

COBRA KAI

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EPISODE 3.08

"The Good, The Bad, and The Badass"

Informed that this year's All Valley Karate Tournament is being canceled, the three competing sensei attend a city council meeting to save it.

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00:00:10 --> 00:00:13
[Daniel] I know it's been a while
since our last class.

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00:00:14 --> 00:00:18
After the fight at the school,
I wasn't sure Miyagi-Do should stay open.

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00:00:19 --> 00:00:22
But things have gotten worse
since we shut down.

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00:00:22 --> 00:00:23
That's why we're back.

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00:00:24 --> 00:00:26
The only way to stop Cobra Kai

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00:00:26 --> 00:00:28
is if we all work together.

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00:00:28 --> 00:00:30
But always remember,

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00:00:30 --> 00:00:32
the reason we learn karate is--

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00:00:33 --> 00:00:36
To show the world that
you're not a bunch of pansy-ass nerds!

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00:00:37 --> 00:00:39
We're gonna show 'em that you're tough!

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00:00:40 --> 00:00:42
Because eagles don't get shit on.

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00:00:44 --> 00:00:46
-They're the ones that do the shitting.
-[chuckles]

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00:00:46 --> 00:00:50
Just don't forget, being a badass
doesn't mean being an asshole.

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00:00:51 --> 00:00:53
The goal isn't to hurt other kids.

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00:00:55 --> 00:00:56
The goal is to--

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00:00:56 --> 00:00:58
[Kreese] Win at all costs.

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00:00:58 --> 00:01:02
Those we thought to be our allies
have turned against us.

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00:01:03 --> 00:01:06
Now our enemies are attacking us
from all sides.

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00:01:06 --> 00:01:09
There is no turning back.

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00:01:10 --> 00:01:12
Now is the time to show them--

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00:01:12 --> 00:01:13
Forgiveness.

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00:01:14 --> 00:01:15
Compassion.

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00:01:16 --> 00:01:19
Mr. Miyagi used to say
if you're looking for revenge,

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00:01:19 --> 00:01:21
you could start by digging two graves.

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00:01:21 --> 00:01:22

He was right.

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00:01:23 --> 00:01:26

If you have hate in your heart,
then you've already lost.

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00:01:28 --> 00:01:31

I know it's not easy,
but you have to do whatever you can--

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00:01:31 --> 00:01:34

-To beat the living crap out of 'em.
-[kids exhale sharply]

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00:01:34 --> 00:01:36

Don't let 'em push you around.

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00:01:37 --> 00:01:39

You gotta swoop down like an eagle,

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00:01:40 --> 00:01:43

grab 'em with your claws,
and sink your fangs into 'em.

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00:01:45 --> 00:01:47

But I don't ever want you
to start the fight.

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00:01:49 --> 00:01:51

-I just want you to--
-Finish it.

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00:01:53 --> 00:01:54

For good.

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00:01:56 --> 00:01:59

Do I make myself clear?

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00:01:59 --> 00:02:00

[all] Yes, Sensei.

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00:02:10 --> 00:02:11

[buzzer sounds]

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00:02:14 --> 00:02:17

It's locked. They'll buzz it open
when he's on his way out.

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00:02:17 --> 00:02:20

-You gotta be kidding, they called you?
-I called them.

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00:02:21 --> 00:02:22

With Shannon still in rehab,

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00:02:22 --> 00:02:24

I wanted to make sure
someone was here to pick him up.

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00:02:24 --> 00:02:25

Well, I'm here, aren't I?

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00:02:25 --> 00:02:28

I'm not looking for any trouble.
I'm just here for Robby.

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00:02:28 --> 00:02:31

Robby doesn't need you.
You've done enough.

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00:02:32 --> 00:02:34

-Thank you. Goodbye.
-You got it all under control?

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00:02:34 --> 00:02:35

Yeah, I do.

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00:02:35 --> 00:02:38

Just like you had

Kreese under control, right?

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00:02:38 --> 00:02:41

What did you think would happen
summoning that devil back to Earth?

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00:02:41 --> 00:02:43

-Kreese is my problem.
-Not anymore.

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00:02:43 --> 00:02:46

He's made it crystal clear
that he is everyone's problem.

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00:02:46 --> 00:02:50

As usual, I'm gonna have to be the one
that's gonna clean up your mess.

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00:02:50 --> 00:02:51

I clean up my own messes.

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00:02:53 --> 00:02:54

And I'm dealing with it.

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00:02:54 --> 00:02:57

How exactly are you dealing with it?
Gonna barge in there and beat him up?

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00:02:57 --> 00:03:00

-Worked out really great at the chop shop.
-Those guys deserved it.

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00:03:01 --> 00:03:04

That's your problem, Johnny. Your whole
life you've been striking first.

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00:03:04 --> 00:03:07

You never once considered
maybe you should think first.

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00:03:07 --> 00:03:10

-Know what I'm thinking now?
-Yeah, I got a pretty good idea.

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00:03:11 --> 00:03:12

[Robby] Seriously?

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00:03:14 --> 00:03:16

-Robby.

-Hey, Robby.

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00:03:17 --> 00:03:18

I told you I don't want you here.

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00:03:19 --> 00:03:22

-You're my son. I wanted to be here.

-And so did I.

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00:03:22 --> 00:03:24

Don't do me any favors.

It's your fault I was here.

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00:03:24 --> 00:03:27

I know you're upset.

I was doing what was best for you.

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00:03:27 --> 00:03:30

Now that you're out,

I just want you to know I'm here.

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00:03:30 --> 00:03:33

-You always have a home at Miyagi-Do.

-Or with me.

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00:03:33 --> 00:03:34

Both of you...

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00:03:35 --> 00:03:36

stay out of my life.

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00:03:37 --> 00:03:38

Robby...

70
00:03:40 --> 00:03:41
Robby...

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00:03:41 --> 00:03:43
[melancholic music playing]

72
00:04:00 --> 00:04:01
-Oh, sorry, I--
-I'm sorry, Sam.

73
00:04:01 --> 00:04:04
No, I should've been watching
where I was going.

74
00:04:04 --> 00:04:06
-Me too.
-[Sam chuckles nervously]

75
00:04:07 --> 00:04:11
So, uh, congratulations
on being back on your feet! [chuckles]

76
00:04:11 --> 00:04:12
Literally.

77
00:04:13 --> 00:04:14
Thanks.

78
00:04:15 --> 00:04:17
Anyway, I'll let you
get back to your friends.

79
00:04:19 --> 00:04:20
They're not my friends anymore.

80
00:04:22 --> 00:04:24
Not after what they did to you guys.

81
00:04:28 --> 00:04:32

-I should probably get to study hall.
-I'm actually headed that way too.

82

00:04:33 --> 00:04:33
OK.

83

00:04:36 --> 00:04:40
So, you think enough time has passed
for us to be friends again?

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00:04:40 --> 00:04:42
Or start over?

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00:04:43 --> 00:04:45
Hi. I'm Sam. Nice to meet you.

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00:04:45 --> 00:04:46
Miguel. It's a pleasure.

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00:04:47 --> 00:04:49
Yasmine?

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00:04:50 --> 00:04:52
Hey. Um...

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00:04:52 --> 00:04:53
We were just, uh...

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00:04:54 --> 00:04:56
-[exhales heavily]
-Doing study work.

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00:04:56 --> 00:04:57
Yup.

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00:04:58 --> 00:05:00
So you two are...

93

00:05:00 --> 00:05:01
What? [chuckles]

94
00:05:02 --> 00:05:04
Ew. Ew! No.

95
00:05:05 --> 00:05:06
Like I would ever date this freak.

96
00:05:10 --> 00:05:14
Whatever, Cruella. Why don't you
go kill a bunch of dalmatians?

97
00:05:15 --> 00:05:17
I am 101% in love!

98
00:05:18 --> 00:05:20
-[Demetri sighs]
-[Sam chuckles]

99
00:05:20 --> 00:05:22
I can't believe that just happened!

100
00:05:22 --> 00:05:23
Yeah, I guess, uh...

101
00:05:25 --> 00:05:26
love conquers all.

102
00:05:28 --> 00:05:29
I guess it does.

103
00:05:31 --> 00:05:32
[Sam chuckles]

104
00:05:32 --> 00:05:34
[Daniel] OK, let's do it again
from the top.

105
00:05:34 --> 00:05:36
Keep going. Let's go.

106
00:05:37 --> 00:05:39
Come on, Chris. You know these moves.

107
00:05:39 --> 00:05:41
Sorry, Mr. L. I'm just trying to keep up.

108
00:05:44 --> 00:05:46
Did you like having
your arm broken, Demetri?

109
00:05:46 --> 00:05:48
Because if you defend like that,

110
00:05:48 --> 00:05:50
you'll be right back in that cast
before you know it.

111
00:05:50 --> 00:05:54
Uh, OK, guys, let's, uh...
Let's take five. Yeah?

112
00:05:54 --> 00:05:56
There's iced tea and lemonade inside.

113
00:05:57 --> 00:05:59
-[student 1] Oh, man.
-[student 2] I'm just so tired.

114
00:05:59 --> 00:06:00
That was brutal.

115
00:06:03 --> 00:06:05
Take it easy, Sensei.
It's their first week back.

116
00:06:06 --> 00:06:07
They should know this stuff by now.

117
00:06:08 --> 00:06:10
It's my fault they're in this position.

118
00:06:10 --> 00:06:12
One day, they may find themselves alone

119
00:06:12 --> 00:06:15
and they'll need
these techniques to survive.

120
00:06:17 --> 00:06:19
OK, so this is about Robby, right?

121
00:06:22 --> 00:06:25
Look, Daniel,
you need to let him figure it out.

122
00:06:26 --> 00:06:29
If he wants to come back,
the door's always open, but...

123
00:06:30 --> 00:06:31
if he doesn't,

124
00:06:32 --> 00:06:34
you're gonna have to let him go.

125
00:06:34 --> 00:06:36
I can't just let him go.

126
00:06:37 --> 00:06:38
He has no one!

127
00:06:39 --> 00:06:41
Wow! Would you look at this?

128
00:06:41 --> 00:06:43
[Daniel] Hey, Ron.

129
00:06:43 --> 00:06:45
Why are we holding our board meetings
at the rec center

130
00:06:45 --> 00:06:47
when you have
the Enchanted Tiki Room out here?

131
00:06:48 --> 00:06:49
Are those real koi?

132
00:06:50 --> 00:06:51
[Daniel] What's up?

133
00:06:51 --> 00:06:55
The All Valley is still months away.
Is there a problem with the committee?

134
00:06:56 --> 00:06:58
There's a problem
with the whole tournament.

135
00:07:00 --> 00:07:02
-[grunts]
-[Johnny] Good, Bert.

136
00:07:02 --> 00:07:05
Remind me not to piss you off.
Assface, you're next.

137
00:07:05 --> 00:07:07
Does my nickname gotta carry over
from the previous dojo?

138
00:07:07 --> 00:07:08
You wanna be Penis Breath?

139
00:07:09 --> 00:07:11
Assface is fine.

140
00:07:13 --> 00:07:15
Good, Penis Breath!

141

00:07:15 --> 00:07:17
All right. Diaz, you're up.

142
00:07:20 --> 00:07:22
Imagine this is the guy
I stole this Frisbee from, all right?

143
00:07:22 --> 00:07:24
Just picture his stupid white dreads.

144
00:07:26 --> 00:07:28
[breathes deeply]

145
00:07:29 --> 00:07:32
-[grunts weakly]
-All right, good hustle. Who's next?

146
00:07:32 --> 00:07:34
-No, I can do it, Sensei.
-Miguel, it's fine.

147
00:07:34 --> 00:07:35
I got it.

148
00:07:37 --> 00:07:40
All right. Get in a side stance.
Use the balls of your feet.

149
00:07:45 --> 00:07:46
-[groans]
-Miguel!

150
00:07:47 --> 00:07:49
-[student] You good?
-I'm fine. I'm fine!

151
00:07:51 --> 00:07:53
All right, everybody.
Take five, go get some water.

152
00:07:54 --> 00:07:57

But not from the fountain,
I saw some meth head wipe his ass in it.

153

00:08:01 --> 00:08:03
It's OK if you can't do things
you could before.

154

00:08:03 --> 00:08:05
Nobody expects you to be your old self.

155

00:08:05 --> 00:08:07
-[cell phone chimes]
-Gotta be shitting me!

156

00:08:08 --> 00:08:11
-What? What happened?
-They canceled the All Valley.

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00:08:12 --> 00:08:14
-They did what?
-[Ron] They canceled it.

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00:08:14 --> 00:08:16
City council just up
and pulled the permit.

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00:08:16 --> 00:08:21
Something about not wanting
to foster a culture of violence

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00:08:21 --> 00:08:23
after the whole fracas at the school.

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00:08:23 --> 00:08:26
It's an over-correction, if you ask me.

162

00:08:28 --> 00:08:31
We even had State Farm
on board as a sponsor.

163

00:08:31 --> 00:08:35

[sighs] Now I gotta call my agent Taylor
and break the bad news.

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00:08:35 --> 00:08:37
So, that's it then?

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00:08:37 --> 00:08:40
They cast karate as the villain
without any context whatsoever,

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00:08:40 --> 00:08:42
and we can't do anything about it?

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00:08:42 --> 00:08:44
There's a community hearing.

168

00:08:44 --> 00:08:48
It's pretty much a formality, but the way
the All Valley Committee feels,

169

00:08:48 --> 00:08:52
if there's one person that can convince
the city to overturn their decision,

170

00:08:53 --> 00:08:54
it's the two-time champ.

171

00:08:55 --> 00:08:57
[sentimental music playing]

172

00:08:57 --> 00:09:00
All right. Well, I gotta go talk
to the rest of the board.

173

00:09:01 --> 00:09:02
Mmm!

174

00:09:02 --> 00:09:05
That was good.
Did you grow your own lemons or...

175

00:09:06 --> 00:09:07

It's Crystal Light.

176

00:09:07 --> 00:09:09

-Delightful.

-Look what you did there.

177

00:09:14 --> 00:09:16

-So what are you gonna do?

-I dunno.

178

00:09:17 --> 00:09:19

Maybe on some level,
this is for the best.

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00:09:20 --> 00:09:22

At least Cobra Kai doesn't have
a free stage

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00:09:22 --> 00:09:24

to put their violence on display.

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00:09:24 --> 00:09:27

You're not actually going to let them
cancel the All Valley, are you?

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00:09:27 --> 00:09:29

I don't know, Sam.

183

00:09:29 --> 00:09:32

Miyagi-Do got blamed
for what happened to Miguel.

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00:09:32 --> 00:09:33

If it gets canceled,

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00:09:33 --> 00:09:36

that sends a message to the whole Valley
that we're the bad guys.

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00:09:36 --> 00:09:37
You can't let that happen.

187
00:09:39 --> 00:09:41
[Miguel] Tell them
what karate means to you.

188
00:09:41 --> 00:09:44
How you started Cobra Kai
to help kids like me,

189
00:09:44 --> 00:09:46
taught us to stand up for ourselves.

190
00:09:46 --> 00:09:50
-Maybe this is a blessing in disguise.
-What's that supposed to mean?

191
00:09:50 --> 00:09:52
It's not like
you were even gonna fight anyway.

192
00:09:52 --> 00:09:53
Of course I was.

193
00:09:55 --> 00:09:58
Training with no contact is one thing,
I can't risk you getting hurt again.

194
00:09:58 --> 00:10:00
That's not fair.
I'm working hard, getting better.

195
00:10:01 --> 00:10:03
-For your safety.
-I thought safety was for pussies?

196
00:10:03 --> 00:10:05
-This is different.
-You don't think I can do it!

197

00:10:05 --> 00:10:08
You almost hurt yourself
with one kick! One kick!

198
00:10:10 --> 00:10:12
What do you think'll happen
in a real fight?

199
00:10:12 --> 00:10:13
[melancholic music plays]

200
00:10:14 --> 00:10:17
-Look, you already proved you could win.
-I need to prove it again!

201
00:10:21 --> 00:10:23
You said you'd always be on my side.

202
00:10:25 --> 00:10:26
Miguel...

203
00:10:45 --> 00:10:47
Hey. I'm Robby Keene.

204
00:10:48 --> 00:10:49
Fill out this form.
We'll call your name

205
00:10:50 --> 00:10:51
when a probation officer's ready
to see you.

206
00:11:04 --> 00:11:06
[suspenseful music plays]

207
00:11:09 --> 00:11:12
Yeah, go ahead.
They'll send you straight back to juvie.

208
00:11:20 --> 00:11:21
We're in the same boat.

209

00:11:21 --> 00:11:24

-Thank to you for starting the fight.

-And you for finishing it.

210

00:11:28 --> 00:11:29

It's not fair, you know.

211

00:11:30 --> 00:11:32

Everyone else got to go back to normal,

212

00:11:32 --> 00:11:35

but here we are eating shit
while your girlfri--

213

00:11:35 --> 00:11:37

-Don't talk about Sam.

-She cheated on you.

214

00:11:37 --> 00:11:39

She made a mistake. Sam is a good person.

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00:11:39 --> 00:11:42

Yeah. She sure acts like it.

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00:11:43 --> 00:11:46

Just wait, she'll turn on you.

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00:11:46 --> 00:11:48

-Just like Miguel.

-You don't know that.

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00:11:48 --> 00:11:49

Then why are we both here?

219

00:11:50 --> 00:11:55

At least I know who I am. You're still
pretending to be something you're not.

220

00:12:01 --> 00:12:05

On the section about home life,
just check off "stable."

221

00:12:06 --> 00:12:09

They don't care.
They never come to check.

222

00:12:17 --> 00:12:20

Hope the juice is all right.
I don't think it's expired yet.

223

00:12:22 --> 00:12:23

It's good. Thank you.

224

00:12:24 --> 00:12:25

You got it.

225

00:12:26 --> 00:12:30

I wanna let you know I appreciate
you putting Miguel's safety first.

226

00:12:30 --> 00:12:31

Yeah.

227

00:12:32 --> 00:12:34

Lot of good it did. Now the kid hates me.

228

00:12:34 --> 00:12:35

He's a teenager.

229

00:12:36 --> 00:12:39

If he's happy with you all the time,
you're doing something wrong.

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00:12:40 --> 00:12:42

You know as well as I do
that being a parent

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00:12:43 --> 00:12:44

means making the hard choices
for their own good.

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00:12:45 --> 00:12:47

I just don't want
to screw things up with Miguel

233

00:12:47 --> 00:12:48

like how I screwed things up with Robby.

234

00:12:50 --> 00:12:52

You've done so much for Miguel.

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00:12:53 --> 00:12:55

You got him out of bed,
out of the wheelchair.

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00:12:56 --> 00:12:58

You made him smile again.

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00:12:58 --> 00:13:00

And he won't forget that.

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00:13:02 --> 00:13:03

And neither will I.

239

00:13:06 --> 00:13:08

[sentimental music playing]

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00:13:12 --> 00:13:13

I heard about the tournament.

241

00:13:14 --> 00:13:16

Yeah, who needs it anyway?

242

00:13:17 --> 00:13:18

You do.

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00:13:20 --> 00:13:21

Believe me,

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00:13:21 --> 00:13:25
a few months ago, I never wanted
to hear the word "karate" again.

245
00:13:25 --> 00:13:27
I thought that was the reason
Miguel got hurt.

246
00:13:28 --> 00:13:30
And I blamed you.

247
00:13:30 --> 00:13:31
I was so angry.

248
00:13:34 --> 00:13:35
You had a right to be.

249
00:13:36 --> 00:13:38
But it wasn't your fault.

250
00:13:39 --> 00:13:41
I see how much you care for Miguel,

251
00:13:42 --> 00:13:45
and I realize now
you were just as hurt as I was.

252
00:13:50 --> 00:13:52
I may not want him to compete,

253
00:13:54 --> 00:13:56
but I know he won't get hurt again.

254
00:13:57 --> 00:13:59
Because you're his sensei.

255
00:14:02 --> 00:14:06
It's what you were meant to be.
It's your strength, your calling.

256

00:14:06 --> 00:14:10

And there are other Miguels out there
who need you in their corner.

257

00:14:11 --> 00:14:15

I know I'm the last person
you'd expect to be telling you this, but...

258

00:14:16 --> 00:14:18

you have to save the tournament.

259

00:14:22 --> 00:14:24

I don't know how I'm going to do that.

260

00:14:26 --> 00:14:28

By doing what you do best.

261

00:14:30 --> 00:14:31

Fight.

262

00:14:39 --> 00:14:41

Mr. Carter, please, we need to move on.

263

00:14:41 --> 00:14:46

And now I'm hearing the city wants
to rename manholes "maintenance covers."

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00:14:46 --> 00:14:49

Do you know what we called a manhole
back in my day?

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00:14:50 --> 00:14:51

A manhole.

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00:14:51 --> 00:14:53

And that's just the start.

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00:14:53 --> 00:14:54

[door opens]

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00:14:54 --> 00:14:56
Don't worry, Dad. You got this.

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00:14:57 --> 00:14:58
[Mr. Carter continues indistinctly]

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00:15:06 --> 00:15:08
-What are you doing here?
-Fighting for the All Valley.

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00:15:08 --> 00:15:10
What about you?
Gonna read from your diary?

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00:15:10 --> 00:15:14
-Nothing wrong with being prepared.
-Yeah, and I don't need notes.

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00:15:14 --> 00:15:15
I'll shoot from the hip.

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00:15:18 --> 00:15:19
This is gonna be a disaster.

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00:15:19 --> 00:15:21
[gavel banging]

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00:15:21 --> 00:15:24
OK, next we will hear appeals

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00:15:24 --> 00:15:28
for the cancellation of the All Valley
Under-18 Karate Tournament.

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00:15:28 --> 00:15:30
Who would like to speak first?

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00:15:30 --> 00:15:32
[dramatic music plays]

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00:15:38 --> 00:15:42
Ladies and gentlemen,
I'm retired Army Captain John Kreese.

281
00:15:43 --> 00:15:45
Thank you for your service.

282
00:15:47 --> 00:15:48
It was an honor to serve.

283
00:15:49 --> 00:15:52
And I continue to serve
right here in our community,

284
00:15:52 --> 00:15:54
by teaching our children strength

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00:15:55 --> 00:15:58
and discipline through karate.

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00:15:58 --> 00:16:02
I was devastated to hear
about the cancellation of the tournament

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00:16:03 --> 00:16:05
because of the fight at the high school.

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00:16:05 --> 00:16:09
Why are my students being penalized
because of the violence perpetrated by...

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00:16:10 --> 00:16:12
dojos like Miyagi-Do?

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00:16:12 --> 00:16:13
Now, wait just one minute.

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00:16:13 --> 00:16:16
Mr. LaRusso, please.
It's not your turn to speak.

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00:16:16 --> 00:16:19
I apologize, Councilwoman Roberts.
But this man--

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00:16:19 --> 00:16:21
"Councilperson" Roberts.

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00:16:25 --> 00:16:27
Thank you, Captain Kreese.

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00:16:28 --> 00:16:29
Please, continue.

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00:16:30 --> 00:16:32
I think my colleagues here would agree

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00:16:32 --> 00:16:35
that all we want is the best
for our students and our community.

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00:16:36 --> 00:16:39
Cobra Kai's goal is
to prepare the Valley's youth

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00:16:40 --> 00:16:43
for the unfortunate realities
of the real world.

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00:16:43 --> 00:16:45
It's hard out there.

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00:16:45 --> 00:16:48
I'm simply just preparing them
to defend themselves.

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00:16:48 --> 00:16:50
Councilperson Roberts, I'm sorry,

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00:16:50 --> 00:16:52
but this guy is selling you

a bad bill of goods.

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00:16:52 --> 00:16:56

Just a few weeks ago, my students
were injured by a bunch of his Cobra Kais

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00:16:56 --> 00:16:59

in an abandoned recreation facility.

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00:16:59 --> 00:17:02

And who started that fight?
If memory serves,

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00:17:02 --> 00:17:03

your out-of-control daughter.

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00:17:03 --> 00:17:07

Hey! You leave my daughter out of this,
you piece of shit!

309

00:17:07 --> 00:17:08

Mom!

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00:17:08 --> 00:17:10

Ma'am, please restrain yourself.

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00:17:10 --> 00:17:12

[Kreese] It's funny
that you say that, because...

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00:17:13 --> 00:17:17

I've had to file a restraining order
against her for physically assaulting me.

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00:17:17 --> 00:17:21

-[scoffs] Assault? Are you kidding me?
-Maybe I should call the authorities?

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00:17:21 --> 00:17:22

That won't be necessary.

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00:17:24 --> 00:17:26

-Ma'am.

-Hey, do not... Do not touch me! OK?

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00:17:26 --> 00:17:28

I'm leaving. I'm leaving!

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00:17:28 --> 00:17:30

OK? But that man is a lunatic!

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00:17:32 --> 00:17:36

Councilperson Roberts, I assure you
that I am a positive influence

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00:17:37 --> 00:17:40

to my students,
and the hundreds of students before them.

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00:17:40 --> 00:17:41

Horseshit!

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00:17:42 --> 00:17:44

Your Honor,
John Lawrence, Eagle Fang Karate.

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00:17:45 --> 00:17:48

This man has poisoned the minds
of his students.

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00:17:49 --> 00:17:52

And I should know, I was one of them.

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00:17:53 --> 00:17:55

Were we competitive?

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00:17:55 --> 00:17:56

Sure.

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00:17:56 --> 00:17:58

But it was all for good sport.

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00:17:58 --> 00:18:00
This man is a thief and a liar!

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00:18:00 --> 00:18:04
-And he put a live cobra in my dealership!
-[gavel bangs]

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00:18:04 --> 00:18:05
Enough!

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00:18:05 --> 00:18:06
Sit down.

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00:18:08 --> 00:18:09
All of you.

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00:18:17 --> 00:18:21
It is clear this karate tournament
is causing division and rivalry

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00:18:21 --> 00:18:22
in our community.

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00:18:23 --> 00:18:24
You gentlemen...

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00:18:25 --> 00:18:27
have made an excellent case today

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00:18:27 --> 00:18:29
as to why this tournament
should not continue.

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00:18:31 --> 00:18:32
[male voice] Wait!

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00:18:32 --> 00:18:34
[audience members gasp]

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00:18:37 --> 00:18:38

[woman] Who's that?

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00:18:48 --> 00:18:50

My name is Miguel Diaz.

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00:18:51 --> 00:18:52

I was in the school fight.

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00:18:53 --> 00:18:55

I was the one that got kicked
off the second floor.

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00:18:57 --> 00:18:58

You know, uh...

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00:19:00 --> 00:19:02

I thought I was gonna be paralyzed.

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00:19:02 --> 00:19:03

I relearned how to stand.

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00:19:05 --> 00:19:06

I relearned how to walk.

347

00:19:08 --> 00:19:10

And I want the tournament to continue.

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00:19:10 --> 00:19:13

We are very happy
for your recovery, young man.

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00:19:14 --> 00:19:17

-But I'm afraid you don't understand--

-Yes, he does.

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00:19:19 --> 00:19:22

We're the ones getting hurt.
We're the ones fighting.

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00:19:23 --> 00:19:28

Our voices should matter the most.
And we want a place where we can compete,

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00:19:29 --> 00:19:30

fairly and safely.

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00:19:34 --> 00:19:36

When I first moved here, I was bullied.

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00:19:37 --> 00:19:39

And I realize that there's no escaping it.

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00:19:39 --> 00:19:42

There'll always be a kid who wants
to steal your lunch money,

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00:19:42 --> 00:19:44

or give you a wedgie,
or give you a swirlie.

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00:19:44 --> 00:19:45

A swirlie?

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00:19:45 --> 00:19:48

When you dunk someone's head
in the toilet and flush it.

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00:19:49 --> 00:19:52

-Pretty funny, actually.
-[Miguel] Sensei!

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00:19:55 --> 00:19:57

[breathes deeply]

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00:19:57 --> 00:20:01

Instead of burying your heads in the sand,
pretending that bullying doesn't exist,

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00:20:01 --> 00:20:03

or that you could just get rid of it,

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00:20:03 --> 00:20:05
what you need to do is teach kids
how to defend themselves.

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00:20:05 --> 00:20:07
Physically and mentally.

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00:20:08 --> 00:20:13
Because sometimes the scars you can't see
are the ones that hurt the most.

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00:20:16 --> 00:20:17
[Miguel] Karate is about discipline.

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00:20:18 --> 00:20:20
It's about inner strength.

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00:20:20 --> 00:20:21
It's about confidence.

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00:20:22 --> 00:20:25
Lessons that you can use
for the rest of your life.

370

00:20:26 --> 00:20:30
Look, I don't know where I would be today,
or who I would be today,

371

00:20:31 --> 00:20:32
if it wasn't for my sensei.

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00:20:38 --> 00:20:41
We don't need this tournament
to do cool kicks or to sell tickets,

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00:20:43 --> 00:20:46
we need it to show the bullies
of the world that we're not afraid.

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00:20:47 --> 00:20:50
It's called the "All Valley"
because it's for everyone,

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00:20:50 --> 00:20:53
to give everyone the chance
to show what they can do,

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00:20:53 --> 00:20:55
to fight, to become a champion.

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00:20:57 --> 00:20:58
And we deserve that chance.

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00:21:12 --> 00:21:16
To be honest, I don't get
the Valley's fascination with karate.

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00:21:17 --> 00:21:17
But...

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00:21:18 --> 00:21:21
if it means that much to all of you,

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00:21:21 --> 00:21:24
and you're willing to sign waivers
stating that the city is not liable,

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00:21:25 --> 00:21:26
then...

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00:21:29 --> 00:21:33
the All Valley Under-18 Tournament
is officially back on.

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00:21:35 --> 00:21:36
Yes!

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00:21:36 --> 00:21:37
[all applaud]

386

00:21:37 --> 00:21:39
[triumphant music plays]

387

00:21:46 --> 00:21:48
I guess we all got what we wanted.

388

00:21:50 --> 00:21:52
But be careful what you wish for.

389

00:22:02 --> 00:22:03
Come here, kid.

390

00:22:06 --> 00:22:08
[gentle folk music plays]

391

00:22:09 --> 00:22:12
-To the All Valley tournament.
-Right, yeah.

392

00:22:16 --> 00:22:19
This place is crazy. What's the rock say?

393

00:22:20 --> 00:22:23
I don't know. My dad won't tell me.
Or maybe he doesn't know.

394

00:22:23 --> 00:22:25
Well, it's a cool rock.

395

00:22:26 --> 00:22:30
All we have is vandalized park benches
and regular boring rocks.

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00:22:30 --> 00:22:33
You're welcome to train here anytime.

397

00:22:33 --> 00:22:36
I mean, don't get me wrong,
it's a cool yard, but...

398

00:22:36 --> 00:22:37
do you guys actually do karate here?

399

00:22:38 --> 00:22:42
-It looks like breathing exercises!
-Oh, it's not badass enough for you?

400

00:22:42 --> 00:22:44
We train in junkyards and cement trucks!

401

00:22:44 --> 00:22:47
-And I've trained in that pond over there.
-Oh, a pond.

402

00:22:48 --> 00:22:50
Not everything in Miyagi-Do
is what it seems.

403

00:22:50 --> 00:22:51
Yeah, well, OK.

404

00:22:54 --> 00:22:55
OK!

405

00:22:57 --> 00:22:58
You lookin' to take on the champ?

406

00:22:59 --> 00:23:01
I seem to remember
flipping you on the ground

407

00:23:01 --> 00:23:02
with surprisingly little effort.

408

00:23:02 --> 00:23:05
OK, well, let's see you do it again.
Don't hold back.

409

00:23:06 --> 00:23:07

I wouldn't worry about it.

410
00:23:11 --> 00:23:12
-[both chuckle]
-OK.

411
00:23:17 --> 00:23:18
Got you.

412
00:23:19 --> 00:23:21
-[exclaims softly]
-Got you.

413
00:23:25 --> 00:23:27
[suspenseful music plays]

414
00:23:28 --> 00:23:29
Should've known.

415
00:23:31 --> 00:23:32
Robby!

416
00:23:33 --> 00:23:34
It... It's not what you think.

417
00:23:35 --> 00:23:38
You two get together the second I was gone
or wait a week to make it look good?

418
00:23:38 --> 00:23:40
It's not like that.

419
00:23:42 --> 00:23:44
At least now I know
why you stopped writing.

420
00:23:44 --> 00:23:46
I stopped because you never answered!

421
00:23:46 --> 00:23:49

It's kinda hard to write back
in between getting my face busted in!

422

00:23:49 --> 00:23:50
I didn't know.

423

00:23:50 --> 00:23:52
-You wouldn't have cared if you did.
-It's not her fault.

424

00:23:52 --> 00:23:54
-Stay out of this!
-I don't think I will.

425

00:23:55 --> 00:23:57
I was hoping you'd say that.

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00:23:59 --> 00:24:00
[Robby and Sam grunt]

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00:24:01 --> 00:24:02
Robby, don't!

428

00:24:11 --> 00:24:13
You two deserve each other.

429

00:24:24 --> 00:24:26
[message chimes on computer]

430

00:24:27 --> 00:24:28
[knocking at door]

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00:24:37 --> 00:24:39
-Oh, hey.
-Hey, Johnny.

432

00:24:39 --> 00:24:41
Is it too late?

433

00:24:41 --> 00:24:42

No.

434

00:24:43 --> 00:24:44

No, come in. It's all right.

435

00:24:46 --> 00:24:48

-Can I get you some juice or something?

-Mm-mmm.

436

00:24:48 --> 00:24:52

-I heard what happened at the meeting.

-Ah, you should've seen him.

437

00:24:52 --> 00:24:55

Heart on his sleeve,
saying what needed to be said.

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00:24:56 --> 00:24:57

He was a true champion.

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00:24:58 --> 00:25:00

But don't worry, I didn't say
he can compete again.

440

00:25:00 --> 00:25:04

I didn't know he'd be at the meeting.
Believe me, I had nothing to do with that.

441

00:25:04 --> 00:25:06

Yes, you did.

442

00:25:06 --> 00:25:09

You had everything to do with that.

443

00:25:15 --> 00:25:17

[rock music playing]

444

00:25:21 --> 00:25:23

[shattering]

445

00:25:34 --> 00:25:36
[door opens, bell jangles]

446
00:25:42 --> 00:25:43
Sensei Kreese?

447
00:25:53 --> 00:25:55
[electronic music plays]

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