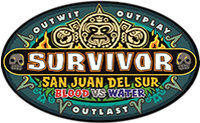
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**Method to This Madness**

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| **Episode 02 Confessionals** | | |
| **Castaway** | **Old Count** | **New Count** |
| Natalie | 1 | - |
| Jaclyn | 0 | - |
| Missy | 1 | - |
| Keith | 0 | - |
| Baylor | 1 | - |
| Jon | 2 | - |
| Alec | 0 | - |
| Reed | 0 | - |
| Wes | 0 | - |
| Jeremy | 3 | - |
| Josh | 3 | - |
| Julie | 0 | - |
| Dale | 1 | - |
| Kelley | 1 | - |
| Drew | 0 | - |
| John | 3 | - |
| Val | 3 | - |

Day 3

1. **Josh (1/3):** At Tribal Council tonight, I voted for Baylor to further, um, advance our alliance in this game. I don't want the guys thinking that I was getting too close to Baylor but I still wanted to keep Baylor as an asset.
2. **Baylor (1/1):** Josh comes up to me. He explained to me that it apparently was a game move because he doesn't want the guys to know that me and him are aligned. That was a smart move, in a way, but it was also sketchy and scary that he didn't tell me before he was going to write my name down. I really hope that I can trust him.

Day 5

1. **Jeremy (1/3):** We got Jon and we got Drew, and they're both like cartoon characters, like they're so crazy. I'm like, “*Are they listening to themselves?”* They're so happy and it's like not real, you know what I'm sayin'? Which for me is good because I know all the girls can't stand 'em already.
2. **Kelley (1/1):** I cannot believe we lost the flint. Losing that is not good.
3. **Jon (1/2):** I learned if you're wrong, you admit it, and you admit it emphatically so that people know not only does he know he's wrong, he feels awful about it and he's probably going to do a lot to make up for it. Is that accepted by everyone? I have no idea. I mean, I'm very nervous about it. I'm very nervous about it.
4. **Jon (2/2):** Catching some fish would had been just heavenly. Unfortunately, we didn't get it because all we did was trade it for flint. Losing the flint was a pretty big mistake. It was my fault we wasted our chance out of fishing gear.
5. **Missy (1/1):** I would have said I think there's no other bond besides the mom and a daughter but man, that's twins... uff! And it's really pretty touching to see a tough girl cry. I want to help her.
6. **Natalie (1/1):** *(weeping)* Oh, Nadiya got voted off. She's probably fine and its just that we're not together will be the hard part. Now it's just, like, really good motivation for me to keep my head in the game and just play hard so that I can just at least go as far as I can.
7. **Josh (2/3):** Just because John does things I don't like doesn't mean I don't want to work with him. Because I think that makes him even more of an asset to be used because he's pissing off so many people already that yes, I want him on my team.
8. **Jeremy (2/3):** Exile Island is not a happy place. It's desolate, you know, it's dry, there's no coconuts. It's not a good place to be. Plus the icing on top is now I'm stuck out here with John Rocker. I know who he is. He used to pitch for the *Braves* and everything. They were playing against the New York *Mets* and he was talking about black people, talking about homosexuals, and all this other stuff. I can't even remember exactly what he said but I remember he said racist things. I'm not saying John Rocker is a racist. You can say stuff like that and it'll follow you for the rest of your life. You know, you can change, yeah sure, but it's still gonna follow you, you know what I mean? But now I need him to protect my wife so I'm gonna try to, I'm gonna try to buddy up to him for a little bit. I'm sharing this clue right now. (18:58 → 19:09 = 11s)
9. **Jeremy (3/3):** I just threw out “*You take care of Val, I'll take care of Julie”* and it'll be good. So I'm just trying to give Val time, on her side, to work some magic but if she's voted out, Julie's gone right after.

Day 6

1. **Val (1/3):** Somebody in my tribe is going home tonight and I am in a tight situation because I don't have an idol and Jaclyn is my one and only alliance. But I'm prepared to make big moves to make sure that I stay in this game.
2. **Dale (1/1):** The challenge was a kick in the butt. I mean it was one of the toughest things I've ever have to watch. I couldn't be prouder of anybody in my life than Kelley. She never quit. She was down. Her tribe was down. She gave her tribe the win and, uh, unfortunately it was the wrong tribe.
3. **Val (2/3):** Right now, I am in a tight situation because I don't have an idol. I don't have anything. I am just lying. I have no choice. I have to play big or I'm going home.
4. **John (1/3):** Val's claiming to have two idols and I've seen the clue so I think at this point I need to get off my ass and start looking for idols. The clue I got said, “*Dig, Well, North, Seven.”* So I'm thinking, well, seven paces north, dig. So, I'm going to give it a shot and see what we can find. Hope something good turns up. Right now, all I've dug is rocks. (31:45 → 31:58 = 13s)
5. **John (2/3):** And Bingo, boys! Here's what Johnny Rock been looking for. I found, at least, an extra 3 days in the game. Wear it with pride. Tends to be the athlete types always make it right before the merge and then… uh, and they're gone so maybe, I would love to save this to about 4th or 5th Council, play it and go ahead and take myself to the merge. But, uh, this has bought me some extra time. Now I need to figure out a way to protect Val.
6. **John (3/3):** I did make a promise to Jeremy. If I want to ensure Julie's safety I gotta ensure Val's safety. So, she plays her idol tonight, she should be fine.
7. **Val (3/3):** I mean, this is like an *Oscar* winning moment. I don't have the idol but it doesn't even matter because three of them vote Baylor, and Jackie and I vote Baylor. That's five against Baylor. I know me and Jaclyn are safe.
8. **Josh (3/3):** All of a sudden, John and Val just walk off together. They never walked off together. Like… they... just those two? I kinda wanna know what's going on about that and I don't think he's being honest with me. Splitting a vote is definitely risky at this point in the game because we do have some people on our team that you wonder about sometimes. So tonight, what it ends up coming down to is what do I think is going to get me to the top.