

Chapter XI: Forsaken Territory

ZIP! And into the Nether, the burning seas and jagged cliffs with the most evil monsters there could be.

Sam: Woah.

Alex: Oh my god, this bridge is incredible.

Steve: How did tribesmen with only a few followers build a bridge like this?

Alex: Who's to say they are tribesmen, this could be the lost empire of Herobrine.

Sam: Well whoever's land it is, this bridge ought to lead to it.

Nope.

Steve: Well, you were about 75 percent right about that.

They came to the end of a bridge, 25 meters from the city's grounds.

Alex: The smoke is fading.

All 3: Wow.

Magnificent temples with incredible relics displaying stood before them, without even a trace of inhabitants.

Steve: How do we get to the other side?

The bridge began to shift slightly.

Alex: I think the bridge is unstable.

Sam: I have a bad idea.

Steve: Ah, the perfect kind.

Alex: Fire away, we'll take any idea we've got.

Sam: You see that dangerous looking ball that looks to weigh at least a quarter million kilos directly above us?

Steve: ...You know, that looks to be one of the most questionable things I've ever seen.

Alex: What about it?

Sam: I think I see a lever over there, and a sign that says "Release crush defense".

Alex: ...Oh my god, genetics would be the last explanation for your eyesight.

Sam: You think that we could catapult ourselves over to the ledge if we drop that?

Alex: ...You'll have to ask your father.

Bow stretching sounds

Steve: I can't believe you didn't think of this sooner!

Sam: Well in life you only get one shot. **misses** Two shots. **misses again** Three.

Tick, tock, tick, tock.

Sam: 36, 37, 38! Got it!

Steve: You in the future, life won't be that nice to you.

Sam: What is that supposed to mean?

Steve: Well there's always a tougher guy.

(The boulder was named "Təfurr Gei")

BAM!! It was working... aaaaand, bonk!

Steve: And they only give you one chance.

Sam: ...What if you're the son of dragon slayers?

Steve: ...That won't matter, we may be ultimate fighters that can kill Herobrine the immortal Titan of Destruction, which puts us above kings and queens, but we're far below stock managers.

Alex: My god.

They explored the shelf of temples, unaware what they were looking for, and even more unaware of who else was looking for them.

Steve: Have you thought anything else about the whole dream thing?

Alex: No, and I don't think we should waste anymore time about that, those irrational samurai have no clue what they're talking about.

Sam: What's the background behind this whole "wake up call" thing?

Alex: Well, when we discovered the "Minecraft Spacecraft", we didn't know how to use it, and we accidentally took a trip to the moon. The Guardian of the Moon met us and immediately did everything he could to "wake us up". And whatever that was supposed to mean, he ended up trying to kill us. This Guardian Sun guy turned out no different, he tried to kill us even faster.

Sam: Hm, what if Guardian Sun was right about that other supreme evil?

Alex: Which one?

Sam: The "Genius of Control".

Alex: It's got to be a wild goose chase.

Sam: Well, but what would the Guardian brothers have anything to do with you guys?

Alex: ...I, I guess nothing.

Sam: Maybe we should look for a new angle, or dimension. Whatever it's called, because something is telling me that someone is controlling them from outside their minds. They acted the exact same when hostile.

Alex: That is pretty compelling, I think that's a good idea. How'd you get to be so clever?

Sam: It just comes natural I guess.

Alex: That's hilarious.

A new look on the Guardian would come forth, and something else to come forth... the biggest temple in the village, which easily would have some sort of hidden chest full of artifacts. Or maybe a pot o' gold.

Steve: That's clearly a button, DON'T step on it. Look, you can tell by the windshear.

Alex: ...What kind of nervous system do you have?

Sam: A precious and delicate one apparently, unlike this solid rock here.

Alex: One of these might kill us but one might lead to something good.

Sam: Don't step anywhere flat.

Bruh... .

Steve: ...Good point.

Sam: It's that one right there.

Alex: You think.

Sam: I think it has a bit less depth.

Steve: Alright. Pray your ground is solid.

He pushed the rock. It was a button. The pedestal it was connected to rotated, then part of the floor opened up.

Steve: ...You and your nervous system.

The white entity was dressed in a dark cloak up above, approaching the portal, when near the summon point, it noticed footprints.

Cloaked Entity: Dang. ...Hmm... *Eyes widen*

Sam: Alright, this is not exactly how I pictured it, but I honestly expected worse.

Alex: This thing could be 300 years old and there's molten lava beneath us. This is the first-ever invention of the microwave oven.

Steve: There's a chest over there.

Sam: That thing could hold every answer we need.

Alex: Okay only one of us needs to go over.

Steve: Well it won't matter if we're here or there if we don't have a way to carry the chest.

Sam: We don't have to carry the chest.

Alex: Sam, this isn't a national park or something we're allowed to move old artifacts.

Steve: ...Oh, there's an ender chest.

Sam: Exactly.

Alex: Okay, good, now one of us just needs to get over there.

Steve: Well, I don't have any straws or any- yeah alright.

Steve made his way across the chain, and to the platform on the other side. Suddenly, on the other side, Alex and Sam noticed lava dripping from the hole.

Steve: Okay I've got the chest, gosh this is heavy.

Sure is, not like you can carry the weight of over 2,700 eiffel towers.

Alex: Steve, we have a bit of a situation over here.

Steve: What's over there?

Sam: Lots of lava, and possibly a fatal change in temperature.

Steve: What?!

Lava began to seep in right near Alex and Sam, they collapsed of severe heat stroke, and within 2 minutes they would be dead.

Steve: Oh good god, um, oh man. If this works I swear-

Steve made his way across the chain once more, carrying the ender chest full of mystical artifacts.

Steve: C'mon space don't fail me now.

Steve made the insane response of shoving Alex and Sam into the ender chest, and shut it.

Steve: 2 minutes let's go, let's go.

Steve didn't even notice the white entity as he bombed the roof of the temple and ran back to the Nether portal. This was without a doubt the weirdest and best way to save someone ever.

Steve: 1 minute 1 minute 1 minute, 59, 58.

Steve dove like a dolphin through the portal and crash landed in the sand on that speck of land out in the middle of nowhere, the moment he hit ground he tore open his ender chest and attached a chain to an anvil, and to himself, took a breath, then jumped into the chest.

Steve: I'm so freakin unorganized!

He grabbed Alex and Sam and whisked them over to the hole in space, they suddenly and immediately regained consciousness, refreshed by the cool temperatures of the Ender void.

Steve: Holy crap.

Alex: ...Did you shove us into an ender chest?

Steve: I never thought it would work.

Sam: ...I love our weird family.

Steve: ...You'll never find anyone like us.

They brought the space chest full of artifacts back to their home village, and strewed them among the floor of the underground library.

Alex: Alright.

Steve: I don't think we thought about this.

Sam: What do you mean?

Steve: Well it's not like this golden hoop here has an instruction manual. How are we supposed to know what any of this does?

Alex: Right. Um, we just have to guess.

Steve: Okay. I guess that this amulet... is purple?

Sam: *Sigh* It just can never be simple.

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Steve: Nibiru.

Alex: What?

Steve: It's just a plate that says "Nibiru".

Sam: Nibiru, that sounds familiar.

Alex: Nibiru as in doomsday?

Steve: No no no, that's just a conspiracy. 2012 already happened without catastrophe.

Sam: Ah. December 21, 2012. Doomsday. The end of Earth caused by the collision between Earth and the rogue planet said to jump galaxies. Nibiru.

Alex: But that date already came, there's no way Nibiru could cycle back in only 6 years.

Looking back at the plate, it snapped!

Sam: Guardian Nibiru!!

Steve: Excuse me?

Sam: Guardian Moon said he controls his planet, Nibiru could do the exact same.

Alex: Oh my god. We ARE asleep. We're about to fight an entire planet!

Steve: Okay, how do we know it's coming back.

Sam: Guys I think there is something far more sinister behind this, if Nibiru didn't come on the Mayan doomsday then it wouldn't come anytime sooner. I bet you that this ground we're standing on isn't even real.

Alex: ... "The ground on which you stand is a lie".

Sam: Huh?

Alex: One of the elders told us that something here was tricking us, something was corrupting reality.

Sam: So something else IS behind this.

Steve: Fine. Dine. Mine. ...HEROBRINE!!