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## S02E07 - FRIEND OR FOE

Normal view 1.





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The remaining players strategize on how to survive the night. Gi-hun proposes a risky plan — but he will need trustworthy allies to carry it out.

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( foreboding music playing )
( straining )
( stabbing )
( Thanos groans )
( grunts )
( gasping )
( screaming )
( Thanos wheezing )
( intense music playing )
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NAM-GYU
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Get off me, motherfucker. Get the fuck off of me.
Son of a b;tch! You fuck;ng cocksucker! I'll kill you!
motherfucker!
( Nam-gyu gasps )
( groans )
        PLAYER 331
fuck;ng shithead!
Stay the fuck down!
You asshole!
        PLAYER 331
Die, piece of sh;t!
( stabbing )
( Player 331 yelps )
( both grunting )
Yeah, fuck you.
( indistinct shouting )
( door banging )
( thudding inside )
( glass smashing )
        [ SQUID GAME 2 ]
        [ EPISODE 7 ]
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[ FRIEND OR FOE ]
( PA system chiming )
        WOMAN ON PA
The following players have been eliminated: Player 230, Player 268,
Player 299, Player 331, Player 401.
( breath trembling )
End of the list.
( ceiling rumbles )
( digital trilling )
( screen dings )
What's going on?
( door opens )
        NAM-GYU YELLING
Yo! Yo, "O" Gang!
Hey! Listen!
In the bathroom, all of a sudden the "X" s started attacking us
outta nowhere!
We were just standing there. Those assholes went after us!
They killed my friend, and a bunch of people on our side too.
They're dead.
        PLAYER 047
That's bullshit.
You guys are the ones who started it.
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MAN 1
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Yeah.

PLAYER 047

fuck you.

( loudly ) These bastards started threatening people on our side!

They started the fight so they could win tomorrow's vote!

MAN 2

That's right!

PLAYER 192

Hey. Hey!

You guys started killing us first.

You wanted us to die.

That's how you planned to win the vote, wasn't it?

Oh, fuck you. We lost people too, okay?

Were we just supposed to sit and watch as you bastards killed us off?

( indistinct shouting )

JEONG-DAE

Hold on!

What were the losses on each side?

I don't... It was...

PLAYER 145

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Maybe we... Wait.
Okay. Everyone!
Let's go around a do a full headcount.
Okay?
        PLAYER 203
Yeah! Let's go!
Get down here so we can count you!
Come on.
Everyone! All the "X" s, come down! Group up so we can get a count.
        DAE-HO
Everyone come sit. This way!
        PLAYER 206
Hurry!
Sit in this corner!
( players gathering others )
( thunder rumbling )
( gagging )
( waves crashing )
( exhales )
( gagging )
( Woo-seok snoring )
( thunder rumbling )
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( vomiting )
( panting )
        DRONE PILOT
Captain?
Huh?
Hey. What the hell are you doing in here so late?
        CAPTAIN
Oh, uh... I, uh...
        DRONE PILOT
That's my drone, isn't it?
Huh? Oh, uh... This?
I wasn't getting any sleep so I came here to find something, and
that's when I saw this.
Were you messing with it a second ago?
Oh, no, no. I just wanted to have a quick look.
It's just amazing how this little thing can fly around like that,
you know?
Here, look, um...
There. I'm done now.
Hold on.
Fascinating stuff.
Oh, wow, you've really been drinking, huh?
Come on, get some rest.
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Hey, get back here!
Why are you pretending...
( stabbing )
( groans ) motherfucker!
( stabbing repeatedly )
( groaning )
( drone pilot screams )
( loud splash )
( dark music playing )
        WOO-SEOK
Who's there?
Ah. Woo-seok!
It's just Captain Park!
        WOO-SEOK
Oh, Captain. What the hell are you still doing awake?
And why are out here in the rain?
I couldn't sleep with the weather like this.
But I thought I heard a noise a second ago.
Really? So did I.
Like someone shouting and some kinda crashing sound.
Yeah, so that's why I came out to check.
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I was looking around, and I'm pretty sure that noise was a big wave hitting the deck.

See? It's a total mess.

Oh. Yeah.

Head back in.

With swells like this you could get washed off the side.

Yeah, it's just hard to sleep when you have the whole ship moving all around you.

Go get some rest, kid.

Tomorrow's an early day, isn't it?

It'll be rough otherwise.

41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 with me, and 47.

We lost three on our side.

Are you sure?

I triple-checked the count.

What about them?

42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48.

Our side lost two guys.

The voice said there were five eliminations.

So their side must've lost three.

Okay, then, tomorrow we'll have the advantage.

( whispering ) Holy crap! She's right, it's 48 to 47.

As long as nobody else swaps, we're gonna win tomorrow by one vote!

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PLAYERS GASP
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Yes!

MAN 1

Oh, God. We won.

MAN 2

We'll finally get out.

We're gonna make it.

Yeah.

One more day...

( PA system chiming )

WOMAN ON PA

Attention, all players. Lights-out will be in approximately 30 minutes. With the remaining half hour, please disperse, and prepare to return to your beds for the night.

Nobody change your minds, okay?

Tomorrow morning, we'll vote and get the hell out of here. Sound good?

MAN 3

Don't worry, I'm sick of it here. I'm "X" all the way.

MAN 4

Everyone, this is it, the nightmare's almost over.

( players whisper excitedly )

JUNG-BAE

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Let's all go to bed. Get some rest.
( excited whispering continues )
( ominous music playing )
( timer beeps )
( dark music playing )
( radio beeps )
The delivery team just left.
        MASKED OFFICER
And how are the goods?
        MASKED SOLDIER
All top quality this time.
And 011?
I got that b;tch under control. She won't bother us anymore.
I want you to keep an eye on her.
Yes, sir.
( radio beeps )
        MASKED OFFICER
Get ready.
( PA system chiming )
        WOMAN ON PA
Attention. The special game will begin momentarily. All management
staff, soldiers, and workers...
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( mysterious music playing )

...please make your way to your designated locations. I will now repeat the instructions. Attention. The special game will begin momentarily. All management staff, soldiers, and workers, please make your way to your designated locations. Attention. Lights-out is in 20 minutes. All players, please take this time to return to your beds for the night.

The "O" s look pretty suspicious over there.

Bet they're sitting around plotting against us.

( scoffs ) Who the fuck cares what those stupid bastards do.

They're outnumbered. No one else is gonna change sides. It's over.

But are we gonna be safe?

The guys in the bathroom said things got real ugly earlier.

GI-HUN

Once the lights go out, the ones who wanna stay are gonna try come for us.

They will?

Killing us would mean they win the next vote and add more to each one of their shares.

So, what do we do now?

We have to attack first.

It's our only chance.

Those guys assume we're just waiting it out till the next vote.

When the lights go down, we should hit them first since they won't expect it.

He's right. We can't just let them attack.

Our side's the one with a lot of women and old folks.

If we wait for them, we're gonna lose.

I say we ambush them first. That's the only way to win.

I'm good with that plan.

GI-HUN

No, we can't do that.

But we need to get out.

It's like you were saying, Gi-hun, there isn't any point in just sitting around.

That doesn't mean we should all just join in on this useless bloodbath.

We'd be playing right into their hands if we did.

Who's "they"?

The ones who built this whole place.

The ones who created the games and who watch us play.

If we're gonna try and fight anyone, we should be going after them instead.

Sure, but where are they?

They're up there.

( eerie music playing )

At the top of the staircases.

They keep everything here running from up in their central control room.

There's a man in a black mask who's the head of the operation.

If we can get to him, we finally can end this.

How are you gonna fight them?

After all, they've got guns.

WOMAN ON PA

Attention, armed soldiers. Please proceed to your designated locations. All staff, the special game will begin momentarily.

We'll need our own guns to fight back.

But we don't have any guns.

We'll just take theirs.

So, take them from the guards?

IN-HO

It's too risky.

( Jung-bae sighs )

Even if we manage to get a few guns they'll outnumber us when we try to get out.

GI-HUN

What are you suggesting?

We fight the other group through the whole entire night, and hope against hope that we all make it?

Is that it, Young-il? Do you really think that's a good plan?

Do we... stand a chance?

If we can manage an ambush, yes.

Those bastards up there, they'll never expect our side to attack.

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They'll be focused on other things.
This is it.
This is our last chance to put an end to these games and make sure
they never happen again.
So how are we supposed to get their guns?
Here's the plan.
We wait for a fight to begin.
That'll give us an opening.
        WOMAN ON PA
Lights-out is in five minutes.
( lullaby playing on speakers )
( timer ticking )
( breath trembling )
Oh, Thanos, you fuck; ng idiot.
You were a piece of sh;t, dude, you know that?
Couldn't get my name right.
( breathes deeply )
( sniffs )
( foreboding music playing )
( chuckling )
        JUN-HEE
Myung-gi.
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Hide somewhere when the lights go out.
And whatever happens, don't get involved.
Okay.
You should wipe off that blood.
        WOMAN ON PA
Lights-out is in ten seconds. Ten, nine, eight, seven, six, five,
four, three, two, one.
( dark music playing )
        GI-HUN
Once the lights are off, we have to get under our beds as quietly as
we can. We can't afford to get caught by the other side. And we know
they'll be out for blood.
( players yell )
( woman 1 screams )
        NAM-GYU
Shh, quiet!
Quiet!
( woman 1 yelps )
Die!
        MAN 1
fuck you!
( glass smashing )
( music intensifies )
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You're mine asshole!
( players screaming )
( stabbing )
( man 3 grunting )
( stabbing )
( man 3 screaming )
( glass shattering )
( screaming continues )
( Min-su gasps )
        MAN 4
Where the fuck you going?
( players clamoring )
( man 5 screams )
( man 6 grunts )
( stabs )
( groans )
        GI-HUN
We don't make any moves until the fighting's over.
We wait, and we keep still.
We can't afford to get pulled into the fight, do you hear me?
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Hold on. If we do that, then the rest of the "X" s won't have much of a chance.

Without us there to help them fight, they'll be outnumbered.

I know.

But if we don't keep our heads down tonight, and if some of us get injured, or anyone ends up dead, it's gonna ruin our entire plan.

If we're missing anyone when it's time to attack, we'll be setting ourselves up to lose.

So, what you're saying is, sacrifice a few for the good of the rest.

If we don't go after them now, we won't get another shot at leaving this place.

And it'll be worth the sacrifice... if it means we can actually put an end to these games for good.

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( sighing ) If that's the plan... then I'll do whatever you tell me.
( eerie music playing )
( clamor continues )
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( grunting )

( groaning )

GI-HUN

The fight isn't gonna last very long. They'll want to step in before too many players get killed or injured. After all, they still need us strong enough to play the next game.

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( man 1 grunting )
( players clamoring )
( man 2 groaning )
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( clamor continues inside )
( Se-mi groans )
Hey, Se-mi.
You fuck; ng cunt, come here.
( glass shatters )
        SE-MI
fuck you!
( both grunting )
You son of a b;tch!
Take that, whore.
( Se-mi screams )
        NAM-GYU
Hey. Do I look like a fuck; ng joke to you?
( Se-mi screams )
( Nam-gyu laughs manically )
( Se-mi groans )
( Min-su whimpering )
( radio beeps )
Move in.
        WOMAN ON PA
Get ready. Move in.
( alarm buzzing )
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Once the lights come back on, the guards will rush into the room and start getting the situation under control.

MASKED SOLDIER 1

Hands up. Step back.

GI-HUN

First, they'll break up whoever's still fighting.

MASKED SOLDIER

Drop the weapon.

GI-HUN

They'll be so busy, they won't pay attention to the dead. Right after they've finished securing the room...

MASKED SOLDIER

Check the eliminations.

...they'll start scanning the bodies.

( scanner beeps )

We wait until it's time to strike.

( intense music playing )

JUNG-BAE

( glass shatters )
( masked soldier 3 groans )

( gunfire )

Dae-ho!

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( gunshot )
( bullets ricocheting )
( dark music playing )
        MASKED OFFICER
Tell them to retreat and seal the entrance.
        WOMAN ON PA
Retreat. Retreat.
( gun clicks )
Hold on! Cease fire!
Everybody, stop!
        JUNG-BAE
Put your hands up!
Get on your knees!
You fuck; ng animals! motherfuck; ng...
Hey! Don't do it!
( dark music playing )
Out of my way!
Don't you see what they did? Just look around.
They're not even human anymore.
You have no right to stop me killing these greedy assholes!
( players whimper )
We didn't take these guns so we could use them like this.
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If you shoot them, then we're no better than the monsters who
trapped us here.
( breath trembling )
Everyone!
Don't be afraid, it's all over.
It's safe now, come on down.
        JUNG-BAE
It's okay, you can come out now!
We're not gonna shoot you or hurt anybody else!
Do me a favor.
        GI-HUN
It's okay, come on.
Go collect all the guns and ammo.
        GI-HUN
We just wanna talk, that's all.
( gunshots )
        MASKED OFFICER
Assemble all the troops.
( siren wailing )
        WOMAN ON PA
Attention, all soldiers. Please take your weapons and proceed to the
rally point immediately. I will now repeat the instructions.
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Attention, all soldiers. Please take your weapons and proceed to the rally point immediately. I will now repeat the instructions. Attention, all soldiers. Please take your weapons and proceed to the rally point immediately.

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( epic music playing )
        GI-HUN
Okay.
Here's the deal.
We're gonna head up that staircase, up to where these masked men run
this whole place.
And we'll capture the people who captured us.
We're gonna put an end to it all.
They're gonna pay for everything they've put us through.
So please, if any of you know how to use a gun and wanna help take
out these fuckers, step forward right now.
Listen.
I get it. You're scared.
I know, because I'm scared too.
I don't wanna risk my life again.
But I really don't think we're gonna get another chance to leave
this place alive.
And if they won't let us go, I say we fight our way out.
Together.
I'll fight them with you.
Step forward.
Me too, I'm ready to fight.
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Good. Come on.

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( players murmur indistinctly )
All right, everyone. Check your guns and ammo.
Take a walkie-talkie so we can keep in touch.
(beeps)
And set your channel to lucky number seven.
( guns cocking )
Thanks for saving me.
After this is over, buy me a drink.
Everyone, listen up.
This here is an MP5 submachine gun.
First thing, to change magazines, you press the release and slide it
out.
It shouldn't take much to come out.
And on the side, you flip the safety down for sustained fire, and
put it up here for single-fire.
Since we don't have a lot of extra ammo right now, we should only be
using single-fire.
And finally, this slides in up here, then you're gonna pull this
lever all the way down.
That's how you load your gun.
All clear, everyone?
( all agreeing )
You really know your stuff. Where did you learn all that?
Uh, I was a sergeant in the Special Forces.
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Ah.
( gun cocks )
Mask off.
Come on, that too.
        JUNG-BAE
Jesus Christ!
Your mom and dad know what you're doing in here, kid?
Now take us to the guy who calls the shots around here.
( gunshot )
( glass shatters )
(choking up)
( breath trembling )
( lullaby playing on speakers )
        WOMAN ON PA
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Attention, players. The day has ended. It's time to turn in for the night. Please make your way back to your quarters immediately. If you do not comply with these orders, then you will be eliminated. I will now repeat the instructions. Attention, players. The day has ended...

Ugh, this fuck; ng voice. It'll be in our dreams when we get out.

Please make your way back to your quarters immediately. If you do not comply...

GI-HUN

Get down!

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( rapid gunfire in distance )
At your one o'clock! One o'clock!
I'm moving in. Cover me!
        JUNG-BAE AND GI-HUN
Covering fire!
        GI-HUN
Cease fire!
        HYUN-JU
Holding fire!
I think we're clear.
( breath trembling )
Is, uh... Is everyone okay?
( all agreeing )
Good. Well, we'll keep going.
( gunshot )
( gunshot )
( radio beeps )
You can't let them get to the management area.
Oh.
( ominous music playing )
How much further is it?
You taking us to the right place, kid?
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Management's around that corner.
And if you continue going past that, that's where the control room
is.
Get going.
Wait a minute.
What are you doing?
You need to have a mask to get through security.
( gasps softly )
( eerie music playing )
( gunshot )
( rapid gunfire )
( Dae-ho gasps )
( groans )
I'm gonna go look for the control room entrance.
You sure you can find it? Should I go with you?
Jung-bae and I can go.
Young-il, you stay here and buy us more time.
Jung-bae. You ready?
        JUNG-BAE
Wait!
( intense music playing )
(grunting)
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( gun clicking )
( whimpers )
Here!
Don't waste your shots.
If you shoot blindly, you'll be empty soon.
( scanner trilling )
        AUTOMATED VOICE
Identity confirmed.
( dark music playing )
Why'd you take me along instead of Young-il?
I don't know, 'cause you're my best friend?
You only say that when you're in a jam, bro.
( radio beeps )
We're just entering the management area.
We'll try heading further up.
        GI-HUN
They have extra ammo in their pockets.
Now which way do we go?
Same route these assholes took.
        MASKED OFFICER
Go guard the stairs!
( alarm buzzing )
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( tense music playing )
We can't do anything sitting here! Let's follow them upstairs!
If we go up without knowing anything, we might get surrounded!
Let's hold this position until they radio us.
So we know they made it there.
( gasps, groans )
( groans )
Everyone, how we doing on ammo?
I'm down to about half.
And I'm at less than half. sh;t.
I'm half full!
I have about two-thirds.
I'll run out soon.
Oh, sh;t, I'm out!
( Dae-ho whimpering )
Yeah, I'm almost out.
        JUNG-BAE ON RADIO
Young-il, Dae-ho. Can you hear me?
( radio beeps )
Go ahead.
We're almost there but we can't get inside.
They got us pinned down here. Could use some backup and extra ammo.
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We're also low on ammo here. The soldiers have extra ammo in their pockets. Someone go and get the mags off the guys in our room. Copy! You all hear that? Those guys need a hand upstairs! Three of us will head over there. Everyone else should stay. And then we'll regroup as soon as we get ammo. Who's coming with me? I'll go with you. Yeah, let's get up there. Let's move out! I'll get the extra rounds in our quarters. I'll come back as soon as I can. Just hold this spot till then. DAE-HO Hyun-ju, wait! I got it! I'll go! ( breathing shakily ) I don't... I don't have any ammo. Do you know how to get there? Yeah. I shot out the cameras on the way here. So just follow them back. Okay.

Here. Take this with you.

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Just in case. There might be guards on the way.
Thanks, Hyun-ju.
I'll cover you, okay? Now move out!
Covering fire!
( ominous music playing )
( mumbling ) Ammo in the pockets. Ammo in the pockets. Ammo in the
pockets.
( gasps )
( radio beeps )
        JUNG-BAE
Dae-ho, can you hear me? Where are those magazines, soldier?
( hesitating ) Yes, sir, I'm heading to get them as we speak.
All right, copy. I'm counting on you.
Got it, Jung-bae. I'll bring the ammo. Leave it to me!
( radio beeps )
sh;t!
( tense music playing )
( Jung-bae grunts )
( sighs )
Jung-bae, cover me a second.
What for?
We need those magazines.
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Uh-uh, don't be stupid.
Look, I'm low on ammo.
As soon as they realize I'm out, they're gonna rush us.
And Dae-ho might take a while. We can't afford to wait.
        JUNG-BAE
Gi-hun, hurry!
        JUNG-BAE
Now get back, come on!
( grunts )
( mumbling ) Okay, ammo, ammo, ammo. Ammo in the pockets, ammo in
the pockets.
Ammo in the pockets, ammo in the pockets.
Yes!
What's the boy doing?
Don't know. He just came in.
( breath shaking )
Dae-ho, what's going on?
Why are you here on your own?
Our ammo ran out.
( stammering ) It's in their pockets. I need you to help me okay?
Quickly!
Oh, okay.
( ominous music playing )
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You okay?
Yeah, I'm fine. Just grazed the skin.
If you die before me, I'll fuck; n' kill you, dude.
Don't worry, I'm gonna outlive your fat ass.
Gi-hun! Is the control room close?
It's up there, but we can't get to it that way, there's too many
guards.
Can you three go look around for another route?
I was checking the layout on my way here.
And I'm pretty sure there's a way around back.
You two focus on keeping these bastards busy.
I'll find a way to hit the other side.
Okay.
Wait a minute.
Here. Take this with you.
You're gonna need it.
Are you sure, Gi-hun?
Yeah. It's okay, take it. Dae-ho's coming.
( tense music playing )
That's it. We searched everyone.
( gunfire in distance )
( gasps )
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( ominous music playing )
( breath trembling )
( distant gunfire continues )
( breath trembling )
        WOMAN ON PA
Attention, players. The day has ended.
( grunts ) Where the fuck is that asshole?
Please make your way back to your quarters.
Do you think he got lost?
Dae-ho, do you copy?
Dae-ho, where are you? Come in, Dae-ho!
Where are the extra magazines? Are you on your way? Dae-ho! Answer
me!
( chilling music playing )
Dae-ho! Dae-ho, are you there? Dae-ho! Say something, come on!
Dae-ho! Do you copy?
We need that ammo now. We're not gonna last much longer.
Something has to have gone wrong. I'll head back down.
We'll cover you.
Covering fire!
( suspenseful music playing )
( gunshots nearby )
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( radio beeps )
Gi-hun, we found it.
You two start firing at them to get their attention.
And we'll take them out from behind.
All right, copy that.
( masked soldier groans )
( Player 047 groans )
( ominous music playing )
( gurgling )
( gun clicking )
        GI-HUN
Young-il, what's going on? Have you guys made a move yet?
I'm sorry, Gi-hun.
It's over. They got us.
Young-il! What's going on? You still there?
( gurgling over radio )
( labored breathing )
        GI-HUN
Young-il. Young-il! Say something! Come in, Young-il!
( gunshot echoes )
Young-il! Young-il!
You still there?
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( gasps )
( beeps )
Let's wrap things up.
( radio beeps )
( dark music playing )
( yelling ) Dae-ho! Dae-ho!
Dae-ho, where are you? Has anyone seen Dae...
Dae-ho!
Dae-ho.
( gasps )
What's going on?
I'm sorry. I'm sorry.
Where are they?
Forgive me. I'm so sorry.
I'm sorry... ( whimpering ) I'm sorry. I'm sorry.
        DAE-HO
I'm sorry.
( alarm buzzing )
( gasps )
( players scream )
        MASKED MANAGER
Everyone, face down!
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Don't. This isn't a good way to die. ( grave music playing ) They're moving up, guys! They're going to this side! ( yelps ) ( groaning ) ( music intensifies ) I say we try to head back. This way is blocked too. WOMAN ON PA Attention, players. The day has ended. It's time to turn in for the night. Please make your way back to your quarters immediately. If you do not comply with these orders, then you will be eliminated. No, wait. Don't do it! I will now repeat the instructions. Attention, players. The day has ended. ( gasps ) It's time to turn in for the night. Please make your way back to your quarters immediately. If you do not comply... Let's put down our guns. If we surrender, they might not kill us. Ah, sh;t.

## PLAYER 145

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Advance team, do you copy? We're out of ammo over here. I'm gonna
surrender.
( grave music playing )
Let us go...
( gasps )
Wait, please don't shoot.
I have a sick daughter at home who...
( gunshot )
( body thuds )
        JUNG-BAE
We surrender.
( placing gun down )
( footsteps approaching )
        FRONT MAN
Player 456.
Did you have fun playing the hero?
( breathing deeply )
Now, witness the consequences of your little game.
( foreboding music playing )
        JUNG-BAE
Gi-hun...
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( body thuds )
( dark music playing )
No!
( wailing )
( dramatic music playing )
( grunts angrily )
( screaming )
( sobbing )
Jung-bae!
( device beeps )
Jung-bae... ( continues sobbing )
        WOMAN ON PA
Player 390, eliminated.
( players murmuring )
( dings )
( closing theme music playing )
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