDE

Wait shh!

(A moose trots)

(AL steps on a branch. They all turn and look at AL. TREVOR hits AL's arm. The moose turns towards the group and gets riled up. The moose begins running at the group)

TREVOR

Goodluck pal

(TREVOR pats AL on the back and moves out of the way. The rest of the group jumps out of the way as the moose charges AL. AL's eyes turn red. AL's DEMON comes out)

DEMON AL

finally!

(The moose runs into AL. The moose tries to push past AL but AL Pushes back. his feet drags as the moose pushes him. AL tries to pull the moose into the ground but its horns fall off. AL looks at the horns in his hand. DEMON AL takes down the moose and kills it.)

ANGEL AL

Oh, you poor moose

BLYDE

Well now we have food.

(BLYDE and the rest set up a camp for the night. They light a fire and cook the moose.)

CUT TO.

INT. OUTPOST - MORNING

(Night falls and back at the survivors outpost LUNA sleeps but has a nightmare. The voice of TANIRE calling for help. LUNA wakes up breathing hard. The night goes by and the sun comes up. LUNA and LEV are still helping survivors.)

LEV

LUNA we can't keep doing this, we are already running out of food.

LUNA

Don't worry, I have some of the men out this morning, they'll be back.

LEV

Hopefully with food.

(LUNA thinks about her nightmare.)

LUNA

LEV, listen, you're right.

LEV

I know we need food and if-

LUNA

No about going back.

LEV

Really?!

LUNA

Yes, and im going alone.

LEV

What? You can't go alone! And you can't leave me with our people alone!

LUNA

Don't worry, look

(LUNA creates a crow out of magic.)

LUNA

Miranda taught me this.

LEV

A crow?

LUNA

Her name is Suni

(Suni flies on LEV's shoulder)

LUNA

She will protect you and if anything goes wrong, she will tell me.

LEV

She's beautiful but are you sure?

LUNA

Yes, I will go back and look for survivors. It will only be a couple of days and I'll be back okay?

LEV

Okay but what do I do?

LUNA

just keep getting food and helping others and remember the river for water.

LEV

I don't know if I can do this

LUNA

LEV you must...without me here you'd be next in charge

LEV

I can't lead all these people.

LUNA

I won't be long

(LUNA puts her hand on LEV's shoulder)

LUNA

Your father is a great general, I'm sure you'd make a good one too

LEV

That's just not me...I'm not my father.

LUNA

You don't have to be.

LEV

How are you going to bring them back?

LUNA

One at a time

LEV

Goodluck, travel safely.

FADE OUT.

INT - FOREST - DAY

Our group still travels to Windshale through the forest.

MAEVE

BLYDE, how come I've never met your family?

BLYDE

What do you mean? You were there for my wedding.

MAEVE

Not that family, I mean siblings and parents.

BLYDE

ah...when Kahn was in power, he sent his one-man army to my village while I was out hunting. I heard the screams and I

ran to my village. There he was, slaughtering my people. I watched him execute my parents. I tried to fight but I failed.

MAEVE

I'm sorry I asked

BLYDE

It's okay you didn't know. After Years of fighting, I found TANIRE in a village protecting them against Kahn's soldiers.

MAEVE

He saved all of us

BLYDE

It was like fate he found us; I loved him like a brother.

MAEVE

Do you think he's dead?

BLYDE

I don't want to believe it but I'm not stupid, not even he could survive that.

NERO

Wait stop!

(BLYDE and MAEVE Turn around and look at NERO. TREVOR, AMIRA, and AL stop behind NERO. NERO stands and listens.)

BLYDE

What is it?

TREVOR

NERO?

(A loud screech follows. The group gets distorted and covers their ears. All the heroes shield their ears in pain)

DEMON AL

Ow! That hurts damnit!

ANGEL AL

stop yelling, my ears hurt.

DEMON AL

our ears hurt!

AMIRA

Something is hunting us.

TREVOR

(Sarcastic)

You really think so.

(TREVOR backs himself towards a tree. A husk like creature opens his eyes and emerges from the tree and grabs TREVOR. He elbows the creature in the face.)

TREVOR

ow his face is like wood

AMIRA

It is wood

TREVOR

What is that?

BLYDE

it's a Madera husk

TREVOR

What is that?

MAEVE

You don't know?

TREVOR

No, why would I know?!

NERO

They were extinct.

(TREVOR gets kicked by a swinging husk. The husks scattered and blended with the wood.)

TREVOR

Okay what the fuck

(BLYDE walks towards a tree.)

NERO

Where are you going BLYDE?! These husks hunt in together we should get into defensive position.

BLYDE

while you stand there in formation I'm going to go-

(BLYDE grabs the camouflaged Madera husk. It begins squirming and screeching. BLYDE stabs it in the neck and fourteen husks reveal themselves. The group gets into formation. They huddle back-to-back. The sky darkens, mist brews in the sky. The husks jump around trees growling and hunting their prey.)

AMIRA

Enough of this.

(AMIRA punches a tree, and it falls. Husks come falling from the trees. AMIRA runs and picks up a branch and breaks it off a husk's face.)

TREVOR

There are too many!

DEMON AL

I hate tree husks!

(DEMON AL rushes a group of husks and picks up a husk and throws one at MAEVE and continues attacking the group of five husks. MAEVE lifts her sword as the husk flies at her; the husk gets cut in half. AMIRA runs at a husk and punches through it; wood shards fly out of it. AMIRA picks up the body and smashes through three more husks. BLYDE and TREVOR fight four husks together while MAEVE and NERO team up with DEMON AL and take down the husks. AL transforms back to himself.)

AL

I feel exhausted

DEMON AL

Why?! I did all the work!

TREVOR

How about that beer

FADE OUT.

INT. DESTROYED CASTLE. - DAY

(LUNA walks the trail back to the kingdom. She finally makes it past the gates. She returns to the horror that brought her people much pain. She sees the decaying bodies, flies hover over them.)

LUNA

You poor souls...you all didn't deserve this.

(LUNA makes her way back to the destroyed castle. She looks at the destruction for a moment. LUNA examines debris. She walks around the castle. She sees rocks scattered far out behind the castle. She knows it must've shot out of the castle before it collapsed. LUNA follows the rocks that scattered from the blast. She follows it back to one of the shops nearby. She begins searching around it, she goes to the back. She sees a crater in the ground. She looks up at the roof, it's broken around the edges. She notices a blood trail. LUNA follows the blood trail back to the woods. The blood trail ends on the dirt road just before the woods. LUNA looks around but doesn't get many clues. She steps into the forest and sees a cabin out in the distance. She walks to it. She sees blood on the door of the cabin. She slowly opens the door and walks in. The cabin has a lit candle and books lying on a table. As she stands there, under her is a whole new world.)

FADE OUT.

INT. WOODS - 2 DAYS EARLIER

(TANIRE is being dragged by someone. He fades in and out of consciousness. He sees the cabin and tries to grab the corner, but his hand is yanked by the man. He finally regains his consciousness.)

TANIRE

Where...am I?

CUT TO.

INT. JAIL CELL

(He sees two ladies standing over him. TANIRE sits up. He looks around, he's in a cell. He looks down at his body; he's covered in bandages)

TANIRE

D-Did you two bandage me up? Thank you.

(The two ladies walk out of the cell and close the gate locking him in.)

TANIRE

Wait...

(TANIRE stands)

TANIRE

Wait!

(He walks up to the gate and forces it open. The hinges and locks break off instantly. He moves the gate and props it up against the wall.)

TANIRE

Hello?

(TANIRE walks down the hall. There are cells on each side of him. The torches luminating the rest of the hall. He makes it to the stairs and walks up them. The exit is blocked by a stone wall. He grabs it and lifts the stone wall open. He walks on a hill looking down on a city. A giant castle is at the end of it. The moon is bright. The sky is purple with many stars. Golden lights float through the sky. Before TANIRE takes a step, a sentinel grabs him. The sentinel stands at nine feet and is hollow. You can see the sentinel's metallic heart. It has a yellow aura of energy. The heart intakes energy and releases it with every pump. It squeezes TANIRE. TANIRE struggles to breathe; TANIRE passes out. He wakes up being dragged by two guards. He is in a throne room powered by energy.)

TANIRE

Get off me!

(TANIRE fights the guards off him. Two sentinels ready themselves.)

GRIFFITH

stop!

(GRIFFITH puts his hand out. The sentinels and guards stand straight.)

GRIFFITH

no need for that, let me guess...Earth breaker?

TANIRE

Where am I?

GRIFFITH

You, Earth breaker, are in Lucidus.

TANIRE

My name is TANIRE.

GRIFFITH

Alright, TANIRE.

(GRIFFITH rises from his throne and walks down the steps. The light shows burn marks on his body.)

GRIFFITH

You were out a while. I'm surprised you are alive.

TANIRE

Why's that

GRIFFITH

Not many people can survive a lightning blast from a god

TANIRE

Why am I here?

GRIFFITH

Come with me

GRIFFITH and TANIRE walk out of the throne room. The two sentinels follow. GRIFFITH and TANIRE walk to the castle's dining room. The table has a lot of food on it.

GRIFFITH

please eat.

TANIRE

What's your name?

GRIFFITH

GRIFFITH

TANIRE

Why am I here

GRIFFITH

I saved you

TANIRE

You have my thanks, but It's my time to leave.

GRIFFITH

Where would you go? You have no home, it's all gone.

TANIRE

Goodbye

GRIFFITH

Wait. I'll show you how to leave this place I just need your help.

TANIRE

With?

GRIFFITH

Come.

(They walk to the bottom of the castle. They go to a cage lift. GRIFFITH pulls a lever and the lift begins going down.)

There are no torches or lanterns illuminating the castle, just raw energy flowing through the castle.

TANIRE

Your castle, it's...advanced.

GRIFFITH

Well, this is just a rope and some mechanism but yes you could say that.

(They make it down to a secret chamber. Two sentinels lift the big stone door. Behind the door is a sentinel that's encased in stone. Half of its body is submerged in the stone while the other half isn't. Its arm sticks out as if it was reaching for help.)

GRIFFITH

This is one of the ancient giants.

GRIFFITH points at the heart. It's like the other sentinels. Pumping the yellow energy.

TANIRE

What does it do?

GRIFFITH

It's an infinite energy source; it will power the world...Eventually.

TANIRE

Eventually?

GRIFFITH

The giant is dead which means that energy in his heart will run out. Look at it...it has lasted for centuries but it's weak now.

TANIRE

Why are you showing me this?

GRIFFITH

When I was younger my mother told me a story. Legend has it that the first king of Lucidus stuck his hand in the sentinel's heart and it completely transformed him into pure energy. one day he gained so much energy he exploded and the whole city went up in flames. He killed everyone in the city.

TANIRE

What a story to tell a child

GRIFFITH

I loved it

TANIRE

I'm guessing you want that?

GRIFFITH

Exactly, I was hoping that you could put your hand in his heart

TANIRE

Why don't you?

GRIFFITH

Look at me, I've tried.

(GRIFFITH takes off his cloak and shows his burn marks.)

GRIFFITH

I put my finger in, and it went through half of my body, almost killing me.

TANIRE

Why would it be any different for me?

GRIFFITH

You are an Earth breaker.

TANIRE

I'm not doing it

GRIFFITH

You might survive!

(TANIRE begins walking towards the lift. The sentinels step-in front of him.)

GRIFFITH

You are not leaving! I need this energy!

TANIRE

You do not understand! There is a maniac above us! He will destroy everything, if he finds this place he'll kill you too!

GRIFFITH

If we had this energy no one could stop us!

TANIRE

I won't do it.

GRIFFITH

(Sigh)

I tried the easy way...

(The sentinel picks TANIRE up and walks over towards the heart. TANIRE struggles, he can't overpower the sentinel. The sentinel throws TANIRE into the giant's heart chamber.)

GRIFFITH

No! You threw him in. You were supposed to just put his finger in or something!

(TANIRE screams in agony. GRIFFITH watches as TANIRE begins floating in the energy around the heart. TANIRE absorbs the energy. All the heart's energy goes into TANIRE, and he falls to the ground. The power in the castle goes out. GRIFFITH walks over to him and taps his face.)

GRIFFITH

Wake up! Come on!

(TANIRE opens his eyes and gasps for air. TANIRE sits up.)

TANIRE

What did you do to me?

GRIFFITH

It worked

TANIRE

What did you do!?

GRIFFITH

You are now pure energy

(TANIRE's eyes turn yellow as he grabs a hold of GRIFFITH.)

TANIRE

I told you I won't be your fucking energy source!

GRIFFITH

But you must!

(The sentinel grabs TANIRE.)

TANIRE

Get off me! RAAAH!

(TANIRE's scream creates a sonic boom. GRIFFITH covers his ears in pain. The sentinel squeezes TANIRE. TANIRE's eyes burn yellow. He breaks free from its grasp. TANIRE grabs the sentinel's arm and swings it. He gains enough momentum and let's go. The sentinel gets thrown into the other and they both shatter. All the pieces clank as they hit the floor.)

GRIFFITH

Look at you, you're already so strong. You took them apart like they were nothing.

TANIRE

I don't care!

(TANIRE picks up GRIFFITH by the neck.)

GRIFFITH

It's already changed you so much.

TANIRE

What are you talking about!?

GRIFFITH

I can't breathe so if you-

(TANIRE drops GRIFFITH. GRIFFITH gasps for air.)

GRIFFITH

The part of the legend I didn't tell you about was that the first king didn't overload with energy. The power changed him-His emotions. He thought his people were turning against him, so he killed all of them.

TANIRE

Ignorant story.

GRIFFITH

(Laughing)

So, you think. It will happen to you

TANIRE

Do you think this is funny?!

(TANIRE grabs GRIFFITH violently.)

GRIFFITH

No, no I'm saying you must control your emotions, or you'll end up setting everything on fire.

TANIRE's body lights up with a yellow flame. It stays on his body like an aura.

GRIFFITH

Look at yourself...you're already overloaded with energy! You must calm down! You'll kill everyone!

(TANIRE lets him go. He looks at his hands and sees the flame. He takes a few steps back. His flame extinguishes.)

TANIRE

I'm sorry...I was upset and something-

GRIFFITH

Came over you, yeah I know. It's that damn energy.

(TANIRE starts walking towards the stone door)

GRIFFITH

Wait! Don't go, I need your energy!

(TANIRE keeps walking)

GRIFFITH

You can't leave! I've spent my life trying to get this energy source!

TANIRE

You already had it.

(TANIRE slips his fingers under the door. He lifts the door. TANIRE lifts the door with one hand high. He pushes it hard enough to fully open and walks out. The door gets stuck.)

GRIFFITH

Wait! Wait!

(GRIFFITH gets up and tries running for the door. The door slams down before GRIFFITH makes it)

GRIFFITH

You can't leave me here!

(TANIRE uses the lift back up.)

GRIFFITH

No...no! TANIRE, don't leave me here! TANIRE!

(As TANIRE goes up the lift, GRIFFITH's voice fades. TANIRE makes it back to the bottom of the castle. TANIRE walks

past a sentinel and makes his way to the exit. Before he can step out of the castle the guards block his path.

Guard 1

Where do you think you are going?

TANIRE

GRIFFITH said I could leave.

Guard 1

Well, he didn't tell us you could leave.

TANIRE

Well, when he finds out you disobeyed his word, he won't be happy.

(The guards look at each other.)

Guard 2

He's lying

Guard 3

What if he isn't?

Guard 1

Well, he wouldn't have been able to get out if GRIFFITH didn't want him too.

Guard 2

Alright let him through

(The guards clear the space. TANIRE walks out of the castle walls. He sighs and looks around. He's in the city and has no idea where to go. GRIFFITH runs down the bridge frantically.)

GRIFFITH

Do not let that man go!

(The guards turn and look at TANIRE.)

Guard 1

I knew it! Get that man!

(TANIRE starts to run through the city. As he picks up pace, he becomes faster than normal. He sees a tall building and tries to climb it. He jumps and tries to grab a ledge. He misses the first time, so he tries to jump higher. When he tries to jump, he jumps too high. He soars past the ledge and into the sky. He reaches the golden lights before he falls back down. He falls into a shop. The citizens scream. TANIRE gets up and looks around. Citizens are in shock.)

TANIRE

Sorry.

(TANIRE runs out and looks both ways on the street. GRIFFITH and guards turn the corner. They make sight of TANIRE.)

GRIFFITH

That's him!

(GRIFFITH and the guards run after him. TANIRE runs the opposite way. He stops; the sentinels block his path. He turns around and sees GRIFFITH and the guards. TANIRE tries to jump to a roof but before he reaches any height a sentinel blasts him with energy. He grazes the shops and falls onto a few guards.)

Guard 1

Get him!

All guards rush TANIRE and pin him to the ground. TANIRE stands

Guard 2

I can't hold him down!

(Guards stand around.)

GRIFFITH

Well don't just stand there, help them!

(The guards try to pile on top of TANIRE.)

(TANIRE releases the energy in him blasting the guards off him.)

TANIRE

BURRRAAHH!

(Most of the guards have been burned to a crisp with just one of TANIRE's blasts.)

GRIFFITH

Shit...

(GRIFFITH uses technology to call reinforcements. He lifts his arm and talks into it)

GRIFFITH

The armor

Soldier

Yes sir

TANIRE stands menacingly. His eyes, yellow and burning with flame. GRIFFITH sees the energy flowing through TANIRE's veins. The energy flows through him and at its center is his heart. His body gains the flame aura.

GRIFFITH

Everybody stop!

(The guards and sentinels stop moving.)

GRIFFITH

TANIRE stop.

(GRIFFITH steps back as TANIRE steps towards him)

GRIFFITH

What would you get from killing us?

Soldier

It should be there any moment

(TANIRE hears the soldiers through the communication technology.)

TANIRE

W-What is coming?

GRIFFITH

shit he heard you.

(GRIFFITH signals the sentinels and guards to attack.)

GRIFFITH

Move in!

(GRIFFITH disappears between the quards and sentinels.)

GRIFFITH

Where is it?

Soldier

It's flying to you now.

(Pieces of the armor fly at GRIFFITH and attach to him.)

GRIFFITH

Thank you soldier.

(The guards run at TANIRE. A guard swings a sword at TANIRE. He catches the sword. TANIRE snaps the sword in half and kicks the guard through one of the sentinels, shattering it instantly.)

Guard 1

By the gods!

(All fifteen guards slowly circle TANIRE. One of the guards' trembles as they slowly circle TANIRE. Guards rush TANIRE. He grabs two of them and smashes their heads together. Three soldiers slam their swords into TANIRE. The swords don't pierce TANIRE. They break off his body.

Guard 4

(Scared)

W-w-we can't hurt him.

GRIFFITH

Stop you won't kill him in this state

(GRIFFITH walks towards TANIRE in a full suit of armor. The energy flows through the armor.)

GRIFFITH

Obey or die.

(Citizens stand around and watch.)

Bystander

Murderer!

TANIRE

Just leave me alone.

GRIFFITH

Alright have it your way

(GRIFFITH flies towards TANIRE and shoulder bashes him into a carriage. The people inside scream. GRIFFITH flies through the carriage killing the people and hitting TANIRE out of the carriage. TANIRE regains his footing. The citizens stand in shock. They look at the dead bodies and blood. They look back at TANIRE.)

Bystander

You monster!

(The rest of the people begin shouting at TANIRE that he's a monster. They throw tomatoes at him. The tomatoes disintegrate before they even touch TANIRE.)

TANIRE

N-no didn't you see? He flew-

(They throw rocks at him. TANIRE gets progressively more and more angry. He runs at GRIFFITH screaming. He punches GRIFFITH into the sky. TANIRE jumps up to the sky and strikes GRIFFITH to the ground. He lands on GRIFFITH and punches him repeatedly.)

TANIRE

You killed those innocent people!

(GRIFFITH starts laughing and coughing blood. TANIRE stops punching him.)

TANIRE

What is so funny!? Is something funny about innocents dying!?

(TANIRE raises his arm back ready to punch.)

GRIFFITH

They will hate what you become.

TANIRE

What?

GRIFFITH

Your very power will bring conflict, no matter how hard you try-

(TANIRE's flame goes out.)

TANIRE

(Confident)

No, I won't let it

GRIFFITH

you don't understand your power, You are destined to burn the world to the ground

TANIRE

I won't let that happen.

GRIFFITH

You can't stop it, it takes what it wants, and it wants you.

(TANIRE looks around. Bodies of guards who were burned to death still burn. The trembling guards and citizens. The hateful and vengeful citizens stand around him. They yell, scream, and cower in fear.)

TANIRE

I'm not trying-

(GRIFFITH sucker punches TANIRE to the ground. He picks up TANIRE by the face and slams him into the ground several times. TANIRE's energy flows through his chest, through his neck, and into his eyes. The energy bursts out of his eye like a Laser beam. His lasers burn GRIFFITH's armor off. TANIRE gets back on his feet. GRIFFITH gets angry and turns around to punch TANIRE. His arm, loaded with force. TANIRE catches his punch effortlessly and breaks his hand)

TANIRE

No more!

(TANIRE punches GRIFFITH, knocking him out. He looks around. The people begin shouting at him and throwing stuff at him. People grab anything that can be used as a weapon and walk towards him. He feels himself getting angry but calms down and jumps away.)

FADE OUT.

INT. LUCIDUS - PRESENT

(TANIRE hides himself in a hood. There are wanted posters of him. TANIRE sees his reflection. His eyes flash yellow. He traverses the town looking for a way out. He enters a shop.

TANIRE

Excuse me, would you know of a cabin.

Shopkeeper

Just any cabin or do you mean...the cabin.

TANIRE

(Confused)

I mean the cabin.

Shopkeeper

Are you sure? Griffith is the only man to leave that place alive.

(TANIRE shows the man a bag of coins)

TANIRE

Where?

(The shopkeeper takes the bag)

Shopkeeper

Here's a map. I wouldn't go there because it's very dangerous.

TANIRE

You have my gratitude, good day.

(TANIRE makes his way back to his cell on the hill. When he stands on the hill he sees the forest. It's beautiful, the trees glow green, and the ground is covered in beautiful flowers. He walks down to the forest. Before he enters a sign that is impossible to miss stands before him. It reads

"Do not be fooled!" "Danger!". TANIRE enters despite the sign. The flowers blossom. The smell is beautiful. TANIRE walks through the forest.)

TANIRE

It's beautiful.

He notices the cabin and makes his way towards it. A skinny long arm reaches from a tree and snatches TANIRE. He struggles but the creature has hold of him. Their eyes meet. The creature throws him to the ground. It crawls down from the tree. Its limbs elongated. He crawls back up into the tree. TANIRE loses sight as it camouflages.

TANIRE

What the hell

(The creature surprises TANIRE. It slashes his back. The creature hurries back into the trees. TANIRE loses his patients. The energy flows through him once more. Raging Beams of energy shoot out of his eyes, burning the trees. He calms himself and closes his eyes. The energy flows from his eyes back to his chest. The creature gets behind TANIRE. It jumps at him. TANIRE opens his eyes and turns, quickly catching it. The creature desperately tries to escape his grasp but is slammed into the ground. TANIRE lifts his leg and stomps the creature's head in. TANIRE pants as he walks to the cabin. He looks at the door and walks inside. TANIRE falls to the ground in agony. The energy flows through him once more. The energy starts to burn him. It feels like his body is on fire. He squirms in pain. TANIRE tries to stand but only makes it to his knees. The energy bursts out of TANIRE. He pants and grunts. His words turn into sonic blasts. His voice is deafening. GRIFFITH sits on his throne. He hears TANIRE's scream, he smiles. TANIRE jumps and smashes through the roof. LUNA falls to the floor as TANIRE smashes his way through it

LUNA

TANIRE?!

(TANIRE Levitates above the broken floor and flies out of the cabin bursting through the roof. LUNA rushes out of the cabin. TANIRE falls from the sky onto the ground, still screaming. LUNA runs towards him.)

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LUNA
TANIRE...what happened to you?
She holds him in her arms but his skin is too hot.
                          LUNA
TANIRE wake up, please!
(TANIRE lays in her arms burning up.)
                          LUNA
Take me home!
(Crows begin flying around her and TANIRE. The crows stop
and fly away.)
                          LEV
LUNA?
(LUNA and TANIRE are back at the outpost.)
                          LEV
It's TANIRE!
                          LUNA
Get some help here!
(LEV runs over to LUNA.)
                          LEV
This way!
(The survivors help him to a tent.)
                          LEV
He's burning up
                          LUNA
I can't heal him ...
LUNA's hand glows white. She tries to put her hand on
TANIRE. The flame stops her.
                          LEV
He needs medicine.
(LEV pours an ancient mixture down TANIRE's throat.)
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LEV This should help, let him rest. LUNA He just flew out of the ground LEV what? LUNA He just...flew out LEV What are you talking about? LUNA TANIRE was flying out of the ground. LEV (Skeptical) LUNA, are you okay? LUNA I don't know, he was just yelling and smashed through the roof. LEV So, he flew through the ground then out the roof? LUNA Yes. LEV Have you eaten? LUNA No. (LEV and LUNA walk over to the camp's storage. It's halfway full of food and supplies.)

LUNA

it.

They couldn't find much food; they killed a deer but that's

It's okay I'm not hungry

LEV

You need to eat

LUNA

It's okay our people need it

LEV

At least drink some water.

(LEV gives LUNA water.)

LEV

Where did you find him?

LUNA

At a cabin near the castle.

LEV

I don't understand, he flew out of the ground?

LUNA

I was standing in a cabin, and he rose from the ground.

LEV

Was he buried?

LUNA

I'm not sure.

FADE OUT.

INT. - WINDSHALE

(Our heroes make it to Windshale. It's foggy, dark and grim. When they enter, people hide inside. The ground is ashy)

MAEVE

What in the hells happened here.

NERO

It is the consequences of war

ANGEL AL

I can feel they're pain; I wish to heal them.

AMIRA

Healing The actions of war is misguided.

ANGEL AL

Healing comes in many ways

BLYDE

Okay, ask around.

(The group splits up into two to ask around. NERO and TREVOR, BLYDE and AMIRA, AL and MAEVE. TREVOR and BLYDE walk in the Tavern and sit at the bar.)

TREVOR

Two drinks for me and my friend here

NERO

I do not drink

TREVOR

Religion?

NERO

what? No

TREVOR

Okay, two for just me then.

NERO

You shouldn't be drinking when we have a job to do.

TREVOR

(Smiles)

It helps loosen me up and I feel less pain.

(TREVOR chugs his bear.)

NERO

I like to be on guard and ready.

TREVOR

Trust me, it only makes me better.

NERO

Let's focus.

TREVOR

I am focused

(TREVOR looks at the BARTENDER.)

TREVOR

Hey, what do you know about a cult, they came through here not long ago-

Man

(Interrupting)

Do not speak his name!

TREVOR

I'm sorry, you must have mistaken me talking to you-

NERO

TREVOR

TREVOR

Alright I'm sorry

NERO

Who is the man you speak of?

Man

(Judging)

I'm not talking to someone like you.

TREVOR

listen here I will not have you slander my friend.

NERO

It's okay TREVOR, listen my friend, we need to know his name or any clues to where he might have gone.

Man

I am not your friend. I could never be friends with a dishonorable, Shit eating assassin like yourself!

BARTENDER

That's enough, get out of my shop

TREVOR

I think this is a misunderstanding-

BARTENDER

Get out!

NERO and TREVOR get thrown out.

NERO

That could have gone better.

TREVOR

I didn't get to finish your beer.

CUT TO.

INT - WINDSHALE VILLAGE - HOME DISTRICT

(AL and MAEVE knock on doors.)

Woman

Leave us alone!

MAEVE

We just have a few questions, please.

AL

We were attacked by the same people we just need help

Citizen

Stop, don't mention his name!

AL

(Confused)

I didn't.

ANGEL AL

Please let us help you, I can feel your pain

(The woman opens the door)

Woman

You know nothing of pain!

(She stops and looks at ANGEL AL'S golden eyes)

ANGEL AL

You have seen and felt a great deal, haven't you?

(ANGEL AL puts her hand on her heart.)

Woman

Hey, get your hands off-

(Her eyes turn golden and when it stops she starts crying. She hugs ANGEL AL.)

Woman

Thank you...

MAEVE

Do you know anything?

Woman

He said he wanted to save us from a world of pain. He said that everything wrong with the world is us but it's not our fault.

AL

Who?

Woman

D-Don...That's all I know

MAEVE

Thank you, whatever you're going through, you will overcome.

(The woman looks at AL)

Woman

Please, let me see again

(AL's eyes turn gold)

ANGEL AL

Don't worry.

(He puts his hand on her heart again.)

Woman

(Relief)

Thank you! You are a gift!

ANGEL AL

It's your gift

(She hugs AL. They walk off to the town hall to share what they learned with BLYDE.)

MAEVE

What did you do to her?

AL

She made her relieve her memories.

MAEVE

Maybe she can heal the consequences of war.

AL

She does what she can.

(As they walk through the town, it feels slow. The people stare and scurry away when AL and MAEVE look back.)
BLYDE and AMIRA Talk to the town's MAYOR.

BLYDE

What do you know of a cult?

MAYOR

I- They are murderers

CUT TO

INT. - WINDSHALE VILLAGE - ONE WEEK EARLIER

DON

I don't take joy in this.

(The town is up in flames and the people are put to their knees. A woman prays.)

DON

Who are you praying to? Your gods? There are no gods! You think they will save you!? Well, I'm waiting!

WOMAN

(Crying)

No...

DON

Then shut your mouth!

MAN

Please don't do this

DON

You don't understand, I must.

MAN

Killing all these people-Our families because you must?!

(DON gets on his knee next to the man.)

DON

Do you think this is unjust?

MAN

Murder is never right.

DON

When you see your gods, if you see them, you ask them why they let my kingdom, my friends, my-my love die! Does that sound just to you? Huh?!

MAYOR

This isn't right we didn't destroy your kingdom!

DON

Do you know what becoming a king taught me? It taught me that we are animals! We tear each other apart and for what because someone is different from us? it-it Sickens me!

MAN

So now you're trying to kill us? How are you any better

(DON gets uncomfortably close to the man's face)

DON

You think you wouldn't kill for your people? Some people thought I saved them, some thought I took everything from them. So, they took everything from me! I never changed anything because the world will always be the same nasty place no matter how hard I try!

MAYOR

So, you will give us that same pain?

DON

No, I'll spare you from it.

CUT TO

INT. WINDSHALE - PRESENT

MAYOR

That's all I heard before he slaughtered them and...my father.

BLYDE

How did you survive?

MAYOR

How else? We hid.

AMIRA

Did he say where he might have gone?

MAYOR

No woman! That's all I know!

BLYDE

Let's go, AMIRA.

(AMIRA and BLYDE begin walking away. The MAYOR notices the emblem on AMIRA and BLYDES waist.)

MAYOR

Wait? You are royalty?

BLYDE

Yes

MAYOR

Where were you?! You were supposed to protect us and you didn't!

BLYDE

We didn't know, the messenger was too late.

MAYOR

This is what happens when you let women fight alongside you.

AMIRA

What?! How does that have anything-

BLYDE

AMIRA

(BLYDE shakes his head at her.) BLYDE I'll have you know MAYOR she has saved countless lives and even my own. show her respect. **MAYOR** I bet she does a lot for your men (BLYDE holds her back. AL and MAEVE walk in.) ALWe got some information but still don't know where he's going. **MAEVE** His name is DON **BLYDE** Yeah...let's go. (TREVOR and NERO walk to the outside of the town hall and meet up with the others.) **NERO** We found nothing, did you? BLYDE not enough to find him. **NERO** So we don't know anything? ALNo DEMON AL Fuck! I want to watch him burn! **AMIRA** What do we do?

TREVOR

We go home.

BLYDE

Wait really? We came all this way. We should keep looking.

MAEVE

Nobody wants us here TREVOR, look around.

(TREVOR looks around. The town is quiet. The smell of death lingers. Houses and shops blackened by the fire. Buildings destroyed. What's left of Windshale is hiding in what's left of their home.)

TREVOR

I-

BLYDE

There is nothing we can do.

(They begin walking back to the outpost)

FADE OUT.

INT. OUTPOST - NEXT DAY

LUNA

How is he?

LEV

He hasn't woken up yet

LUNA

Is the fever gone?

LEV

No

LUNA

I'm going to see him

LEV

Okay I'll go tend to our people

(LUNA goes to leave but stops)

LUNA

LEV, you're doing great work. AMIRA would be nothing but happy to be by your side.

(LUNA walks off to TANIRE. She sits next to him.)

LUNA

(Crying)

I don't know if you can hear me. You changed everything. This land was such a dark place and you happened. You took control and brought us peace for the first time. This place can't lose you...I can't lose you. TANIRE, please wake up.

CUT TO

INT. - CABIN - DREAM

(TANIRE dreams of his past. He sits in a chair at a silent table with his family eating.)

DAD

Did I not teach manners boy?! Eat with your elbows off the table!

(TANIRE's father grabs his brother and slaps)

MOM

Stop!

DAD

Shut up cow. He needs to eat with manners, and you need to stop eating.

(His father sits back down.)

DAD

TANIRE, give me your food

TANIRE

B-but im hungry

DAD

Well so am I and I work day and night for this family!

(His dad takes the plate from him. TANIRE's mom slides him her plate.)

DAD

Yeah, I should've taken yours because your gaining-

BROTHER

Silence! All you do is yell at us! We dread when you come home, and we love when you're gone!

Dad

Is that so?! Come here!

(His dad gets up and grabs the brother by the shirt and drags him outside. His mother runs after them pleading to him to stop but he doesn't. He beats him mercilessly. TANIRE watches as his brother coughs blood and lays in the mud. TANIRE walks onto the porch. His brother looks at him and his mother. He gets up fast and runs away.)

Mom

Wait! Oliver!

(TANIRE wakes up.)

FADE OUT

INT. TENT - OUTPOST

TANIRE

LUNA?

LUNA

TANIRE!

(LUNA hugs TANIRE.)

LUNA

I thought you were going to die. You were shaking and sweating.

TANIRE

Sorry to disappoint

LUNA

Well, how do you feel?

TANIRE

Fine, just a little hot.

LUNA

I'm glad you're okay.

TANIRE

Yeah I-

(TANIRE hears a sharp ring in his head.)

LUNA What's wrong? TANIRE My head LUNA Here I brought you water (TANIRE downs the water.) TANIRE Thank you (TANIRE gets up) LUNA Hey, just rest for a little. (He walks out of the tent. People stare at him.) Survivor Our lord lives! (The survivors begin yelling and celebrating. They all rush towards him.) TANIRE Thank you all. SURVIVOR What are you going to do? TANIRE We will find what's left of our people and rebuild. Do not worry, I will not let anything happen to you. SURVIVOR Something already happened to us! (LEV walks over to him.) LEV (Smiling)

I'm happy to see you alive

TANIRE

Thank you, where's my wife and daughter? Where's BLYDE and the others?

LEV

Your wife and daughter were captured. BLYDE took the others to search for them, I'm sorry.

TANIRE

Where-

(TANIRE's head rings again. LUNA rushes to his side.)

LEV

What is it?

TANIRE

It's just my head, I'm fine.

LEV

Are you sure?

TANIRE

Did they say where they went?

LEV

They walked to Windshale.

TANIRE

I'm going.

LUNA

What!?

LEV

They will be back soon maybe-

TANIRE

They need my help.

LUNA

TANIRE you are not going! You need to rest.

LEV

Seriously TANIRE you are in no condition.

LUNA

LEV do not let him leave, we need water, I'm heading to the river.

(LUNA walks off. The people chatter. TANIRE can hear them from afar.)

LEV

So what happened to you?

TANIRE

I'm not sure I woke up in a different place and now that I'm here my senses.

LEV

What?

TANIRE

I hear everything and see everything.

LEV

What do you mean?

TANIRE

When I close my eyes, I can still see.

LEV

You are not making sense

TANIRE

It doesn't really matter.

(TANIRE walks over to a group of people.)

TANIRE

How are you? Are you holding up well?

(The group nods.)

SURVIVOR

As well as we can

TANIRE

Just stay strong, we will bring them justice.

TANIRE sees a group of kids playing.

GIRL

Hi Lord TANIRE!

TANIRE

(Smiling)

Hello

(TANIRE gets on his knee.)

TANIRE

You remind me of my daughter, strong and fearless. Those boys should fear you.

BOY

No!

(The girl turns around and chases them.)

(GIRL)

Hehe you better run!

(TANIRE smiles. TANIRE helps around for a couple hours.)

TANIRE

Okay everyone please listen, once the others get back, we will move back to our kingdom. It will be a day trip but we have no horses so it might take us more than one trip to get everything back. We will immediately start building and sending out people to learn what they can about the Cultists' whereabouts. So, everyone get rest, take care of each other.

(TANIRE goes back to helping them. He gets another ring in his head)

SURVIVOR

Is everything okay my lord?

(TANIRE hears LUNA scream and swords clashing.)

TANIRE

No, LEV!

(LEV runs towards TANIRE.)

LEV

What happened?!

TANIRE

Protect them!

LEV

What?

TANIRE

Something bad is going to happen, just trust me!

LEV

Okay, everybody who can fight, step forward!

(LEV begins giving weapons to those who can fight. TANIRE walks towards the river. He goes far enough so his people can't see him. He jumps into the sky. He lands next to the river. He makes his way towards LUNA.)

LUNA

Get off me!

MERCENARY

You're really cute, why don't you take this cloak off!

(The mercenaries undress LUNA. They hold her arms back and cover her eyes.)

TANIRE

Let her go!

(Mercenaries stop and look.)

MERCENARY

if it isn't the old king.

TANIRE

This is a crime, you could be put to death for this. Stop, now!

MERCENARY

Haha Your laws don't matter, our new king makes the rules, not you!

LUNA

Get off me!

(Three men lie dead with limbs cut off. A head rolls to TANIRE's feet.)

TANIRE

Put your weapons down

MERCENARY

Or what?

TANIRE

I will not ask again!

(The energy flows through him once more)

MERCENARY

Woah what the hell! H-he's on fire?!

(TANIRE walks towards them. One of the mercenaries runs at TANIRE and tries to strike him down. The sword Shatters off his body.)

MERCENARY

W-what?!

(TANIRE grabs his throat and pulls it out. Four mercenaries stand there in fear.)

MERCENARY

O-Okay we will drop our weapons.

TANIRE

It's too late...

MERCENARY

Wait! We surrendered!

MERCENARY

Yeah wait! Please don't hurt u-

(TANIRE pulls his heart out)

MERCENARY

Oh gods! please! Spare us!

TANIRE

Did you spare them?

(The mercenaries look at the dead bodies.)

TANIRE

Were you going to spare her?

MERCENARY

Please just let us go! We will never come back!

TANIRE

I can't do that.

(TANIRE picks up one of the mercenaries and raises the Mercenary above his head. The other one runs. TANIRE slams the Mercenary down on his knee, snapping his spine. The Mercenary cries as he lays there immobile. LUNA watches the man scream and cry.)

LUNA

TANIRE ...?

(TANIRE dashes at the mercenary running, catching up with him in seconds. A fire trail follows him. TANIRE grabs the Mercenary)

TANIRE

This won't be quick...

(LUNA gets her thoughts together and puts her cloak back on. LUNA runs to TANIRE.)

LUNA

TANIRE!

(TANIRE puts both of his hands on his head and moves his hands closer together. The mercenary screams and cries in agony.)

LUNA

TANIRE stop!

(LUNA rushes to stop TANIRE. She almost gets to him but the man's head explodes all over LUNA. She gasps and falls to

the ground. She stares at what's left of the mercenary. She stares and wipes the brains off her face. She looks up at TANIRE. He has no expression; his eyes burn with yellow flame.)

LUNA

T-TANIRE...?

(His facial expression remains lifeless. TANIRE begins twitching. His flame is put out. TANIRE falls to the floor screaming)

LUNA

W-what...happened?

TANIRE

I'm sorry...it's this power...I can't control it.

LUNA

I-it's okay...

(TANIRE hears mercenaries attack his camp.)

TANIRE

We must go; the camp is being attacked.

LUNA

I can take us.

(LUNA grabs TANIRE's arm and crows fly around them. When the crows stop, they are back at camp. People run and scream as arrows fly through them.)

TANIRE

No!

(LUNA uses her dark magic to raise the dead to attack the mercenaries. She raises the fallen survivors. TANIRE dashes at a group of mercenaries breaking their jaws and sending each one flying with every punch. A survivor falls to the ground as a mercenary pushes them back.)

SURVIVOR

Please! I have a family! I'll do whatever you want! You can have me, my body!

MERCENARY

You don't need to be alive for that hehe.

(The mercenary raises his sword. TANIRE gets a ring in his head and sees the girl about to die.)

TANIRE

No, LEV!

(LEV jumps in front of the sword and gets stabbed through the heart.)

LUNA

no...LEV

(LUNA summons wolves and sends them after the mercenary. They pounce on him and rip him to shreds. LUNA catches LEV before he falls.)

LUNA

Don't worry, I have you.

(LUNA pulls the sword out of LEV. LEV gurgles blood. LUNA puts her life force into LEV. LEV's wound heals. He wakes up gasping.)

LEV

Am I dead?

TANIRE

Not yet.

(TANIRE helps lev up. TANIRE uses his laser vision to kill multiple foes.)

LEV

Since when could you do that?!

TANIRE

A few days.

TANIRE smashes through the mercenaries. Their numbers dwindle.

MERCENARY COMMANDER

Everybody retreat!

LEV

They are retreating! Keep pushing them back.

(The commander flies off a hill onto the campground. The retreating mercenaries are shot with arrows. BLYDE jumps off the hill with a sword and slams it down on the commander. BLYDE pulls the sword out of the mercenary.)

BLYDE

TANIRE!?

(BLYDE goes to embrace TANIRE. TANIRE pushes him. An arrow flies between them. Mercenaries run towards them. Light flies past TANIRE's eyes. The mercenaries are shot with daggers of light. TREVOR emerges from the woods.)

BLYDE

Thanks

AMIRA

Focus

(Around the outpost survivors fight the mercenaries back. She turns; her eyes turn white. Darkness emerges from her body. Monsters fly out of her. The monsters target all the mercenaries. A Mercenary tries to run but a monster grabs his leg and lifts him. The Mercenary screams.)

MERCENARY

no! NOO!

(The monster bites into him. The Mercenary screams as the monster eats him. TANIRE picks up a spear. Mercenaries run as the monsters chase them. TANIRE spears a Mercenary. A monster comes running and eats the upper body Half. Blood spills over TANIRE. AL turns into DAMON. DEMON AL picks up a mercenary and uses his body as a weapon. MAEVE kicks one mercenary into another. MAEVE opens two mercenaries. Blood spills on a survivor.)

MAEVE

Get yourself safe.

MERCENARY

Everyone stop!

(Mercenaries stop running and attacking. Our heroes are grouped up.)

TREVOR

What are they doing?

(The Mercenaries chant. Lightning shoots through the sky. Lightning strikes the ground; DANTE rises from his knee.

DANTE

It took me a while to find you.

BLYDE

Coming to finish what you started?

DANTE

What I started? Come with me now and no one gets hurt.

MAEVE

We'd rather die

DANTE

Okay have it your way.

(Thunder roars in the sky. DANTE's eyes turn red, Lightning flows through him. Mercenaries rush our heroes and survivors. DANTE lightning blasts

TANIRE

Get everyone out of here. Go back to the castle, I'll regroup with you after I'm done.

BLYDE

TANIRE-

TANIRE

GO!

BLYDE

Retreat!

AMIRA

What!? NO!

BLYDE

Let's go now!

(BLYDE gathers our heroes and survivors.)

DANTE

Retreating already? Haha, breaking my heart.

(The mercenaries try to chase the retreating heroes and survivors. The energy flows through TANIRE once more. TANIRE dashes through all the mercenaries killing them all in seconds.)

DANTE

What?

(DANTE sees his mercenaries in piles of blood. DANTE walks over to one of the fallen mercenaries. A hole in his chest with an ember of the yellow flame.)

DANTE

What is this?

(DANTE turns around. TANIRE stands there covered in blood. DANTE's lightning soars the sky.)

DANTE

What did you do?

TANIRE

Leave!

DANTE

I can't, We are only starting.

(DANTE runs at TANIRE. He punches TANIRE. DANTE's punch is stopped. He looks up and his fist rests on TANIRE's face. TANIRE stands there unfazed. DANTE stands tall. They both stand and stare at each other.)

DANTE

I guess it cant be that easy.

(DANTE's lightning flows to his fist. He uppercuts TANIRE far into the clouds. He zips up to TANIRE. Lightning flows in the clouds. DANTE absorbs lightning. DANTE punches TANIRE throughout the sky. TANIRE crashes to the floor. DANTE lands.)

DANTE

What Happened to you? You used to be Kahn's Ruthless and merciless general, now you're just...pathetic.

(TANIRE gets to his knee. Pebbles and dirt flow around TANIRE. DANTE walks towards him. TANIRE gets to his feet. DANTE suddenly stops. He looks at TANIRE. TANIRE rises off the ground.)

DANTE

Okay...you can fly. Only makes this more interesting.

(TANIRE flies at DANTE, hitting him to the floor. DANTE lies in a crater. TANIRE levitates over him. DANTE sits up and flies at him. They soar into the sky trading blows. They clash.)

DANTE

What is this power!

(TANIRE stares callously. DANTE flies back and strikes TANIRE with lightning. TANIRE regains his momentum and lets out a sonic scream. DANTE covers his ears. TANIRE flies at DANTE. He punches him and flies away. He flies at the speed of light. DANTE looks for him.)

DANTE

Where are you?!

(TANIRE hits him again. TANIRE hits DANTE several times at the speed of light. TANIRE's Final punch sends DANTE into the ground. TANIRE smashes into DANTE. He punches DANTE several times. DANTE kicks TANIRE back into the trees.

DANTE gets out of the crater. He spits blood.)

DANTE

There's the man I know, Ruthless and merciless.

(DANTE shoots lightning at TANIRE. TANIRE moves his head evading it.)

DANTE

What-How-I...

(DANTE Throws his fist down. DANTE flies at TANIRE trying to punch him. TANIRE catches his punch and slams him into the ground several times. DANTE lies there. He tries to stand but he's too weak. DANTE laughs at him.)

TANIRE What is so funny?! (TANIRE beats him.) DANTE Going to kill me now huh?! Do it! Kill me! (TANIRE raises his arm. He stops. TANIRE twitches and grunts.) TANIRE (Screaming) N-no! (TANIRE's flame is out. TANIRE falls.) TANIRE No... (DANTE coughs blood.) TANIRE I-im (TANIRE helps him up.) CUT TO INT - FOREST BLYDE Keep going! We are almost There. (BLYDE and our heroes help survivors go back to their kingdom. Loud footsteps come from the trees.) Wait, stop, do you hear that? **TREVOR** Yeah... BLYDE Everybody go! Now! Make your way back to the kingdom!

TREVOR

Where is it coming from? (TREVOR backs up into BULSARA. TREVOR turns around) **BULSARA** Remember me TREVOR Unfortunately (TREVOR is punched into a tree. BLYDE throws a few knives at BULSARA.) **BULSARA** Ah! You Bastard! (BULSARA charges BLYDE. BLYDE skillfully evades BULSARA many times.) **BULSARA** stand still! (LEV helps TREVOR up.) **BLYDE** Get out of here! **MAEVE** But-BLYDE Just go! (The heroes and survivors keep running) **BULSARA** fighting me alone? Hahaha! (BLYDE throws a knife into his eye.)

BULSARA

You-my eye!

(BULSARA swings his arm hitting BLYDE further into the forest. LEV turns to see his father tumbling into a tree.)

LEV

Father! (LEV goes to help his father. AMIRA stops him.) **AMIRA** No! LEV He needs help! (BULSARA charges through the woods towards BLYDE.) ALTake him **AMIRA** No, you take him ALAMIRA, another fight with him won't end any differently than last time, just go. (AMIRA and LEV run off with the rest of the survivors. BULSARA picks BLYDE up.) ALOkay lets go DAMON DEMON AL BULSARA! (DEMON AL runs at BULSARA) DEMON AL We will kill you this time! (BULSARA picks up BLYDE and throws him at AL. BLYDE loses consciousness. DEMON AL gets up. BULSARA and DEMON AL fight as the survivors get to safety.) LEV I'm going back **AMIRA** No

LEV

They need help!

AMIRA

I will not let you get yourself killed.

LEV

if it meant saving them-

AMIRA

don't even think it.

(Mercenaries emerge from the forest.)

MAEVE

Go run!

(Our heroes fight their way back to the kingdom. DEMON AL still fights BULSARA. DEMON AL gets thrown through a tree. He sits up.)

ANGEL AL

He's too strong DAMON

DEMON AL

We never needed to beat him.

(DEMON AL looks back. Mercenaries walk towards BULSARA empty handed.)

BULSARA

Where are they!?

MERCENARY

They cut right through us. We couldn't keep up with them.

BULSARA

You lost them?!

MERCENARY

we don't know where DANTE is either ...

BULSARA

Damnit!

BULSARA points at BLYDE and AL.

BULSARA

Take them back to DON. (The mercenaries pick up BLYDE. DEMON AL rises.) DEMON AL You failed (BULSARA picks AL up and slams him.) **BULSARA** Time to sleep. (BULSARA stomps on AL knocking him out.) FADE OUT. INT. CASTLE RUINS. (TANIRE lands on the ground holding DANTE. Our heroes run into the kingdom.) **MAEVE** I think we lost them LEV Father... LUNA TANIRE? (TANIRE turns to them. The group rushes towards him.) TANIRE Where's BLYDE and AL? LEV They are still in the Forest! TANIRE Why? TREVOR BULSARA ambushed us (TREVOR puts his hand on his stomach.) **TREVOR**

He hits hard

MAEVE

Is that him?

TANIRE

Yeah, watch him.

(TANIRE lies DANTE on the floor. flies back into the forest looking for BLYDE and AL. People look into the sky shocked at TANIRE's ability)

TREVOR

He can fly?

MAEVE

How?

(DANTE groans. LUNA rushes towards him. AMIRA stops her.)

AMIRA

Don't heal him yet.

LUNA

Why?

MAEVE

We aren't strong enough to beat him.

(TANIRE lands next to everyone.)

TANIRE

They took BLYDE and AL.

(TANIRE walks towards DANTE and picks him up.)

TANIRE

Where did they take them!?

DANTE

Why would I tell you

(The energy flows through him once more. TANIRE's eyes flame up.)

LUNA

Stop, I can get in his head.

(TANIRE calms himself. LUNA walks towards DANTE. She puts two fingers on his Temple. A pulse of darkness shoots through his head. LUNA sees his memories. She falls, TREVOR helps her up.)

MAEVE

What did you see?

LUNA

I-I... It was...

AMIRA

LUNA?

LUNA

A lot...

TANIRE

LUNA, I need you to focus. Where are they?

LUNA

They are at Kahn's castle ruins.

(TANIRE walks towards DANTE and picks him up. TANIRE walks towards the tavern. Survivors follow.)

TANIRE

There are plenty of buildings still standing. We must rebuild, but first we rest. There is plenty of wine and food in the cellar.

SURVIVOR

We will tend to the gardens.

SURVIVOR

And we will help rebuild!

MAEVE

You all should really rest.

SURVIVOR

How can we when there is so much work to do.

(Survivors begin rebuilding and helping clean up the kingdom. TANIRE places DANTE on a table. Our heroes walk

in. Survivors come in and out moving crates of food and alcohol. TREVOR grabs a jar and apple on the way into the tavern. TREVOR grabs a cup and pours the alcohol. TANIRE lays on a bench. Our heroes sit together and drink.)

TREVOR

I'll go get us food.

(TREVOR goes down to the cellar. Our heroes sit in silence. LUNA pours her second cup of wine, then her third.)

MAEVE

Slow down LUNA...

AMIRA

What did you see?

(LUNA keeps drinking.)

TREVOR

thanks to the queen of FROST for making those storage rooms cold.

(TREVOR walks up to see LUNA chugging wine. He puts the food on the table.)

TREVOR

I don't even drink that fast

LUNA

leave me alone...

LEV

LUNA...

LUNA

(Crying)

Just go...

(AMIRA puts her hand on LUNA's shoulder.)

AMIRA

Let's go LEV.

LEV

But-

AMIRA

Let's go help them.

(AMIRA and LEV walk out of the tavern. The sun sets. TREVOR sits next to LUNA. MAEVE scoots closer to her. MAEVE hugs her.)

MAEVE

Get some rest.

(MAEVE gets up and walks up stairs to the taverns lodging. LUNA drinks more.)

TREVOR

Hey you should-

LUNA

(Crying)

I've seen too much...I'm not a warrior

TREVOR

What did you see?

LUNA

I'm not made for this...

TREVOR

Sure, but we need you.

LUNA

Thanks TREVOR

TREVOR grabs the jar of wine and pours in both cups.

TREVOR

We are going to need a lot of these

FADE OUT.

INT. CASTLE RUINS. - NIGHT

(LEV and AMIRA finish helping people for the night.)

AMIRA

Make sure you all get rest.

LEV

Make sure you eat and stay warm.

SURVIVOR

Thank you! We will!

(AMIRA and LEV start walking back to the tavern. AMIRA notices LEV is worried.)

AMIRA

They are okay LEV.

LEV

How can you be so sure? It's only been a few days, and we have lost everything.

AMIRA

This life we live comes with cost and we have paid time and time again, yet we still stand.

LEV

Our people shouldn't have this burden.

AMIRA

We will get them back and put all this to rest.

LEV

How are you so strong?

AMIRA

My father was-

LEV

No, I mean up here.

(LEV points to her head.)

AMIRA

I must be

LEV

It must be tiring.

AMIRA

You have no idea.

LEV

I see the way you fight, letting everything out.

AMIRA

It's the only way.

LEV

It doesn't have to be.

AMIRA

If we get comfortable then people lose their faith in us...in me. They'll see me as another woman who can't handle being in battle.

LEV

I wouldn't.

(They stop and look at each other.)

AMIRA

You know I don't belong in battle.

LEV

Yes, you do, I mean look at you. You have saved many people. You were made for this. I could never do what you do...I'd just be a waste of a Soldier.

AMIRA

You do your part. You are where I want you to be. I don't need you getting hurt or killed.

LEV

AMIRA...I-I want to-it's

(AMIRA kisses LEV.)

LEV

(Flustered)

Uh-I

AMIRA

shh

(AMIRA and LEV make out. They enter an empty home. They undress each other.)

FADE OUT.

INT. TAVERN - NIGHT

(LUNA and TREVOR are drunk and crying. A couple of empty jars lie around the table.)

LUNA

I sat there covered in blood

TREVOR

You didn't deserve any of that.

(TREVOR hugs LUNA.)

LUNA

Thank you, TREVOR.

TREVOR

I'm tired. My back hurts.

(LUNA heals TREVOR.)

LUNA

How about now?

TREVOR

I don't know, let me see.

(TREVOR stands and falls to the floor passing out. LUNA chuckles. She sits alone, out of tears. She sees TANIRE sleeping on the bench next to DANTE. She walks towards him. She puts two fingers on TANIRE's temple. A pulse of darkness shoots through TANIRE. The energy inside TANIRE pulses back into LUNA's fingers.)

LUNA

It won't let me...?

(LUNA drags TREVOR up to the lodging and puts him in bed. She falls onto the mattress next to him and falls asleep.)

FADE OUT.

INT. KAHNS CASTLE RUINS. - PRISON CHAMBER

(BLYDE and AL are being dragged into a room. They are chained up in a dark stone room. DON walks in.)

DON

Let's make this short.

AL

Fuck you

DON

listen, you can make this easy-

BLYDE

We are not telling you a damn thing

DON

See this is what I don't understand about people. I gave you a chance to make this easy and yet you prefer to make this difficult. Just tell me where they are.

BLYDE

I'd rather die.

DON

Well, the good thing is you won't have to.

(DON walks over to AL.)

DON

I could increase the pressure in his head, making his brain explode. Do you want that?

(AL'S eyes roll to the back of his head. When his eyes come back, they are red.)

DEMON AL

I will not let you hurt him!

DON

How nice of you. Even being a DEMON, you still have good in you. It almost makes me sad that I must kill you.

(DON puts his finger on his head. His gravity magic squeezes AL's head.)

BLYDE Stop! DON You can save him; all I need is a location. BLYDE I can't... (DON stops.) DON You can't?! (DON gets face to face with BLYDE.) DON I just need TANIRE, I don't want to hurt any of your people. BLYDE You're lying ... we know what you want. DON Just give me TANIRE and I'll spare everyone. BLYDE What do you want with him? DON Have you seen what became of him? BLYDE I... DON You have, haven't you? All that power...I've never seen anything like him. He's the key to my plan. All I must do is get him here, so talk. BLYDE I won't give up my friends... my family. DON Really? (DON waves his hand.)

DON

Bring them in.

(Guards bring ROGIER, FROST, ELIZA, ATHENA, and SYLVIE into the room chained up. They are put to their knees.)

BLYDE

My love!

SYLVIE

(Crying)

BLYDE!

BLYDE

Don't worry, I'll get you out of here.

DON

Not even the false wizard god could get out of here.

FROST

You never had to do any of this.

DON

Of course I did

DEMON AL

When I get out of here, I will kill you!

DON

Have you not listened to a word I said? If ROGIER can't break out, what makes you think you will? For a thousand-year-old spirit, you are not wise.

BLYDE

Why do you pretend you are so different from us?

DON

It's because I've seen the truth. The nature of us humans, it's a sickness!

FROST

Look at what you are doing! Is this not sick?!

DON

I'm losing my patience.

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(DON puts a knife to SYLVIE's throat.)
                          BLYDE
No don't you hurt her!
                          SYLVIE
Please, I have a son!
                          DON
Give me a location!
                          BLYDE
I-
                          ANGEL AL
I'll tell you! Just don't hurt her!
                          DON
No I want to hear it from the Commander.
(DON uses his gravity magic to stop Al's breathing.)
                          BLYDE
Please don't do this please!
                          DON
Location!
                          BLYDE
I can't!
(DON slits SYLVIE's throat.)
                          BLYDE
No!
                          ANGEL AL
by the gods...
                          DON
No! No gods!
(BLYDE weeps.)
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BLYDE I'll fucking kill you! DON You made me do this! BLYDE My love... DON All you had to do was give me TANIRE...Her blood is on your hands! (DON walks to the guards.) DON Do what you will with them. (DON leaves the room.) FADE OUT. INT. TAVERN - MORNING (TANIRE wakes up. DANTE still lies next to him. TANIRE walks to the bar.) DANTE What do I have to do to get some water? TANIRE I'm sorry DANTE. DANTE I've been thirsty for hours. TANIRE I never liked fighting you. DANTE From what I saw, you loved it. (TANIRE helps DANTE sit up and gives him water.) TANIRE It's this power, it's bringing back-DANTE

It's not bringing back who you were, it's who you've always been.

TANIRE

It's not who I am anymore.

DANTE

Stop running from what you are.

TANIRE

That is not what I am

DANTE

Keep telling yourself that.

(TREVOR wakes up next to LUNA.)

TREVOR

Did I? No, did we? LUNA! Wake up!

LUNA

What!

TREVOR

Did we ...?

LUNA

What!? No!

(LUNA and TREVOR walk down from the lodging.)

LUNA

Good morning.

TANIRE

Good morning, LUNA

TREVOR

Hey TANIRE.

(LUNA walks over towards DANTE.)

DANTE

don't you have anything stronger than water?

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TANIRE, shouldn't I heal him?

(TANIRE looks at DANTE) TANIRE Depends, are you going to try and kill me? DANTE Damn right. LUNA Why? DANTE You don't know him like I do. LUNA I know him better than you. (MAEVE listens from upstairs.) DANTE Do you? Do you know that he was Kahn's general. What did he call you again? TANIRE He said I was his executioner. DANTE That's what it was. TREVOR What is he talking about? DANTE How else did Kahn get his empire. LUNA

TANIRE?

TANIRE

What do you want to know?! That I killed people?! Now you know, I have killed many who deserved it. I have killed many who have not.

DANTE

Do you still count?

TANIRE

I lost count years ago.

TREVOR

What did he do to you?

DANTE

He sent mercenaries to slaughter my village including my parents, because our village wasn't worth his time!

(DANTE grunts in pain.)

TANIRE

TREVOR take him to ROGIER's apothecary. See if you can treat his pain there.

LUNA

I could treat him right now, shouldn't I?

TANIRE

He will just end up trying to kill us.

DANTE

No, just you. Never was interested in hurting any of you.

TREVOR

You still did.

DANTE

That's because you all got in my way.

TREVOR

Why are we treating him if he's trying to kill you?

TANIRE

I've already caused him enough pain.

TREVOR

It's true?

DANTE

Do you think helping me will stop me wanting to kill you?

TANIRE

No, all I ask of you...is that you don't hurt any of them. Just me, not them.

(TREVOR carries DANTE out of the Tavern. LUNA walks next to TANIRE.)

LUNA

TANIRE...whatever you have done I know you regret and made up for-

TANIRE

I can't do anything to undo what I've done.

LUNA

I'm sure you had good reasons.

TANIRE

I didn't.

LUNA

There must have-

TANIRE

LUNA! You don't know

LUNA

Give me an idea.

TANIRE

Fine you want to know so bad!

(TANIRE grabs LUNA's hand and puts her fingers on his temple. Darkness shoots through TANIRE's head.)

LUNA

No, it won't let me!

(LUNA's eyes turn white. She sees TANIRE's memories. She sees his father killing his mother. She sees him left alone with the corpse of his mother. TANIRE became a mercenary at a young age. She sees him being Sexually abused by his superiors. She sees him slaughtering his superiors in their sleep. She sees all the killing from a boy to a man he did before he met Kahn and everything he's done to the present. LUNA flashes out of his head.)

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LUNA
TANIRE...I
                          TANIRE
You don't have to say anything.
(LUNA hugs TANIRE.)
                          LUNA
I don't see you any differently.
(A tear drops from TANIRE's eye. He wipes it. MAEVE walks
down the steps.)
                          MAEVE
You have done a lot for me TANIRE, but if I knew what you
had done, I wouldn't have joined you.
(MAEVE leaves the Tavern.)
                                                    FADE OUT.
INT. - DESTROYED HOME.
(Survivors enter the home. LEV and AMIRA lie in bed)
                          SURVIVOR
Oh my!
(AMIRA sits up fast.)
                          AMIRA
Oh uh, LEV!
                          LEV
What?
(LEV looks at the family.)
                          LEV
Oh!
                          SURVIVOR
We didn't know anyone was in here, we will leave you be.
(The family leaves)
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(AMIRA and LEV get dressed and leave. They walk out to see TREVOR carrying DANTE.)

AMIRA

What are you doing?

TREVOR

I'm taking him to the apothecary.

AMIRA

Shouldn't we lock him up?

TREVOR

TANIRE's orders.

(TREVOR keeps walking to the apothecary, AMIRA and LEV join him. LUNA and TANIRE still sit in the Tavern.)

CUT TO.

INT. - TAVERN

LUNA

How are we going to infiltrate DON's Castle? We don't have any warriors.

TANIRE

We will have to find a different way to save them

LUNA

We should meet everyone here tonight to discuss.

TANIRE

Yes, let everyone know.

(Suni flies from LUNA's arm and out of the Tavern. Suni notifies all the heroes with a letter to be at the tavern by sundown. Our heroes help around till the sun sets.)

CUT TO.

INT. TAVERN - EVENING

(They all meet at the Tavern. TANIRE made food and brought out beer and wine. Our heroes sit and eat while they talk about their plan to save everyone.)

TREVOR

So even with your new abilities there's no way to fight them head on?

TANIRE

That could jeopardize us and our people, I should cause distraction.

LUNA

We could get in more easily with you.

TANIRE

He was able to storm our castle and win; he has too many soldiers.

MAEVE

We sneak in.

NERO

The safest and less bloody option.

AMIRA

Kahn's castle is big; it would take us forever to find them.

LUNA

I've seen where they were, in chains, and in a mossy stone cell.

TANIRE

They're in his dungeons.

MAEVE

Cause a distraction, get in, free our people then get out?

TANIRE

We don't have resources for war; this is the best we have.

TREVOR

Well, it's a plan

NERO

We go in the morning.

AMIRA

It will take weeks without any transportation.

LUNA

I think I could get us there faster.

NERO

How?

LUNA

My crows can take us anywhere in seconds

MAEVE

Where did you learn that?

LUNA

Miranda.

TREVOR

Miranda...she never left my bed cold.

(LUNA looks at TREVOR with disgust. MAEVE kicks TREVOR's leg.)

TREVOR

Ow! Okay, I'm sorry!

TANIRE

Okay, get rest everyone.

(TANIRE gets up from the table.)

LEV

You're not going to finish this meal with us?

NERO

Yeah, this could be your last meal.

TREVOR

I feel you enjoy being grim.

NERO

I do, even as a boy

MAEVE

Is that when you trained to be a Ninja?

NERO

When I was born it's all I knew.

(TANIRE turns and walks away.) LUNA Come on TANIRE, Stay! (TANIRE reluctantly sits, and they cheer him on.) TANIRE (Smiling) Alright alright. (They enjoy the meal together. It's late, one after another get up to go to sleep) FADE OUT. INT. TOWER - MIDNIGHT (TANIRE stands on the balcony of a tower. LUNA walks on the balcony.) LUNA What are you doing up here? TANIRE I was just looking at the stars. LUNA By yourself? TANIRE Yeah (LUNA stands next to TANIRE and looks at the stars with him.) LUNA TANIRE, remember when you found me? TANIRE Of course, you were just a kid. Still a kid. LUNA

TANIRE

Not to the world.

Still have a lot to learn.

LUNA

So, teach me this, there are people so beautiful and kind, then there are the others...

TANIRE

What is it you want to know?

LUNA

I want to know how someone can inflict so much pain.

TANIRE

There are many reasons to do such, suffering, greed, fear.

LUNA

So why did you?

TANIRE

I killed because it's all I knew how to do. I was alone, never told I was good at anything but killing. I enjoyed it.

LUNA

Why did you stop?

(A tear drops from TANIRE's eye.)

TANIRE

I couldn't sleep and when I did all I could hear were screams.

(LUNA stands there looking at the view. TANIRE hears drunken men below harassing a woman. He flies over the balcony and floats down.)

WOMAN

Get off me!

DRUNKEN MAN

But you're so pretty.

(Three men crowd her.)

DRUNKEN MAN 2

Yeah, just let us see something.

(The men try to rip her clothes off. TANIRE lands behind them. Crows fly and LUNA appears next to him.)

LUNA

What are you doing!

(The men turn around)

DRUNKEN MAN

She's my daughter so fuck off.

TANIRE

I don't care who she is to you. Tell your friends to remove their hands from her or I will.

(LUNA's crows peck their hands.)

DRUNKEN MAN 3

fucking birds!

DRUNKEN MAN

let her go. It's bad enough you let women join the war and now you are giving them jobs only men should do. I hope that guy kills you. Maybe he'll restore proper laws.

(The Drunken men begin to walk off. The girl slowly slides down the wall till she's sitting. She tries to pull her ripped clothes together. TANIRE gets on his knee)

TANIRE

Are you okay?

GIRL

(crying)

Yeah

TANIRE

What's your name?

GIRL

ATHENA...

TANIRE

(Smiling)

Hm, that's my daughter's name. How old are you? WOMAN fifteen LUNA What is with these people?! It's a sickness! (LUNA takes her cloak off and wraps it around the girl.) TANIRE How long has that been happening? GIRL What? TANIRE Do they...do they touch you? (She nods) TANIRE All three of them? GIRL He sometimes sells me to them. TANIRE For how long? GIRL Sometimes a couple hours TANIRE No, how long have they been doing this? GIRL four years... TANIRE Okay, LUNA get her home. LUNA Where are you going? GIRL

No! It's okay, I'm fine.

TANIRE

Something needs to be done.

GIRL

No, I'll be leaving soon to a different place.

LUNA

Okay but he still needs punishment.

GIRL

No, my mom lives across the sea, I'll be gone by morning.

TANIRE

Okay but he's still-

GIRL

Please!

TANIRE

Okay.

LUNA

TANIRE! We can't let him get away with this.

TANIRE

I will respect her wishes but if I see it again, I will punish him.

LUNA

TANIRE! -

TANIRE

LUNA just get her to the tavern safely.

(LUNA helps the girl up and takes her to the tavern. TANIRE flies back up to the balcony.)

FADE OUT.

INT. DUNGEON

(BLYDE is thrown into a room with runic symbols, severely beaten. The rest of the prisoners all lay in the same room. ROGIER helps up BLYDE.)

ROGIER

I- I can't heal you my powers don't work in here

AL

Not even ANGELA's powers work.

ANGEL AL

It's ancient.

ELIZA

Here

(ELIZA hands BLYDE bread)

ELIZA

You need to eat.

BLYDE doesn't take it. ELIZA sets it down next to him.

ANGEL AL

Oh BLYDE ... I wish I could help you.

BLYDE

Can you bring my wife back?

ANGEL AL

Well, no

BLYDE

Then be quiet.

(Soldiers enter and grab a lot of prisoners. BLYDE stands up and tries to attack them. DON uses gravity to push him down.)

BLYDE

You-You Waste of life!

DON

don't be so dramatic. She was going to die at some point.

(DON uses gravity to carry AL.)

ROGIER

Where are you taking him?

DON

Why? What would you do with that knowledge?

ROGIER

Don't hurt him.

DON

Don't hurt them, you mean.

(DON and the guards leave the room with prisoners and AL. DON takes AL to a room and chains him up.)

DON

Okay, let's make this quick. Where is TANIRE?

AL

I don't know.

DON

You don't know or you won't tell me? Let me make this simple, you tell me where to find TANIRE and I stop killing people.

AL

Why do you want him?

DON

Why does anybody want anything?

AL

But why TANIRE?

DON

Where is he?

AL

I'm not telling you anything.

DON

Okay...do you like daggers? I love daggers, Short enough to conceal and long enough to go in and come out the other side.

DEMON AL

err fuck you I won't let you hurt him.

DON

Aw still trying to protect him from the world? The world

isn't meant for the innocent! The only way to live is to sacrifice...and the innocent are the first to go...

(DON stabs AL. DON tortures AL for hours.)

FADE OUT.

INT. TAVERN - MORNING

(The sun rises. Our heroes wake and prepare themselves in the tavern. LUNA walks to TANIRE.)

LUNA

We still have time before nightfall.

TANIRE

We still go now

NERO

We must see their defenses before we sneak in.

LUNA

Right.

(The heroes walk out of the tavern. Survivors all stand around our heroes. LEV walks up to TANIRE.)

LEV

I got them all to come here.

(TREVOR pats TANIRE on the back.)

TREVOR

That's all yours.

(TANIRE stands on the stairs above everyone.)

TANIRE

We have lost a lot, our kingdom, our soldiers, and more importantly our people. Not just from our kingdom, but from others. Today we are going to get them back. We will get a part of ourselves back and flourish once more. We will do whatever it takes. LEV is in charge if there is a problem you go straight to him.

(LUNA's crows fly around our heroes.)

SURVIVOR

What if you fail!?

(TANIRE looks at the woman.)

TANIRE

We won't.

(LEV runs into the crows. The crows fly away, and they stand before the destroyed castle of Kahn. The atmosphere harnesses the evils that took place here. The smell of death lingers. The trees have no leaves, the soil holds nothing green, and the air doesn't whistle. LUNA turns to see LEV.)

LUNA

LEV!? What are you doing here?!

(They all turn to look at LEV.)

LEV

I'm not just going to do nothing; my father is down there!

TANIRE

Our people-

LEV

They will be fine!

NERO

I understand that you want to be here for your father, but this is dangerous.

MAEVE

And selfish.

LEV

You wouldn't come for your father?!

TANIRE

I don't blame you LEV, but we need to focus. We will break up into groups and scout each side.

LUNA

Wait, my crows can do this.

(LUNA summons six crows. They fly out towards the castle)

LUNA

Now we just sit here and wait.

(LUNA's eyes turn white.)

LEV

What's happening to your eyes?

LUNA

I can see what they see.

(The crow lands on the tower. It sees through Iron bars BLYDE being tortured.)

LUNA

BLYDE's being tortured right now. He looks terrible.

TANIRE

Can you see anyone else?

LUNA

Yes, He has everyone in a room with runes on it. I see ROGIER, FROST, AL, and ELIZA.

TANIRE

What about ATHENA?

LUNA

I see her, she's playing with the other children.

TANIRE

Okay good.

LUNA

They are taking people away.

TANIRE

Why?

LUNA

I'm not sure.

MAEVE

Where are they taking them?

LUNA

To a chamber of some kind.

TREVOR

Who did they take?

LUNA

only women and children.

NERO

Who took them?

LUNA

Some guards.

TANIRE

Where's DON?

LUNA

He's torturing BLYDE! Wait he's bringing him to the throne room.

CUT TO.

INT. KAHNS THRONE ROOM

(In the throne room BLYDE and DON talk.)

DON

Why are you making me do this?

BLYDE

Me?! Making you do this?!

DON

If you would just tell me where TANIRE is-

BLYDE

Fuck you.

DON

You were with TANIRE when he started his uh revolution?

(BLYDE ignores him.)

DON

Is that why you won't give him up? It's so strange to me that you protect him even after what he did to your parents. That's true loyalty, very rare-

BLYDE What? DON What? BLYDE What did you say about my parents? DON Ah he never told you, did he? BLYDE Told me what? DON It wasn't hard to put the puzzle together but when I did, I was shocked you all made him your king. BLYDE I don't understand. DON He killed your parents. **BLYDE** No that's impossible. DON What did he tell you, that he came by boat alone? **BLYDE** No, he...he wouldn't DON It didn't take me long to figure it out. He always wore a mask, he was strong, and he knew every in and out of this place when he stormed it. BLYDE No...he's like a brother to me.

DON

Wake up! I've heard the stories and so have you

(Dom walks towards BLYDE.)

DON

Where was Kahn's general during the raid? I'm sure someone of his reputation could've stopped that raid.

BLYDE

No, I'm not listening to you!

DON

Why, I have told you nothing but the truth, but you all just seem to not accept the reality of this-this planet! Fine, don't believe me I don't care.

(DON carries BLYDE away.)

DON

I'll just kill your people until you tell me.

(The crow flies away.)

CUT TO.

INT. KAHNS CASTLE RUINS

LUNA

They are going to execute them!

TANIRE

What?

LUNA

He said if BLYDE doesn't tell him where you are, he's going to execute people.

TREVOR

Go now.

NERO

No, we won't be able to get in and out alive!

MAEVE

I'm going too.

NERO

MAEVE!

TANIRE

We are not letting them die. Get them out, I'll give you a distraction.

(TANIRE flies into the sky. Our heroes sneak to the side of the castle. NERO grapples the ledge with a rope dart. They all climb the castle walls. When they get over the wall a bright light shines over them as if the sun had fallen from space. TANIRE's body glows bright like the sun. The soldiers try to look at TANIRE. TANIRE stops shining like a star. His eyes still burn yellow. Energy shoots out of his eyes. He Burns the front walls down and lasers buildings. Guards yell and fire at him with bows.

GUARD

What is that?!

GUARD 2

It's...God.

(DON stands with his guards and looks out a window.)

DON

Finally!

(Mercenaries and guards alike gather to fight TANIRE. DON sees him alone.)

DON

hm it's a distraction. Guards wait for them at the stairway.

(The guards move to the stairway waiting for them. TANIRE lands on the ground. Guards and Mercenaries rush him. He cuts through them with his laser vision. Guards and Mercenaries are hesitant to attack but they do anyway. TANIRE man handles the army by himself. He throws and smashes through them effortlessly.)

GUARD

Sir they need our help.

DON

If you want to die, by all means.

(The guards stay.)

DON

Look at him. He's murdering your friends with no effort.

(The heroes sneak by the army. As they enter the castle they silently take out mercenaries guarding doors and stairways. They finally make it to the right rooms. Setting free their people.)

AMIRA

Were getting you all home

MAEVE

Hurry we are running out of time.

BLYDE

LEV?

LEV

Father!

(LEV hugs his father. BLYDE struggles to stand)

LEV

Where's Mother?

(BLYDE doesn't answer. ELIZA puts her hand on LEV's shoulder.)

LEV

No...

ELIZA

I'm sorry LEV

FROST

TREVOR!

(FROST hugs TREVOR.)

TREVOR

FROST...

FROST

I'm okay, don't worry

NERO

We need to get out of here now.

(ROGIER steps out of the room and regains his powers. MAEVE tackles him and an arrow shoots past them. ROGIER makes a shield out of magic blocking the arrows.)

ROGIER

Get out of here!

(The survivors rush out and up the stairway.)

MAEVE

Follow me!

(LUNA, BLYDE, ELIZA and the survivors run with MAEVE. The guards and mercenaries rush ROGIER. DEMON AL picks up a guard and throws him into other guards.)

DEMON AL

I told you I'd get out of here!

(AMIRA joins AL and rips through The Mercenaries together. FROST and TREVOR fight guards together. Taking turns hitting their enemies. ROGIER summons shards and sends them flying, hitting and killing many of the mercenaries. They defeat all the guards and mercenaries. They catch up with survivors. AMIRA is Ambushed by three mercenaries before she can catch up. LEV turns as they exit the castle. LEV runs back for AMIRA and tries to pull one of the guys off AMIRA.)

LEV

Get off her!

(The mercenary turns around and knocks LEV to the ground. AMIRA breaks free from their grasp and defeats them. She helps LEV up.)

AMIRA

Thank you

LEV

You did all the work, I just distracted them.

(AMIRA and LEV smile. Blood squirts on AMIRA's face. She opens her eyes to see an arrow sticking out of LEV's throat. AMIRA catches him as he falls.)

AMIRA

No! LEV!

(LEV tries to speak but chokes on his own blood. BLYDE weakly rushes through the entrance looking for LEV. He sees LEV in AMIRA's arms.)

BLYDE

No no no

(He tries to run to him but falls to the floor. He crawls to his son.)

BLYDE

(Crying)

No no...LEV...Why...?

(LEV continues to choke on his blood. AMIRA tries to hide her tears. She looks to see the man trying to reload his crossbow. She hands LEV to his father. She stands and walks over to the man on the floor. She slowly and painfully crushes his head with her foot.)

BLYDE

My son...

AMIRA

We must go

(AMIRA helps BLYDE stand. He tries to pick his son up but fails.)

AMIRA

I'll carry him BLYDE, you can barely stand.

(AMIRA picks up LEV and helps BLYDE walk. As they fight their way out of the castle TANIRE still pushes the army back.))

CUT TO.

INT. THRONE ROOM

(BULSARA walks to DON.)

BULSARA Is this a part of your plan?! DON Yes. **BULSARA** Let me go out there, he's killing everyone! DON This technology isn't ready yet! Let him save his people. **BULSARA** Didn't you want him?! DON I don't want him, I need him...besides he'll come back. (The survivors and heroes make it out the walls. AMIRA and BLYDE catch up.) LUNA Everyone's here?! Survivors and heroes stand together. TREVOR Yeah, let's go! LUNA Okay be silent I have never moved many people at once. (Crows begin to fly around them. Mercenaries run at them) MAEVE They are coming! TREVOR LUNA faster!

Quiet!

(A herd of crows fly around them. LUNA signals more and more crows. Eventually they reach enough. TANIRE stops

LUNA

fighting. Spears and swords reflect off him. He flies to LUNA and just in time, he teleports back home and tumbles onto the ground.)

TREVOR

We did it.

(AMIRA drops LEV's lifeless body in the center of everyone. AMIRA walks off. TANIRE looks up to see them all standing around LEV. BLYDE drops to his knees. TANIRE looks down.)

CUT TO.

INT. GRAVEYARD - CASTLE - EVENING

(The sun sets, and the Survivors stand at a mass funeral to honor all the dead. The rain, thick and heavy pours on them. Survivors slowly leave with time and soon it's only our heroes standing there, the rain has stopped. BLYDE on his knees staring at LEV's burial. Heroes leave one by one until it's just TANIRE and BLYDE. TANIRE kneels next to BLYDE and puts his hand on him.)

TANIRE

I'm sorry...

(TANIRE stands and walks away.)

BLYDE

Did you kill them?

(TANIRE stops but doesn't turn around.)

BLYDE

You were his executioner?

TANIRE

Yes...

(BLYDE's eyes widened.)

BLYDE

Did you know?

TANIRE

Yes

BLYDE

Why didn't you tell me?

TANIRE

I was afraid

BLYDE

I watched them all die before my eyes…because of you. I have fought half my life beside you and I have sacrificed everything for this kingdom. We crowned you king, celebrated you, we believed in you…

TANIRE

There's nothing I can do to make it right...I've hurt many people; I didn't want to hurt you any more than I have.

(BLYDE doesn't speak, his eyes still wide open. TANIRE leaves BLYDE to mourn.)

FADE OUT.

INT. CASTLE - TAVERN

(Back in the kingdom, ROGIER uses magic to put the broken pieces of the kingdom back together. ROGIER heals people as buildings rise once more. TANIRE flies from the funeral. LUNA walks up to TANIRE.)

LUNA

Is he okay?

TANIRE

I could not tell you.

LUNA

Poor BLYDE, he has lost too much in too little time. I think I'll go check on him tomorrow, he could use support.

TANIRE

Yeah...

(TANIRE walks in the tavern, his wife and daughter sit eating.)

TANIRE

My love...

ELIZA

What's wrong?

(TANIRE sits next to her.)

TANIRE

ATHENA, LUNA said if you help her, she'll teach you some magic.

ATHENA

Really!?

(ATHENA jumps out of her seat with excitement and runs out of the tavern. Out of sight we hear.)

ATHENA

LUNA! Father said you will teach me! LUNA!

ELIZA

I can tell by the look on your face.

TANIRE

I know...I failed them. As a king, as their protector, their leader-

ELIZA

You can't succeed every day TANIRE. At every moment in your life, you will fail, as a father, husband, or friend. The only thing that matters is you try.

(ELIZA lifts his chin up. TANIRE feels more relieved as she kisses him.)

TANIRE

I...should get some rest.

ELIZA

I'll get ATHENA and join you.

(TANIRE walks up to the lodging. ELIZA walks out of the Tavern. TANIRE lies in bed, he closes his eyes and opens them. He sits up, he's not in bed.)

INT. THE ABYSS

(The room is entirely black. The cries of people pressure through his head. From the abyss TANIRE sees himself as a kid.)

KID TANIRE

Look what you learned...did it make you feel better?

His father abuses him; his guardians abuse him. He watches the guardians slaughter innocents, laughing and mocking their screams. TANIRE becomes a young man, young TANIRE pulls his spear out and runs into the abyss and the sounds of slaughtering are heard. TANIRE runs to the screams but never makes it. TANIRE stops and turns around. He sees himself again.)

TANIRE

This isn't me!

YOUNG TANIRE

It is

TANIRE

That man is dead!

(TANIRE puts his hand up. The doppelganger follows. The voice of kid TANIRE echoes.)

KID TANIRE

When will you be me again?

YOUNG TANIRE

Were you happy with me?

(KID TANIRE holds TANIRE's hand.)

KID TANIRE

We didn't choose this life.

TANIRE

Will they forgive me?

KID TANIRE

Would it matter if they did?

EXT. ABYSS

(TANIRE is pulled away quickly. He lies in his bed panting. Outside is a commotion.)

Woman

No!

(The Screaming doesn't stop. TANIRE rushes outside. The girl TANIRE and LUNA saved from her father, lies there. ELIZA and ATHENA follow TANIRE out.)

TANIRE

Take ATHENA back inside!

(ELIZA rushes ATHENA back inside. The girl lies there brutally mangled and naked. Bruises, cuts, and limbs missing. She was completely torn apart. Flesh ripped open. The drunk father struggles to stand.

FATHER

She knew this would happen.

(TANIRE stares at the girl, losing his mind to thoughts. The heroes rush towards the screaming. FROST and TREVOR run together and stop.)

FROST

What...what Happened?

(TANIRE goes to his knees examining the body.)

TREVOR

Who would do this?

ROGIER, MAEVE, AMIRA, AL shows up.

AL

Oh my-

AL throws up at the horrid sight.

(LUNA and BLYDE followed behind them. LUNA rushes past everyone and kneels beside TANIRE.)

LUNA

She was supposed to leave ...

(Citizens gather.)

TANIRE

Get everyone away from here.

(TREVOR, AL, MAEVE, and AMIRA try to keep people back. BLYDE stares at the lifeless body. ROGIER heals the body.)

ROGIER

I can't bring her back, I'm sorry. I just didn't want her to be seen like that.

FATHER

Bitch should have listened.

(BLYDE walks over to him and throws him on the floor.)

FATHER

What the hell!

BLYDE

You did this didn't you?!

(TANIRE stands and holds BLYDE back.)

TANIRE

BLYDE stop.

BLYDE

Why didn't you protect her!

FATHER

She knew what she was doing. The men weren't going to be happy if she left. I had payments! There was no other choice!

(BLYDE rushes past him and drags the man in the open so everyone can see.)

BLYDE

This is your punishment for your cruelty!

(He unsheathes his sword and raises it high.)

TANIRE

No BLYDE!

(BLYDE looks at TANIRE.)

TANIRE

This isn't how we do this.

BLYDE

Really? It's how you did it.

TANIRE

BLYDE...

BLYDE

The people deserve the truth, tell them! Or I will decapitate this man. You choose...

TANIRE

Okay

The crowd turns towards TANIRE.

TANIRE

I have not been honest with you.

(TANIRE pauses and looks at the crowd.)

TANIRE

I was KAHN's general, his executioner...It was not right, what I did. I killed, I killed a lot, and I liked it. It was...comfortable. I thought by not telling you it would spare you; I was wrong. I see I was sparing myself.

(Everyone stands in shock except the heroes that knew. BLYDE notices their expression.)

BLYDE

Are you not bothered?

MAEVE

BLYDE, we knew...

BLYDE

What? You knew?!

LUNA

Yes...but we didn't have time to tell you.

(BLYDE steps back in shock.)

BLYDE

You...traitors!

BYSTANDER

You should be imprisoned! Better yet executed!

(The people shout and yell in agreement. A sharp pain shoots through TANIRE's head. Suddenly a shift of gravity pushes down on the whole town. People stand stiff, unable to breathe or move. The pressure slowly pushes them flat to the floor. TANIRE stands resisting gravity as everyone lies flat. DEMON AL struggles to stand. AMIRA on her knees tries to stand. Everyone else still lies flat. The gravity pulse stops. Everyone is relieved and trying to breathe.

AMIRA

(Dyspnea)

W-what was that?

ROGIER

It's DON.

TREVOR

He's right I've felt that power before

FROST

It's his gravity magic.

(TANIRE goes to his wife and daughter.)

TANIRE

Are you okay?!

(Out of breath they nod. BLYDE on the floor passed out.)

LUNA

BLYDE? Hey!

(People try to wake up their loved ones.)

MAN

She's not breathing!

(Some people still lay on the floor dead. People begin to panic)

ROGIER

Step aside.

(ROGIER examines the bodies.)

ROGIER

They're dead ...

MAEVE

All of them?!

TANIRE

I can't hear their breathing

LUNA

What about BLYDE?!

TANIRE

I can't hear him.

ROGIER

Their lungs were popped.

(ROGIER kneels and whispers a spell into his hand. He stands and puts his fist up; he opens his hand. A golden light burst out into individual strings that flow through every injured person healing them. A woman who struggled to breathe could breathe again once the light flowed through her. The air is short and silent. People stand around looking at each other. Some begin to cry and some collapse in distress.)

LUNA

I can bring him back

ROGIER

No LUNA, bringing people back from the dead takes up too much of your soul.

LUNA

This is BLYDE we are talking about!

ROGIER

LUNA no! We are not talking about healing someone, we are talking about bringing someone back from the dead!

LUNA's eyes turn white and her hand glows on BLYDE. Meanwhile BLYDE is dreaming.

INT. THE ABYSS

(BLYDE wakes in a black room. In front of him there is a stone that radiates yellow light. He walks toward it. His wife and son step in front of him.)

BLYDE

My love!

(He runs towards them but is repelled.)

BLYDE

(Crying)

Let me through...

SYLVIE

Where were you!?

LEV

Why didn't you save us in time!

BLYDE

I'm sorry...

LEV

sorry?! Pathetic!

SYLVIE

Touch the stone and avenge us.

LEV

Everyone betrayed us! The best you can do is sorry!

(His wife and son disappear as he looks up at them.)

LEV

Everyone must pay...especially him

LEV's voice echoes. BLYDE, on his knees, stares at the stone. The stone floats up and flies further into the darkness. He reaches his hand out. The stone flies closer to his hand. He touches it, the stone disappears. TANIRE stands in the abyss, BLYDE moves closer to him. TANIRES eyes blackened. BLYDE stairs into the abyss, TANIRE stairs back.

EXT. ABYSS

INT. APOTHOCARY

(BLYDE shoots up panting. He's in ROGIERs apothecary. TANIRE stands next to him.)

TANIRE

Are you okay?

(BLYDE doesn't answer.)

TANIRE

LUNA used her soul to bring you back to life. You can have this kingdom, I plan on leaving with AHENA after this is over.

(BLYDE stands and walks out of the apothecary. TANIRE walks down to the storage. DANTE sits chained up and still broken.)

DANTE

You going to leave me down here to die

(DANTE lies chained up.)

TANIRE

Its not up to me.

DANTE

What about DON

TANIRE

What?

DANTE

He's trying to kill everyone.

TANIRE

I'm going to stop him

DANTE

not alone you're not

(TANIRE grabs two glass bottles filled with medicine. He pours them in a bowl and mixes them.)

DANTE

He's powerful, gods have spoken of him

TANIRE

Drink this.

DANTE

No

TANIRE

It will fully heal you

DANTE

Not afraid I'll try and kill you?

TANIRE

No, I won't be here

DANTE

What?

TANIRE

I'm leaving at dawn, somewhere else.

DANTE

Running again?

TANIRE

What do you want from me?

DANTE

I want justice!

(TANIRE stays quiet, he hands DANTE the medicine. He gets up and walks away. Before he leaves he stops.)

TANIRE

I will not apologize to you again, I know you'll never forgive me. At the time it's all I knew, all I felt. No one deserved it, I can't change what I've done but I could do right by the people. Bye DANTE.

TANIRE leaves the storage and walks out of the apothecary. The streets are empty, with no sign of life. BLYDE walks to the Tavern.

INT. TAVERN

What's left of their people are in there drinking until they black out. BLYDEs eyes flicker yellow. LUNA sits at the bar; she turns to look at BLYDE.

LUNA

You're okay!

(LUNA stands and goes to hug BLYDE but trips before she gets to him. LUNA tries to stand.)

LUNA

I...I'm sorry, I got dizzy.

She stands; she looks at BLYDE.

LUNA

You are, okay? Right?

EXT. TAVERN

(BLYDE just stares. He turns around and walks out of the Tavern. He walks towards the mountain peak that looks over the kingdom. NERO sits meditating next to ELIZA.)

NERO

Sneaking behind a ninja is foolish. What is it you seek BLYDE?

(ELIZA turns to see BLYDE standing there. An emotionless empty look on his face.)

CUT TO.

(LUNA walks out of the tavern and towards the apothecary. LUNA sees AL, ATHENA, FROST, and TREVOR sitting outside talking to ROGIER.)

LUNA

Hey, do you know where BLYDE is?

ATHENA

He walked that way

(ATHENA points.)

TREVOR

Yeah, he's going to the peak. He didn't say anything to me is he okay?

LUNA

I'm not sure.

(LUNA kneels to ATHENA)

LUNA

When I come back, I'll teach you some tricks.

(ATHENA smiles.)

CUT TO.

INT. GRAVYARD

(TANIRE helps bury people with MAEVE outside the city.)

MAEVE

Remember that time when you scared off that boy?

TANIRE

I did not scare him off.

MAEVE

(Laughing)

You did!

TANIRE

I was only talking to him.

MAEVE

You looked the man in his eyes and said, "If you wish to be with my commander, me and you need to do something"

TANIRE

Now I see how that came out wrong

MAEVE

The next morning, he didn't come to see me

TANIRE

He was not right for you anyways.

(Gets a sharp pain through his head.)

MAEVE

TANIRE?

(TANIRE holds his head in pain.) **MAEVE** TANIRE! What's wrong?! TANIRE I don't know EXT. GRAVYARD (TANIRE flies to the city. He tumbles in front of the Tavern. FROST and TREVOR rush towards him.) FROST TANIRE?! Are you okay? TREVOR What happened? Too much to drink? FROST TREVOR TREVOR It was a serious question. TREVOR My apologies (TREVOR helps TANIRE up. TANIRE is still holding his head.) FROST TANIRE, what's going on **TREVOR** Speak, My friend. TANIRE Where is my Family?! FROST Talk to me. TANIRE Something is wrong-(TANIRE in agony holds his head again.)

TANIRE

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Where are they?!
                          TREVOR
ATHENA is at the apothecary.
TANIRE pushes past them towards ATHENA.
                          ATHENA
Father?
                          TANIRE
Where is your mother?
                          ATHENA
She said she was going to meditate with NERO.
                          TANIRE
Where?
                          ATHENA
Up there
(She points to the peak.)
                               CUT TO. MOMENTS BEFORE
INT. MOUNTAIN PEAK
(BLYDE still stands not saying a word. NERO and ELIZA
stand.)
                          ELIZA
Is everything okay?
                          NERO
BLYDE?
(BLYDE throws a knife into ELIZA's neck.)
                          NERO
ELIZA!
(NERO pulls out his blade.)
                          NERO
You betray us!?
                          BLYDE
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You were all traitors before me.

(BLYDE unsheathes his blade and attacks NERO. Each blow Sparks the swords. BLYDE gets the upper hand and pushes his sword through NERO.)

NERO

W-Why?

(BLYDE removes his sword from NERO.)

LUNA

Hey BLYDE-

(BLYDE turns around revealing them.)

LUNA

What did you do ...?

BLYDE

He killed her then attacked me.

LUNA

What?

(LUNA walks towards BLYDE.)

LUNA

Why would they-

(BLYDE stabs LUNA with a dagger.)

LUNA

BLYDE ...?

(He stabs her again and again. She drops to the floor. BLYDE walks away down the peak.)

CUT TO. PRESENT

(TANIRE flies up to the peak to see the horror.)

TANIRE

No no ELIZA!

(TANIRE falls to his knees holding ELIZA.)

TANIRE

No...why!?

LUNA

T-TANIRE ...?

(TANIRE, frantically, tries to crawl to LUNA. Still holding his wife, he pulls LUNA towards him, holding both in his arms. LUNA chokes on her blood.)

TANIRE

Don't worry, LUNA, I'm going to help you.

LUNA

I-I'm scared...I don't want to die...I still have lessons to teach...

(LUNA succumbs to her wounds. TANIRE looks at both his wife and LUNA, blood on him.

TANIRE

(Sobbing)

No...

(Back in the city BLYDE walks past our heroes.)

TREVOR

Just wait for him to fly back down

FROST

We should go up there!

(FROST looks at ROGIER)

FROST

What if someone's hurt!?

(They see BLYDE.)

TREVOR

BLYDE what's going on!?

FROST

BLYDE?

(BLYDE walks past them. MAEVE walks towards them.)

MAEVE

Is TANIRE okay?!

AL

We're not sure.

(BLYDE walks towards her.)

MAEVE

Are you okay? You have blood on your-

A supersonic scream is heard from the peak. Our heroes cover their ears.

TREVOR

Ah! Okay ROGIER get up there.

(ROGIER flies up towards the peak. They turn to MAEVE.)

TREVOR

Come with us-

(MAEVE falls to her knees, neck ripped open. BLYDE stands with a dagger in his hand while blood squirts on his armor. They stand in shock.)

TREVOR

BLYDE, put the dagger down.

FROST

don't make us do this.

(AL stares at MAEVE bleeding out.)

ANGEL AL

We must help.

(ANGEL AL rushes to MAEVE. BLYDE swings at ANGEL AL, keeping them back.)

DEMON AL

don't make me hurt you.

(DEMON AL charges BLYDE. BLYDE kicks DEMON AL into a building. FROST and TREVOR rush BLYDE. BLYDE takes on Both

of them. They fight until TANIRE lands next to them. He storms past TREVOR and BLYDE. The energy flows through him. BLYDE swings at TANIRE. He catches the sword and picks up BLYDE by the neck. TANIRE's eyes burn yellow.)

TANIRE

Why! You were my brother! LUNA loved you! My wife loved you!

(BLYDE, choking, trying to speak.)

FROST

TANIRE...

(TANIRE closes his eyes, his flame extinguishes. He throws BLYDE to the ground. DEMON AL comes out of the building)

BLYDE

I trusted you...they believed in you...why did you lie to us? You will suffer for what you did to me.

(A tear falls from TANIRE's eye.)

TANIRE

Have I not suffered!? For fourteen years I have tried to repair what we did! From the monsters Kahn brought from hell to bringing peace to this land, to losing my...my wife... I have no excuse for what I've done, but I won't live my life being ashamed of myself when I know I have tried!

BLYDE

I wish to be with them...

(BLYDE holds his dagger out and stabs himself in the heart. AMIRA runs towards the heroes.)

AMIRA

What happened?!

FROST

(Crying)

What the fuck...

TREVOR

W-would you help us get these bodies.

(ROGIER flies down with ELIZA, NERO, and LUNA.)

Someone speak! TANIRE BLYDE...killed them **AMIRA** No...why? **TREVOR** Will, someone please help me! ROGIER I'll do it TREVOR. (ROGIER uses magic to fly the bodies in the Apothecary.) **ATHENA** Father... TANIRE **ATHENA** (TANIRE hugs his daughter) **ATHENA** Father, What's wrong? Where's Mother? TANIRE She is...sleeping. **ATHENA** Well tell her to wake up, I miss her. TANIRE She ... won't be waking up again. **ATHENA** When will I see her? Oh, my love...you won't see her again. **ATHENA** But I want to see her again.

AMIRA

TANIRE

I know, I do too, but we can't.

(Gravity falls on them again much harder this time. AMIRA and AL struggle to stand. TANIRE holds his daughter close to his chest, trying to support her body to defy the stress. It stops; everyone gasps.)

TREVOR

Its stronger.

FROST

If we stay here any longer, we will die.

ANGELA

We can't fight DON; we have no warriors left.

TANIRE

Are you okay?

ATHENA

Yes

TANIRE

Okay let's go to the Tavern.

(Our heroes rush to the tavern. The people out of breath are still alive.)

INT. TAVERN

FROST

We need to get them out of here.

TANIRE

Where?

TREVOR

somewhere that's not here.

FROST

The port!

TREVOR

Aren't those guarded by CULTISTs?

					FROST
What	other	choice	do	we	have?

Get everyone out of here and take whatever food or water you can carry.

TANIRE

FROST

There should be barrels in the cellar.

AMIRA

What will you do?

TANIRE

I'm going to kill DON.

AMIRA

Alone?

TANIRE

Yes, your job is to make sure they make it to the dock safely.

TREVOR

TANIRE, send that bastard straight to hell.

(Someone walks out holding a barrel of wine.)

TREVOR

woah be careful! Let me get that!

(The heroes get ready to leave.)

TANIRE

Get there quickly and don't wait for me.

FROST

Are you sure?

TANIRE

Yes

TREVOR

What about DANTE?

TANIRE

I gave him a mixture; he should be fully healed soon. Go and stop at nothing.

(TREVOR and FROST nod. TANIRE kneels to ATHENA.)

TANIRE

Listen to every word they say, do you understand?

ATHENA

Yes, will you come with us?

TANIRE

Yes, I'll be at the dock waiting for you. I love you

ATHENA

I love you too.

TANIRE

May luck be beside you. Keep her safe.

FROST

I will.

(TANIRE flies up looking down at them. ATHENA waves, he smiles and waves back. He flies away.)

FADE OUT.

INT. SWAMP

(The heroes and the rest of the survivors walk carrying barrels of water, wine, and food. They walk along the path.)

TREVOR

AL are you okay?

DAMON

It's DAMON

TREVOR

What?

DAMON

It's DAMON

TREVOR

Oh, could I speak to AL

ANGELA

You could if he wanted to.

TREVOR

I see.

ROGIER

He's hiding

AMIRA

I don't blame him.

(The heroes walk through a swamp. A man holding a barrel trips. FROST turns)

FROST

Are you okay?

SURVIVOR

No...my friends, family, home...it's gone...everyone is gone! Our king was false! You have failed! All of you have failed us!

(TREVOR walks over holding out his hand.)

TREVOR

It's been difficult for everyone, but we will persevere-

(Hands rise from the mud and pulls the man into the mud. He screams for help as he is dragged in the mud. TREVOR tries to grab him but is too late)

FROST

Go! Everyone keep going!

DAMON

Stop!

(Everyone stops. It's silent, everyone is frozen still. DAMON reaches his hand in the mud pulling out a grafted creature by the neck. DAMON struggles to pull the grafted creature out because of its gigantic stature and size. The creature rises from the mud grabbing DAMON. The survivors run away, still holding the barrels and crates. Another grafted creature jumps out of the mud cutting the survivors off.)

FROST

Get behind us!

(DAMON is thrown into the pond. The creature jumps after him. FROST and TREVOR step back in a defensive stance as survivors scurry behind them.)

FROST

Get them out of here ROGIER.

(ROGIER leads the survivors to safety FROST shoots ice from her hands, freezing the creature's lower half. TREVOR runs, jumping at it. The creature uses one of its many body parts to catch him. FROST builds an axe out of ice and throws it, cutting off the limb holding TREVOR. TREVOR gets up and summons an artifact, golden chains bind the creature. The creature struggles to break free, eventually breaking the ice and chains in a wild rampage. It swings its many limbs but misses. Meanwhile DAMON is being tossed around like a rag doll.)

ANGELA

Maybe try getting it to the ground.

DAMON

I'm trying!

(DAMON breaks a tree down. He picks up the log and smashes it on the creature. DAMON jumps grabbing its neck trying to pull him down like a wild bull. TREVOR and FROST attack the creature trying to evade its attacks.)

FROST

He's too thick to penetrate!

TREVOR

My sword can, I need to get to his back!

(FROST Freezes the floor making it slippery. The creature slips falling on its face. TREVOR jumps on its back; he holds his sword high pointing toward the sky. It glows radiantly; he switches to a dagger grip. He drives his sword into the creature's back, killing it. They look over to see DAMON fighting the other creature. He grabs its legs and spins, eventually letting go. The creature flies

towards the group, landing on its back. Before it gets up DAMON pounces on it, beating its face. DAMON starts ripping off its limbs and opening its chest. Blood splashes all over DAMON and the ground. Even dead DAMON violently rips through the creature.)

FROST

Al!

DAMON

It is DAMON!

TREVOR

Okay DAMON, that's enough it is defeated.

(DAMON calms down and descends off the creature. His red eyes roll back and when they return their gold.)

ANGELA

I apologize; we are all over the edge.

(They take off and begin walking along the path.)

CUT TO.

INT. KAHNS CASTLE RUINS

(TANIRE soars through the sky. He makes it to Kahn's castle ruins. All the guards and mercenaries lie on the floor dead. TANIRE lands before the castle entrance. He walks towards the doors, stepping over many bodies. He opens the doors, what lies beyond is the smell of rotting corpses. He walks beyond to the top of the castle. He makes it to the throne room entrance, big double doors lie ahead.

DON

You finally showed up.

(TANIRE turns to see DON on a balcony looking out.)

DON

I wouldn't go in there, nothing but rotting corpses.

TANIRE

You start this Rebellion but kill your rebels, why?

DON

(Laughing)

Even now you don't see. This was never about war or this land.

(DON approaches TANIRE.)

DON

It was about that.

(DON puts his finger on TANIRE's chest.)

TANIRE

My heart?

DON

It is not a heart, it is power, Come with me.

(DON opens the double doors. It reeks of death. As the door opens TANIRE's eyes are filled with the sight of blood and body parts. CULTISTs lie on top of each other until there are piles. TANIRE's eyes widened at the sight of such horror. Their corpses rot for weeks)

TANIRE

What have you done?

DON

They were all pawns; I could've killed you all by my own hand.

TANIRE

Why didn't you?

DON

When I came here, I wasn't with these fools. I was alone but they rambled and spoke of a God of some kind. I thought if I showed them my abilities, they might believe me to be one, and sure enough they did.

TANIRE

what-

DON

I am not finished speaking! They were useful and got me places I could never go to by myself. Then I learned about you.

(DON turns to TANIRE and smiles.)

DON

I learned about the history of this place from people who have passed through, So I set sail. When I arrived, this place was nothing like they said, few monsters, no chaos, and no mad king. The disappointment that fell upon me was intense; it wasn't until I heard about you. An Earth breaker with no history or reputation sparks a rebellion and destroys a kingdom with ease. I've heard stories about how you tore through their defense effortlessly.

(TANIRE stands in silence. DON walks towards him.)

DON

Surely an Earth breaker could do that with well-trained warriors...or someone who knew the design of the castle.

(TANIRE pushes DON.)

DON

(Smiling)

Didn't mean to offend

DON

With everything you've done I thought, how could he be a king? Of course, I know us humans well enough that they would believe anything they heard whether it be true or false. So, I asked around, I then heard about DANTE. That poor fool blinded by revenge, it was too easy to convince to serve me after you killed his people.

TANIRE

I never wanted this.

DON

I'm sure you didn't, but that means nothing, what's done is done. That's the problem, isn't it? After everything you have achieved to make things right, they still resent you.

TANIRE

That is their right.

DON

You gave them everything, freedom, peace, hell you don't have them call you king or grace. You don't follow the rules of our time and that's what I like about you TANIRE.

TANIRE

What do you want with me?

DON

I want your help. You have suffered for them and all they do is ask for more. Why, because you served Kahn?

TANIRE

They have suffered because of me; it was only right I suffer for them.

DON

hahaha people, selfish as can be. You know what they did with that freedom you gave them? They raped, killed, thieved, and for what?! Greedy bastards! Look where it got you.

TANIRE

You did this! You came to my home and slaughtered my people!

DON

No, this was all your doing, all I did was push a boulder.

(GRIFFITH in his armor walks into the throne room but stops, looking at all the dead bodies.)

GRIFFITH

It ... is done.

DON

Excellent! Come with me.

(They walk towards the balcony. DON uses his gravity magic to fly. He uses his powers to make them fly with him. They reach the very top of the castle and land. A machine sits on the top of the castle.)

TANIRE

What is this?

DON

This machine will harness the power in you.

TANIRE

For what purpose?

GRIFFITH

To do what I said you were capable of.

DON

I'm having a hard time understanding why you speak when not spoken too.

TANIRE

I will not hurt people.

DON

You won't! With your help I can make it quick and painless.

TANIRE

Make what quick and painless?

DON

The-the world is going to end at some point; it would be best if it happened faster

TANIRE

You seek the destruction of the world?

DON

Wasn't that the origin of your kind?

TANIRE

I will not help you!

DON

This pain you feel, it's all because of them and they could be gone!

(Red lightning shoots through the sky, the sounds of thunder follow. DANTE slams down from the sky.)

DON

Ah DANTE! It is good to see you! Now I have brought TANIRE here for you, put him in this machine and his life is yours!

DANTE

I'm not here for him. What is this?

GRIFFITH

It will help him destroy the planet. All he must do is step into the heart and he will release this power over every land.

DANTE

And you are okay with this?

(GRIFFITH looks down.)

DON

DANTE, TANIRE is right here! Throw him in the heart!

DANTE

No

DON

You defy me!

DANTE

I have much hate towards TANIRE, but my love for this world, people.

DON

I hate people! You never see the truth! The scum that we are! Our greed and selfishness will consume us! We are a plague! Fine...I'll do it myself...

(DON takes his clothes off, leaving just his pants on. Scars lay upon every part of his body. His young skin tanned, his muscles look as if they want to rip out his skin. He rises off the ground; he uses gravity to pull TANIRE towards him. TANIRE struggles to break free.)

DON

You could have made this easy.

(DON sends TANIRE crashing through the castle ruins. DANTE rushes DON. GRIFFITH tackles DANTE off the castle. They fight through the sky trading blows. Eventually DANTE blasts him with lightning. GRIFFITH crashes into buildings tumbling out to the streets. DANTE lands.)

DANTE

What did he promise you?

GRIFFITH

He promised to spare my people ...

DANTE

He promised me revenge, now he's trying to destroy my home and everyone else. It seems as if his promise can change at any moment.

(GRIFFITH charges DANTE, punching him to the sky.)

CUT TO.

(Down at the bottom of the castle TANIRE lies in rubble. He bursts out of the rubble, the energy flowing through him. He shoots out at the top of the castle.)

DON

I've been wanting to fight you ever since I got here

(Two boulders rise beside DON. The boulders fly at TANIRE. He smashes through the first one but is smashed by the second. TANIRE falls into the forest. DON lands in front of him. TANIRE zips towards DON but is frozen in place by gravity.)

DON

TANIRE, don't make me kill you, then I'll have to travel the world giving every culture a slow and painful death!

(He flicks TANIRE away, sending him crashing through trees. TANIRE stands as the energy flows from his veins to his eyes. The energy shoots out his eyes blasting DON. He stands and uses his magic to pull the trees out of the ground. TANIRE jumps around trying to evade the trees. TANIRE dashes towards DON, uppercutting him to the sky. TANIRE flies with him, punching him, one after another. DON blasts him back. He restrains TANIRE and drives him into the ground. He lifts TANIRE and slams him down multiple times.)

CUT TO.

(Back in the kingdom ruins GRIFFITH bashes DANTE's head against a wall, then punches him into a building. DANTE angrily rises as GRIFFITH approaches. Lightning flows through DANTE. He blasts GRIFFITH multiple times to the ground. GRIFFITH stands and jumps at DANTE but is repelled

by lightning. DANTE raises his hand, lightning falls to his hand. He throws his hand down, a bolt of lightning smashes down on GRIFFITH. He rises to his knee; he speaks into his arm.)

GRIFFITH

Send them all.

(Nine sentinels fly out of the castle and towards DANTE. They land and try to attack DANTE. DANTE takes to the sky; sentinels chase after him. GRIFFITH looks to the sky, TANIRE falls towards him. TANIRE tumbles next to GRIFFITH.)

DON

Put him in the machine!

(GRIFFITH pulls TANIRE up. DON levitates above them. TANIRE grabs GRIFFITH by the throat and throws him at DON. GRIFFITH knocks DON out of the sky, and they fall onto each other.)

DON

Get off me!

(DON pushes GRIFFITH off him. They get up and see TANIRE is gone.)

DON

Where is he? He was right here! Find him...

GRIFFITH

My sentinels are with DANTE I can't just-

DON

Find him!

CUT TO.

(DANTE soars in the sky, Sentinels follow. He shoots a few lightning bolts from his hands, hitting and destroying a few sentinels. He notices they change direction and stops chasing him.)

CUT TO.

(Back in the city ruins, TANIRE hides.)

DON

Come out you coward!

(TANIRE dashes around DON leaving trails of fire. DON turns to follow the trail.)

DON

Enough with these games!

(DON looks down a path between shops. A trail burns there; he looks for the direction TANIRE went. He looks back into the ally. TANIRE flies at DON, grabbing him. He flies onto a castle wall, DON blasts him back but TANIRE retaliates, flying into him. TANIRE uppercuts DON, sending him up the wall. DON cratered into the wall and tries to push himself out. TANIRE flies at him, smashing him through the wall. TANIRE flies out the other side of the castle, still holding DON. He crashes through the castle several times, eventually he crashes through the roof of the castle. The castle starts to crumble.)

DON

No!

(The machine caves in with the castle.)

(DON pushes TANIRE back with a gravity shock wave. The sentinels fly towards TANIRE. DON uses his magic to try and pull the machine out of the rubble. The sentinels attack TANIRE pushing him to the ground. The sentinels restrain TANIRE. GRIFFITH walks towards him.)

GRIFFITH

I told you, you were made for this

(DANTE crashes down behind GRIFFITH. TANIRE escapes the sentinels' grasp. DANTE electrocutes GRIFFITH. TANIRE shatters a few Sentinels before he is thrown into a shop. Sentinels rush DANTE, He blasts them back. GRIFFITH stands, the sentinels stand in front guarding him. Behind him TANIRE walks out of the shop and onto the pathway. GRIFFITH looks back then forward. Six sentinels stand between them, on one side stands TANIRE wiping blood from his mouth, and on the other is DANTE holding lightning in his hand. They charge at GRIFFITH; the sentinels defend him. TANIRE pulls out the heart of a sentinel then sweeps another. He grabs its leg swinging it into the other shattering it into pieces. DANTE shoots a bolt of lightning through the heart

of a sentinel. He jumps smashing down on another, he raises his arm and crashes it down, Destroying both sentinels to bits.)

DANTE

Nowhere to run now.

(In the distance DON pulls the machine out of the rubble and drops it into the street.)

DANTE

Go TANIRE, I can handle the iron man.

(TANIRE flies towards DON.)

GRIFFITH

No one can handle me!

DANTE

He could.

(DANTE points at DON.)

DANTE

He made you, his bitch.

(GRIFFITH and DANTE charge each other. In the distance they fight, TANIRE lands in front of DON and the machine.)

CUT TO.

DON

What is your love for these people?! They are selfish! All they do is kill, rape, and drink! Not to mention they hate you! Why can't you understand!? They have done nothing good to you!

TANIRE

I owe it to everyone who has lost something because of you.

DON

You are so pathetic!

(DON holds TANIRE in place with gravity.)

DON

Enough with these games!

(DON pulls him towards the machine. TANIRE struggles to break free from his magic. He lets out a supersonic scream. DON covers his ears, loosening his grasp of TANIRE. TANIRE flies at DON tackling him to the ground. The impact makes a crater, TANIRE punches DON relentlessly. DON blasts TANIRE off him. DON rushes TANIRE. TANIRE guards himself as DON uses his magic and fighting skills to land combos. They trade blows. DON gets the upper hand by using his magic to freeze TANIRE in place. Meanwhile DANTE and GRIFFITH still fight each other.)

CUT TO.

DANTE

Stop this! We can save your people! He is the only person standing between you and your people.

GRIFFITH

He's too strong, we can't.

DANTE

You're not stupid, me and you both know he won't spare your people. I've spent some time beside him; he doesn't care about anyone; he just wants to burn everything until it's all ash.

GRIFFITH

I can't

(GRIFFITH attacks DANTE, they clash.)

DANTE

You won't kill me.

(DANTE blasts him, GRIFFITH tumbles to his knees.)

DANTE

It's you or him, be smart about this.

(GRIFFITH wipes the blood off his face and stands.)

CUT TO.

(TANIRE stands restrained next to DON.)

DON

You and I are not very different.

(TANIRE struggles to move as DON holds him with gravity.)

DON

We had the opportunity to change the world together.

(TANIRE's energy flows to his eyes and shoots out. DON moves TANIRE's head up. DON moves TANIRE towards the machine. Before DON puts him in, DANTE shoots a lightning bolt at DON. GRIFFITH uses his technology to restrain DON.

DON

You betray me?! Have you forgotten what will happen to your people?!

(DANTE and GRIFFITH look at each other.)

CUT TO.

INT. HARBOR CITY

(Meanwhile the survivors still travel the path. They make it to the harbor city. They enter; flies fly around dead bodies.)

ANGELA

What happened?

ROGIER

The gravity reached this city as well.

FROST

Damn.

(Guards Talk near the harbor.)

AMIRA

That is DON's guards.

TREVOR

How the hell did they survive in that armor?

AMIRA

Maybe it wasn't the gravity that killed those people.

(FROST looks towards the survivors)

FROST

Stay here and wait for us.

ROGIER

Wait (ROGIER activates a spell that makes them invisible.) TREVOR Do you spy on people with this? ROGIER What no?! TREVOR I know what kind of man you are-FROST Shhh! **TREVOR** Okay okay. (FROST, AL, TREVOR, ROGIER, and AMIRA sneak towards the harbor. They whisper.)) TREVOR Why are we Sneaking if we are invisible? FROST Would you stop talking! **TREVOR** I was asking a question! **AMIRA** Shut your mouths before we get caught! TREVOR It doesn't make sense why are we sneaking if we are invisible? ROGIER We may be invisible, but they can still hear us! GUARD 1 Do you hear that? GUARD 2 Hear what?

GUARD 1 I heard something over there. GUARD 2 There's nothing over there. GUARD 1 I'm going to look. GUARD 2 Why? You're hearing things (The guard walks over to them. He looks over the fence and sees nothing. He walks away. TREVOR stands.) **TREVOR** That was close. FROST What are you doing?! **TREVOR** What? (TREVOR looks and sees a guard staring at him.) GUARD 2 I-is he supposed to be here? GUARD 1 No one's there. GUARD 2 points to TREVOR, GUARD 1 turns around. GUARD 1 Trespasser! TREVOR Damnit! I thought we were invisible! It doesn't work that long! TREVOR Well great, I'm glad you decided to tell me now**AMIRA**

Get down!

(AMIRA tackles TREVOR to the ground. Arrows fly above the wall.)

AMIRA

You're an idiot!

TREVOR

How could I have known?!

(ROGIER stands and summons a magical shield to block the arrows. Behind them guards charge them.)

FROST

Cover us!

ROGIER

On it.

FROST, TREVOR, and AMIRA fight the guards. ANGELA takes cover next to ROGIER.

ROGIER

We could use a fighter.

ANGELA

Neither of them wants to come out.

ROGIER

Since when did DAMON not like bloodshed?

ANGELA

He's embarrassed of himself sometimes.

ROGIER

Now is not the time to be embarrassed.

(ROGIER uses magic to blast some of the guards. He creates swords out of magic and sends them to the guards.)

ROGIER

Listen, we need him! He's the only one who is not afraid to get his hands dirty and sometimes that's what people need!

(ANGELA closes her eyes. When she opens its red.)

DAMON

I will tear them apart.

(He rushes the guards and tears through them. FROST, AMIRA, and TREVOR work as a team to take every guard down. AMIRA stomps, shaking the ground. DAMON stumbles a little then growls. TREVOR and FROST jump as she stomps. They use the loss of equilibrium to their advantage. They slice through the guards together. Eventually there are no guards left on each side. All of them covered in blood. FROST signals the survivors.)

ATHENA

Are you okay!?

FROST

We are okay, everyone on the ship!

(Everyone gets on the ship stocking it up with barrels of water and food.)

FROST

Whatever food and water you can find, bring it on board!

ATHENA

Father said he will be here! Where is he?

FROST

He will be here, don't worry.

BULSARA

He won't be here, little girl. DON probably tore him to pieces already.

(BULSARA stomps his way towards them.)

FROST

Get on the ship. Everyone on the ship!

BULSARA

Running won't stop me from killing all of you.

DAMON

enough talk, more fight!

(DAMON rushes BULSARA, landing the first punch on him. AMIRA dropkicks BULSARA into a carriage.)

BULSARA

You stupid woman! Women don't belong on the battlefield! They belong in my bed! Hahaha!

(ROGIER uses magic to cover his mouth.)

BULSARA

Hmph!

FROST builds a hammer out of ice. DAMON and AMIRA fight with BULSARA. BULSARA slams DAMON onto AMIRA. TREVOR jumps at BULSARA but is swatted away. FROST swings her hammer, breaking it over BULSARA's head.

BULSARA

You dumb whore!

(He tried to punch her, but a holographic gold hand catches it. BULSARA looks to see ROGIER controlling it. ROGIER picks up BULSARA and smashes him into a building.)

FROST

Everyone on the boat now!

(FROST helps DAMON and AMIRA up. TREVOR limps towards FROST)

FROST

Get on the ship!

TREVOR

I'm moving as fast as one can

(BULSARA crashes out of the building.)

BULSARA

You aren't finished with me yet!

(DAMON picks up barrels and throws them at BULSARA. DAMON pounces at BULSARA, grabbing onto him, and punching him. BULSARA pulls him off. FROST slides under BULSARA cutting his legs in the process, making him fall to his knee. DAMON gets behind him pulling his head back. BULSARA elbows DAMON and tries to stand but ROGIER, using his magic hand,

punches him flat on his back. AMIRA runs at BULSARA; TREVOR tosses his sword as she jumps. AMIRA catches it and slams it into BULSARA's chest, severely wounding him. DAMON pulls his throat out and roars at him. They run back to the ship.)

CUT TO

INT. KAHNS CASTLE RUINS

(Back at the castle ruins DON remains restrained.)

DON

Fine, I gave you all a chance, but you disappoint me as you humans tend to do.

DANTE

You talk as if you are not human yourself-

(Gravity shifts, pushing everyone down. GRIFFITH falls flat on the floor, while DANTE and TANIRE stand resisting it. They struggle to breathe or move. DON stands, the restraints break and shoot to the floor. He walks towards TANIRE.)

DON

Your love for them sickens me! They hate you! People will always see you as a monster! Your very power already scares them!

TANIRE

No...

(TANIRE struggles to speak.)

DON

I'm going to kill everyone you love! BLYDE, Your wife, and your beloved daughter.

TANIRE

No!

(TANIRE's veins glow, his chest gets brighter and brighter.)

DON

What are you doing?! Stop!

(TANIRE turns towards DANTE. DANTE tries to raise his hands, summoning lightning to shield himself. TANIRE glows like a star. TANIRE lets his energy out, Nuking the land. The energy wave throws DANTE across the land. DANTE lands in the sea next to the ship. The Shockwave follows pushing them and the boat. TREVOR looks at DANTE in the water then turns to FROST.)

TREVOR

Was that?

FROST

sail towards the right!

(The ship turns towards DANTE. ROGIER uses magic to pull him out of the water.)

ANGELA

He's dying.

(Half of DANTE's body is burned.)

ROGIER

I can heal him.

ANGELA

I can too

(ROGIER and ANGELA together heal DANTE completely.)

ATHENA

Why are we leaving without my father!

(The flames reach the harbor city. ROGIER shields them from the blast)

ATHENA

No!

FROST

I'm sorry ATHENA there is nothing we can do.

(She hugs ATHENA then looks at the city on fire.)

CUT TO.

(At the castle ruins TANIRE tries to rise but struggles. He gets himself up. Everything around him is destroyed and burning. GRIFFITH lies in his armor, his face burned off to the bone. TANIRE listens for his heart. He hears nothing.)

TANIRE

What did I do ...?

(Every building that stood doesn't stand anymore. DON coughs, he's burnt. His face unrecognizable, his bones showing, and not a single trace of hair.)

DON

Your power is extraordinary.

TANIRE

You could have used your power for good.

DON

I tried...I was a good king. They knew they couldn't stop me, so they killed my loved ones. They thought my methods were dishonorable. I did what I did to protect them. The people went mad when I tried to change tradition. I didn't want any more unnecessary executions, no more forced marriage, and no more corruption. It didn't matter what I did, people won't change.

TANIRE

sounds like you made a good king.

DON

I made a better father, after all of this if there is any gods or afterlife, I don't think I'll be able to see her again...

(TANIRE stands over DON.)

DON

Your faith in people is admirable but they won't change. don't trust people and protect your daughter, something I failed to do.

(DON wheezing, coughs blood. DON's head falls, he succumbs to his wounds. TANIRE looks around for DANTE.)

TANIRE

DANTE!

(He starts flying, in the sky he sees nothing but fire. The island is in complete flames. No life remained, any sign of it was on fire. He takes one last look at his home. He flies off towards the ocean. ATHENA cries for her father.)

AMIRA

ATHENA look!

(TANIRE flies onto the boat.)

ATHENA

Father!

(ATHENA hugs TANIRE.)

ATHENA

Never leave me again!

TANIRE

I won't, love.

(He kisses her on the head.)

TANIRE

It's good to see you all unharmed.

AMIRA

We caught something before we left the dock.

(TANIRE looks to see DANTE passed out. TANIRE turns to see the fire reaching the Harbor city. The heroes turn and look. A couple of tears fall from TANIRE's eyes.)

FROST

What happened.

TREVOR

What did you do?

(TANIRE wipes his tears. The heroes stare at the island burning in flames. The clouds thicken above them as they sail away.)

THE END.