GAME OF THRONES Episode #205 "The Ghost of Harrenhal"

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GAME OF THRONES As Broadcast Script

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INT. STORMLANDS - RENLY'S TENT - NIGHT.

The wind whips the flaps of the tent. Renly sits behind his table. Brienne is by his side. Catelyn sits in front of him.

RENLY

You swear it?

CATELYN

By the mother. My son has no interest in the Iron Throne.

RENLY

Then I see no reason for hostility between us. Your son can go on calling himself King of the North. The Starks will have dominion over all lands north of Moat Cailin, provided he swears me an oath of fealty.

CATELYN

And the wording of this oath?

RENLY

The same Ned Stark swore to Robert eighteen years ago. Cat, their friendship held the kingdoms together.

CATELYN

And in return for my son's loyalty?

RENLY

In the morning, I'll destroy my brother's army. When that's done, Baratheon and Stark with fight their common enemy together, as they have done many times before.

CATELYN

Our two houses have always been close, which is why I am begging you to reconsider this battle.

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CATELYN

Negotiate a peace with your brother.

RENLY

Negotiate with Stannis? You heard him out there. I'd have better luck debating the wind. Please bring my terms to your son. I believe we are natural allies. I hope he feels the same. Together, we could end this war in a fortnight.

The wind howls and rips through the tent. A dark shadow enters the tent, startling Catelyn and Brienne, who gasps. Renly stands near the edge of the tent. The shadow takes human form behind him and stabs him in the back with a sword. Blood gushes from Renly's chest.

BRIENNE

No!

Renly falls into Brienne's arms and then onto the floor. Two kingsguards storm into the tent with swords drawn, but it is too late.

KINGSGUARD 1

You'll die for this!

CATELYN

No, no! Wait! It-it wasn`t her!

The kingsguards go after Brienne. She draws her sword and they fight. Brienne quickly kills both of the kingsguards. Catelyn looks on, stunned. Brienne leans over Renly and cries.

[MUSIC IN]

BRIENNE

(CRIES)

CATELYN

We've got to leave. They'll hang you for this. Now.

Catelyn tries to pry Brienne away from Renly.

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BRIENNE (sobbing)

I won't leave him.

CATELYN

You can't avenge him if you're dead.

BRIENNE

Not that way.

Brienne runs out of the tent on one side, while Catelyn runs out of another opening. Renly lies dead on the ground.

EXT. STORMLANDS - DAY.

Littlefinger watches the boats sailing in the water. There is a flurry of activity.

INT. STORMLANDS - RENLY'S TENT - DAY.

Loras stares at Renly's dead body in sorrow. Margaery paces behind him and paces.

MARGAERY

We need to go home. Loras.

Littlefinger enters the tent.

LITTLEFINGER

My Lord, My Lady.

LORAS

Get out.

LITTLEFINGER

Stannis will be here in an hour. When he arrives, Renly's bannermen will flock to him. Your former companions will fight for the privilege of selling you to their new king.

Loras stands and draws his sword.

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LORAS

And you want that privilege for

yourself.

LITTLEFINGER

You will note that I am standing here talking to you, not Stannis.

MARGAERY

There's no time for this.

LORAS

You ride back to Highgarden, sister. I'm not running from Stannis.

MARGAERY

Brienne of Tarth murdered Renly.

LORAS

I don't believe that. You don't believe that. Who gained the most from our king's death?

LITTLEFINGER

Stannis.

LORAS

I will put a sword through his righteous face!

MARGAERY

You can't stay here.

LORAS

He would have been a true king. A good king.

LITTLEFINGER

Tell me, Ser Loras, what do you desire most in this world?

LORAS

Revenge.

01:06:38

LITTLEFINGER

I have always found that to be the purest of motivations. But you won't have a chance to put your sword through Stannis. Not today. You'll be cut to

pieces before he sets foot on solid ground. If it is justice that you want, be smart about it.

MARGAERY

You can't avenge him from the grave. Bring the horses. Please.

Margaery strokes Loras's hair. He gazes sadly at Renly. After a moment, he grabs his sword and exits the tent.

[MUSIC IN]

MARGAERY

He was very handsome.

LITTLEFINGER

He was, your Grace.

MARGAERY

Your Grace. Calling yourself king doesn't make you one. And if Renly wasn't a king, I wasn't a queen.

LITTLEFINGER

Do you want to be a queen?

MARGAERY

No. I want to be the queen.

INT. RED KEEP - CERSEI'S CHAMBER - DAY.

Cersei looks out the window and watches Myrcella play with Septas down below. Tyrion has informed Cersei of Renly's death.

CERSEI

Killed? By whom?

01:08:08

TYRION

Accounts differ. Most seem to implicate Catelyn Stark in some way.

CERSEI

Really? Who'd have thought?

TYRION

Some say it was one of his own Kingsguard, while still others say it was Stannis himself who did it after negotiations went sour.

CERSEI

Whomever did it, I say well done.

TYRION

It's not what Varys says. He says Renly's army is flocking to support Stannis, which would give Stannis superiority over us on both land and sea.

CERSEI

Littlefinger says we can out spend him three to one.

TYRION

And I say father raised you to have too much respect for money. Stannis Baratheon is coming for us, sooner rather than later.

CERSEI

Aren't there other things you should be doing, like sealing my daughter in a crate so you can ship her away?

TYRION

She'll be safer in Dorne.

CERSEI

Yes, I know how concerned you are for her safety.

01:08:47

TYRION

It so happens that I am. Myrcella's a sweet, innocent girl and I don't blame her at all for you.

CERSEI

So clever. Aren't you always so clever with your schemes and your plots.

Cersei walks into another room, annoyed at Tyrion. She sits

down with her wine. Tyrion follows her.

TYRION

Schemes and plots are the same thing. They are going to attack us! We need to be ready.

CERSEI

No need to concern yourself over it. The king is taking personal charge of siege preparations.

TYRION

May I ask specifically what the king has in mind?

CERSEI

You may specifically, or you may ask vaguely. The answer will be the same.

TYRION

It's important that we talk about this.

CERSEI

It's the king's royal prerogative to withhold sensitive information from his councilors.

Cerseil smugly sips at her wine. Tyrion walks out.

INT. TYRION'S LITTER - DAY.

Tyrion and Lancel chat privately in the litter. They are uncomfortable in the space that barely fits them both.

01:09:47

LANCEL (OS)

It's wildfire.

TYRION

Wildfire? You wouldn't lie to me, would you, cousin?

LANCEL

No.

TYRION

That's a lie right there.

LANCEL

It is not a lie. Why would I lie?

TYRION

Tell me, if the vile allegations against my brother and sister are true, do you think it would make Jaime more likely to kill you or less likely? When I tell him you're fucking her, I mean.

LANCEL

I'm telling you the truth.

TYRION

The smart money would be on more likely.

LANCEL

She's making wildfire! I swear...

TYRION

But then perhaps his own unnatural urges would give him sympathy for yours.

LANCEL

The Alchemist's Guild is being commissioned...

TYRION

Suppose there's only one way to find out.

01:10:25

LANCEL

They have thousands of pots already stored in their vaults. They are planning to launch it from the city walls into Stannis's ships and armies. Please.

TYRION

When did she tell you this?

LANCEL

I heard her talking with the pyromancer. And the other night, after I left her, she went to meet him. I swear to you.

TYRION

Swear to me on what?

LANCEL

On my life.

TYRION

But I don't care about your life.

LANCEL

In the light of the Seven, by all that is holy and right, I, Lancel Lannister, do solemnly vow that...

TYRION

All right, all right. Enough. Even torturing you is boring. Just get out.

Lancel exits the litter and stumbles on his face. Bronn stands nearby.

TYRION

Oh, Lancel. Tell my friend Bronn to please kill you if anything should happen to me.

LANCEL

Please kill me if anything should happen to Lord Tyrion.

Tyrion, satisfied, closes the litter's flap. Lancel runs out. Bronn smiles.

01:11:18

BRONN

It will be my pleasure.

EXT. STORMLANDS - RENLY'S TENT - DAY.

Stannis walks in front of an army of his men. Davos approaches him, then walks quickly beside him.

DAVOS

Your Grace.

STANNIS

What is it?

DAVOS

I'm sorry about your brother, Your Grace. I wanted to let you know that people grieve for him, your Grace.

STANNIS

Fools love a fool. I grieve for him as well, for the boy he was, not the man he grew to be.

DAVOS

I need to speak to you about what I saw in that cave.

STANNIS (harsh whisper)

I thought I made it clear to you there would be no need to speak to me of this matter.

DAVOS

Your Grace, I...

STANNIS

I've never known you to need to hear a thing twice.

INT. STORMLANDS - RENLY'S TENT - DAY.

Davos and Stannis stand across from each other in the tent.

01:11:49

DAVOS

And I've never known you to hide from the truth.

STANNIS

You come to lecture me on truth?

DAVOS

I've come to tell you about what I saw.

STANNIS

All my brothers bannermen have come to my side. Except for Tyrell's, who fled like cowards. They won't be able to resist us now. Soon, I should be sitting on the Iron Throne. DAVOS

Nothing is worth what this will cost you. Not even the Iron Th...

STANNIS

I'll hear no more about it.

The men stand in silence for a few moments before Davos breaks the silence. Stannis moves around chess pieces on a board.

DAVOS

When do we sail for King's Landing?

STANNIS

As soon as I've consolidated my troops. We'll make short work of the Lannisters' fleet. Once Blackwater Bay is cleared, we'll deliver our armies to their doorstep and take the city.

DAVOS

And will you bring Lady Melisandre with you?

01:12:37

STANNIS

Well, that is not your concern.

DAVOS

If you take King's Landing with her by your side, the victory will be hers.

STANNIS

I never thought I'd have reason to doubt your loyalty. Was I wrong?

DAVOS

Loyal service means telling hard truths.

STANNIS

Oh, truth again. All right. What's the truth? The hard truth?

DAVOS

She's a foreigner, preaching a foreign religion. Some believe she whispers

orders in your ear and you obey.

STANNIS

What do you believe?

DAVOS

You won those bannermen from Renly. Don't lose them to her.

[MUSIC IN]

STANNIS

We'll set out for King's Landing without Lady Melisandre. And you will lead the fleet into Blackwater Bay.

DAVOS

Your Grace, I'm honored, but my time on the sea was spent evading ships, not attacking them. The other lords won't be happy.

01:13:39

STANNIS

Most of those lords should consider themselves lucky I don't hang them for treason. Hard truths cut both ways, Ser Davos.

After a long moment, Davos exits the tent. Stannis stands in silence.

EXT. KING'S LANDING - STREET - DAY.

Tyrion and Bronn walk amidst the great unwashed throngs. Men haggle in the fish stalls.

STREET MERCHANT 1

Buy my fruit, my Lord.

STREET MERCHANT 2

Fresh fruit! My Lord!

TYRION

Stannis has more infantry, more ships, more horses. What do we have?

BRONN

There's that mind of yours you keep

going on about.

TYRION

Well, I've never actually been able to kill people with it.

BRONN

Good thing. I'd be out of a job. What about your father?

TYRION

He hasn't sent a raven in weeks. He's very busy. Being repeatedly humiliated by Robb Stark is time consuming. We won't be able to hold the city against Stannis, not the way Joffrey's planning on holding it.

01:14:45

A street preacher dressed in a robe of undyed wool stands on a pedestal and speaks to a crowd of bystanders.

STREET PREACHER

Corruption!

The crowd cheers.

STREET PREACHER

Yes! We are swollen, bloated, foul! Brother fornicates with sister in the bed of kings. Are we surprised when the fruit of their incest is rotten?!

The crowd cheers.

STREET PREACHER

Yes! A rotten king!

TYRION

It's hard to argue with his assessment.

BRONN (overlap with street preacher)

Not after what he did to your birthday present.

TYRION (overlap with street preacher)
The king is a lost cause.

STREET PREACHER

(overlap with Bronn and Tyrion)
A corrupt king, spreading the disease of
his soul far and wide across our city!

TYRION

It's the rest of us I'm worried about now.

STREET PREACHER

A dancing king, pracing down his bloodstained halls to the tune of a twisted demon monkey.

CROWD

(LAUGH)

TYRION

You have to admire his imagination.

BRONN

He's talking about you.

01:15:27

TYRION (insulted)

What? Demon monkey?

BRONN

They think you're pulling the king's strings. They blame you for the city's ills.

TYRION

Blame me? I'm trying to save them.

BRONN

You don't need to convince me.

Bronn walks away from Tyrion.

TYRION

Demon monkey.

EXT. DOCK - LORDSPORT HARBOR - DAY.

[MUSIC IN]

Theon stands on the dock and smiles as he looks out at his ship. He hears laughter and turns toward his crew who exit a small dock room. He addresses them.

THEON

You're the crew of the Sea Bitch? I'm your commander. Welcome.

The crew ignores him.

THEON

Stop. Stop! Your captain commands you to stop!

The crew laughs at him.

BLACK LORREN

Where we headed, Captain?

THEON

The Stony Shore. To raid their villages. There'll be spoils in it for you, and women, if you do your jobs well.

01:16:40

BLACK LORREN

And who decides if we've done our jobs well?

THEON

I do. Your Captain.

The crewmen laugh.

BLACK LORREN

I have been reaving and raping since before you left Balon's balls, captain.

Black Lorren walks over to Theon.

BLACK LORREN

Don't reckon I've got much use for your ideas on how to do it. Don't reckon I've got much use for a captain at all. I'm thinking I could do the job of captain real well myself. All I need's a ship. You wouldn't know where I could find myself a ship now, would you?

Theon and Black Lorren exchange looks. Black Lorren walks

away from Theon.

THEON

You could do that. Take the ship, head out on your own. And I will hunt you down, drag you back here in chains and hang you for a traitor.

BLACK LORREN

(LAUGH)

Yara joins the crew.

01:17:28

YARA

Stop! We yield.

The crew laughs with Yara.

YARA

Congratulations on your first command.

THEON

Thank you. Kind of you to come see me off.

YARA

Oh, I'm not here for you. I was just on my way to Red Harbor. I've got thirty ships. There's nowhere to put them here. Too narrow.

THEON

Better get out there. Wouldn't want to set sail without you.

YARA

That would never happen. My crew would wait on deck for a year if I asked them to. This lot, though... Enjoy the Stony Shore.

Yara walks away from Theon. His crew is on a skiff and heading out to the Sea Bitch without him as they laugh. Dagmer, a member of the crew, has stayed behind. He approaches Theon.

DAGMER

Come on. I'll take you out.

THEON

Who are you?

DAGMER

Dagmer, your first mate.

Theon follows Dagmer.

THEON

Aren't you with the rest of them? Or did they send you? Did they send you to row me out and dump me halfway in the sea? That would be good for a laugh.

01:18:25

DAGMER

They're not gonna respect you until you prove yourself.

THEON

And how am I supposed to prove myself by pillaging piss-poor fishing villages?

DAGMER

You're not.

THEON

And yet that's the task my father has given me to prove that I am a true Iron Islander.

DAGMER

They're all Iron Islanders. Do they do as they're told or they do as they like?

THEON

The Stony Shore's not far from Torrhen's Square.

Dagmer and Theon board the skiff.

DAGMER

The seat of the House of Tallhart. A more impressive prize than a few fishermen's daughters.

[MUSIC IN]

DAGMER

What? You don't think we could take it?

THEON

Oh, we could. But we could never hold it for more than a few days. As soon as Winterfell got word that we'd taken Torrhen's Square, the Starks would send their men to take it back. And then...

Theon and Dagmer smile at each other.

01:19:23

THEON

Take me to my ship.

INT. HARRENHAL - LIBRARY - DAWN.

Tywin sits at a table with his generals and Amory. Arya prepares food for the men.

GENERAL #1

The Starks have over-extended their lines. Now that summer's over, they'll have a hard time keeping their men and horses fed.

TYWIN

The Starks understand winter better than we ever will. The cold won't beat them.

AMORY

Our spies report growing discontent among the northern lords. They want to return home and gather the harvest before the crops turn.

TYWIN

And I'm sure if those same spies snuck into our own encampments, they would report growing discontent amongst the southern lords. This is war. No one's content. We've underestimated the Stark boy for too long. He has a good mind for warfare. His men worship him. And as long as he keeps winning battles, they'll keep believe he is king in the

north. You've been waiting for him to fail. He is not going to fail. Not without our help.

01:20:22

TYWIN

So now how do we stop him?

GENERAL #1

We've worked through the night, My Lord. Perhaps we'd profit from some sleep.

TYWIN

Yes, I think you would, Reginald. And because you're my cousin, I might even let you wake from that sleep. Go! I'm sure your wife must miss you.

GENERAL #1

My wife's in Lannisport.

TYWIN

Well then you better start riding. Go before I change my mind and send her your head.

The general stands, shocked.

TYWIN

If your name wasn't Lannister, you'd be scrubbing out pots in the cook's tent. Go!

The general exits. The men sitting around the table do not move. Arya walks over to the table to refill the generals' wine cups.

TYWIN

Not wine. Water. We'll be here for some time.

Arya nods and starts to walk away, but Tywin beckons her back.

TYWIN

Girl. Where are you from?

01:21:10

ARYA

Maidenpool. My Lord.

TYWIN

And who are the lords of Maidenpool? Remind me.

[MUSIC IN]

ARYA

House Mooton... My Lord.

TYWIN

And what is their sigil?

Arya stands nervously. She doesn't answer.

TYWIN

A red salmon. I think a Maidenpool girl would remember that. You're a northerner, aren't you?

Arya nods.

TYWIN

Good. Now one more time. Where are you from?

ARYA

Barrowton, My Lord. House Dustin. Two crossed longaxes beneath a black crown.

Tywin smiles and nods.

TYWIN

And what do they say of Robb Stark in the North?

ARYA

They call him the Young Wolf.

TYWIN

And?

ARYA

They say he rides into battle on the back of a giant dire wolf. They say he can turn into a wolf himself when he wants. They say he can't be killed.

01:22:10

TYWIN

And do you believe them?

ARYA

No. My Lord. Anyone can be killed.

Arya and Tywin exchange looks.

TYWIN

Fetch that water.

Arya walks away.

INT. HARRENHAL - CORRIDOR - DAWN.

Arya walks though the corridor carrying a jug of water. Four Lannister guards walk toward her down the corridor. Arya steps aside to let them pass. She quickly proceeds down the corridor.

INT. HARRENHAL - MOMENTS LATER.

Jaquen appears and startles Arya.

JAOEN

A girl says nothing. A girl keeps her mouth closed. No one hears and friends may talk in secret, yes? A boy becomes a girl.

ARYA

I was always a girl.

JAQEN

And I was always aware. But a girl keeps secrets. It is not for a man to spoil them.

Arya hands Jaquen his helmet.

ARYA

You're one of them now. I should have let you burn.

JAQEN

And you fetch water for one of them now. Why is this right for you and wrong for

me?

01:23:55

ARYA

I didn't have a choice.

JAQEN

You did. I did. And here we are. A man pays his debts. A man owes three.

ARYA

Three what?

JAQEN

The Red God takes what is his, lovely girl. And only death may pay for life. You saved me and two I was with. You stole three deaths from the Red God. We have to give them back. Speak three names, and the man will do the rest. Three lives I will give you. No more, no less. And we're done.

ARYA

I can name anyone? And you'll kill him?

JAQEN

A man has said.

ARYA

The one who tortures everyone.

JAQEN

A man needs a name.

ARYA

I-I don't know his name. They call him the Tickler.

JAQEN

That is enough. Go now, girl. Your master's thirsty.

Arya walks away.

EXT. APPROACH TO FIST OF THE FIRST MEN - DAY.

The Night's Watch marches through icy terrain toward the

First of the First Men. Jon and Morman walk side by side with Dolorou Edd, Samwell and Grenn.

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MORMON

He's not here yet. He'd have seen us, blown the horn.

JON

When will he come?

MORMON

The Halfhand does things on his own time.

JON

My uncle told me stories about him.

MORMON

Most of them are true.

JON

I heard the Halfhand spent half of last winter beyond the Wall.

MORMON

The whole winter. He was north of the Skirling Pass when the snows came. Had to wait for the thaw.

JON

So it's possible for someone to survive out here on their own?

MORMON

Possible for the Halfhand.

Sam, Grenn, Edd and the others trudge on behind them.

SAM

Beautiful, isn`t it? Gilly would love it here.

01:25:57

DOLOROUS EDD

There's nothing more sickening than a man in love.

[MUSIC IN]

EXT. FIST OF THE FIRST MEN - DAY.

Ghost stands by overlooking the landscape. Jon, Sam, Grenn and Edd grunt as they dig a perimeter trench.

SAMWELL

The First of the First Men. Think of how old this place is. Before the Targaryens defeated the Andals, before the Andals took Westeros from the First Men...

DOLOROUS EDD

Before I die, please, stop talking.

SAMWELL

Thousands and thousands of years ago, the First Men stood here, where we're standing, all through the long night. What do you think they were like, the First Men?

DOLOROUS EDD

Stupid. Smart people don't find themselves in places like this.

JON

I think they were afraid.

[MUSIC IN]

JON

I think they came here to get away from something. And I don't think it worked.

A horn sounds and the men turn their attention to the sound.

GRENN

Wildlings?

01:27:24

JON

One blast is for rangers returning. Wildlings is two blasts.

DOLOROUS EDD

See what's down there? Waiting? Wondering? One blast for friends. Two for foes.

SAMWELL

And three for White Walkers. It's been a thousand years, but that's the only time they blow the horn three times.

GRENN

Well, if it's been a thousand years, how do you know?

SAMWELL

Well, I read it...

GRENN AND DOLOROUS EDD

Read it in a book.

Grenn and Dolorous Edd turn and walk away.

JON

Look! That's Qhorin Halfhand.

DOLOROUS EDD

Aye. We'll live another day. Hurrah.

The rest of the men go back to work, but Jon stays and continues to look out into the landscape.

INT. KING'S LANDING VAULTS - ALCHEMISTS' GUILD - DAY.

Tyrion and Bronn are in the underground with Hallyne. Tyrion holds a pebbled glass vessel. He gently swishes the contents, which is wildfire.

01:28:18

HALLYNE

Ta-take care, My Lord.

TYRION

I remember reading an old sailor's proverb. Piss on wildfire and your cock burns off.

HALLYNE

Oh! No, I have, I have not conducted this experiment. It-it could well be true. The substance burns so hot, it melts wood, stone, even steel, and of course, flesh. The substance burns so hot it melts flesh like tallow.

Tyrion returns with jar to Hallyne.

HALLYNE

After the dragons died, wildfire was the key to the Targaryen power.

BRONN

(LAUGH)

TYRION

My companion takes issue.

BRONN

If I could tell you how many crazy old men I've seen pushing carts around army camps making grand claims about jars full of pig shit. No offense meant.

HALLYNE

Our order does not deal in pig shit! The substance is fire given form, and we have been perfecting it since the days of Maegor.

BRONN

To do what?

HALLYNE

The jars are put in catapults and flung at the enemy.

TYRION

How much do you have?

Hallyne shrugs.

01:29:27

BRONN

If you get real soldiers to man the catapults, then maybe you'd hit your target one time in ten. But all the real soldiers are in the Riverlands with your father.

HALLYNE

My Lord, this man is insulting.

BRONN

I don't know if you've ever seen a battle, old man, but things could get a bit messy, 'cause when we're flinging things at Stannis, he's flinging them right back at us. Men die. Men shit themselves. Men run. Which means pots falling, which means fire inside the wall, which means the poor cunts trying to defend the city end up burning it down.

TYRION

My friend remains unconvinced.

HALLYNE

He would not dare insult my order while Aerys Targaryen lived.

BRONN

Well, he's not living anymore. And all his pots of wildfire didn't help him, did they? Men win wars, not magic tricks.

[MUSIC IN]

Hallyne, Tyrion and Bronn reach the vault door. Tyrion looks around, stunned.

HALLYNE

We have been working tirelessly day and night, ever since your royal sister commanded us to do so. Our present count stands at seven thousand, eight hundred and eleven. Enough to burn Stannis Baratheon's fleet and armies both.

01:30:49

BRONN

This is a shit idea.

TYRION

I'm afraid I have to concur with my advisor, Wisdom Hallyne. The contents of this room could lay King's Landing

low. You won't be making wildfire for my sister any longer. You'll be making it for me.

INT. XARO'S PALACE - DANY'S CHAMBER - QARTH - DAY.

Dany and Doreah lean on the ledge and admire the dragons.

DANY

Drakaris. Drakaris.

The baby dragon opens its mouth and spreads its wings as if communicating with Dany and Doreah.

DOREAH

(LAUGH)

DANY

He'll be able to feed himself from now on. Let him sleep, Doreah.

DOREAH

Yes, khaleesi.

Doreah holds out her hand and the baby dragon climbs on. Dany stands with Irri and inspects her work as Doreah moves the dragons' cage.

DANY

He loves you.

01:32:00

IRRI

Ánha sóqe ákka jin sacchéy éssheyi.

I rewove this part of the top.

IRRI

Qísi tim, ánha arrísse vemishíkh.

And I fixed the heel on this one.

DANY

Thank you, my friend.

DOREAH

Did you see the dress Xaro had made for you? They say he's the wealthiest man in Qarth.

Doreah holds up a dress to show Dany.

IRRI

It is known.

DOREAH

And if Qarth is the wealthiest city in Essos...

DANY

The last time a rich man gave me a dress, he was selling me to Khal Drogo.

IRRI

Me dothraliatés she Rháeshi Ájjaláni ayyeyaan.

May he ride forever through the night lands.

Dany and Doreah turn their attention to Irri for a moment, but then continue on with their conversation without responding.

DANY

Xaro is our host, but we know nothing about him. Men like to talk about other men when they're happy.

DOREAH

Oh.

Doreah smiles and turns away.

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DANY

You would look like a real princess in Xaros.

IRRI

She's not a princess. She's a khaleesi.

Dany, Doreah and Irri exchange looks. The dragons squawk.

IRRI

You should wear it, khaleesi. You are their guest. It would be rude not to.

Irri walks out of the room. Dany smiles.

EXT. QARTH - XARO'S PALACE - COURTYARD - LATER.

The party is in full swing. Dany wears the blue dress given to her as a gift by Xaro.

FEMALE PARTY GUEST

(LAUGH) And you must visit the night market, because here night market is like no night market you've ever seen.

DANY

It sounds wonderful.

FEMALE PARTY GUEST

Mm. The Marinesti [PH], they have a night market. I will take you there myself.

Dany notices Kovarro and Jorah among the crowd.

DANY

Please excuse me for a minute.

Dany quickly walks over to Jorah, Kovarro and another man standing by a gold statue. Kovarro taps the statue with a blade.

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DANY

What are they doing?

JORAH

Well Mallaco [PH] says the statue is too heavy to carry. Kovarro says that Mallacco is an idiot. They can pry out the gems. The rest is pure gold. Very soft. He can chop off as much as we can carry.

KOVARRO

Che ívvisaki máe. Disísse.

Or melt it. Very simple.

DANY

Kísha névaki máe!

We are his guests!

DANY

Yer laz vos véfenari máe vos távi máe vos ívvisi máe.

You can't pry it or chop it or melt it.

KOVARRO

Voséchhi, zhey kháleesi!

Of course not, Khaleesi!

KOVARRO

Kísha váyoki athezaraán kíshi.

We will wait until we leave.

DANY

Kash athezár kíshi vos ákka.

Not even when we leave.

01:34:12

KOVARRO

Vos arrék? Kífindirgi?

Why not?

DANY

Hash idrík kishi víjazero kasha Athasaroón Vírzetha hash yer záli zifichelát moon?

Our host saved us from the Red Waste and you want to steal from him?

DANY

Ánha acharák vos alíkh.

I will hear no more.

Kovarro and the man walk away from Dany and Jorah, resigned. They stroll through the courtyard together.

DANY

My brother used to say the only thing a Dothraki knew how to do was steal things better men have built.

JORAH

It's not the only thing. They're quite good at killing the better men.

DANY

That's not the kind of queen I'm going to be.

A bald warlock approaches Dany and Jorah. He introduces himself and bows.

WARLOCK 1

The Mother of Dragons. On behalf of the Warlocks of Qarth, I welcome you.

The warlock holds out his hand to Dany. He places a gem in her hand.

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WARLOCK 1

A demonstration. Take this gem. Look at it. Into its depths. So many facets. Look closely enough and you can see yourself in them.

[MUSIC IN]

A warlock twin stands among the crowd. The crowd gasps.

WARLOCK 2

Often more than once.

WARLOCK 1

Should you grow tired of Xaro's baubles and trinkets, it would be an honor to host you at the House of the Undying. You are always welcome, Mother of Dragons.

The warlocks walk away. The crowd applauds. Xaros approaches.

XARO

My apologies. Bi Pree [PH] is one of the thirteen. It was customary for me to extend him an invitation. Customs die slow deaths in Qarth.

DANY

What is the House of the Undying?

XARO

It is where the warlocks go to squint at dusty books and drink Shade of the Evening. It turns their lips blue and their minds soft. So soft they actually believe their parlor tricks are magic.

DANY

(LAUGH)

Xaro leads Dany away from the crowd. Jorah looks on.

01:36:03

WOMAN (OS)

You watch over her.

JORAH

Do I know you?

Jorah turns to find a woman standing there with her face covered by black and gold netting.

WOMAN

I know you. Jorah Mormont of Bear Island.

[MUSIC IN]

JORAH

Who are you?

WOMAN

I'm no one. But she is the Mother of Dragons. She needs true protectors, now more than ever. I shall come day and night to see the wonder born into the world again. And when they see, they shall lust. Her dragons are fire made flesh, and fire is power.

The woman walks away from Jorah. He turns his attention back to Dany's direction, but she is gone.

EXT. OUTSKIRTS OF STORMLANDS - DAY.

Catelyn and Brienne stand in the forest with Brienne's horse.

BRIENNE

It looked like Stannis.

CATELYN

To me, it just looked like a shadow in the shape of a man.

BRIENNE

In the shape of Stannis.

CATELYN

We should reach my son's camp tomorrow.

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BRIENNE

Will you stay there long, my Lady?

CATELYN

Only long enough to tell Robb what I have seen. After that, I will leave for Winterfell. My two youngest need me. I've been away from them for far too long.

BRIENNE

I never knew my mother.

CATELYN

I'm sorry. My own mother died on the birthing bed when I was very young.

Catelyn and Brienne walk over to a small fire. Catelyn sits down.

BRIENNE

It's a bloody business.

CATELYN

What comes after is even harder.

BRIENNE

Once you're safely back amongst your own people, will you give me leave to go, My Lady?

CATELYN

You mean to kill Stannis?

BRIENNE

I swore a vow.

CATELYN

But Stannis has a great army around him. His own guards are sworn to keep him safe.

BRIENNE

I'm as good as any of them. I should never have fled.

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CATELYN

Renly's death was no fault of yours. You served him bravely.

BRIENNE

I only held him that once... as he was dying.

CATELYN

He's gone, Brienne. You serve nothing and no one by following him into the earth. Renly's enemies are Robb's enemies as well.

BRIENNE

I do not know your son, My Lady. But I could serve you if you would have me.

[MUSIC IN]

BRIENNE

You have courage. Not battle courage, perhaps, but I don't know. A woman's kind of courage. And I think that when the time comes, you will not hold me back. Promise me that you will not hold

me back from Stannis.

CATELYN

When the time comes, I will not hold you back.

Brienne draws her sword and kneels in front of Catelyn. She lays the sword on the ground and bows.

BRIENNE

Then I am yours, My Lady. I will shield your back and give my life for yours if it comes to that. I swear it by the old Gods and the new.

Catelyn reaches out and takes Brienne's hand. She looks into Brienne's eyes.

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CATELYN

I vow that you shall always have a place in my home and at my table, and that I shall ask no service of you that might bring you dishonor. I swear it by the old Gods and the new.

INT. WINTERFELL - FEAST HALL - DUSK

Bran sits at the high table with Rickon and Maester Luwin. Sundry villagers, farmers and minor lords are present. Farmer #1 pleads his cause. Rickon smashes walnuts on the table.

FARMER #1

And it's not just thieves, my Lord. There's wolves in the hills now. More than I've ever seen. They come down at the night and they kill my sheep. My three sons is away fighting for your brother, my Lord. They'll fight and keep fighting 'till they're told to go home. I have no one to man my flock now. Only me. I can't keep watch all day and all night.

BRAN

We can send two orphan boys from Winterstown home with you to help watch

over your flock if you can give them room and board.

FARMER #1

My wife always prayed for more children. We'll look after them. Thank you, My Lord. May the gods bless you and yours.

Farmer #1 exits the room. Bran turns to Rickon who continues to crush walnuts on the table.

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BRAN (to Rickon)

Stop it.

BRAN (to Luwin)

If that's everyone, I'm going to go for a ride before dark. Hodor!

HODOR

Hodor.

Ser Rodrik marches into the hall, followed by Stark Guards.

RODRIK

Bran!

RODRIK

Lord Stark. Torrhen's Square is under siege.

LUWIN

Torrhen's Square is barely forty leagues from here. How could the Lannisters strike so far north?

RODRIK

Might be a raiding party led by the Mountain.

[MUSIC IN]

RODRIK

Might be sellswords paid by Tywin Lannister.

BRAN

We have to help them.

RODRIK

Most of the fighting men are away with Robb, but I can gather two hundred decent men.

LUWIN

Do you need so many?

BRAN

If we can't protect our own bannermen, why should they protect us?

Rodrik smiles proudly.

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BRAN

Go, Ser Rodrik. Take the men you need.

RODRIK

Won't take long, My Lord. Southerners don't do well up here.

Rodrik exits, followed by stack guards.

EXT. WINTERFELL - COURTYARD - DUSK.

HOdor walks through the empty courtyard with Bran on his back. Osha walks beside them.

BRAN

So what does it mean?

OSHA

You should ask Maester Luwin. He's the one studying books all the time.

BRAN

I did ask him. He never heard of a three-eyed raven.

OSHA

Must not mean anything, then.

BRAN

You're lying.

OSHA

You might be a little lord, but don't

you call me a liar.

BRAN

You know what it menas.

OSHA

I never said I didn't.

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Hodor helps Bran onto his horse.

BRAN

You didn't give me an honest answer.

OSHA

That's not the same as being a liar.

BRAN

Well it's not far off.

OSHA

So you're dreaming of the three-eyed raven again?

Bran nods.

OSHA

In the Godswood, you told me you didn't dream. Now who's the liar? What did you see in the dream? Something bad?

[MUSIC IN]

OSHA

Tell me, boy.

BRAN

I dreamt that the sea came to Winterfell. I saw waves crashing into the gates, and the water came flowing over the walls.

Bran looks around at the castle walls and his people.

BRAN

Flooded the castle. Drowned men were floating here, in the yard. Ser Rodrik was one of them.

Osha is concerned but tries to hide it.

OSHA

The sea is hundreds of miles away.

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BRAN

I know. It's just a stupid dream.

OSHA

I've got to get these potatoes to the kitchen, otherwise, they'll put me in chains again.

Osha starts to walk away, but stops.

BRAN

Osha. The three-eyed raven, what do they say about it? North of the Wall?

OSHA

They say all sorts of crazy things north of the wall.

Osha walks away.

EXT. FIST OF THE FIRST MEN - NIGHT.

Mormont, Qhorin, Jon, Sam, Grenn, Edd, ND Night's Watchmen and Qhorin's commandoes look off into the distance at what Qhorin tries to show them.

QHORIN

There.

MORMONT

Where?

QHORIN

On that mountain.

SAMWELL

I don't see it very well.

JON

Fire.

OHORIN

There's a fire. People sitting around it have better eyes than yours or mine. When they see us coming, that fire becomes a signal. Gives Mance Rayder plenty of time to throw a party in our honor.

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MORMONT

How many wildlings have joined them?

OHORIN

From what we can tell, all of them. Mance has gathered them all like deer against the wolves. They're almost ready to make their move.

JON

Where?

QHORIN

Somewhere safe. Somewhere south. We can't just march into their midst. And we can't wait for them here with nothing but a pile of stones to protect us.

MORMONT

Are you saying we should fall back to the Wall?

OHORIN

Mance was one of us once. Now he's one of them. He's gonna teach them our way of doing things. They'll hit us in force, and they won't run away when we hit back. They're gonna be more organized than before, more disciplined, more like us.

Qhorin turns to face everyone.

QHORIN

So we need to be more like them. Do things their way. Sneak in, kill Mance, and scatter them to the winds before they can march on the Wall. And to do that...

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MORMONT

We need to get rid of those lookouts.

QHORIN

It's not a job for four hundred men. I need to move fast, and silent. Harker! Stonesnake! Borba!

Qhorin's men step forward.

JON

Lord Commander, I'd like to join Lord Qhorin.

OHORIN

I've been called lots of things, but that might be my first Lord Qhorin.

MORMONT

You're a steward, Snow, not a ranger.

JON

I've fought and killed a wight. How many rangers can say that?

QHORIN

He's the one?

MORMONT

Aye, you killed a wight. You also let an old man beat you bloody and take your sword.

A few rangers chuckle.

QHORIN

Craster? In the boy's defense, that's a tough old goat.

Samwell steps forward.

[MUSIC IN]

SAMWELL

I could take up Jon's duties while he's gone, My Lord. It would be no trouble.

Mormont, Samwell and Qhorin exchanges looks, considering.

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MORMONT

I hope you make a better ranger than you do a steward.

Jon passes in front of Mormont and Qhorin and walks away.

INT. QARTH - PALACE OF XARO - NIGHT.

Xaro and Dany stroll and talk as people mingle around them.

XARO

So tell me, how long as your manservant been in love with you?

DANY

(LAUGH) He's not my manservant and he's not in love with me. He's my advisor. My friend.

XARO

Unlikely. I can almost always tell what a man wants.

DANY

And what about what a woman wants?

XARO

Much more complicated. You, for example, what do you want?

DANY

To cross the Narrow Sea and take back the Iron Throne.

XARO

Why?

DANY

Because I promised my Khalasar I'd protect them and find them a safe home.

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XARO

(LAUGH) You want to conquer the Seven Kingdoms for the Dothraki.

DANY

I want them because they're mine by right. The Iron Throne is mine and I will take it.

XARO

Ah, a conqueror.

DANY

And how did you get all of this? Did someone give it to you?

XARO

No. I come from nothing. I hit the docks like a piece of cargo, expect someone normally cares what happens to cargo.

DANY

So you wanted more than you had and you took it. You're a conqueror, too. You're just less ambitious.

XARO

(LAUGH) Mm.

DANY

What do you want, Xaro Xhaon Daxos? The gates of the city you bled for me... Why?

XARO

I will show you why.

Xaro takes Dany's hand and leads her away.

INT. QARTH - XARO'S PALACE - VAULT - CONTINUOUS.

Xaro and Dany stand outside the vault. Xaro strikes the vault with his sword to demonstrate its strength.

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XARO

The door in the vault is made of

valerian stone. The hardest steel does not make a mark. I offered the greatest locksmith in Qarth their weight in gold if they could break into it. I made the same offer to the greatest thieves. They all went home empty handed. The only thing that can open this door is this key.

DANY

And behind the door?

XARO

(LAUGH)

DANY

And it can all be mine?

XARO

Or let us say ours. More than enough to buy horses, ships, armies, enough to go home.

DANY

All I have to do...

XARO

Is marry me.

DANY

That was a romantic proposal.

XARO

I've already married once for love, but the God's stole her from me.

[MUSIC IN]

XARO

I come from nothing. My mother and father never owned a pair of shoes, but marry me and I will give you the Seven Kingdoms, and our children will be princes and princesses.

Dany looks toward the vault.

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XARO

See? I have more ambition than you thought. The time is right, Daenerys Targaryen, for us to become a name. Robert Baratheon is dead.

INT. QUARTH - DANY'S CHAMBERS - NIGHT.

Dany checks on her dragons and Jorah tries to reason with her.

JORAH

If you cross the sea with an army you bought, and the fallen husband who paid for...

DANY

The Seven Kingdom's are at war with one another. Four false kings destroying the country.

JORAH

To win Westeros, you need support from Westeros.

DANY

The usurper is dead. The Starks' fight the Lannisters'. The Baratheons' fight each other.

JORAH

According to your new friend who earned your trust by cutting his hand?

DANY

The time to strike is now. We need to find ships and an army or we'll spend the rest of our lives rotting away at the edge of the world.

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JORAH

Rich men do not become rich by giving more than they get. They'll give you ships and soldiers and they'll own you forever. Moving carefully is the hard way, but it's the right way.

DANY

And if I'd listened to that advice outside the gates of Qarth, we'd all be dead by now.

JORAH

I know the opportunity before you seems like the last you'll ever have, but you must not...

Dany turns her back on Jorah, agitated.

DANY

Do not speak to me like I'm a child.

JORAH

I only want...

DANY

What do you want? Tell me.

JORAH

To see you on the Iron Throne.

DANY

Why?

JORAH

You have a good claim, a title, a birthright.

[MUSIC IN]

JORAH

But you have something more than that. You may cover it up and deny it, but you have a gentle heart. You would not only be respected and feared, you would be loved. Someone who can rule and should rule. Centuries come and go without a person like that coming into the world. There are times when I look at you and I still can't believe you're real.

Dany and Jorah stand in silence for a long moment.

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DANY

So what would you have me do as my advisor?

JORAH

Make your own way. Find your own ship. You only need one. The allies we need are in Westeros, not Qarth.

DANY

And how do I get this ship?

JORAH

I'll find it for you. A sound ship with a good captain.

Dany turns to face Jorah.

DANY

I look forward to meeting him.

Jorah bows in front of Dany before walking away.

JORAH

Khaleesi.

Dany checks on her dragons.

EXT. HARRENHAL - FORGES - DAY.

Gendry places a fresh-forged sword in a tub of cold water. Arya sits close by and nibbles on bread. Gendry swings the sword in practice.

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ARYA

You should stand sideface.

GENDRY

Sideface?

ARYA

Sideways.

GENDRY

Why?

ARYA

Smaller target.

Gendry looks around.

GENDRY

Am I fighting someone?

ARYA

You're practicing for a fight. You should practice right.

Arya shoves a piece of bread into her mouth.

WOMAN (OS)

(SCREAMS)

[MUSIC IN]

Arya and Gendry turn when they hear a loud scream. Gendry and Arya run to find the Tickler lying on the ground with a broken neck, surrounded by others.

MAN

Did you see anything? Go up there!

Among the commotion, Arya looks up and around until she spots Jaqen looking back at her. He holds up one finger and nonchalantly points it toward his eye as if to say, 'one down.'

Fade to black.

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