STATION 151

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WAYNE

(breathing hard) Well that sucked. (breathing) I think taking the earwig out hurt more than it did going in. (breath) Actually feels weird without it.

> SPEGG No time for reflect. We go now. Pod waiting.

WAYNE Yeah. (breath) Yeah, okay.

[SFX: Footsteps]

SPEGG *Gah.* Almost forgot to resurrect doctor.

WAYNE (breathing) Resurrect Doctor *Alfieri*? Why would you *do* that?

SPEGG No doctor, no Spegg.

WAYNE What?

CHILD-SPEGG [doctor die, spegg no live!]

> WAYNE I don't get it.

SPEGG

Gah.

Antarctica work eventually lead to Spegg program in future. If doctor stay dead, Spegg never get create.

WAYNE

Jesus, this just keeps getting more and more fucked up. Don't tell me that asshole is still alive in the future, too.

> SPEGG Doctor long dead in future.

WAYNE Well thank God for that.

SPEGG Not God do it. Doctor murdered by Spegg number six.

> WAYNE Damn. Killed by his own creation huh.

> > SPEGG Thank Spegg for that.

WAYNE

So... in other words, because the shit Alfieri is doing down here eventually leads to your creation, if we don't bring him back to life, then maybe you just, like, vanish after we go back to the future? Right?

SPEGG Maybe. Never done this before.

WAYNE That explains why you brought him back the first time.

CHILD-SPEGG

[yes! wayne smart!]

WAYNE

Are you *sure* you want to do this? Because Alfieri, like, *really* sucks. Maybe there's some other evil asshole at Telders Corp who could pick up where he left off? Huh? SPEGG Maybe. Maybe no. Not worth risk. Now come! Time to plant eggs.

WAYNE What?

SPEGG Time to plant *eggs*! Do you hear bad?

WAYNE (a little disgusted) No, I hear... good. I'm just... not sure I like the sound of that.

[SFX: Footsteps]

SPEGG You like. Follow.

WAYNE (suspicious) Yeeaah. Okay.

[SFX: Footsteps]

SPEGG Alright. I put doctor on table.

WAYNE Oh, okay... Do you need help, or-

[SFX: Spegg quickly and easily lifting Alfieri and dropping on gurney]

WAYNE (surprised, maybe chuckles) Jesus! How did you *do* that? He must weigh like 200 pounds!

CHILD-SPEGG [spegg strong!]

WAYNE

I guess so.

SPEGG

Doctor such big ugly man. Such big waste of carbon.

WAYNE

Yeah, no shit.

SPEGG

Gah.

[SFX: Spegg making retching noises]

WAYNE Whoa. What the HELL are you doing?!

> SPEGG (speaks through retches) Eggs!

WAYNE

That's where those eggs COME FROM?! You puke them up?!

AGGRO-SPEGG QUIET!

[SFX: Spegg making vomit noises as eggs start to come up]

WAYNE Oh God I can't watch this. I can't.

[SFX: Spegg making vomit noises LOUDER]

SPEGG (finishing, spitting) Arggphh.

WAYNE

Why on *Earth* do you have that ability? And why do you have to throw them up?

SPEGG

Eh?

How else you want them come out? Other end?

WAYNE

Ughh. No.

SPEGG

Spegg have many function. Heal injured humans is one such function. You have weak stomach, Wayne?

> WAYNE Naw. I'm good. It's just. *Ughh*.

SPEGG

You get used to it.

WAYNE

Oh god, I hope not.

ALFIERI (groans)

(groans

WAYNE Oh, shit. He's back already? That was fast.

SPEGG

Fresh egg work best. Nice and warm here, too. Perfect condition.

ALFIERI Ughhh. (suddenly realizes)

Where am I? (screams-terrified as he sees Spegg) Oh, my god, what is that thing?!

WAYNE

(laughs) Doctor Alfieri, meet *Spegg*.

SPEGG

Hi.

ALFIERI Wayne, what the hell's going on here?!

WAYNE

You were dead. And we brought you back to life. (pause) *Again.*

ALFIERI

Are you trying to torture me or something, you assholes?

WAYNE

Yeah, I wish. Unfortunately, Spegg here has decided that your work is far too important to leave you... unalive.

> SPEGG Important work. Critical work.

ALFIERI

What work?

SPEGG Best not to tell. Bad for timeline. If doctor finds out...

WAYNE

Yeah. Things might change for the worse, so we're not gonna do that.

ALFIERI I don't understand. What are you two talking about? What *work*? What's so damned important?

WAYNE

Nothing. The point is, you're alive again. You're welcome. And now you just need to keep doing your evil shit. I guess.

ALFIERI Well, if you're not gonna torture me, then help me up.

> WAYNE I'm not helping you up!

[SFX: Kicks Alfieri]

WAYNE Prick.

ALFIERI Uggh! Goddammit!

SPEGG

Hey, Wayne. Don't kill again. I need eat before I make more eggs.

ALFIERI Wait... *Make* more eggs? You *produce* those? Naturally?

SPEGG

Maybe.

ALFIERI Interesting.

WAYNE Yeah, it's a whole thing...

ALFIERI

Listen, uh... Spegg.

I've seen what those eggs can do. Obviously. But... Jesus... if we could harness that? It could change the *world*.

Think about it. An end to suffering. Pain. And even death. Wayne, Spegg, let's put our differences behind us and work together on this. It's not just a choice. It's our duty to humani–

AGGRO-SPEGG SHUT YOUR MOUTH!

[SFX: Spegg kicks Alfieri]

AGGRO-SPEGG I KNOW HOW YOU CHANGE WORLD! I KNOW HOW IT ENDS!

[SFX: Spegg kicks Alfieri]

ALFIERI

(like, almost crying from the pain)

WAYNE

Whoa whoa! Stop with the beatings, will ya? I thought we didn't wanna kill him again?! I mean, not that I give a shit, but... *damn*.

SPEGG He be fine. Time to go.

ALFIERI Where are... you... going?

WAYNE We're getting the fuck out of here. *Finally*.

ALFIERI The hell you are! Leopold! Leopold!

LEOPOLD

Yes, sir.

ALFIERI Don't let them leave! Lock the hatch!

LEOPOLD

My apologies, sir. The Telders Agent left it open when he came in. I am unable to secure it.

ALFIERI

Goddammit! Wayne, wait! Let's talk about this!

> WAYNE Fuck off!

CHILD-SPEGG [bye bye!]

[SFX: Footsteps]

ALFIERI

You're not gonna get far, you assholes! We've got an army out there! An army!

> SPEGG Not anymore.

ALFIERI

(distant) What? What was that? (pause) What'd he say!? (more distant) Wayne! Wayne!

[SFX: Footsteps]

[SFX: Up the metal stairs]

~TIME PASSES~

[SFX: Outside weather, breezy] [SFX: Footsteps]

WAYNE

(coughing) Christ, you unleashed hell on Earth out here. How many Telders people did you kill?

> SPEGG No time think about that. We go.

WAYNE Wait, this one's Russian. Oh, wow... they're all over the place. How did you—

SPEGG

Russia, America. Do not know. None of this exist in future.

WAYNE

Huh. I wonder what the Russians had on Richard. Guess we'll never know. Hey, you didn't happen to see a husky out here?

> [SFX: Running footsteps] [SFX: Shotgun rack]

WAYNE The fuck?

RUSSIAN Don't move! Don't you move!

SPEGG Gah! What is this crap?

RUSSIAN Sergei! Sergei, I have them!

> WAYNE Goddammit.

SERGEI (on walkie) Who you have? You have walking fish?

> RUSSIAN Yes! Yes. And Wayne Robertson!

SERGEI

(on walkie) What about Richard?

RUSSIAN I don't know. I don't see him.

> SERGEI (on walkie) Find him!

RUSSIAN (to Wayne/Spegg) Where is Richard, you pieces of shit?!

> SPEGG Who is this, *Richard*?

WAYNE Uhh, he's one of the guys you... *eviscerated*. SPEGG Hmm. Doesn't really narrow it down.

RUSSIAN Sergei. Richard probably dead.

SERGEI (on walkie) Doesn't matter. Shoot the fish in the legs.

RUSSIAN Yes, sir.

[SFX: Shotgun blast]

SPEGG (Arggh!)

[SFX: Falls to ground]

WAYNE What the hell, you son of a bitch!

RUSSIAN

Done.

SERGEI

(on walkie) And we do not need Wayne Robertson. Kill him.

RUSSIAN Yes, sir.

WAYNE Hey hey, now just wait a goddamn minute—

RUSSIAN

I shoot you in face, *druzhok*. Goodbye.

WAYNE Wait!

[SFX: Shotgun rack] [SFX: Running dog footprints]

BUZZ (barks)

RUSSIAN 4to?

BUZZ (barks) (ATTACKS)

WAYNE Holy shit! Buzz!

RUSSIAN (screams)

[SFX: Buzz mauls Russian for a while. Russian dies in agony.]

WAYNE Fuck yeah, Buzz! Oh god-that's a lot of blood. But... fuck yeah!

> BUZZ (barks happily)

WAYNE Where'd you run off to, buddy? I missed you!

BUZZ (barks barks)

WAYNE There's a good boy. Such a good boy. Such a good boy.

SPEGG

(in some pain) Waayne.

WAYNE Oh shit, Spegg.

BUZZ (barks mad)

WAYNE No, it's okay, Buzz! It's okay. He's a friend. He's a friend. Sort of. I think.

BUZZ (whines)

WAYNE

Jesus, Spegg, your legs.

SPEGG (pained)

I can heal.

WAYNE

You can? Do you, like, throw up on yourself or something?

SPEGG No. But need food. Quickly. Hand me some Russian.

WAYNE

(disgusted) Hand you some *Russian*?

AGGRO-SPEGG GIVE IT TO ME!

WAYNE Okay, okay!

[SFX: Gloppy goopy sounds]

WAYNE Ughh. Here's part of his... *face*.

[SFX: Spegg sloppy eating sounds]

WAYNE

Ohhh, come on. Uhh. No offense. But I'm just gonna... look over here while you do that.

SPEGG (munching)

Weak.

[SFX: Spegg sloppy eating sounds]

WAYNE Hey, uh... while you're *eating*...

SPEGG] (munching) What now.

WAYNE We're gonna to need to bring Buzz on our little trip.

SPEGG

(stops munching) No room for dog.

WAYNE We'll *make* room for dog.

SPEGG

Impossible. Get new dog in future.

WAYNE

The hell with that. Buzz just saved our lives if you didn't notice. If it wasn't for him, you'd probably be on your way to some Russian dissection lab right now.

SPEGG

None of that matter. Pod too small for three of us.

WAYNE Then we'll rip out one of the goddamn seats. He's going!

SPEGG

No.

WAYNE Fine. I'm not going then.

SPEGG

You no make sense. Do I need use Lilith?

WAYNE Are you kidding me? This shit again?

AGGRO-SPEGG USE THE LILITH!

THERE'S NO TIME FOR THIS!

WAYNE Go ahead. I don't care. I am *not* leaving Buzz.

BUZZ (barks)

(Uarks)

WAYNE I got you, buddy.

AGGRO-SPEGG ARGGHH! SICK OF THIS!

~BEGIN LILITH SOUND~

WAYNE (pained, screams) Stop it! (screams)

> BUZZ (barking)

AGGRO-SPEGG YOU LEAVE THE DOG BEHIND!

WAYNE (hard to speak) Fuck you!

[SFX: Lilith sound intensifies]

AGGRO-SPEGG LEAVE. THE. DOG!

WAYNE (really fighting it)

NOO!

(screams)

BUZZ

(barking crazy)

[SFX: Lilith sound intensifies]

AGGRO-SPEGG LEAVE IT! DOG DOESN'T MATTER!

WAYNE I said NOOOOO! FUUUCK. YOUUUU!

[SFX: Lilith sound shudders, static]

~END LILITH SOUND~

WAYNE I'm not leaving him.

SPEGG Gah. Didn't work.

WAYNE You're goddamn *right* it didn't.

SPEGG Fine. We make room in pod.

WAYNE

Jesus Christ. After all that? You know what? Whatever you implanted in my neck... you need to take that shit out.

> SPEGG Lilith.

WAYNE Yeah, that shit!

SPEGG

Not so easy. Need to cut out.

WAYNE

Then we cut it out.

SPEGG

Dangerous.

WAYNE Then it's dangerous!

SPEGG

Gah. We take out after trip. We need special equipment.

WAYNE Whatever. But, I'm not helping you until you take it out.

SPEGG

Gah. Fine.

BUZZ

(barks)

WAYNE

(Wayne's tone here is flat, tired. Not kind of the typical baby talk.) It's okay, Buzz. We're going soon.

> BUZZ (whines)

WAYNE. Can you walk, Spegg?

Your legs are looking better.

SPEGG Probably okay now.

[SFX: Spegg gets up]

WAYNE (Wayne is beginning to assert control with this line) Alright. Let's go then.

BUZZ

(barks)

[SFX: Footsteps]

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SPEGG Pod over here.

WAYNE

I see it. Are you sure that thing's functional?

[SFX: Footsteps]

SPEGG Some repair needed. But it repair itself.

WAYNE It can do that?

SPEGG I just told you it can.

WAYNE (Slightly annoyed, sighs) Whatever.

[SFX: Footsteps in orange goo]

WAYNE Ugh. I forgot about the orange goo. What is this shit, anyway? It's all over the place.

> SPEGG It make soft landing.

WAYNE That's what I thought. Like some kind of impact gel?

> SPEGG Sort of that.

WAYNE How do we get inside? The door's closed now. And I don't see any seams or-

> SPEGG Just wave to open.

WAYNE *Wave?* What, me?

SPEGG You. Go ahead.

WAYNE Okay. I'm waving...

> SPEGG More fast.

WAYNE Like this? [SFX: maybe arm with sleeve flapping in the air]

SPEGG More.

WAYNE

Uh...

Nothing's happening. Should I use two hands? Hello? It's not working.

BUZZ

(barks)

SPEGG (laughs)

WAYNE You're fucking with me.

SPEGG You really think wave open door?

WAYNE

I don't know, man! I don't know what the hell they do in the future!

SPEGG

Wave no work. Use badge for open door.

[SFX: Badge swipe] [SFX: Beep pattern, door slides open]

> SPEGG See? *Badge*.

WAYNE That is so stupid.

SPEGG You get used to it.

WAYNE Oh, believe me, I'm used to it.

SPEGG Time to go.

[SFX: Footsteps into pod]

ASTRID 17.3 Welcome back, S185709. All repairs have been completed.

SPEGG

Good. Detach pilot harness.

ASTRID 17.3

Please confirm that you would like to remove the pilot harness.

SPEGG Is confirmed.

ASTRID 17.3 Be advised that operating the bubble without a harness increases the risk of–

AGGRO-SPEGG DO IT!

[SFX: Click click]

ASTRID 17.3 Security bolts have been detached.

SPEGG

(grunts)

[SFX: Spegg removing the seat, tossing it]

SPEGG Okay, inside both of you.

WAYNE That's it? Taking out the seat took like two seconds. You hit me with the Lilith over *that*?

AGGRO-SPEGG JUST GET IN ALREADY!

[SFX: Wayne's body being stuff into the pod]

WAYNE (annoyed) Alright! Chill.

BUZZ

(barking)

WAYNE

It's okay, Buzz. You can sit on my lap.

[SFX: Wayne squirming around in his seat]

WAYNE

(not super sure about this) I had a Ford Fiesta that was bigger than this.

SPEGG *Fiesta?* This not party.

WAYNE No, I didn't mean... uh, never mind.

SPEGG

Small is good. We squeeze through wormhole.

WAYNE How are we gonna get this thing off the ground? Isn't an escape pod, like, a one-way trip?

> SPEGG This not escape pod.

WAYNE Okay, but there's no visible engines or anything. How does it achieve escape velocity? What kind of radiation shielding does–

> SPEGG Too many questions! Close door.

ASTRID 17.3 Closing...

[SFX: pod door close]

ASTRID 17.3 Exit hatch secured.

SPEGG Begin launch sequence.

[SFX: pod beeps stuff as Astrid configures launch sequence]

ASTRID 17.3 Ascent sequence initiated.

[SFX: lots of pod beeps and button clicks and stuff]

ASTRID 17.3 Ascent engine initialized. Hull integrity 100%.

[SFX: pod beeps and stuff]

BUZZ (barks in response to changing sounds)

WAYNE

It's okay, Buzz.

ASTRID 17.3 Departure trajectory and flight path installed.

[SFX: pod beeps and stuff]

WAYNE

(nervous) Hey, Uh... Shouldn't I be wearing a space helmet or something like that?

> SPEGG Just hold breath. You be fine.

WAYNE

What?!

ASTRID 17.3

Wormhole entry point calibration complete.

[SFX: pod beeps and pod ascent engine revving up sounds]

BUZZ (barks in response to changing sounds)

ASTRID 17.3 Engaging inertial dampeners.

[SFX: some kind of sci-fi inertial dampener sound]

SPEGG (excited) Time to leave.

CHILD-SPEGG (excited) Let's go!

WAYNE

You were kidding about me holding my breath, right?

[SFX: pod ascent engine revving up sounds louder]

WAYNE (nervous) *Right?*

SPEGG Maybe.

[SFX: pod ascent engine revving up sounds louder]

WAYNE Oh, shit! I can really feel that in my chest!

BUZZ

(barks)

WAYNE Hold on, Buzz!

ASTRID 17.3 Ready for ascent on your mark, S185709.

> SPEGG Ready, Astrid.

WAYNE Astrid?

ASTRID 17.3 Acknowledged.

ASTRID 17.3

Ascent in 5... 4...

WAYNE

(shocked out of it a bit, confused) Wait. Did you just say *Astrid*?

ASTRID 17.3 (still counting) ... 3... 2...

WAYNE (shouting to be heard) Hey! Is that the computer's name? Astrid?!?!!

ASTRID 17.3 (she knows him, but she's not emotional about it) It's been a long time, Wayne.

> WAYNE (loudly, totally in shock) Astrid? WHAT THE FUCK?!

ASTRID 17.3 ASCEND.

[SFX: internal noises sound and the repulsor engines wail]

END