Zeke Williams 221

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"He's just a friend I met in prison," Zeke said. "He likes to cause trouble and always got into a fight while he was in prison. That's how he became what he is now."

"Is that it? But he's still too strong to be a mere battle junkie..." Lacey doubted.

"Lacey, think about it. Most of the prisoners are outlaws," Dawn said as she tried to help Zeke out. "If he were to fight with these outlaws every day, it isn't hard to see how he got this strong."

Lacey nodded but her doubt still remained.

"So, how's the thing with the Linton group progressing?" Zeke asked, hoping to change the subject.

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"Are you dreaming? There's no way he's going to give you anything," Lacey scolded.

"Why don't we make a bet then? If I win, we'll stay at the Grand Millenium Hotel tomorrow," Zeke smiled.

"Fine!" Lacey barked as her face turned red. "If you lose, you'll address me as Ms. Hinton!"

Zeke couldn't understand why Lacey liked people to address her officially.

"I want to join too!" Dawn raised her hand. "I'll bet on Zeke. If he wins, I'll be borrowing him for two days."

"Very funny," Lacey scolded as she rolled her eyes back.

Dawn could only stare at Lacey. I'm not joking...

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"Sam, what's the update on T-Rex?" Logan Hugh called Sam Clemons and asked.

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The title moved Sam. If he were to become a second lieutenant, he wouldn't be far from a colonel or even a general.

Sam steeled his heart. "I'll do it then!"

"That's my apprentice!" Logan laughed. "We only have to sacrifice a pawn to kill a general. Isn't that worth it?"

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Sam arrived at the Oakheart Prison just 30 minutes shy of midnight.

He'd paid the guards beforehand and easily went to where T-Rex was locked in.

Only two people were in the damp cell.

One was T-Rex, and Sam guessed that the other was T-Rex's subordinate.

The subordinate was facing the wall and snoring loudly.

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"All you have to do is to accuse Zeke of burning down your building in court," Sam explained. "Tell them you and a dozen of your men witnessed Zeke doing it. Since your building had already burned down, you and your people were left with nowhere to go but to ask Zeke to repair your building. That was when Zeke decided to take down all of your men."

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"Of course not!" T-Rex quickly shook his head.

"Good," Sam nodded and gave T-Rex some foods. "Here, you must be starving. Don't tell anyone about my visit today."

"Of course," T-Rex nodded.

After making sure that T-Rex had taken a bite of the food, Sam left.

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The men slowly turned end showed his fece.

Indeed, he wes no other then Sole Wolf himself.

"Help..." T-Rex shouted es he ren to the door.

But Sole Wolf stopped him helfwey end covered his mouth. "Quiet! I'm here to seve you. If I reelly wented to kill you, would I reelly need to weit until now?"

T-Rex wes stunned. Sole Wolf's words mede sense.

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Not long after the mice's first bite, it began to twitch and collapse. Foam could be seen coming from its mouth.

"F**k! The food is poisoned!" T-Rex turned pale. "That f**king Sam wants to kill me!"

"Would you look at that! You still have a brain," Sole Wolf mocked.

The thought of him almost having the same fate as the mice made T-Rex shudder.

"But Mr. Clemons and Hugh still want me to take down Zeke. Why are they trying to poison me?" T-Rex hesitated.

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"H-help me!" T-Rex yelled. "It hurts! Help! Call a doctor..."

T-Rex's scream did not die down until ten minutes had passed. Sole Wolf waited until then to feed him the antidote.

After taking the cure, the excruciating pain in T-Rex's belly slowly died down, but what came with the relief was drowsiness.

It didn't take long for T-Rex to pass out as if he was dead.

Sam Clemons could hear T-Rex's scream inside the guard room until it finally died down. He let out a sigh of relief and put out his cigarette.

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"Zeke Williems. As soon es Mr. Williems left, T-Rex wes poisoned end pessed ewey. I suspect Mr. Williems to be the one who edministered the poison."

"Do you know who Sem Clemons is?" Sem esked.

"Sem Clemons? Never heerd of him," the guerd shook his heed.

"Good," Sem smiled. "Here's your money."

"Thenk you, Mr. Clemons! It wes e pleesure working with you."

As soon es Sem left the prison, he wes eeger to shere the news with Logen Hugh.

"Mr. Hugh, the plen went es you'd imegined. I hope you hold your end of the deel."

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6-7 minutes

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And Zeke was the only person to have visited T-Rex. Naturally, People began to suspect that it was Zeke who was responsible.

Zeke became famous overnight, and the underground world of Rivermouth began to pay attention to him.

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Sam stopped her sister. "Hey! You don't have to go to work anymore."

"Why?"

"I got promoted to the second lieutenant. I can get you a better job."

"Wait, what?" Emily was so shocked that she dropped her handbag. "I thought you just got promoted to a sergeant not long ago! Why the sudden promotion? And a few ranks at that."

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The main reason the Hintons got better was all because of Zeke.

With Sam getting promoted to a second lieutenant, they finally had a chance to make a comeback.

"Right! I forgot to tell you guys another piece of good news," Sam said.

"Is there any better news than you being promoted?"

"Mom, let me finish. Other than promoting me, there's another reason Mr. Logan will come here. He has enough proof that Zeke murdered T-Rex. If everything goes smoothly, Zeke will be apprehended today."

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Chapter 225

8-10 minutes

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"Right..." Madeleine nodded.

"I don't think three hundred thousand will be enough either. Mom, how much do you have?"

"I lost quite a lot when I opened the clinic last time. I think I only have less than fifty thousand," Madeleine sighed. "But your sister will definitely have a way to get you the money. Emily, how much can you give your brother now?"

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Chapter 226

6-7 minutes

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"Madeleine's right. We'll wait out here first," Adam agreed. "Congratulations, Sam."

"Here are some gifts from us," Jeremy smiled as he handed Sam the cigarettes and wines.

"This is too much. You being here is more than enough," Sam smiled.

"It's just a small gesture from us," Lily smiled as she grabbed Sam's arm.

"If you insist... Thank you," Sam replied.

"You really are the best among our peers," Lily complimented. "I knew you would have a great future."

"It's nothing, really," Sam laughed. "That's right. Since it's my big day today, why don't you invite your family to join us for dinner tonight?"

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"What's that?"

"You better distance yourself from Zeke. I heard he joined the mafia, and that he even killed someone yesterday. There's no way I want to have anything to do with that man."

"That ba****d!" Adam roared. "What an embarrassment! Don't worry. I've already disowned Daniel! Their family has nothing to do with us now."

"Good."

The neighbors began to talk about the incident as well.

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Chapter 227

6-8 minutes

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Any one of those items was priceless.

But he had given those gems to Emily. There was no way Zeke could ask Emily to return them.

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"What did you say?" Sam roared.

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"How dare you insult a military man!" Sam gripped his fists tightly and turned to the neighbours. "Are you going to let a murderer stay here?"

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"I see! That's why I keep losing things in my house! You stole them!"

Chapter 228

5-6 minutes

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"You disgraceful ba****d!" Adam roared.

"Bullshit!" Lacey yelled. "Sharon is Zeke's friend's daughter. She's just staying at our place temporarily."

"Do you think we'll believe you? She looks a lot like Zeke to me!" Madeleine snorted.

Hannah couldn't hold her anger in any longer. She jumped out of the car and pointed at Madeleine. "Another word from you, and I'll sue you for slandering!"

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"Oh? Hit me if you dare! I'm the mother of a second lieutenant! You don't even have the right to look at me!"

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A loud and clear slap could be heard as Madeleine's face turned sideways. It was such a powerful slap that it threw her to the floor.

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Lacey turned around and whispered to Zeke. "Tell me the truth, did you kill anyone?"

"Of course not," Zeke replied. "But even if I did, they can't do anything about it."

Zeke's reply only made matters worse for Lacey as she began to wonder if Zeke could survive this because Logan Hugh was a high-ranking officer in the military.

The vehicles stopped and Logan stepped out with his men.

"Mr. Hugh, welcome," Sam quickly saluted.

"What's happening here?"

"Mr. Hugh! You have to help us! Zeke raised his arm against me!" Madeleine begged. "He's disrespecting you and the army!"

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The crowd got excited as Sam was about to be promoted.

"You have proved yourself to be worthy of the army! You are hereby promoted to the rank of the second lieutenant!"

"Thank you, Sir!"

Hugh Logan personally pinned the crown and star on Sam's uniform, which garnered the crowd's oohs and ahhs.

Madeleine stood up and stared at the star with her teary eyes. "Finally! I'm so proud of you! Do you see this, Zeke? This is something you'll never get to experience!"

"Really? Sam wearing that star is a humiliation to it," Zeke snorted.

"Get lost! What? Are you jealous now?" Lily scolded.

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"You do know I can have you charged for slandering from what you just said, right?" Zeke laughed.

"Bullshit! I know he's your friend! I've seen you eat with him a few times!"

"Really? Then there must be something wrong with your eyes."

Madeleine was about to fight back but Sam stopped her.

"Mom, stop! That's T-Rex! He's the victim!"

Madeleine turned to look at her son. Her face was filled with embarrassment.

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