

Ep.1:

Wasteland:

Reports have shown that a helicopter from the palace has crashed in the northern wasteland not too far from the outpost. Jax and Bryan, his frequent hired gun, travel in hurry to see what's up. They reach their destination to be ambushed by another group of scavengers. A small group of mercenaries hired by Lufio. Jax and Bryan masterfully subdue their foes. (Mid boss, big beetle named Pixie) Just as they are about to leave, Jax, Bryan, and Lufio, all fall into the earth.

FLASHBACK DURING THE 007 MOMENT

Secret Experiment Facility:

Jax, Bryan, and Lufio wake up in an abandoned ventilation area. They try to find ways to escape (Puzzles?). However, all three have different intentions. Jax wants to see if he can "borrow" anything valuable on his way out, Bryan wants to leave ASAP as he's job just got more difficult, and Lufio is desperate to find Pixie and treat her wounds. On their way out, Jax notices something in a dark room. In it are countless capsules just like the ones in the crashed helicopter. He grabs one and his body immediately siphons the essence stored in the capsule. Jax becomes destabilized and starts to combust. The lab securities come and try to take the three down, but then Kal shows up and stabilizes Jax. Kal says to follow him and ask questions later. Right at the exit, we see Kal's older brother and sister. They are understandably confused as to why Kal is helping the three, but they know that Kal is going against the "King's Plan". They want eliminate the three and fetch Kal back to the palace, but the lab is collapsing due to Jax's combustion. They leave right away, knowing that Kal can easily escape with his ability as well. Kal's brother, however, leaves them a "gift". This is where Jax, Kal, Bryan, and Lufio fight a massive human weapon, the Juggernaut. He's easily twice the size of an average man. He body is boiling with anger and muscles ready to crush your skulls. However, he seems to tap in an out of reality. It's as if he has multiple personalities (we learn that it's because the Juggernaut is an experiment of continuum energy, The scientists forcefully injected human energy into him, giving him super strength, but suffers from the conscious of all the different people he was injected with). So the gang kill the unstable Juggernaut and escape the lab.

*In this level, we need to know that Jax can't control his power and that he is afraid to get close to anyone (because he might blow up again). Also, the fact that the capsules infused with human essence caused him to combust again makes him desperate to fix his problem. For Bryan, we need to know that he does not trust any of them and that Kal's brother is the one who destroyed his village. He decides to not kill Kal only because he knows where he is. For Lufio, we need to know that he is alone without his beetles, and that Pixie dies in the lab giving birth to a larva. He swears he will protect the larva till it's an adult, so that he has a friend. He does not find the other three trustworthy but he sticks around till he finds a safe place for him and the larva.