

Wipe

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BLACK SCREEN

THUMP THUMP, THUMP THUMP.

The sound of a heartbeat, steady, but strong.

Then...

GAME WORLD

A calm arena, the quiet before the storm. Suddenly a shadow flies across the screen, a blur of motion, as the ROAR of a crowd starts to build.

ZION (V.O)
(in Korean)
Left left left!

WIPE (V.O)
Ult in 10, flanking

ZION (V.O)
Wipe Left!

BLACK SCREEN

THUMP THUMP, THUMP THUMP

INT. ARENA - NY EXCELSIOR COMPUTER BAY

The ROAR of the crowd is back. It's chaos.

SIX KOREAN MEN dressed in uniforms and wearing headsets, sit focused on computers in front of them. Their COACH, Korean, early 40's, stands further away. This is New York Excelsior.

Amongst the players are YANG "WIPE" SEUNG-WOO, 18, the E-sports LeBron James, and ZION, early 20's, A leader who knows he has power. They both scream into their headsets.

ZION
(in Korean)
Need healing

WIPE
(in Korean)
I got the flank!

(CONTINUED)

ZION
(Korean)
Heal!

SINCUBOUS
(in Korean)
On it!

SINCUBOUS, mid 20's, Korean, the only sane one here, sits next to Zion.

BLACK SCREEN

Thump Thump, Thump Thump

INT. ARENA - OVERHEAD - SECONDS LATER

The crowd returns, we see for the first time the magnitude of what is happening. It's a packed sold out arena, two teams, sitting at computer bays on stage play Overwatch as it is projected on a screen behind them. In the center of the stage is a large trophy.

CHRIS PUCKETT, BRENNON HOOK and JOSH WILKINSON, The Voices of The Overwatch League, are Commentating the match, excited and focused.

JOSH WILKINSON
What is Wipe doing?

BRENNON HOOK
He's going for that big play we know he wants

JOSH WILKINSON
In the finals?

BRENNON HOOK
It doesn't matter what game, Wipe wants one thing.

CHRIS PUCKETT
He's got Ult.

INT. ARENA - NY EXCELSIOR COMPUTER BAY - WIPE'S COMPUTER

CLOSE UP: Wipe stares at the screen, focused and confident.

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WIPE
 (in Korean)
 Going

ZION (O.S)
 (in Korean)
 Fuck! I'm dead.

JOSH WILKINSON (O.S)
 (over a loudspeaker)
 But there goes his DPS Zion.

SINCUBOUS (O.S)
 (In Korean)
 I'm about to drop.

BRENNON HOOK (O.S)
 He's going for it anyway.

WIPE
 (In Korean)
 I can win it.

ZION (O.S)
 (Korean)
 Don't!

The crowd starts chanting, WIPE, WIPE, WIPE, WIPE. Wipe smiles slightly.

WIPE
 (Korean)
 Mine.

INT. ARENA - NY EXCELSIOR COMPUTER BAY - CONTINUOUS

Everything goes slow, Zion is screaming into his headset, the coach is yelling toward the players. Time slows, Wipe is in the zone.

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)
 There he goes!

GAME WORLD

Six different CHAMPIONS all wearing London uniforms defend a Korean shrine from an unseen barrage. They are barely holding their own when suddenly.

MOIRA, A twisted female scientist, appears, materializing from smoke. She wears a New York uniform as she creates a beam of energy in her hands launching it toward her enemies.

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One by one as the commentators SCREAM, London's Champions fall.

BRENNON HOOK (O.S)
That's one, there's two, Triple,

JOSH WILKINSON (O.S)
He's going for it all.

CHRIS PUCKETT
Quad, right into the penta...

BRENNON HOOK (O.S)
Will he do it?!?

CHRIS PUCKETT
There it is. WIPE!

When Chris says Wipe, the crowd SCREAMS it out with him.

INT. ARENA - NY EXCELSIOR COMPUTER BAY - SIMULTANEOUS

Time goes from slow to reality as Wipe leans back victorious. His team looks shocked and thrilled, except Zion who can't hide that he harbors some resentment.

CHRIS PUCKETT
He's got the point, the clock ticks down. That's it!

BRENNON HOOK (O.S)
New York Excelsior does it!

A canon FIRES, confetti rains from the ceiling. The crowd ROARS its approval. Wipe's teammates stand and SCREAM in excitement. Wipe takes it all in, smug.

He looks at the crowd, loving every second of it. After a beat he stands and begins to walk toward the trophy.

His team sees him and quickly jogs to follow him, A member from the OPPOSING TEAM approaches Wipe.

OPPOSING TEAM PLAYER
Good Game.

The player extends his hand, Wipe shakes it dismissively and continues forward. His teammates much more grateful, shake the players hand.

Wipe reaches the trophy and lifts it high above his head in celebration.

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CROWD

Wipe! Wipe! Wipe! Wipe!

COACH (V.O)

Wipe.

CUT TO

INT. EXCELSIOR COACH'S OFFICE - DAY

Wipe sits in a black chair in front of a window, high above the city. He shakes out of a dream world and looks up. Wipe and his Coach speak Korean throughout.

COACH (O.S)

Did you hear what I said?

WIPE

(out of it)

Yeah. Traded.

The coach sits back and relaxes.

COACH

Great.

Wipe stands and goes to leave. He stops.

WIPE

Does the rest of the team know?

COACH

I told them this morning. Take some time to say goodbye, then you're moving down to the 4th floor.

WIPE

4th floor sir?

COACH

Florida Mayhem.

WIPE

(to himself)

You've got to be fucking kidding me.

COACH

Watch it Yang.

This strikes a nerve for Wipe.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE
Don't call me that.

His coach shoot him a look.

WIPE
(keeping calm)
Why Florida?

COACH
They wanted you and put up the
money for it.

Wipe takes this in. He nods and walks out of the office.

INT. EXCELSIOR BACK ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Wipe walks out of the office, a rage in his eyes. He stops, breathes, after a moment he continues on, focused.

INT. EXCELSIOR LIVING ROOM - MINUTES LATER

Wipe walks out of a bedroom pulling a suitcase and carrying a backpack.

He looks up and sees his teammates standing waiting for him. Sincubous walks up to him and extends his hand. They speak Korean throughout.

SINCUBOUS
Good luck.

Wipe looks at him disgusted and continues forward.

ZION
(to another teammate)
And he wonders why we traded him.

The other teammates LAUGH. Wipe stops.

WIPE
What do you mean we? This was
coaches call.

ZION
No Wipe. This was all of our call.
We've been asking for this for
weeks. Newsflash Mr. "I'm the
best", we all can't stand you.

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WIPE

Just remember I'm the reason you
even won finals Zion.

ZION

Right Wipe, cause you're the
greatest Overwatch player ever.
None of us are your equals... Smug
son of a bitch.

WIPE

It's gonna be a pleasure kicking
your ass next season.

ZION

On Florida? Please. You'll be lucky
if you get a win.

WIPE

We'll see.

Wipe turns and walks away. He opens the front door to the
apartment and walks out, SLAMMING it behind him.

INT. OVERWATCH PLAYER'S BUILDING - EXCELSIOR FLOOR -
CONTINUOUS

Wipe stands outside the door of the Excelsior apartment. For
the first time showing emotion, he's hurt and angry and all
the things one feels when they're betrayed.

Wipe takes a breath and goes back to stone faced. He presses
the down button and waits. The elevator doors open.

Wipe looks at the Excelsior team flag one last time. He
places a hand on it and walks into the elevator.

The doors start to close and Wipe lets out a SCREAM of rage.
The doors close.

MATCH CUT

INT. OVERWATCH PLAYERS BUILDING - MAYHEM FLOOR - SECONDS
LATER

The doors reopen to the floor of Florida Mayhem. The
elevator bay looks the same, with Florida flags instead.

Wipe calmly walks out of the elevator and toward the Florida
apartment. He opens the door and walks inside.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Wipe takes a step into the room and stops.

WIPE

You've got to be fucking kidding
me.

Wipe looks around at the absolute disaster that is the Florida Mayhem apartment. A stark contrast to Excelsior's. Take out boxes line the floor, beer everywhere, it looks like a frat apartment after a rager.

On the couch asleep is RYU "NONSTOP" JI-TAE, mid 20's, Korean, a barely functioning alcoholic. He's gripping an empty 40 while on TV is a twitch stream of MORGAN "GENISUS" GRAY, 17, White, a professional rage quitter.

GENISUS (O.S)

(from the TV)

That's right you dumb Mother
Fucker!

Out of a bedroom, ABEL "Ssavior" CORREA, 19, Hispanic, an upstart looking to prove himself, enters. He is currently very hungover and wearing only boxers. He picks up the remote and turns off the TV.

SSAVIOR

Stupid white boy, too early in the
morning for this shit.

Ssavior goes to walk back to bed but sees Wipe.

SSAVIOR

Oh shit.

Ssavior runs back into his room, embarrassed. Wipe puts his bag on the floor, turns and walks out of the apartment.

Ssavior runs back in the room, pulling on clothes.

SSAVIOR

(excitedly)

Hey, sorry about that, I'm...

Ssavior sees no one is in the room.

SSAVIOR (CONT'D)

Savior...

He stands there, disappointed.

INT. DELI - A FEW MINUTES LATER

A six pack of root beer hits the counter.

WIPE (O.S)

How much?

Wipe is in a deli across from the DELI OWNER, early 40's, at the counter. The owner scans the root beer.

DELI OWNER

Ten.

Wipe pulls out a debit card and puts it in the card reader. After a moment a NEGATIVE BEEP. Wipe looks surprised.

The deli owner doesn't even look at the card reader.

DELI OWNER

Card declined.

WIPE

That's not possible.

DELI OWNER

Try again.

Wipe puts his card in again. Same NOISE.

DELI OWNER

Nope.

WIPE

One sec.

Wipe steps away as another CUSTOMER steps up to take his place.

Wipe pulls out his phone. He dials and puts it to his ear. After a moment...

INT. WIPE'S FAMILY HOME - KOREA - SIMULTANEOUS

WIPE'S MOTHER, late 40's, more manager than parent, answers. She sits in a well decorated, expensive looking house.

WIPE'S MOTHER

(Korean)

Hello?

INT. DELI

We inter cut back and forth throughout the conversation.
They speak Korean for the duration of the call.

WIPE

Hello Mother, how are you?

WIPE'S MOTHER

Yang, I'm doing well. You?

WIPE

Little bit stressed, my card just declined.

WIPE'S MOTHER

Ahhh, yes, your father and I had to make some repairs to the house so we used some of the money.

WIPE

Did you save any?

WIPE'S MOTHER

Of course we did Yang, but that money has to stay in the business account.

WIPE

The one only you have access to.

WIPE'S MOTHER

Yes. We wouldn't want you misspending our money.

Wipe is furious and hurt but he doesn't let on in his face.

WIPE'S MOTHER (CONT'D)

Just use the card the team gives you for now until your first paycheck.

WIPE

Yes Ma'am

WIPE'S MOTHER

Good, Talk to you soon.

WIPE

Yes Ma'am.

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WIPE'S MOTHER
Oh... Happy belated birthday.

WIPE
Thank you mother.

WIPE'S MOTHER
Goodbye.

Wipe's mom hangs up and Wipe is left in a whirlwind. He shakes his head, unable to process everything, and walks out of the deli.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - A FEW MINUTE LATER

Ssavior is cleaning up a bit, moving slow. He is assisted by LIANG "Warrencrown" YANG, 20, Chinese, would have made a killer politician if she didn't love video games. She looks way less hungover than Ssavior, Nonstop is still asleep.

Wipe walks in and stops.

WIPE
Where's my room?

Ssavior and Warrencrown look over.

SSAVIOR
Oh hey, welcome back... I'm not sure it-

WARRENCROWN
It's down the hall, it says on the door.

Wipe nods and makes his way down the hall. Ssavior talks after him.

SSAVIOR
I'm really glad you're here dude.
With you on the team, Florida
Mayhem is gonna be...

Wipe walks into his room and SLAMS the door.

WARRENCROWN (CONT'D)
Well then...

Warrencrown shakes her head and Ssavior gets back to cleaning with her.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER.

Wipe sits down hard on his bed. The weight of everything from the last hour hitting him at once. His eyes start to water. For a moment giving into his emotion, then...

Wipe shakes his head and SLAPS himself in the face, GRUNTING, he focuses and takes a deep breath.

WIPE

Okay.

Wipe pulls his phone out and dials.

WIPE

Peter. It's me. I need to make some changes to my account. Starting with who's able to access it.

SEQUENCE

Wipe opens one of his bags.

Clothes are tossed to the side. Wipe's old team shirt hits the floor a moment later.

Wipe pulls on a casual black shirt.

Wipe drops a large bag on his bed. He opens it.

A small TV is set up on a dresser

Chords are plugged into the TV

The chords are run down to a plug in the wall

END SEQUENCE

Wipe stands back and admires his set up, Wipe looks over at his bed where his Florida Mayhem shirt is. He looks at it for a moment.

CHARLIE (O.S)

Wipe...

Wipe turns to see CHARLIE JAMES, mid to late 20's, white, a coach on his last legs, standing in the room.

WIPE

Oh... Charlie.

They stand their awkwardly for a moment.

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CHARLIE
Okay... So- I just- WIPE

A beat.

CHARLIE
Welcome to Florida Mayhem,
Practices are Monday and Wed-

WIPE
Wait.

CHARLIE
What.

WIPE
Are we just... Not gonna address
the elephant in the room?

Charlie takes a breath.

CHARLIE
You're an asshole. I wish we would
have picked literally any other
support in the entire league over
you. I suggested seven. This is in
no way a decision I stand behind
and am totally prepared to fight
with you every single day if I have
to.

WIPE
So why am I here?

CHARLIE
The new owner likes you.

Wipe takes this in.

CHARLIE
Now... Unfortunate as it is, we are
stuck together for the rest of the
season. I would prefer if we worked
together rather than trying to rip
each other apart.

WIPE
You just called me an asshole.

CHARLIE
I had to get it out.

WIPE

Fair enough. (In Korean) Asshole.

Charlie smirks. He extends his hand to Wipe.

CHARLIE

Can we do this?

Wipe hesitates for a moment.

WIPE

Don't tell me what to do.

CHARLIE

I'm your coach.

WIPE

I'm in charge.

CHARLIE

Good luck with that.

They stare at each other.

CHARLIE

Either we work together or we spend the whole season losing. No playoffs, no payout, nothing.

Wipe takes a deep breath, frustrated.

WIPE

Fine.

He shakes Charlie's hand. They let go.

CHARLIE

Let's go meet the team.

Charlie turns and opens Wipe's bedroom door. He walks out. Wipe hesitates for a beat before following him.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Charlie leads Wipe down the hall and into the living room to find...

Ssavior and Warren Crown standing together, Nonstop now awake and ROBERT "GEM" MCDONALD, early 20's, A thinker rather than a doer, sits on the couch. ROE "SMILEY" YOUNG-JIN, 17, A young Korean Richard Nixon, temper and all, sitting on a window sill. They all stare at Wipe as he walks in.

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Wipe looks around, judging the room.

WIPE

Hi.

Ssavior waves meekly, the rest of the group continue to stare.

WIPE

My name's Wipe, I'm your new team captain -

WARRENCROWN

Whoa.

GEM

When was this call made?

CHARLIE

Calm down.

WIPE

Is there an issue with that?

NONSTOP

(in Korean)
What's going on?

SSAVIOR

Guys maybe lets -

CHARLIE

(in Korean)
This is Wipe, He's the newest addition to the team.

WIPE

Cause I'm the only one in this room that's won a game in this league -

GEM

(overlapping)
Oh fuck you.

(to Charlie)

-And if you're gonna translate do it right.

Wipe turns to Nonstop and Smiley.

WIPE

(In Korean)
I'm Wipe. I'm your new Team Captain.

NONSTOP

(In Korean)
What?

WIPE
 (In Korean)
 Why is everyone so surprised by
 this?

The room erupts into chaos. Smiley moves toward Wipe.

WARRENCROWN
 (To Charlie)
 What did he say?

SMILEY
 (Korean)
 You think you can just come
 in here and take over?

CHARLIE
 Let's relax (Korean) Yang, knock it
 off.

WARRENCROWN
 Don't tell me to relax
 Charlie

WIPE
 (Korean)
 Don't call me Yang and Yeah
 I do.

SMILEY
 (Korean)
 Fuck you.

SSAVIOR
 Guys.

CHARLIE
 That's not what I meant.

WIPE
 (Korean)
 I'm the best Player, why shouldn't
 I be captain?

CHARLIE
 (Korean)
 Wipe that's enough.

WARRENCROWN
 Fuck this.

NONSTOP
 (Korean)
 Fuck this.

Warrencrown and Nonstop go toward their bedrooms.

CHARLIE
 Liang, Ryu come on.

Warrencrown and Nonstop continue walking, Nonstop flips
 Charlie off.

The doors SLAM as Smiley suddenly lunges for Wipe, who's not paying attention. Ssavior grabs Smiley.

SSAVIOR

Whoa!

Charlie turns and sees what is happening.

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Roe What the Fuck.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Who the hell does this guy think he is?

WIPE

(Korean)

One of the best players in the world you Bronze scrub.

SMILEY

(Korean)

At least I didn't get traded you self centered prick!

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Roe!

Smiley stops struggling. He looks at Charlie.

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Take a walk.

SMILEY

(Korean)

But...

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Take a walk!

Smiley glares at Charlie, then at Wipe. He shrugs off Ssavior and HUFFS toward the front door of the apartment.

As he approaches the door, RILEY MATHEWS, early 20's, the trust fund owner of Florida Mayhem, opens the door. Smiley storms past him.

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RILEY
Hey Smiley!

Smiley walks to the staircase entrance. He opens it and leaves.

RILEY
Alright.

Riley walks in and shuts the door. He looks around smiling, not at all aware of the tone of the room.

RILEY
Wipe!

Riley excitedly goes over to Wipe. Riley grabs Wipes hand and shakes it. Wipe is uncomfortable.

RILEY
I'm so glad we got you. It took a lot but I told them, anything for Wipe, I don't care what they ask for you get him on this team, and here you are! It's great. Right Charlie.

Charlie stands a bit away, frustrated.

CHARLIE
Yeah Riley. It's great.

Riley smiles.

RILEY
So..

Riley plops down on the couch. He uncomfortably lifts a napkin and puts it on a table nearby.

RILEY
What's next?

Everyone looks at Riley for a moment. A CRASH is heard.

CUT TO

INT. NONSTOP'S ROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

A shattered bottle drops to the floor having just been hurled into a wall.

Nonstop grabs a new bottle off his desk and cracks it open. He drinks from it. He pauses for a moment, fuming.

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NONSTOP
(Korean)
Fuck!

He drinks again. There is a slight KNOCK at his door. He walks over and slightly cracks it open. He sees who it is and opens the door.

Warrencrown walks in, also pissed. She looks to the wall and sees the stain from where the bottle hit.

WARRENCROWN
Waste of alcohol if you ask me.

Nonstop GRUNTS. Warrencrown pulls out her phone and opens an app. She speaks into the phone.

WARRENCROWN
This sucks. He's an asshole.

After a moment the phone translates what she says into Korean.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
Yes, he's...

Warrencrown stops him. She presses a button on the phone. She nods, they both chuckle slightly.

NONSTOP
(Korean, into the phone)
Yes, he's a complete douche.

The phone translates. Warrencrown LAUGHS. Nonstop reaches for the phone again. She holds it out and he presses it.

NONSTOP
(Korean, into the phone)
However, if we can work with him we might be able to actually win this year.

The phone translates. Warrencrown takes a breath. She presses the phone.

WARRENCROWN
Is it even worth it at that point?

The phone translates. Warrencrown laughs to herself.

WARRENCROWN
This is ridiculous.

Nonstop taps on the phone

NONSTOP
(Korean)
If I'm doing it with you, I think
it is.

The phone translates. Warrencrown looks at Nonstop, they smile. A moment. Then.

WARRENCROWN
(pushing the phone)
We should probably get back out
there before Charlie comes and
yells at us.

The phone translates. Nonstop nods and takes another swig of his drink before placing it on his desk. He crosses to the door with Warrencrown behind him. He opens the door and lets her out first.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Nonstop walks behind Warrencrown back toward the living room.

CHARLIE (O.S)
Well we need another player.

RILEY (O.S)
What about Gem?

CHARLIE (O.S)
Gem sucks.

GEM (O.S)
Ouch.

CHARLIE (O.S)
Sorry. It's true.

GEM (O.S)
I know.

Nonstop gets to the living room and looks around.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
What's going on.

(CONTINUED)

A beat. Everyone looks at him before Charlie takes a step toward him.

CHARLIE

(Korean)

We're short a player and we have no money to get a new one.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Oh.

Charlie starts to turn around.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

I might know someone.

Charlie stops and looks at Nonstop.

INT. GENISUS BEDROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

A camera is set up to film Genisus, the streamer Nonstop was watching, sitting at his desk playing Overwatch.

PULL OUT TO REVEAL

GAME WORLD

The face cam is in the corner of a computer screen. On the rest of the screen Genisus is playing as Soldier 76. He is dominating, getting kills left and right. The screen is chaotic, his eyes darting all around to keep up.

After a moment his Champion is shot from seemingly no where. He dies.

GENISUS

Fuck!

Genisus takes his mouse and throws it across the room. It shatters. He stands

GENISUS

That was bullshit, 24 fucking kills and shot by a Widowmaker.

He kicks his chair.

PULL OUT TO REVEAL

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

The Florida Mayhem group, save Smiley, watch Genisus' stream.

GENISUS (O.S)
Fucking bitch. Where's my spare controller.

WIPE
You have got to be kidding me.

CHARLIE
He's good.

SSAVIOR
And an asshole.

CHARLIE
We don't really have a lot of options.

GENISUS (O.S)
Ma where's my spare controller.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
I know he's a bit much but he's good.

CHARLIE
(Korean)
Agreed

WIPE
(Korean)
I don't want him.

CHARLIE
I don't particularly care.

Riley walks away and starts to work on his smart phone. Gem looks around.

GEM
Who here has the most followers on Twitch?

WIPE
(Korean)
Charlie, I'm not gonna play with him.

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CHARLIE

(Korean)

If we get him, yes you are.

(English) Why Gem?

GEM

We could probably get some good publicity if we made an event of it. Invited him to the team by donating to the stream. If we use the biggest account on the team it'll look more legit.

Everyone is silent for a moment. They look at Gem, surprised.

GEM

What? I may suck at the game but I'm not an idiot.

Riley looks to Charlie. Charlie talks while walking over to Riley.

RILEY

Charlie?

CHARLIE

It could work if he's really the one you want to go with.

RILEY

He is.

CHARLIE

We could look at other streamers.

RILEY

No, I want him.

CHARLIE

Why?

RILEY

The number one Overwatch player in the world with the top Overwatch streamer in the world. It'd be legendary, we'd be so cool.

Charlie sighs. He turns to the team.

CHARLIE

Who here has the most followers.
(In Korean) Who here has the most followers?

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Smiley walks back in from outside. Everyone points to him.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Why's everyone pointing at me?

PAN: FROM SMILEY TO THE COMPUTER AGAIN.

Genisus walks back in his room with a mouse still in the box. He calls out his door.

GENISUS
Yeah, I'll just order a new one on Amazon!

Genisus walks back to the computer, pulling the mouse out of it's box.

GENISUS
Alright alright.

Genisus plugs the mouse in. He moves it around and turns to a second computer where he's streaming.

GENISUS
Alright, gonna read out some donos while we wait for the next one.

Genisus starts to read.

GENISUS
CryogenicNight thank you for the five. "Have you ever thought about going pro?" Pft no.

Genisus scrolls and chuckles slightly.

GENISUS
Warrencrown is a slut69, nice, thanks for the five "Keep owning those bitches Genisus" will do bud.

Genisus scrolls again. He stops.

GENISUS
Smiley... umm, Smiley thanks for the 50, shit. "Well we were gonna offer you a...

He stops.

GENISUS

No fucking way. Nah, you're fucking with me.

Genisus leans into his computer looking at it. He starts to LAUGH.

GENISUS

What the fuck.

Genisus looks at the camera.

GENISUS

Yo smiley, don't be fucking with me.

The donation sound plays again. Genisus looks over at his computer.

GENISUS

"Nah. no jokes. Come play with Mayhem". Bro!

Genisus gets up and freaks out.

GENISUS

Yo this is fucking insane. Yes. Dude yes, when? Where? Lets Fucking go!

PULL OUT TO REVEAL

INT. LOW BUDGET SPORTS NEWS STUDIO - AFTERNOON

ALEX COLE, early 20's, a shark in sheep's clothing, always looking for the next story, sits at a desk staring at the camera.

ALEX COLE

This was the scene last night when Smiley raided Genisus' stream to offer him a position on Florida Mayhem. We reached out to Florida coach Charlie James who confirmed the offer was legit and Florida is very excited to be hiring another attack dog for their roster. Can a streamer whose never played in the pro league team up with a fallen champion in Wipe for a winning combo? We'll have to see as...

CUT TO BLACK

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

KNOCK KNOCK KNOCK.

PAN: FROM A NOW TURNED OFF TV TO CHARLIE

Charlie places the remote down and walks toward the door. A KNOCK is heard, impatient in nature. Charlie picks up his pace slightly.

Charlie opens the door for Genisus, standing outside the door holding a suitcase and a backpack. He looks like a kid in a candy store.

CHARLIE
Genisus, glad you could make it.

GENISUS
Are you kidding me? Thank you this
is fucking lit.

Charlie steps aside to let Genisus into the apartment.

CHARLIE
Bedrooms are down the hall, yours
has your name on it. You can drop
your stuff there and I'll walk you
to the Mayhem bay.

GENISUS
What's the Mayhem bay.

Charlie takes a deep breath.

CHARLIE
Practice.

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - MINUTES LATER

The team each sit at their designated computers. Most have their team Jersey on, Wipe and Genisus do not. Charlie stands looking at them all.

CHARLIE
Alright, our first official
practice of season two. Now I know
last season wasn't the best for us
but I fully expect to turn things
around this year. As many of you
know we have two new players

(MORE)

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CHARLIE (cont'd)
joining us to replace ARC and
FallenNerd. Wipe taking over on
support.

WIPE
And shot calling.

CHARLIE
Wipe taking over as support. And
Genisus joining us as DPS. Now it's
been a while since we've played as
a team so listen to each other.
This isn't about individual score,
it's about winning as a team. We
can't do that if we don't work
together. Warrencrown, load us in.

Warrencrown nods and turns to her computer. Charlie turns to
the others.

CHARLIE
(in Korean)
First practice of season two...

Charlie's voice fades into the background as Genisus looks
around. He catches Ssavivors eye, he smiles and Ssavior
glares and turns away. Genisus looks slightly taken aback.

Wipe CRACKS his knuckles and sets up at the computer. Wipe
smiles to himself and leans into his computer. He presses a
few buttons and stops.

On his screen Moira stands, posing in her New York Excelsior
skin. With a click Wipe changes it to the Florida Mayhem
skin. He looks disappointed.

Gem spins around in his chair not really paying attention.

CHARLIE
Gem.

GEM
Hm?

CHARLIE
Might wanna practice too.

Gem rolls his eyes and turns to his computer.

GEM
Fine.

Charlie goes to say something but is interrupted.

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WARRENCROWN

Loading in.

CHARLIE

Alright guys work together. I'll keep an eye on you but you make the calls.

GENISUS

So wait... we have no like official shot caller?

SSAVIOR

No...

WIPE

Well what a brilliant idea.

CHARLIE

No one needs to be the shot caller, guys it's okay, just work together and get the win.

GEM

Cause that's worked out so well in the past.

CHARLIE

Gem.

Gem throws his hands up in feign surrender.

CHARLIE

Alright, you're on defense work together to choose...

WIPE

Moira

GENISUS

76

CHARLIE

Team composition.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Orisa.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Widow.

(CONTINUED)

SSAVIOR

We need some more damage, Smiley
can you go Junk?

Silence.

SSAVIOR

You can't understand me. Charlie
can you tell Smiley to go Junk?

CHARLIE

I can't translate during games.

SSAVIOR

Ugggg.

WIPE

(in Korean)

Smiley, Savor wants you to go Junk.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Hell no. I'm always the sniper.

WIPE

He says no.

SSAVIOR

Awesome.

GENISUS

5 seconds.

WARRENCROWN

I guess I'm going Dva.

GENISUS

Wow big surprise.

WARRENCROWN

Oh fuck you newbie.

SSAVIOR

Back off hick.

GENISUS

Whoa what's your issue.

SSAVIOR

You bro, we all worked our asses
off to be here and you scream like
a child on camera and get a free
pass?

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE
Savior relax.

GENISUS
Yeah relax bro.

CHARLIE
Genesis.

WARRENCROWN
Fuck off dude.

CHARLIE
All of you enough!

Silence.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)
We need at least 15 wins to have a chance at playoffs, 10 for Riley to keep this team in the league and I don't know how we're gonna even play in week one if you all can't communicate past the fucking start screen.

GEM
We got time Charlie.

Charlie glares at Gem.

INT. SMALL ARENA - FLORIDA MAYHEM WAITING AREA - DAY

The team stands assembled backstage in a smaller arena waiting to go on stage.

GEM
Yeah... Maybe I was wrong.

CHARLIE
Thank you Gem for that incredible insight.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BROADCAST BOOTH - SIMULTANEOUS

Chris Puckett, Brennon Hook, Josh Wilkinson and SOE GSCHWIND, A talented brilliant woman often butted out by her male coworkers, sit at a broadcast desk facing a camera with the audience behind them.

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CHRIS PUCKETT

Hello and welcome to another exciting season of the Overwatch League, I'm your host Chris Puckett and with me as always to call the action, Brennon "Bren" Hook, Josh "Sideshow" Wilkinson and our newest addition to the broadcast booth, Soe Gschwind!

BRENNON HOOK

Happy to be back.

SOE GSCHWIND

Thrilled to be -

JOSH WILKINSON

And look at this crowd.

The crowd ROARS its approval.

JOSH WILKINSON (CONT'D)

Amazing. Now just to remind everyone at home, this season is a little different.

CHRIS PUCKETT

That's right Josh. This year we have 20 teams competing in 28 matches instead of 40 so if last season is any indicator teams will need at least 18 wins to be serious contenders. The top 6 teams and two representatives from a wildcard tournament will compete in the playoffs to determine this years World Champion. With bragging rights and 5 million dollars on the line, will New York Excelsior rise to the challenge or will another team step up to the plate. Guys thoughts?

BRENNON HOOK

Honestly Chris it could be anybody.

JOSH WILKINSON

No way Bren. New York Excelsior has already got it in the bag. With the ego of Wipe gone they're even stronger then last year.

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SOE

I actually think that there are a few of the newer teams that might be interesting to watch, and I always like a good underdog story. I've got my eye on Florida

JOSH WILKINSON

Mayhem? A bad team with an ego joining them?

SOE

Who knows, and they're not bad, they've got a really solid team with the two new additions to a strong squad of individuals. All they need is a captain to really pull them together.

JOSH WILKINSON

We'll see.

CHRIS PUCKETT

Some controversial opinions up here. Exciting stuff to start off season two. Lets kick it off shall we!

The crowd again ROARS.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - SIMULTANEOUS

The team continues to nervously pace around. Except Wipe who's scrolling through twitter.

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)

(over the loudspeaker)

First up... The San Fransisco Shock!!

CHEERS are heard outside, Florida all look to the stage. Wipe puts his phone away and grabs his gear.

CHARLIE

Here we go.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Another year, another chance to suck.

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE
(Korean)
Not now Ryu.

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)
(over a loudspeaker)
And now, their opponent, the
Florida Mayhem!!

The team walks out of backstage and onto...

THE STAGE

Like before two computer banks are set up on either side. Florida walks to the center of the stage. As they do they are greeted by less then stellar cheers. Two FAN BOYS call out to the passing players.

FAN BOY 1
Come on Wipe!

FAN BOY 2
Hey Warrencrown, you have to fuck
Wipe to keep your spot?

FAN BOY 1
Oh yeah haha (Racist "Sexy Asian"
voice) Dva ready for combat sir.

Both fan boys crack up. Wipe looks at Warrencrown who looks extremely uncomfortable but trying to hide it.

The team makes it to center stage. They stand next to the opposing team, The San Francisco Shock. After a moment of standing the teams make their way to their respective computer banks.

Nonstop looks over at Warrencrown, he shoots her a questioning thumbs up, she nods but he doesn't look convinced.

Charlie watches from backstage nervous.

CHARLIE
Okay... Here we go.

Wipe puts his headset on.

WIPE
Alright, just keep them busy and
I'll make things happen.

(CONTINUED)

SSAVIOR

Oh... Okay.

GENISUS

So the plan is everyone else is
bait.

Wipe looks at Genisus.

WIPE

Yeah.

GENISUS

Okay.

Genisus puts on his headset. Everyone preps at their
computer. Wipe takes a deep breath.

CUT TO

GAME WORLD

An absolute war zone. Three Florida Mayhem Champions dash in
different directions in a panic as a gigantic gorilla,
WINSTON, dressed in a San Fransisco Shock shirt, slams down
where they stood.

One of the Florida Champions is immediately brought down by
a sniper's bullet. The other two, the Moira from the
championship and TORBJORN, a modern day forge master, both
in Florida uniforms.

Moira turns to the Torbjorn but before she can say anything,
a hook wraps around his waste and yanks him away. Moira
doesn't stick around to see what's next as she disappears
into shadows which swiftly fly across the field.

The shadows desperately search for a place to go, forcing
themselves through a falling Florida Knight. The shadows
converge on a spot and Moria reappears, but right as she
does a sniper bullet hits her head and she drops.

WIPE (O.S)

Come on!

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - SIMULTANEOUS

Wipe slams his hand down hard.

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WIPE

Where is everyone!

WARRENCROWN

Dead, You keep going in alone.

WIPE

Well I need you to not die every 5 seconds.

WARRENCROWN

Kinda hard when we're all split up.

CUT TO

A WEEK LATER

Title Card: Week Two

The Mayhem team is playing a different team. They're struggling just as much.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

(over loudspeaker)

And things are not looking good for Florida here in week two.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Whats the plan guys, we're gonna lose.

WIPE

(Korean)

Stop dying.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Oh thanks.

GENISUS

Shield behind. I'm gonna die.

CUT TO

THE NEXT WEEK

Title Card: Week Three.

Mayhem are again facing a new team. Still being absolutely destroyed. Genisus looks like he's on his last nerve.

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GENISUS

Fuck.

WIPE

No!

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)

Oh and that's the game right there.
A tough third loss for Florida
Mayhem.

GENISUS

God Damn it!

Genisus throws his keyboard at the ground. It shatters. He storms off. Wipe drops his head into his hands. The noise of the world becomes overwhelming until...

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

The team sits, devastated around the living room. Charlie walks in.

WARRENCROWN

Well?

CHARLIE

Well, they're fining the team 1,000
dollars for Genisus conduct and we
got creamed so...

Silence. No one knows what to say.

After a moment, Wipe gets up, he walks toward his bedroom.

CHARLIE

Where are you going?

WIPE

To get some rest, I'm fucking
exhausted.

CHARLIE

Wipe.

Wipe ignores him and walks into the bedroom. He SLAMS the door behind him.

Charlie lets out a frustrated HUFF.

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CHARLIE

I can't... Get some sleep.

Charlie begins walking toward his room.

CHARLIE

Week three!

Charlie exits to his room, SSmiley follows suit as Nonstop walks to the kitchen and grabs a beer. He cracks it and walks to his room. Warrencrown is close behind him.

Genisus looks up to see Gem looking at him.

GENISUS

What?

Gem sighs and stands up.

GEM

Stop acting like a brat and maybe people would start to like you Genisus.

Gem leaves and Genisus remains on the couch. He buries his head back in his hands.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

Wipe hits his bed with a THUD. He lets out a deep breath. After a moment, his phone BUZZES. He looks at it.

It's his mother, Wipe lets the phone buzz for a moment. He answers. They speak Korean throughout the conversation.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

Yang Seung-Woo, how dare you!?

WIPE

Hello mother.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

You took us off your account.

WIPE

Yes... I did.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

I knew we never should have sent you to America to play this ridiculous game.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Mother -

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

and Now on top of it you're losing.

WIPE

Thank you for reminding me.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

Disrespecifal boy. You do know what happens if you run out of money correct?

WIPE

Yes...

WIPE'S MOTHER

We were on that account to protect you from making foolish decisions but now it seems that you coming home and working with your Father is the best decision...

WIPE

No!

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

Do not raise your voice at me Yang.

WIPE

I'm sorry.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

Sorry? You don't know what it means to be sorry...

Wipe moves the phone away from his ear.

WIPE'S MOTHER (CONT'D)

When you get home your father and I are going to have a serious talk with you about this attitude young man. I can't believe...

Wipe hits the end call button. The noise stops. After a moment Wipe's phone BUZZES again. He ignores it.

Wipe turns on his TV

On TV is Alex Cole in her studio. She is talking to Zion and a translator. They sit across the desk from each other laughing about something. The under card reads "Zion, Team Captain of New York Excelsior, potential league MVP?"

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ALEX COLE
That's a great point Zion.

ZION
(Korean)
Thank you.

The translator translates.

ALEX COLE
So... Coming off that blowout
victory how is the team feeling?
Especially with a new support in
FallenNerd.

ZION
(Korean)
It's a great feeling. Especially
not having to deal with that
asshole Wipe.

TRANSLATOR
It's a great feeling. We do however
wish the best for our former
teammate Wipe.

Wipe turns off the TV and takes another deep breath. He
pulls up his phone and opens his contacts. He calls someone,
for a moment he sits listening to the RINGING.

After a beat...

SINCUBOUS (V.O)
(half asleep, in Korean)
Hello?

WIPE
Sincubous.

INT. EXCELSIOR APARTMENT - SINCUBOUS ROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

Sincubous sits up in bed. We inter cut between the two, they
speak Korean though the conversation.

SINCUBOUS
Wipe.

A beat. Wipe takes a moment.

WIPE
How are you?

(CONTINUED)

SINCUBOUS

Oh so now you want to be friends?

A beat, Wipe is caught.

WIPE

About that... I wanted to say... I shouldn't have let Zion get me all riled, it's just when...

SINCUBOUS

There you go again, blaming everyone else.

WIPE

What are you talking about?

SINCUBOUS

Why do you think none of us could stand you by the time you left Wipe? Cause you were better then us?

WIPE

Well... I mean yes, that -

SINCUBOUS

No! You self centered dick, it's cause of this, cause you always make it about you and how everyone else did you wrong.

WIPE

That's not...

SINCUBOUS

What? True?

Silence. Wipe is hit with the reality of Sincubous' words.

SINCUBOUS

Look, what's done is done Wipe. Just try not to fuck up with this team like you did with your last one.

WIPE

... I will.

SINCUBOUS

Okay... Goodnight.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Sincubous

SINCUBOUS

Yeah?

WIPE

I'm... I shouldn't have been... I wish I could go...

SINCUBOUS

Yeah... me too. I wish we could have played like we did when we first got here.

WIPE

Yeah... It was fun then... Anyway, good luck... with the rest of the season.

SINCUBOUS

Thanks. You too.

Sincubous hangs up. Wipe is left alone, hurt and afraid. He curls up, emotional.

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - LATER

Wipe tosses and turns in bed. Unable to sleep. He falls onto his back and sighs. After a moment he gets out of bed.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Wipe walks in rubbing his eyes, the sound of OVERWATCH can be faintly heard. Wipe spots Genisus, wearing his headset and sitting at a computer, playing.

Genisus dies and tenses up. He starts to pick up his keyboard but stops himself. He places it back down and takes a deep breath.

GENISUS

(to himself)

Fuck.

He goes back to focusing on the screen. Wipe walks toward him and sits. Genisus notices him and pulls off his headset.

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GENISUS

Hey...

WIPE

Don't worry about me.

Wipe starts to boot up the computer next to Genisus. Genisus goes back to playing but leaves one ear of his headset off.

GENISUS

Couldn't sleep either?

WIPE

Yeah.

Genisus nods. Wipe waits for the computer to turn on as he watches. For the first time, he notices it, Genisus is good.

As Genisus plays, his champion, Soldier 76, darts across the screen, moving in a blur. Barely missing a single shot, racking up kill after kill. There's a calmness to the chaos.

Suddenly Genisus's avatar is shot from behind and killed.

WIPE

You should have used the heal.

GENISUS

I didn't think I needed it.

WIPE

Better to use it and live then save it and die.

GENISUS

Yeah I guess...

A moment.

WIPE

When you're done, do you wanna duo together?

GENISUS

Uh... yeah sure. I can just quit out.

WIPE

Nah finish the match I can wait.

Wipe sits back and continues to watch.

CUT TO

A FEW MINUTES LATER

Wipe and Genisus are both glued to their screens, headsets on and fingers moving fast.

 GENISUS
Heal.

 WIPE
One sec.

 GENISUS
I'm gonna die.

 WIPE
I almost got...

 GENISUS
Dead.

 WIPE
Got the tank.

Genisus sits back waiting to respawn. Wipe keeps playing before getting swarmed by enemy players.

 WIPE
Where was everyone?

 GENISUS
With me... dead cause we only have
one healer.

 WIPE
I'm healing.

 GENISUS
Barely.

 WIPE
I had to take out the tank.

 GENISUS
No, you wanted to take out the
tank.

 WIPE
I'm sensing some attitude.

 GENISUS
Just trying to win.

A moment. The two boys focus playing in silence.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE
Watch flank.

GENISUS
I see em.

WIPE
They're pushing.

GENISUS
Going. Oh boy that's a lot of
damage.

WIPE
Here.

Wipe hits a key.

GENISUS
That's all I needed.

IN-GAME VOICE
Triple kill.

GENISUS
There we go!

WIPE
Get the point.

GENISUS
On it.

WIPE
Three, Two, one. That's it.

IN-GAME VOICE
Victory!

Genisus pops up, Wipe throws his hands into the air in
victory.

GENISUS
Boom! That was awesome. They didn't
stand a chance.

GEM (O.S)
Hey.

Both the boys turn to see a weary eyed Gem at the door.

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GEM
It's three in the morning.

WIPE
We're practicing.

GENISUS
Sorry.

GEM
Fine, but practice quieter, some of us are trying to sleep.

Gem walks away.

WIPE
Shit 3am.

GENISUS
Yeah we were in it for a minute.

Wipe smiles and stands.

WIPE
I need some rest, but thanks for this Gen... It was good.

GENISUS
Yeah dude... uh anytime.

Wipe nods and walks out of the room. Genisus drops the act.

GENISUS
Holy shit that was so fucking cool.

Genisus spins in his chair, smiling, excited.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER.

Wipe falls into bed and crawls under his covers. He curls up, looking toward his ceiling with a new sense of calm.

WIPE
Tomorrow we begin...

Wipe slowly drifts off to sleep.

MATCH CUT

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - THE NEXT DAY

Wipe is sitting at his desk in the computer room, clearly frustrated and stressed, around him are the sounds of CHAOS.

The entire team is assembled, playing together, or at least attempting to. Everyone is SCREAMING at each other as they focus on their monitors.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Fuck!

Wipe buries his head into his hands as Genisus SMASHES yet another mouse.

GENISUS

Ughhhhh what the fuck guys. That's nine in a row what are we doing?

WARRENCROWN

Not working as a team.

GENISUS

Well I can see that.

WARRENCROWN

So why are you asking?

Suddenly Riley gently KNOCKS as he opens the door.

RILEY

Hey... Hope I'm not interrupting anything.

CHARLIE

(sighs)

No Riley, what's up?

RILEY

Well I was just in the neighborhood and I figured I'd take the team out to lunch. On me.

Warrencrown stands quickly and goes for the door.

WARRENCROWN

Free food and not being here losing, sounds like a plan to me.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

What's going on?

(CONTINUED)

SMILEY
(Korean)
Where's she going?

Charlie sighs. Wipe turns to the Korean members of the team.

WIPE
(Korean)
Riley wants to take everyone to
lunch.

Smiley and Nonstop look at each other before getting up and moving toward the door.

GENISUS
I need the break.

GEM
Same.

Gem and Genisus leave. Only Charlie, Wipe and Ssavior remain. Charlie looks at Ssavior.

CHARLIE
Go.

SSAVIOR
Thanks.

Ssavior quickly follows the rest of the team out. Riley waits.

RILEY
Wipe? You coming?

A beat.

WIPE
Yeah, just give me a sec.

RILEY
I'll have someone message you where
we are.

Riley leaves. Charlie finally sits. After a moment.

WIPE
We have to figure this out.

CHARLIE
Yeah no shit.

WIPE

Because I'm not spending this whole season losing like we did the last three weeks.

CHARLIE

You think I want to lose Yang? You think I came to Florida and went, oh you know what I want to do all season, get my ass kicked?!

WIPE

You know how I feel about people calling me that.

CHARLIE

What? Yang? Well you're certainly not Wipe, I remember playing with him back on New York before he got me fired.

WIPE

Okay I didn't get you fired...

CHARLIE

The point is I remember the old Wipe, this kid from Korea who loved the game and just wanted to be the best. Where'd he go?

WIPE

His team traded him.

CHARLIE

I think it's more than that.

Charlie gets up and goes to leave.

WIPE

What about you?

Charlie stops.

CHARLIE

What about me?

WIPE

You act like I was the only reason you left New York. You didn't exactly know how to coach either.

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE
At least I'm trying.

WIPE
We have no shot caller! We barely practice it's just go in, lose, go again, lose. Where's the strategy, where's the learning, the growing?

A beat.

WIPE
Look. We need a leader. Both in game and out, whether it's me or not it doesn't matter but we can't keep doing what we're doing.

Charlie thinks. Suddenly, an idea.

CHARLIE
Come with me.

Charlie walks out. Wipe takes a moment before following behind.

INT. OVERWATCH PLAYERS BUILDING - MAYHEM FLOOR - MOMENTS LATER

Charlie walks out of the apartment pulling a jacket on. Wipe close behind him.

WIPE
Where are we going?

Charlie hits the button for the elevator.

CHARLIE
We've been thinking about this all wrong.

The elevator doors open. The two men walk in.

WIPE
What do you mean?

CHARLIE
Mayhem keeps losing because you guys can't work together right. We have no leader and no coordination because of the language barrier right?

WIPE

Yeah...

The doors close.

INT. ELEVATOR LOBBY - MOMENTS LATER

The doors reopen and Charlie and Wipe walk out of the elevator into the lobby of the Overwatch Apartment building.

CHARLIE

I've been trying to figure out how to make six people who can only really communicate through you, work together without making you the leader.

WIPE

Why?

CHARLIE

Because with you in charge it's just everyone else as bait with no structure.

WIPE

Well thanks.

CHARLIE

There's a reason we made Zion captain in New York.

EXT. OVERWATCH APARTMENT BUILDING - CONTINUOUS

Charlie and Wipe walk out of the building and start going down the street.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

It's not because he was better than you because he's not... It was because we needed someone who could organize a team while you went off and did your own thing.

WIPE

Okay.

CHARLIE

That doesn't work here though. You going off on your own keeps getting you picked off because other teams know your style.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

So what do we do?

CHARLIE

We don't try to build one team
around supporting one player. We
make two teams.

Charlie walks into a restaurant. Wipe follows.

INT. CASUAL RESTAURANT - CONTINUOUS

Charlie walks in with Wipe close behind. They walk right up
to the table where Riley is seated with the team.

CHARLIE

Come back upstairs we have to try
something.

A beat. Everyone looks at Riley, unsure of what to do.

RILEY

You heard the man. Go!

The team takes a second before scrambling to grab their
stuff.

CHARLIE

Thanks.

RILEY

Get me some wins Charlie.

CHARLIE

Oh I will.

Charlie leads the team out and Riley is left sitting there.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Charlie rushes into the room with Warrencrown close behind.
The rest of the team follows at a slight distance.

WARRENCROWN

Charlie, what are we doing?

Charlie pulls a white board over to the front and starts to
write on it. The team filters its way into the room,
watching him curiously.

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After a moment Charlie looks at the board. He has divided it into two sections, with Ssavior, Warrencrown and Genisus on one side and Wipe, Nonstop and Smiley on the other.

SSAVIOR
I don't get it.

SMILEY
(in Korean)
I'm lost.

Charlie takes a moment.

CHARLIE
Wipe would you come here for a sec.

WIPE
Okay...

Wipe comes up cautiously.

CHARLIE
Face the team.

WIPE
Is this one of those like team
building exercise?

SSAVIOR
I love those.

CHARLIE
No it's not, just do it.

Wipe reluctantly turns to face the group.

CHARLIE
Now. What's the issue that we've
been facing as a team?

GENISUS
We suck?

WARRENCROWN
We keep losing?

SSAVIOR
We don't practice enough?

WIPE
All of the above.

CHARLIE

No we...

Charlie smiles slightly.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Why didn't Nonstop or Smiley
answer?

WIPE

They can't speak English. Hang on.

Wipe goes to translate.

CHARLIE

No, that's the point. We keep
losing because half the team can't
understand the other half at any
given moment. You guys aren't
working together because you're
making calls that the rest of your
team isn't hearing.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Is someone gonna translate or just
stare at us?

Charlie turns to Nonstop and Smiley

CHARLIE

(Korean)

We keep losing because half
the team can't understand
the other half at any given
moment.

GENISUS

I don't get where this is
going. We already knew
we couldn't talk to each
other.

WIPE

You guys aren't working
together because you're
making calls that the rest
of your team isn't hearing.

Give it a second.

Charlie turns back to the full team.

CHARLIE

Now that took way too much time
right?

(CONTINUED)

GENISUS

Yes.

CHARLIE

But what if we do this.

Charlie leans over to Wipe and whispers something.

WIPE

K...

CHARLIE

Reaper on the left, watch
out.

WIPE

(Korean)
Reaper on the left, watch
out

CHARLIE

So here's what we are going to do.

Charlie goes over to the board.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Warrencrown, Genisus and Ssavior
will be one group. (Korean)
Nonstop, Smiley and Wipe will be
the other.

WARRENCROWN

Who's leading?

CHARLIE

The supports so Ssavior and Wipe.

Ssavior looks more then surprised.

SSAVIOR

Me?

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Who's leading the Korean squad?

WIPE

(Korean)

Me

SMILEY

(Korean)

Him?

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Only because he's the support.
Ssavior is leading the other group.

Smiley calms slightly. Still frustrated.

CHARLIE

Also I realize that just sending
you into game without a plan isn't
gonna work. We don't have the
teamwork yet for it. So starting
today we're gonna really strategize
before each match. Even if we can't
come in as the best team we're
gonna be the best prepared.

The English members of the team start to get excited.
Nonstop raises his hand again confused. As charlie begins to
re-translate to him and Smiley, Wipe starts to show a smile
of excitement.

CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - A FEW DAYS LATER

Wipe is focused on the screen in front of him.

WIPE

(Korean)

Left left left.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Copy.

SMILEY

(Korean)

BOOM! Got you!

TITLE CARD: Week Four.

The team is working better together than they were before.
No one looks like they want to kill each other at least.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)

Much closer here in week four as
Florida seems to be working
together as two separate three
champion squads.

(CONTINUED)

GENISUS
Watch out on the left.

SSAVIOR
Smiley's got it.

GENISUS
Smiley you need help?

No response.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Shit. I'm dead.

GENISUS
Taking that as a yes. And I'm dead.
Fuck!

Genisus goes to slam his fist on the table. Wipe catches his hand.

WIPE
I'm not paying another fine bro.

Genisus rips his arm away from Wipe, annoyed.

WIPE
Come on guys focus.

WARRENCROWN
Ah yes, focus, that'll fix all our problems.

WIPE
Warrencrown, knock it off.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
What are we doing?

WIPE
(Korean)
Getting back on the point.

SSAVIOR
Hold back, wait for Genisus.

WIPE
We gotta go now.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
Going.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Got your back.

WARRENCROWN
We holding or going Savior?

SSAVIOR
I... I.

WIPE
Shit.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
Where are you guys? Warren?

WARRENCROWN
I heard my name, what's happening.

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)
(over the loudspeaker)
Oh and there goes Nonstop and
Smiley and the overtime clock ticks
to zero. Another tough loss for
Florida.

Wipe falls to the table. Exhausted. The whole team looks agitated.

SSAVIOR
That was better guys!

GENISUS
Shut up.

WARRENCROWN
Don't tell him to shut up Genisus.

After a moment a hand comes down onto Wipe's shoulder. He looks up. Charlie is there.

CHARLIE
Head up, we got it next time.

Wipe tries to put on a smile. Charlie walks to the center of the stage to shake hands with the other teams coach.

Wipe stands, pulls his jersey slightly straighter and holds his head up.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE
(Korean)
With more practice that won't
happen. Good last attempt guys.

Nonstop and Smiley both nod.

WIPE
(Korean)
Lets go.

The two other Korean players stand.

WIPE
Good run guys. Just need some more
practice. Let's shake some hands
and go home.

Wipe makes his way to join Charlie, the rest of the team
follow suit.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - KITCHEN - NIGHT

A SIZZLE as a wing is pulled out of a pot, a pair of tongs
deposits the wings to a napkin lined plate.

Wipe is holding the tongs and as he continues this process.
He watches TV

ALEX COLE (V.O)
(over the tv)
With another loss two days ago,
Florida Mayhem is continuing their
old habits from last season. It's
beginning to look more and more
like Wipe might have just been
lucky last season and now without
his former teammates in New York
he's heading toward a -

Wipe turns off the tv. After a moment, Genisus walks into
the kitchen.

GENISUS
Didn't expect you to be up.

WIPE
Got hungry.

GENISUS
That smells really fuckin good.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Thanks.

GENISUS

Finally assimilating to our culture
I see.

WIPE

Gen I'm really not in the mood...

GENISUS

You know how to work a fork or
should I get chopsticks for you?

WIPE

Morgan fuck off!

A beat. Genisus stands awkwardly for a moment, then...

GENISUS

What's that?

Genisus points to a plate further down the counter holding
fermented Cabbage.

WIPE

Kimchi.

Wipe goes into the fridge and pulls out a pitcher of hot
sauce.

GENISUS

I'm sorry.

WIPE

It's fine, it's not this big thing
just don't be an asshole.

GENISUS

Way easier said than done.

WIPE

Really?

GENISUS

Yes dude. Do you know how many non
white people are in my town? Like 2
and they're both crazy.

WIPE

This conversation is not helping
you seem less racist.

(CONTINUED)

GENISUS

All I'm saying is it's not this quick flip.

WIPE

All I'm saying is you have to actually try so you aren't an ignorant asshole.

A beat. Genisus thinks for a moment.

GENISUS

What kind of sauce are you using?

WIPE

Nothing special, just some Reds.

GENISUS

If I offer some of my special sauce can I join you?

Wipe looks at Genisus, considers.

WIPE

You gonna make any more stupid comments?

GENISUS

No.

WIPE

Alright.

Genisus leaves, Wipe's phone lights up, he looks at it and sighs. He puts his phone to his ear.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)

(Korean)

Yang Seong-Woo, not only did you disrespectfully remove us from your finances but now you're constantly losing games? What happened to you? Your father and I are very disappointed, we raised you to be bet-

Genisus walks back in with a bottle of hot sauce as Wipe pulls the phone away from his ear and stops the voice mail.

GENISUS

Everything okay?

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Yeah... You got the sauce?

GENISUS

Yeah.

WIPE

Great... Work your magic, I'll set up the living room.

GENISUS

For what?

WIPE

Work.

Wipe grabs the kimchi and exits.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Wipe walks to the couch and picks up a remote. He turns on the TV and presses a few buttons, linking his phone to it.

Wipe looks over different folders on the tv before pulling up one labeled "Florida Mayhem Game footage" Wipe opens it as Genisus walks out with the wings.

Wipe turns on the footage and it plays in the background as Wipe and Genisus eat their wings.

WIPE

So you see there how Nonstop charges in and...

FADE TO

MINUTES LATER

A few of the wings are gone, Wipe eats a wing while Genisus leans back eating kimchi.

GENISUS

No see I went right because I didn't know there was a Reaper over there. We didn't get the call out.

WIPE

I called it out.

(CONTINUED)

GENISUS
For Nonstop and Smiley.

Wipe nods and stares at the screen.

FADE TO

EVEN LATER

The wings are gone, as is the kimchi. Genisus drinks water as Wipe rewinds footage to watch it again.

WIPE
There, If you held the ult for 3 more seconds we would have had the shield down.

GENISUS
I was too low health, I thought I was gonna get dropped and not have the ult for that last fight at all. I was hoping you'd heal me.

WIPE
I was trying to take the shield.

GENISUS
We were all just out of position.

WIPE
But you still could have held the ult.

GENISUS
Okay yeah, I know. But we have to actually address the problem instead of focusing on these small little plays.

WIPE
Okay, whats the problem?

GENISUS
We're disconnected. Sure me, Warren and Ssavior can work together but how am I supposed to know what you're doing without someone telling me?

WIPE
Well I can't call out everything the whole game.

(CONTINUED)

Genisus thinks, after a moment...

GENISUS
So... teach me Korean.

A beat.

WIPE
You want me to teach you Korean.

GENISUS
Not the whole language but like
basics, left, right, go, stop.
Stuff that I can quickly tell
Warrencrown and Ssavior so we're
not caught with our pants down.

Wipe thinks for a moment.

WIPE
Alright kid, fine, if you really
wanna work toward it lets do this.

Wipe extends his hand to Genisus.

GENISUS
Aren't we like the same age.

WIPE
Just shake it.

Genisus rolls his eyes and shakes Wipes hand. After a moment
a THUD from down the hall. Wipe and Genisus turn to see
Charlie emerge from the back.

CHARLIE
It's two in the morning what are
you two doing up?

WIPE
Watching game footage.

GENISUS
strategizing.

CHARLIE
Well finish it in the morning. I
need you guys focused not sleep
deprived.

The two GROAN slightly but begin to stand and clean up.

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE

Goodnight. See you for practice.

The two nod before setting off for bed. Charlie takes a moment to himself. He walks back toward his room. He walks through his door and into...

INT. SMALL ARENA - LOADING HALLWAY - DAY

A long production loading hallway. Charlie walks with a purpose, holding his clipboard and pulling his headphones from his neck to his ears.

As he walks past a YOUNG TECHIE, pushing a basket full of wires in the opposite direction, Charlie turns back and sees Wipe and Genisus right behind him.

Genisus writes notes in a notepad while Wipe talks to him. The rest of the team follows close behind. Nonstop finishes up a beer and talks to Warrencrown through their phones.

GENISUS

So Gwanli is Left

WIPE

No Gwanli is right, oenjog is left.

GENISUS

Shit.

Genisus crosses something out and goes back to writing.

Warrencrown gives Nonstop a look and takes the phone back from him, Smiley and Savior behind them walk in silence, carrying themselves as polar opposites.

WARRENCROWN

What's that mean?

The phone translates in Korean back to Nonstop who takes the phone.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Just that if need be, you can use your stunning looks to distract the other team.

The phone translates to English for Warrencrown who looks slightly uncomfortable. They continue to walk as Smiley looks over at Ssavior.

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SMILEY
(Korean)
Chin up.

SSAVIOR
What?

Smiley sighs and puts his finger under Ssavior's chin and lifts it. Ssavior looks weirded out. Smiley looks back down to his phone.

The team stop as Charlie reaches the end of the hall. He looks back at them.

CHARLIE
Week Five.

He opens the door and walks through into...

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Backstage. The team all walk toward the final curtain.

CHRIS PUCKETT (O.S)
And their opponent, coming into
tonight zero and four, will they be
able to turn this season around?
Ladies and Gentleman, it's Florida
Mayhem!!

The crowd is less enthusiastic then before. No more Wipe chants can be found as Charlie stops, letting Wipe and Genisus lead the team through the curtain.

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - SIMULTANEOUS

The team walks with a purpose onto the stage. The sound of the crowd fades as they focus on the team in front of them.

The large jumbo tron on the back wall displays the teams, Florida with their record at 0 and 4 and Philadelphia at 3 and 1.

The two teams stand and face the audience before walking to their respective computer bays.

Wipe sits and throws his headphones on. He looks down the line to Ssavior.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

You good? Ssavior?

SSAVIOR

Huh? Uhh, yeah. Yeah yeah, I'm good.

WIPE

Breathe. We got this.

GENISUS

I got your back and you got mine right bro.

SSAVIOR

Sure...

The team settles into their chairs.

GENISUS

(to wipe, in Korean)

Ready?

WIPE

(Korean)

Ready, Here we go.

SMASH CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - FLORIDA HOLDING ROOM - LATER

Charlie walks into Florida's holding room, it is silent. He takes a deep breath and drops his clipboard before letting out a bellowing SCREAM.

After a moment he catches his breath when suddenly the entire team bursts through the door and stare at him with smiles all across their faces.

CHARLIE

Are you fucking kidding me.

A beat.

CHARLIE

They were three and one and we were 0 and four and you put them into the ground! (Korean) Three and One against 0 and four and you destroyed them. (back to English) That's what I like to see!

(CONTINUED)

The team erupts into SCREAMS, all hyping each other up. Charlie looks on happily, then after a moment.

CHARLIE
Alright, (Korean) alright (English)
alright.

The team slowly grows quiet.

CHARLIE
That's just one win. I'm proud of
you but we still have a long way to
go. Tonight we celebrate but
tomorrow it's back to work.

Wipe nods and turns to the rest the team.

WIPE
(Korean)
One win is nice, but lets do this
again yeah?

Smiley and Nonstop nod. A moment of silence.

CHARLIE
We actually won.

Charlie lets out a ROAR of victory as the team joins in with him. They all embrace in the first moment of comradery we have seen from them.

Across the room, the tv hanging from the ceiling turns on.

INT. LOW BUDGET SPORTS NEWS STUDIO - LATER

Alex Cole sits at her desk finishing a report.

ALEX COLE
As you can see a complete lack of
preparation on the part of
Philadelphia losing one to three
against Florida Mayhem. The win
gives Mayhem their first on the
season. We'll have to keep watching
to see if this was just a fluke.

The graphic behind her shifts as Zion appears on screen.

ALEX COLE (CONT'D)
Next, New York rolls along to
another dominate win as -

The screen shuts off.

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Wipe holds a remote in his hand which is pointed at a TV. He throws the remote to the side and turns off the light next to him.

After a moment his phone starts to BUZZ, he looks over at it and sees Sincubous calling.

Wipe answers the phone. They speak Korean throughout.

WIPE

Hey.

SINCUBOUS (V.O)

Congratulations.

WIPE

Thanks.

A moment of silence.

SINCUBOUS

How's it feel?

WIPE

Better then losing.

They both chuckle.

WIPE (CONT'D)

Congrats to you. Undefeated.

SINCUBOUS (V.O)

We try.

WIPE

How long till we see each other?

SINCUBOUS (V.O)

Eight weeks.

WIPE

I did not think you'd know that.

SINCUBOUS (V.O)

It's all Zion talks about.

A beat.

SINCUBOUS

Anyway. Gotta get back. Night practice.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

This late?

SINCUBOUS

Zion wants to win... Just wanted to... Yeah.

WIPE

I appreciate it.

SINCUBOUS

Talk soon.

WIPE

Yeah.

The call ends. Wipe takes a deep breath. He looks at his texts. He has one unread from his mom.

It reads: Incredible job on the win today. So proud of you, call me please.

Wipe thinks for a moment. He goes for the call button, stops, locks his phone and rolls over onto his side.

INT. NONSTOP'S ROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

Nonstop sits at his desk with a beer in his hand. Another four are scattered around near his feet as he watches a Korean Youtube analysis video.

YOUTUBE COMMENTATOR (V.O)

(Korean)

And as we can clearly see Nonstop continues to miss his abilities at every turn. He's this weeks weakest link.

Nonstop chugs the rest of the beer before dropping his head to his desk.

CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - AFTERNOON

Nonstop sits in uniform at his computer. His eyes slightly red. He shakes his head, attempting to regain focus.

The sounds of the crowd and the commentators begin to creep in.

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BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

Wipe is attempting to regroup the team but Nonstop is just way out in the front.

Nonstop wipes his brow.

WIPE (O.S)

(Korean)

Nonstop come back.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

I got it!

Nonstop slams a key on his keyboard.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

Oh that's gonna hurt.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

A complete miss by Nonstop on that ult and Seoul collapses on him.

Nonstop winces.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

Now a six on five.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Damn it.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

There goes Florida.

GENISUS (O.S)

Watch Left.

WARRENCROWN (O.S)

No No No!

Nonstop looks devastated, his head falls back to the desk. Warrencrown looks over at him, worried.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

That's it. Soul wraps this one up as Florida falls to one and five.

Wipe and Genisus look at each other and SIGHS.

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - NIGHT

Genisus sits on Wipes bed as Wipe quizzes him.

WIPE
Choegoui?

GENISUS
Top?

WIPE
No Ultimate. Top is Sangdan.

Genisus looks frustrated.

WIPE
Don't start giving up now.

GENISUS
I'm not.

WIPE
Alright lets go again.

Wipe looks down at his quiz sheet. Genisus rolls his neck in preparation.

CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - AFTERNOON

Genisus and Wipe both lean forward into their computers. Focusing intensely on their screens.

WIPE
(Korean)
Tracer Right.

GENISUS
Tracer Right.

SSAVIOR
Got it. Warren, lets rotate.

WARRENCROWN
On it.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
And a huge block by Warrencrown
with that Diva catching the Tracers
Ultimate, completely stopping
Dallas in their tracks!

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WARRENCROWN

Come here!

CHRIS PUCKETT

Warrencrown going strong with
Savior right behind her. She's out
for blood.

Some chuckles from the crowd.

WARRENCROWN

Done.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

And that's the game! Florida coming
back to pick up their second win in
three weeks!

Warrencrown looks satisfied but frustrated.

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - KITCHEN - NIGHT

Warrencrown makes food at the counter when Nonstop walks in.
He goes for the fridge and pulls out a beer. The two look at
each other and smile.

Warrencrown pulls out her phone as Nonstop walks over to get
the bottle opener near her.

WARRENCROWN

At some point we should learn to
speak the same language.

The phone translates, Nonstop laughs, putting his beer down
to take the phone.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

Well which one?

The phone translates back. Warrencrown takes the phone and
picks up her food.

WARRENCROWN

We could do Japanese.

The phone translates. Warrencrown hands him the phone back.
She starts to walk toward the living room.

Nonstop follows her, leaving his beer behind.

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NONSTOP (O.S)
(Korean)
Why Japanese?

The phone translates.

WARRENCROWN (O.S)
It'd be funny.

CUT TO

EXT. CITY STREET - DAY

Ssavior walks down the street, head slightly down, hands in pockets, trying not to run into anyone, more wandering around then looking for an actual destination.

OVERWATCH FAN (O.S)
Omg do you know who that is?

OVERWATCH FAN 2
Yeah he plays for Florida.

Ssavior looks up, slightly excited before he sees Genisus walking out of the Overwatch apartment building. The two FANS run up to him.

OVERWATCH FAN
Genisus can we get a picture with you?

GENISUS
Uh yeah sure.

OVERWATCH FAN 2
Hang on.

The fan looks at Ssavior who is going for the door of the building.

OVERWATCH FAN 2 (CONT'D)
Excuse me.

SSAVIOR
Yeah?

OVERWATCH FAN 2
Do you mind taking this picture for us?

Ssavior's face falls as he takes the fans phone.

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SSAVIOR

Sure.

Genisus looks uncomfortable as Ssavior sets up to take the picture. Genisus mouths "I'm sorry." Ssavior doesn't respond. He takes the photo and hands the phone back.

The two fans turn back to Genisus who watches as Ssavior goes inside.

OVERWATCH FAN

So what's it like playing with
Wipe?

OVERWATCH FAN 2

How's it feel to be a pro?

Genisus is overwhelmed but trying to play it cool.

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - AFTERNOON

Genisus is starting to panic as he watches his monitor.

GENISUS

Where are you going bro?

SSAVIOR

Left... No right...

GENISUS

Savior!

SSAVIOR

I've got it Genisus.

GENISUS

Okay...

WARRENCROWN

I need healing.

SSAVIOR

Coming.

WARRENCROWN

You're too far away. Wipe...

SSAVIOR

No I can make it.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Dude I got it... Shit!

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

And Wipe is picked off by Houston
and here comes the big push.

GENISUS

They're coming.

NONSTOP

(Korean)

What are we doing?

WIPE

(Korean)

Losing

Ssavior looks stressed and disappointed as the team is
falling apart.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

A tough loss there last week for
Florida. Bringing them to 5 and 7
going into week 13. Not a great
record for a team looking to make
the playoffs without the wild card.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BROADCAST BOOTH - NIGHT

Chris Puckett, Josh Wilkinson and Brennon Hook sit in the
broadcast booth, joined this time by Alex Cole.

CHRIS PUCKETT

Speaking of that wild card do you
think they have a shot at it?

BRENNON HOOK

I wouldn't go counting my eggs
before they hatch Chris.

ALEX COLE

I agree with Brennon, this is
just a squad that has looked less
then put together this season.

BRENNON HOOK

They're inconsistent, they lack
communication. This isn't a
championship team.

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JOSH WILKINSON

It definitely can be though. We've seen a change in play from Genisus and Wipe. If they can get the rest of the team to their levels this might be a strong squad.

BRENNON HOOK

Oh absolutely, but that would take a miracle.

ALEX COLE

Especially from someone like Wipe who's so not a team player. I don't think there is a universe where he's able to lead this squad in an effective way.

CHRIS PUCKETT

Well we'll just have to wait and see, they have Wipe's old team, the undefeated New York Excelsior, this week. Will they rise to the occasion or crash and burn.

CUT TO BLACK

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

TITLE CARD: WEEK 13

The apartment is still for a moment.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

An absolutely brutal loss for Mayhem, New York just making it look easy.

Wipe plows through the front door. He looks furious. He walks to his bedroom and slams the door.

A few seconds later Ssavior slowly walks into the living room from the front door. He looks around.

SSAVIOR

Yeah he went to his room.

The rest of the team slowly files into the room, defeated and broken. Nonstop immediately goes to the kitchen, everyone else fills the space, keeping to themselves.

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Nonstop comes back out with two beers. He tosses one to Charlie and opens one for himself. Warrencrown doesn't look happy as Nonstop starts to down his beer.

Everyone sits in silence for a moment.

GENISUS
Well that sucked.

WARRENCROWN
Way to state the obvious.

GENISUS
I'm just saying -

CHARLIE
Can we not do this please.

WARRENCROWN
It's just unnecessary to -

SSAVIOR
Come on Warrencrown it's not his fault.

WARRENCROWN
Are you on his side Ssavior.

SSAVIOR
No but I am on the team.

SMILEY
(Korean)
What's going on, lets cool off.

GENISUS
No one understands you Smiley.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Okay I don't even know what you said and I want to punch you.

WIPE (O.S)
Alright Enough! (Korean) Enough!

Everyone falls silent. They look to Wipe who stands just out of the hallway. He looks at the team.

WIPE
This is not the time to do this.
We've been ripping each other apart for weeks and it has gotten us no where.

GEM
You're one to talk.

WIPE
Gem -

GEM
No seriously Mr. "This is my Team",
since when do you wanna be Gandhi
all of a sudden.

GENISUS
Just let him talk.

SMILEY
(Korean)
What is happening?

Charlie looks at Wipe.

CHARLIE
What's up? I'll help.

Wipe takes a deep breath. As he speaks Charlie translates in Korean for the other members of the team.

WIPE
I'm sorry, for everything, for the
way I came in, for the shit that I
brought, all of it. If I could
start the season over and do it
again I would cause it was
pointless and stupid and I made all
of you guys hate me.

A beat.

WIPE
And that sucks, cause I just got my
ass kicked by my old team and I
couldn't do anything to stop it and
on top of that I feel like I'm all
alone in this which I did because I
came in like an asshole.

Silence for a moment the team takes this in.

WIPE
So yeah, if I could go back and be
the team leader that came in and
rallied us and made us a great
unit, brought us some solid wins
early, fuck yeah I'd do it. But
(MORE)

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WIPE (cont'd)
 we're 5 and 8. And unless we start playing like a team, who actually cares about each other, then Florida is going to continue to be the laughing stock of the league.

Wipe looks at the team, half of them can't hold his gaze. He looks to Ssavior.

WIPE
 Ssavior, you're a great support, you give me a run for my money but you're so scared of not being as good as me that you second guess every choice you make. Warrencrown, being a woman has nothing to do with why you made the team, you made the team because you're great so stop letting the crowd get in your head.

He looks to the two Korean members

WIPE
 (Korean)
 Smiley you're a great shot but you keep picking Widowmaker and getting countered by every team we face, Nonstop you're amazing but being drunk all the time makes you slow.

Nonstop slowly puts his beer down, feeling a sense of shame.

WIPE
 Gem you've got a piss poor attitude, I get it you're the substitute but for fucks sake act like you give a shit and Genesis, we asked you to be here, stop trying to prove something and just play the game. I trust you, just convince them to.

Wipe takes a breath. The room is slightly shell shocked.

WIPE
 Now. Can we please just go into the computer bay and try to work together. Cause I can't lose like we lost today. I won't look at that smug look on Zion's face ever again.

A beat of stillness. No one moves, after a moment however Nonstop stands, drops his beer in the trash and walks into the practice room, then Warrencrown, Ssavior, Smiley, Genisus and Charlie follow. Gem stays, Wipe looks at him.

WIPE

You can keep wallowing in your own self pity or you can be with this team. Your choice.

Wipe walks into the practice room. Gem sits for a moment before getting up and going through the door.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Wipe stands at the front of the room with Charlie close by. The rest of the team is in their respective seats as Gem walks through the door and takes his. Wipe smiles slightly.

WIPE

Alright, we're going to actually start coming up with plays. New York caught us today because they had a formation for everything we threw at them and then came back at us so organized we couldn't find a weak spot. So...

Wipe starts to draw out a game plan. X's and O's to represent players on the team. He begins to draw a line from on of the X's toward the O's and as he does we...

MOVE INTO

GAME WORLD

Overwatch. A Florida TRACER, A young woman with an Iron man like construct in her chest, races across a temple, blinking through time, disappearing in one position only to reappear a few feet away. Through her quick movements we can see that she's smiling, and it's quite creepy.

TITLE CARD: WEEK 14

SPLIT SCREEN: Smiley appears at his computer, sharing the same look as the Tracer. Tracer time-jumps past an allied REIGNHEART, the knight from earlier, and through his shield as she sees...

Four Enemies taking aim and firing, hitting her with a few shots before she time-jumps behind them.

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SMILEY
 (Korean)
 Boom baby!

Tracer pulls out, arms and launches a bomb at them before reversing time on herself to dodge the blast. The bomb ERUPTS killing most of them, Smiley pumps his fist, excited.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
 And Smiley with an amazing Tracer Ult. For someone who's stuck to Widdowmaker all season this is an insane showing from him.

The enemies regroup and push back toward the shield right as the Florida MERCY, an angelic doctor, pulls in her wings and lands next to Tracer.

Ssavior and Nonstop look over to Smiley, smiling as their characters of Mercy and Reignhardt do the same in game.

SMILEY
 (Korean)
 Need heal.

GENISUS (O.S)
 Smiley needs heal.

SSAVIOR
 Got it.

Mercy starts to heal Tracer with her staff as the Reignhardt continues to hold off the assault. They all fail to notice an enemy Torbjorn trying to take a side root and flank them. Smiley and Tracer suddenly notice him.

SMILEY (O.S)
 (Korean)
 Torbojn left.

WIPE (O.S)
 Ssavior, Left!

Without saying a word the Mercy turns on her heels, pulling out a pistol and firing, killing the Torbojrn.

Ssavior smiles as he lifts his hand. Nonstop doesn't look up but delivers a perfect high five to his teammate.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)
 Huge save from Ssavior on Nonstop as Florida might pull this one out.

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Reignhardt shield begins to crack as the enemy team starts to regather.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
Shield Breaking!

SSAVIOR
Now Genisus.

Behind the enemy team, a Florida MEI, An Arctic scientist with a freeze gun, rushes out from behind a cherry blossom tree, launching a small ball toward them.

The ball lands in the middle of the Enemies and explodes in a ring of ice freezing them all. One of the champions eyes go wide.

NONSTOP
Come here!

Reignhardt drops his shield and charges forward, before grabbing the wide eyed enemy and slamming him into the wall.

The crowd ROARS as Nonstop jumps to his feet. They begin to chant, NONSTOP, NONSTOP, as he and the Reignheart start to do the same dance.

JOSH WILKINSON
Nonstop living up to his name with that huge final kill. Florida takes it in week 14. A huge turnaround from Florida.

CUT TO

GAME WORLD

DVA, Penny Parker without the Spider powers, in a Florida decked out mech suit, ejects out of the mech and launches it toward the roof of a hanger. DVA Lands on her feet at the top of a ramp, she fires a pistol toward an enemy Mercy, killing her in a few shots.

Warrencrown mirrors the Dva's movement as she plays.

TITLE CARD: Week 16

Suddenly behind her from around a corner an enemy Tracer appears but right as they are about to kill the DVA, the mech EXPLODES and a second drops right in between them. DVA dives inside the mech and turns to stare down the Tracer.

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WARRENCROWN

Bye Bye.

Warrencrown smiles as the DVA opens fire with her duel machine guns, ripping the Tracer to shreds.

WIPE (V.O)

That's what I like to see!

The fans Scream for Warrencrown who smiles, leaning further into her screen, the DVA takes off for the sky.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

The fans are really getting behind Warrencrown and for good reason. With that amazing DVA ultimate Florida goes positive for the first time this season at 9 and 8.

CUT TO

GAME WORLD

A WIDDOWMAKER, a leather clad sniper with blue skin, her riffle decked in Florida's colors, stands on top of a German castle. She fires toward a group of enemies pushing a cart through an open portcullis, killing them with head shots. Unbeknown to her an enemy Tracer is lurking in the shadows.

TITLE CARD: Week 18

After a moment the Tracer time jumps toward the Widdowmaker, throwing a bomb at her. The Widdowmaker doesn't have time to react but right as the bomb is about to hit her...

Wipe's Moira dives in between the two, catching the bomb and jumping off the Castle. Widdowmaker kills the Tracer and right as the bomb is about to explode, Moira vanishes into a cloud of darkness. A second later reappearing unharmed.

Split Screen: Wipe and Smiley look at each other.

SMILEY

(Korean)

You're a fucking legend.

WIPE

(Korean)

Get that 20 player kill streak.

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SMILEY

Will do.

Smiley clicks his keyboard as the Widdowmaker turns back toward the portcullis, killing a Mei, clearing the point.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

That's 20 kills straight for Smiley, no one is gonna stop this man.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

We can't forget that unbelievable save by Wipe. These two are really starting to click together. Florida advances to 10 wins with it's fifth straight. Can anyone stop this new Mayhem squad?

Smiley and Wipe do a complicated handshake.

GAME WORLD

A Florida LUCIO, A Brazilian DJ wearing futuristic roller blades, glides along a red wall toward a distracted group of enemies, huddled near robotics machines.

TITLE CARS: WEEK 20

Lucio leaps off the wall landing in front of them as we see Ssavior leaning into his screen.

SSAVIOR

Boo-ya

Lucio blasts the enemies with a sound wave and they are sent flying away, off a platform and down toward the ice below. He stands there victorious as Ssavior jumps to his feet.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

Ssavior with an amazing wall run play there. Eight wins in a row for Florida.

GAME WORLD

A team all clad in San Fransisco Shock uniforms waits, guarding a point.

TITLE CARD: WEEK 22

A moment of stillness, then.

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WIPE (V.O)
 (Korean)
 Now!

GENISUS (V.O)
 Now!

A WRECKING BALL, a Guinea pig in a circular mech suit, swings around a corner toward a garden, sailing over the front line of Shock players. Wrecking Ball drops, sending the enemies launching into the air.

A hook flies across the screen wrapping around one of the Shock Heroes, suddenly yanking them away from the group and into a series of orbs thrown by a ZENYATTA, a robot monk, the orbs regather around his head as he throws one toward the rest of the shock players.

The shock team dodges the shot and tries to regroup but a Lucio sound wave blasts them back into a PHARAH, an Egyptian fighter pilot wearing a flight suit, her suit opening and revealing a set of rockets which fly toward the Shock players EXPLODING on impact.

One Shock player remains, a tracer but she is quickly SHOT through the head by a Widdowmaker's bullet.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

ACE!

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

And what an amazing turnaround from Florida. Losing the first game of the season in an embarrassment to San Fransisco Shock. Today they look like a totally different team.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

I gotta admit even I'm surprised to watch these guys pick up their 14th win.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Will they ever slow down?

CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - THE NEXT WEEK

Charlie stands backstage watching the team through the curtain. The audience ROARS it's approval with CHANTS and SCREAMS for the team as a whole and it's individual members.

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SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
 And with that Florida picks up it's
 15th win of this season. This ten
 game win streak doesn't look
 anywhere close to winding down.

Wipe and the team burst backstage all smiles and excitement.

CHRIS PUCKETT
 (V.O)
 Up next we have New York
 Excelsior up against London
 Spitfire in a rematch from
 last years finals.

CHARLIE
 That was amazing. Ten in
 a row, I'm so proud of you
 guys.

SSAVIOR
 We could really make playoffs
 without the Wild card this year.

WIPE
 Easily.

ZION (O.S)
 (Korean)
 Yeah right.

Wipe and his teammates look over and see Zion standing with
 the rest of New York Excelsior.

ZION (CONT'D)
 (Korean)
 Even if you do make playoffs it's
 not like you'll be good enough to
 keep going. You won't be able to
 beat a real team.

WIPE
 (Korean)
 And why's that Zion?

ZION
 (Korean)
 Cause Wipe, the only reason you won
 finals is because you had us around
 you. That little merry band of
 misfits is gonna crash and burn
 once you face a winning team.

The rest of Excelsior laugh except Sincubous who looks
 uncomfortable.

Wipe is about to respond when a STAGEHAND walks over to Zion
 and MUTTERS something.

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ZION

(Korean)

Oh, time to go show the world what an actual championship team looks like. Goodbye.

Zion and the rest of New York walk toward the stage. Sincubous shoots a last apologetic look at a furious Wipe before disappearing onto the stage.

Wipe watches after them for a moment.

GENISUS

Hey...

WIPE

I'm good.

Wipe starts to walk off before being cut off by Alex Cole and one of her CAMERAMAN.

ALEX COLE

Wipe, do you have a second for a few questions? Great (Turning to the camera) Thanks Bren, I'm backstage with Wipe who just came off a huge win. Wipe how does it feel to have just won your tenth straight.

WIPE

Feels great to be on a strong team with some really great people.

ALEX COLE

Do you think you guys are gonna make a run at the playoffs this year?

WIPE

Absolutely. We're rolling on all cylinders. We look forward to whoever we meet in the finals.

ALEX COLE

Finals? That's a lot of confidence for a team that started 0 and 5.

WIPE

Like you said. 10 games straight, doesn't matter how we start just how we finish.

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ALEX COLE

You make a good point. One last question. How does it feel to watch your old team of Excelsior continue to win without you.

A beat. Charlie looks over concerned.

CHARLIE

Shit.

WIPE

I'm looking forward to snapping that win streak.

ALEX COLE

So you think you'll be able to beat them?

WIPE

Absolutely.

ALEX COLE

And what would you say to someone who thought you might not get it done.

WIPE

I'd say...

Charlie walks up to Wipe.

CHARLIE

Come on Wipe, team meeting.

WIPE

No Charlie. I'd say that the chances of Florida losing again to a team that has zero strategy, a lazy way of playing and a fucking joke of a player like Zion leading them is zero. It's -

CHARLIE

Wipe.

WIPE

What!

Charlie looks at Wipe, disappointed, before walking away. Wipe goes to follow.

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WIPE
What Charlie?

ALEX COLE
Some choice words by Wipe here
tonight. Back to you in the booth
Chris.

The light from the camera turns off. Charlie's phone starts
to ring.

WIPE
What did I...

CHARLIE
Don't.

Charlie gets his phone out and looks at the caller ID. His
head falls back in defeat.

CHARLIE
Great.

Charlie answers the phone and walks away. Wipe looks over to
the rest of the team who look equally confused.

CHARLIE (O.S)
Commissioner... No I expected it...

Wipe looks shaken and confused.

WIPE
What are they gonna do? Fine me?

CHARLIE (V.O)
Five game suspension.

MATCH CUT

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

Wipe sits on the couch still lost.

CHARLIE (O.S)
Yang.

Wipe snaps to reality.

WIPE
What?

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE (O.S)
Did you hear me.

WIPE
Yeah, suspended, got it.

The rest of the team stands around the room. Charlie looks exhausted. Everyone else looks destroyed.

CHARLIE
Alright. Gem...

Gem looks up, not at all looking forward to what's coming.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)
You're in uniform next week. You'll need to fill for Wipe.

GEM
Great...

Wipe abruptly stands and goes toward his room. Genesis tries to stop him.

GENISUS
Wipe...

WIPE
I'm going to bed.

Wipe walks down the hall and into his room SLAMMING the door. Genesis looks to the rest of the team.

GENISUS
What do we do?

Silence. After a moment.

CHARLIE
Wipe's right. We should rest. We had a good win today, lets focus on that.

The English players start to go off to bed.

CHARLIE
(Korean)
Get some rest...

CUT TO

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - WIPE'S ROOM - SIMULTANEOUS

Wipe lays in bed, wide awake. His phone BUZZES, he looks over.

Sincubous is calling. Wipe sends the call to voice mail, he looks over the notifications on his screen. Mostly angry texts from his Mother.

Sincubous' voice mail pops up, alongside a voice mail from Wipe's mom. Wipe clicks listen and places the phone to his ear.

WIPE'S MOTHER (V.O)
 (Korean)
 Yang Seung-Woo! We are so
 disappointed in you. The amount of
 disrespect and -

CLICK, Wipe ends the voice mail, he brings the phone back to his ear.

SINCUBOUS (V.O)
 (Korean)
 Hey... So I know you probably don't
 want to talk to me, today's
 probably been a lot with the
 whole... Yeah so anyway I um... I
 wanted to say that if you need...
 If you wanted to talk I'm here...
 yeah... Bye.

The voice mail ends and Wipe brings his phone down to the bed in utter exhaustion.

After a moment, a KNOCK at Wipe's door. Wipe doesn't respond.

GENISUS (O.S)
 (Through the door)
 Hey...

A beat.

GENISUS (O.S)
 Can I come in?

WIPE
 Just go away Gen.

GENISUS (O.S)
 That's not gonna happen.

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WIPE

You can not come in.

A beat. Silence.

WIPE

Are you just standing out there?

GENISUS (O.S)

Yes.

WIPE

Fine, suit yourself.

Wipe turns over onto his side. A beat, then another KNOCK.

GENISUS (O.S)

Wipe...

Wipe flips onto his back.

WIPE

Dear God.

GENISUS (O.S)

No it's just me.

WIPE

I'm gonna kill you.

GENISUS (O.S)

How are you gonna kill me if you're hiding in your room?

Wipe lets out a loud GROAN of frustration.

GENISUS (O.S)

(broken korean)

I'm gonna be in practicing in the computer bay for a bit if you wanna kill me, or you know... Talk or whatever. If not I'll check on you tomorrow.

Wipe sits for a moment, the sounds of Genisus' footsteps WALKING AWAY. Wipe takes a breath. After a moment...

WIPE

Damn it.

Wipe pushes himself up and walks out of his room.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Genisus sits at his desk setting up to practice. Wipe walks in, and closes the door aggressively. He sits next to Genisus, who smiles slightly.

WIPE

Shut up.

Genisus puts his hands up, feigning surrender. Wipe puts his headphones on. Genisus launches them into a game.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - LATER THAT NIGHT

A string of energy drinks litter the table as Wipe and Genisus lean intensely into their computers.

WIPE

One more.

GENISUS

Where?

WIPE

Top right.

GENISUS

Got him.

VICTORY rings out of the computers. Genisus pushes away from the table, throwing his hands over his head.

GENISUS

Ten in a fucking row!

WIPE

We better not play another. I might get suspended again...

The mood shifts. Wipe for the first time showing his pain.

GENISUS

I'm so sorry man...

WIPE

It's not your fault. I shouldn't have lost my temper.

Genisus doesn't know what to say. After a moment, he places his hand on Wipe's shoulder.

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WIPE

I don't know what to do.

GENISUS

We're gonna figure it out.

WIPE

We can't lose now. We've worked too hard.

GENISUS

We won't. Look at me. Wipe.

Wipe looks to Genisus.

GENISUS

We're gonna go all the way. I promise.

WIPE

What if we can't. What if Gem can't get it done.

GENISUS

Then we do it next season.

WIPE

I don't have another season!

A beat.

GENISUS

What?

WIPE

This is it, If we can't make playoffs I won't have the money to stay in the states and I'll have to go back home. To Korea.

GENISUS

(trying to be funny)

Really, I thought you were from Japan.

Wipe glares daggers at Genisus.

GENISUS

Sorry Joke.

WIPE

I can't go home Gen. Going home means having to work for my father and I can't... I won't do that.

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GENISUS

We're gonna make playoffs Wipe.
Have some faith in the kid. I think
he'll pull it out.

WIPE

How can you say that?

GENISUS

Cause everyone thought I was gonna
fail when I got here. We see how
that turned out.

Wipe takes a breath.

GENISUS

Come here.

Genisus pulls Wipe in for a hug. Wipe resists but after a
moment he gives into the hug. Welcoming the closeness with
his teammate.

WIPE

Okay... Okay.

GENISUS

Okay?

WIPE

Okay. There are four weeks till
playoffs start. Even if we lose the
next 4 as long as we win in the
playoffs we're good.

GENISUS

We won't lose the next four. Gem'll
pull it together. You'll see.

WIPE

Yeah, okay.

Genisus smiles.

GENISUS

There's the sarcastic prick we know
and love.

Wipe smiles slightly.

GENISUS

Now, let's actually do what Charlie
says and rest. We have a lot of
work to do.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

You're right.

Wipe and Genisus slowly make their way to the door.

GENISUS

Who knows, maybe when you're back we'll stick with Gem. He might be better than you.

WIPE

Oh shut up.

The two leave and the door SLAMS shut.

CUT TO

INT. SMALL ARENA - HALLWAY - DAY

The sound of FOOTSTEPS are heard as we move down the hall toward Florida's Waiting room.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Florida is just getting stomped out there. A huge loss in Florida's first game without Wipe.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

(Overlapping)

Two in a row as Gem just looks lost out there.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

(overlapping)

The healing is just not coming out from Gem as Florida falls to 15 and 11

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)

(overlapping)

A painful final loss here as Florida falls to seventh position, meaning they'll have to win a play in to even get to the playoffs.

Genisus walks into the waiting room. Wipe is sitting there, his head in his hands. Genisus losses it, SCREAMING in rage and tossing things across the room.

The rest of the team and Charlie are close behind him. shutting the door behind them.

INT. SMALL ARENA - FLORIDA MAYHEM WAITING AREA - CONTINUOUS

Genisus starts to lose his steam, letting out one last YELL as he falls into a chair, breathing heavy.

Everyone sits for a moment, no one quite knows what to say. Charlie walks forward to the middle of the room.

CHARLIE

Okay... Well, we made it to the end of the season. 15 and 12 is much better than last season, so lets start there.

No one responds. All too defeated to even acknowledge.

CHARLIE

We may have taken some tough losses these past few weeks.

WARRENCROWN

Tough losses. That's a nice way to put it.

CHARLIE

But we're getting Wipe back after the next game.

SSAVIOR

If we can even win.

CHARLIE

We can win.

WARRENCROWN

How Charlie?!? We just got stomped four weeks straight, what's gonna change that all of a sudden we're gonna pull everything together.

GENISUS

Warrencrown

WARRENCROWN

What?

Warrencrown looks at Genisus and realizes that Gem is right behind him. Gem looks destroyed, humiliated and hurt.

WARRENCROWN

Look Gem... It's not... It's just been...

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GEM

I know okay. I get it, I suck, I'm not Wipe and I'm sorry... I'm sorry that we're gonna lose the playoffs because of me. I'm just really sorry.

And with that Gem is gone. Rushing out of the room.

CHARLIE

Gem!

WARRENCROWN

Don't Charlie, give him space.

Wipe stands and goes after Gem.

WARRENCROWN

What did I just say?

WIPE

He doesn't need space he needs his teammates.

Wipe leaves, closing the door behind him.

INT. SMALL ARENA - HALLWAY - CONTINUOUS

Gem wipes his eyes, trying to avoid looking at anyone as he walks down the hall. Wipe begins to catch up to him.

WIPE

Gem... Gem!

GEM

Fuck off Wipe.

Wipe catches up to Gem, places a hand on his shoulder.

WIPE

Gem.

Gem snaps.

GEM

I said fuck off! I don't need another lecture about what a shitty player I am. I get it okay.

Silence. Wipe takes this in as the rest of the team appears behind him. They keep their distance.

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WIPE (CONT'D)

Look. You are not a bad player, you're a bad support. That's not a shot at you, it's the hardest position to play, it's why Ssavior and I play it and shot call. You also don't know Korean so how the fuck we expected you to talk to Nonstop and Smiley I don't know.

SMILEY

(Korean)

I heard my name.

WIPE

(Korean)

Give me a sec.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Okay then.

Wipe looks at Gem.

GEM

None of that changes anything Wipe. We still don't have you back. Knowing I can't talk to my teammates and can't play the position doesn't help me.

WIPE

I know. Which is why you're gonna switch positions with Genisus next game.

CHARLIE/GEM/GENISUS

What?

Wipe looks to Genisus and the rest of the team.

WIPE

Genisus has been learning Korean from me. And it's not perfect but it does allow him to talk to Smiley and Nonstop. If we switch the Genisus and Gem not only can we work better together but we can throw off the enemy teams strategy...

Everyone takes this in.

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WIPE (CONT'D)

We're lucky. Because we're in 7th we have an extra few days before our play in. That gives me more time to help Genisus get acclimated to the new position. We have the time, and we have the talent. We just need to use it smart.

Another beat.

WIPE

Charlie?

Everyone looks to Charlie who thinks.

CHARLIE

It's crazy... but it could work.

SSAVIOR

It's better than what we've been trying.

WIPE

So?

CHARLIE

Gem?

GEM

I'm better at Damage than support.

CHARLIE

Genisus.

Genisus looks conflicted.

WIPE

Can you do it?

GENISUS

Yeah... Let's win this play in

The team excitedly look to each other. Charlie turns to Nonstop and Smiley and starts explaining in Korean. Wipe and Genisus look at each other.

WIPE

We got this.

GENISUS

Okay. I trust you.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

Good.

The two shake hands.

CUT TO

BLACK SCREEN

Silence for a moment, then.

TITLE CARD: THE PLAYOFFS: PLAY IN GAME.

The sound of BREATHING is heard, deep and methodical.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Wipe sits, focused forward, listening and watching the game happening in front of him.

GAME WORLD

Two legs, sprinting down a street, not dressed in Florida colors.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Here we go!

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlie stands next to Wipe and looks over, nervous. Wipe doesn't return the eye contact, too focused on the game.

CHARLIE

Here we go.

GAME WORLD

Back in the game, the legs are revealed to belong to a Guangzhou Tracer. She rounds a corner past a double decker bus and sprints toward a lone Florida ROADHOG, a large man with a massive stomach tumor wearing a rebreather. The Roadhog stands in front of a futuristic hover car, turning to meet the Tracer, he launches his chain.

Tracer time jumps, dodging with ease as three of her teammates join her close behind, racing toward the Roadhog.

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BRENNON HOOK (V.O)
Warrencrown is all alone and
without Ult in this final push from
Guangzhou. This might be it for
Florida's playoff hopes.

The Gunagzhou players close in, the Roadhog shoots one taking it out but takes a ton of shots to the body. He quickly slams a healing canister into his rebreather, he takes a deep breath in.. He starts to panic as the Tracer launches her bomb at him. It sticks to his back and EXPLODES as she time-jumps away.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlies hands are too his head in panic.

CHARLIE
No!

WIPE
Wait.

Charlie's head snaps over.

GAME WORLD

The smoke begins to clear and the Roadhog is somehow still standing. He looks up to see a yellow orb hovering over his head, snapping his focus quickly to a Florida Zenyatta standing on a balcony nearby. The crowd ROAR

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)
And a huge save by Genisus as he
gets that Zenyatta orb off just in
time!

The Zenyatta jump over a railing and down to join the Roadhog who has quickly turned his attention back to the enemies. Before the two can fight however a Florida clad Winston lands in the middle of the fight and ROARS, turning red and growing large with rage.

The Winston begins knocking everyone aside, except a lone Gunagzhou REAPER, a soldier in a raven mask, who has snuck up on the team.

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlie looks excited, Wipe looks worried.

WIPE

Who's got the Reaper.

CHARLIE

What?

WIPE

The Reaper... The -

GAME WORLD

Reaper teleports out of the shadows and on top of the hover car. He pulls out both shotguns and begins firing them wildly in all directions, spinning toward Zenyatta and Roadhog. Their eyes go wide, when all of a sudden an Ice Pick SLAMS into his head. Killing him instantly.

Roadhog and Zenyatta look to see a Florida Mei, aiming at where the Reaper stood, her hand shaking.

INT. SMALL ARENA - STAGE - SIMULTANEOUS

The Florida team leaps to their feet as they rush Gem, who sits, sharing the Mei's expression shocked at his computer.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

And Gem does it! With a huge final kill there, the clear out from Nonstop on Winston and the Genisus save...

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)

Not to mention that last stand from Warrencrown...

INT. SMALL ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlie and Wipe embrace with pride.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Yes, Florida has done it. They have toppled the Gzuangzhou Charge and are moving into the playoffs!

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CHARLIE

I can't believe they did it.

WIPE

I can.

Wipe looks to Genisus with pride. Genisus looks back and mouths "all for you bro". Wipe smiles.

CUT TO BLACK

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - THE NEXT DAY

CHARLIE (V.O)

Alright.

Charlie stands in front of the team at the white board. The Playoff bracket is set up with Florida up against Vancouver. Wipe TRANSLATES throughout quietly.

CHARLIE

First of all, I want to say how proud of you all I am. Especially Gem and Genisus for stepping up to the plate in a huge way. The end of that play in was intense and we really pulled it out. With Wipe now officially back...

CHEERS from the team. Charlie smiles, as does Wipe

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Things are looking good, but we can't settle. We have three matches between us and the crown. That's 12 maps between us and the championship.

Quiet for a moment.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Now, because we were the highest ranked team in the play in we won't have to face New York first, in fact the only time we can face them is in the finals...

Wipe takes this in. Genisus puts a hand on his shoulder. The two share a look of determination.

(CONTINUED)

CHARLIE (O.S)
But we can't worry about that yet.
First up we have Vancouver. Now...

Wipe leans in to listen to Charlie.

WARRENCROWN (V.O)
So what do you think?

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - LATER THAT EVENING

The team sits around the living room sharing food, Korean, Mexican, American, all different cultures, all being enjoyed.

Warrencrown leans on Nonstop. She looks to Wipe, who is in the middle of eating a spring roll.

WIPE
(mouth full)
Of?

WARRENCROWN
Can we go all the way?

Wipe swallows.

WIPE
Honestly... This is the best team
I've ever been a part of so I don't
see why not.

Warrencrown smiles, Ssavior shifts, Genisus notices.

GENISUS
You okay Savior?

SSAVIOR
Yeah I just... I didn't think we'd
ever be here. I thought we were
doomed from the beginning and this
season has really changed
everything, not just for like us as
a team but for me as a person so...
I guess um... thanks.

Everyone takes this in.

WARRENCROWN
Way to make it sentimental you
dork.

Ssavior smiles to himself.

(CONTINUED)

SSAVIOR

Sorry.

GENISUS

You're one of the best supports out there dude. We wouldn't ask for a better one.

WIPE

You give me a run for my money kid.

SSAVIOR

Really?

WIPE

Yeah.

Wipe looks at Gem, feeling still not a part of the group.

WIPE

(Korean)

And Smiley, Gem's gonna take your spot next with those ice pick shots.

Gem looks up at the mention of his name.

GEM

I know I heard my name somewhere in there.

Smiley looks at Gem and smirks.

SMILEY

(Korean)

Bring it on kid, you're good but you're not me.

GEM

What's happening?

GENISUS

Smiley thinks you're competition, I'd guess cause of that killer ice pick in play ins.

GEM

No way I'm not...

The team laughs.

(CONTINUED)

WIPE

We're just messing around Gem.
(Korean) Right Smiley.

SMILEY

(Korean)
Sure.

Gem doesn't look convinced but does look more comfortable.
The team continue to sit as we focus in on the TV set behind
Wipe. It POPS on revealing.

INT. ARENA - BROADCAST BOOTH - DAY

A much nicer broadcast booth than we've seen during the
season. In the Playoff arena, everything is more expensive.

Our four commentators are seated at a beautiful table, they
smile as their names flash across screen.

CHRIS PUCKETT

Hello everyone and welcome to the
quarterfinals of the 2019 Overwatch
League!!!

The crowd ROARS behind him.

CHRIS PUCKETT

I am joined as always by Brennon
Hook, Josh Wilkinson and Soe
Gshwind and we are thrilled to
bring you this match up between
Florida Mayhem and The Vancouver
Titans.

The crowd is bursting with anticipation. The room feels
electric.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

This is an incredible match up to
start us off, what do you guys
think?

INT. ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Standing behind the curtain waiting to go on Florida has a
similar charge to them. Wipe remains calm, stretching
slightly. Everyone else, even Charlie is either pacing or
jumping, any way to keep the excess energy moving.

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The announcers can barely be heard in the background as the crowd SCREAMS the names of players or teams. Both sides represented in this arena.

GENISUS
Fucking shit.

SSAVIOR
Right!

WARRENCROWN
It's a little insane.

GENISUS
It's fucking surreal.

WIPE
It's just another game.

CHARLIE
Wipe's right. It's just another game. Same strategy, same everything.

A STAGEHAND walks up to the team.

STAGEHAND
You guys ready?

WARRENCROWN
Yeah.

The stagehand looks at Charlie.

CHARLIE
Why are you looking at me?

The stagehand moves the team into position as they hear.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
The 7th seed Florida Mayhem!!

The stagehand opens the curtain as the crowd ERUPTS.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

The team walks on stage, blinded for a moment by the lights before they see the mass of people SCREAMING for them. The team moves to center stage.

Warrencrown looks out and sees Fans wearing her jersey and CHEERING for her.

(CONTINUED)

Gem stands at the curtain with Charlie, watching the team and proud.

Wipe looks at his team mates.

WIPE
Hey! (Korean) Hey!

Everyone looks at him.

WIPE
(Korean)
Just another game. (English) Just,
another, game.

The team nods at him, all attempting to gather their focus.

After a moment the team moves to their seats. They settle into their chairs as Wipe throws his headset over his ears.

WIPE
Okay. Here we go.

CUT TO

GAME WORLD

A MCCREE runs down a dark back ally, his Florida cape waving right behind him. He begins to sprint up a flight of stairs/

SPLIT-SCREEN: Genisus leans into his computer.

GENISUS
It's high Noon.

MCCREE
It's high noon

McCree comes around a corner to find four Vancouver champions hiding behind a large clock tower. He pulls out his revolver and fires four shots, dropping the Champions.

Genisus almost gets to his feet out of excitement. He looks over at Wipe.

WIPE
Okay, okay... My turn.

CUT TO

GAME WORLD

A Florida wearing Zenyatta stands in an elevated doorway. He charges the orbs around him for a moment before launching them at a Vancouver Mercy, standing in a room below him. killing her instantly.

Suddenly six golden, translucent arms ERUPT from Zenyatta's body as he begins to glow golden energy. He leaps down to the room below right behind an allied Reinhardt, his wounds beginning to magically heal.

SPLIT-SCREEN: Wipe and Nonstop smile at their computers as Reignheart charges his hammer and swings it forward launching a wave of fire, overtaking the view.

Wipe and Nonstop both CHEER, the crowd is with them.

WIPE
(Korean)
There we go!

NONSTOP
(Korean)
That's what I'm talking
about!

GAME WORLD

A high tech train platform, the Florida champions look exhausted when suddenly, a Vancouver DVA flies around the corner of a building launching the mech toward the platform..

The Mech EXPLODES, killing the Florida team. The rest of Vancouver charges the platform, but right as they reach it...

NONSTOP
(Korean)
Mine!

We see Nonstop lean into his screen as Florida's Winston lands on the point, dropping a devise which produces a bubble shield around him. He pulls out an electric channeling gun and begins to fire, keeping all of the Vancouver players away from him and the platform.

The shield breaks and Winston is hit in the head.

WIPE
(Korean)
Careful.

(CONTINUED)

NONSTOP

(Korean)

I got it.

WIPE

(Korean)

I'm back up.

The Winston grows and turns red again beginning to swing his fists, knocking the Vancouver champions aside. They try to fight back but Nonstop is too good, hitting every champion that tries to fire at him.

The Florida team suddenly arrives and leaps down onto the platform, moving as a perfect unit, destroying the Vancouver team with ease.

The crowd ROARS as Florida leap out of their chairs.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

And with that huge primal rage from
Nonstop Florida does it, they pick
up a huge win and advance to the
Semi's!

Behind the teams the brackets change to show Florida and New York both moving up in their respective brackets.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

But next up is the opponent
everyone said they won in a fluke,
Philadelphia Fusion

INT. ARENA - BACKSTAGE - THE NEXT WEEK

Charlie stands at the edge of the curtain, looking toward the stage. He CLAPS loudly, slamming his hand into his clipboard.

CHARLIE

Alright. Semi's, same plan as last
week, Let's go!!!!

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

Florida sits at their station with Philadelphia now across from them, both teams are focused on their screens.

TITLE CARD: SEMI-FINALS

GAME WORLD

Philadelphia Champions stand around a hovering limo, focused on their defenses. Suddenly a black hole expands over the car and the Philadelphia champions are yanked toward it.

Nearby Florida's Pharah takes a running start through small terrace restaurant and activates her jump pack, thrusting herself in the air above the black hole.

SPLIT SCREEN: As the Pharah thrusts up, Genisus gets to his feet and slams down on his keyboard. Pharah opens her flight suit and launches a barrage of rockets at the Hole.

The rockets EXPLODE, destroying the Philadelphia team as the rest of the Florida champions charge onto the point.

The Pharah falls next to a Florida Zarya and the two freak out together as WarrenCrown and Genisus do the same.

CUT TO

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

The crowd begins to SWELL with cheers for Florida. The team starts to look out over the audience, letting their own excitement build with it.

Wipe is keeping his calm..

WIPE

Alright alright (Korean) lets keep
it cool (English) one more map,
let's keep up the focus.

The team looks back to their screen.

INT. ARENA - BROADCAST BOOTH - LATER

The Commentators are all leaning into their own monitors, their eyes wide in shock.

CHRIS PUCKETT

Unbelievable! It looks like Florida
is going to take it in a 3 to 1
stomp.

BRENNON HOOK

If this holds they'll move on to
face New York in the final.

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SOE GSCHWIND
Wipe against his old team.

JOSH WILKINSON
Can they do it?

Everything suspends... The whole world goes quiet.

INT. ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlie holds his breath looking out toward the stage.

INT. ARENA - CROWD SEATS - CONTINUOUS

The Crowd is suspended screaming toward the stage.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

Florida is suspended all focused on their screens or shouting orders. Wipe presses one last key.

CLICK

OVERHEAD: The Arena erupts into SCREAMS.

Everyone on Florida except Wipe jump up. Genisus charges Wipe and hugs him.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
(Loudspeaker)
That's it. With that last play
Florida seals their ticket to
Finals.

CUT TO BLACK

INT. ARENA - FLORIDA WAITING ROOM - DAY

Wipe sits in a nicer waiting room than we are used to seeing him in. He is breathing deep, trying to remain calm. He takes a moment by himself, when...

GENISUS (O.S)
Hey.

Wipe looks up and Genisus is standing in the doorway.

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GENISUS

It's time.

Wipe nods and stands. The two walk out of the room together.

INT. ARENA - HALLWAY - CONTINUOUS

Wipe and Genisus walk side by side down the hall, looking like Champions, keeping stride as they go toward the stage.

To the side of the hall Sincubous is waiting, he sees Wipe walk by and gets off the wall.

SINCUBOUS

Wipe.

Wipe and Genisus stop and turn. Wipe looks at Genisus.

WIPE

I got it. See you backstage.

Genisus nods and walks down the hall. Looking back at the two before disappearing backstage. Wipe goes to Sincubous. They speak Korean throughout.

SINCUBOUS

So...

WIPE

It all comes down to this.

SINCUBOUS

I just wanted to say... I'm really... I...

WIPE

I know. It's okay Sincubous.

Sincubous smiles lightly.

WIPE

and hey... I wouldn't rather beat anyone else.

Wipe extends his hand. Sincubous chuckles and shakes it.

SINCUBOUS

Good luck out there.

WIPE

Same to you.

The two separate as Wipe walks down the hall after Genisus. Sincubous watches for a moment before departing.

INT. ARENA - BACKSTAGE - CONTINUOUS

Charlie has gathered the team. The CROWD is LOUD in the background. Wipe comes in and Charlie sees him.

CHARLIE

Wipe!

Wipe goes over and gathers with the team.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Glad to see you. Could use the Translator.

Wipe translates throughout.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Alright, this is it. The Grand Finals. This is what we've been working toward all season. The trophy, the bragging rights...

GENISUS

That beautiful five million dollars.

CHARLIE

That too, Now this is the biggest game most of us have played but we can't let that change things. When you go out there, you are a team no matter what happens, you are champions no matter what happens, we went from worst in the league to the finals that is a huge accomplishment and you should all be proud. Now, lets go out there and show the world why Florida Mayhem is the best team in the world!

The team CHEERS and goes towards the stage. Charlie watches them go, proud.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Your Florida Mayhem!!!!

The crowd ERUPTS as Florida charges onto stage.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

The team steps on stage. Taking the moment in, the cheers, the crowd, all of it. As they are doing this, they hear.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
And NEW YORK Excelsior!!!

Another ERUPTION as Excelsior comes out. Wipe and Zion lock eyes as the two teams stand side by side at the front of the stage.

ZION
(Korean)
Ready to lose?

WIPE
(Korean)
Ready to watch me kick your ass?

ZION
(Korean)
In your dreams Wipe.

The two exchange looks before both teams walk back to their stations.

Wipe dons his headset and looks at his team.

WIPE
Alright... One more run. (Korean)
One last fight.

GENISUS
Let's fucking do this!

The team readies themselves at their computers. There is a collective breath... then.

GAME WORLD

Champions in Florida and New York garb, SLAM into each other in the pit of a Greek coliseum. Guns FIRING, shields being deployed, this is a fight.

WIPE
(Korean)
Smiley right.

GENISUS
Wipe's covering right.

(CONTINUED)

WARRENCROWN

I'm taking damage.

SSAVIOR

On my way!

The fight is intense. A Florida Zarya almost goes down but is saved by Mercy flying to her rescue. Zarya blasts back at a New York Reaper who dissolves into smoke and flies away.

The Mercy takes back off again rushing into more combat outside of the pit.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)

Finals already starting off intense, this fight is unreal. Both teams giving it their all.

Suddenly in a wave New York Champions charge into the pit. The Zarya is caught in the fire as a Widdowmakers shot brings her down.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)

But New York looks barely better, I think... yes, New York is gonna roll to the first win of this best of Five.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

Wipe looks to his team.

WIPE

Alright Focus (Korean) Focus (English) we can't beat them in a straight fight, we have to stick to strategy. (Korean) Stay Locked.

The team, looking slightly afraid but determined nods.

WIPE

We can do this. (Korean) We can do this.

Everyone takes a breath. Back in...

GAME WORLD

The Florida team is defending the back corner of a moon base. New York pushes in toward them from a higher floor. New York looks strong and Florida is barely holding.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

New York looks confident when suddenly with a start Sincubous sits up...

SINCUBOUS
(Korean)
Where's their other tank?!?

GAME WORLD

A Florida DVA flies up to the second floor platform and lands, ready to self destruct. New York tries to move but are caught in a huge EXPLOSION.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

Zion slams his hand into the table.

ZION
(Korean)
Fuck!

Wipe pumps his fist.

WIPE
Yes!

He points to Warrencrown.

WIPE (CONT'D)
That's what I'm talking about!

Warrencrown smiles as the CROWD starts to chant her name.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
Amazing Self Destruct from
Warrencrown.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)
Really making a name for herself in
this final.

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SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
As if she hadn't already. Florida
ties it up here at map two.

GAME WORLD

The Florida champions are in formation, defending a garage
in the back alleys of London.

SPLIT-SCREEN: Smiley is pressed into his computer, smiling.

SMILEY

Mine.

A Florida JUNKRAT, An Australian, mostly burned, pyromaniac
with a peg leg, stands above the battle in a second floor
window. He rips a tire laced with explosives off his back
and, pulling a handle attached to a chord, sends the tire
rolling at the New York team.

The tire falls toward the field and almost hits a New York
GENJI, a cybernetic samurai, but right as the tire EXPLODES,
Genji uses his blade to push himself into the air.

And that's when the attack really starts. The Genji spins
his sword and drops onto the Florida champions. Swinging his
blade he kills all five guarding the point and jumps up
toward the second floor window.

Smiley looks over to New York and Zion who is staring back.
The two shoot back to their screens right as Genji charges
Junkrat. Junkrat fires explosives at Genji but with a quick
dash forward the Genji slices Junkrat in half.

Zion stands YELLING into his headset. Smiley looks
frustrated.

SMILEY

(Korean)

I shoulda caught him.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

Zion just looking like a monster
out there.

WIPE

(Korean)

It's okay, we're not out of this.
Two more.

(CONTINUED)

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)
New York needs one more to win!
Can anyone slow him down?

Wipe stretches his neck, attempting to block out the world.

GAME WORLD

The New York champions round the corner of an old, junk filled, robotics lab. They race toward a treasure covered hover car, and as they do they miss the Florida Winston pressed as close as he can into the wall.

As the New York champions pass him, Winston leaps onto them, throwing a shield down and separating the team.

SPLIT SCREEN: Sincubous's eyes go wide in panic as the New York team all start YELLING to readjust.

The New York champions turn toward the Winston but as they do a Black hole sucks them away, right into a waiting explosive tire. The tire BURSTS, destroying the New York team.

Smiley leaps to his feet and points at Zion.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Not this time Asshole!

Zion glares back and GRUNTS in frustration.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)
Oh my a huge Rip Tire from Smiley.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
We're all tied up again going into
this final map.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
This is it!

GAME WORLD

Florida's Tracer runs through a back section of an old military base. She rounds a corner and spots her target, a small hover plane being guarded by a New York DVA.

Tracer time jumps forward and throws her pulse bomb at the DVA but right as it reaches her the DVA turns on a defensive grid which destroys the bomb in a puff of smoke.

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The DVA activates a series of rockets which rip through the Tracer, leaving just a cloud of smoke behind.

BRENNON HOOK (V.O)
Oh and Smiley just wiped out.

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

Florida is starting to look worried.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Fuck.

SSAVIOR
Nothing's working.

GENISUS
They're gonna hold.

NONSTOP
(Korean)
I can't break through.

SMILEY
(Korean)
Just used Pulse.

WIPE
(Korean)
Hey (English) Hey!

The team stops talking and looks to Wipe.

WIPE
(Korean) Smiley switch to Widow.
(English) We gotta group up and get
them off that payload. Genisus...

Genisus perks up.

GENISUS
Is it time?

WIPE
Zion's Bane.

GENISUS
Let's fucking go!

GAME WORLD

A Widdowmaker rushes out of a small back room in the military base, smiling and stretching. She joins the rest of the team who are charging through the back section toward the hover jet. A Florida Wrecking Ball in front, swings toward the jet, now being guarded by more of New York.

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)
But here comes Florida.

New York tries to prepare but Florida unloads on them. Bullets and rockets and explosives overtaking the jet. New York is either killed or forced backwards.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
And look at Smiley!

Widdowmaker fires a grappling hook toward a overlook platform, hooking onto a rail and pulling up to it. She takes aim.

Split screen: Smiley's grin goes wide.

SMILEY (V.O)
(Korean)
Boom.

The Widdowmaker mouths along with Smiley as she rips into the New York team with a rain of sniper shots.

Two New York champions run up a flight of stairs toward the jet but as they do they are immediately both met with sniper shots.

Zion starts to stand, looking intensely focused.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)
There goes Zion!

A Genji dashes up the stairs and toward the jet but right before he can get there, Florida's Moira drops in front of him and unleashes a blast of energy.

SOE GSCHWIND (V.O)
But Wipe with a huge cut off.

The Genji goes to block the blast but the energy is getting through and before he can escape he is SHOT in the head by a McCree, standing on a box in the distance.

Genisus throws his arms into the air.

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GENISUS

Done!

CHRIS PUCKETT (V.O)

And Genisus gets the massive kill
on Zion!

The jet rolls into the end zone. VICTORY flashes across the screen.

JOSH WILKINSON (V.O)

They've done it!

INT. ARENA - STAGE - CONTINUOUS

The Crowd EXPLODES. Wipe and the team leap to their feet. They SCREAM. Charlie throws his clipboard into the air as he and Gem embrace.

Ssavior and Smiley grab onto each other, each YELLING like excited kids.

Nonstop and WarrenCrown look at each other. They stop screaming and after a second they kiss. It is long awaited and probably overdue.

Genisus and Wipe embrace. Genisus lifting him into the air.

Zion is infuriated. Throwing his headset down in frustration. The only one on New York who doesn't look depressed is Sincubous, who lets on a slight smile.

Alex Cole stands next to the trophy.

ALEX COLE

(Into Microphone)

Thank you Chris. I am pleased to be down here on stage to announce the winners of the 2019 season of the Overwatch League. The Florida Mayhem!

Florida looks over to Alex and race toward the Trophy. Charlie and Gem run to them on stage. The group meets and raise the trophy high into the air. Alex approaches Wipe.

ALEX COLE

Wipe. How does it feel to win for the second season in a row.

Wipe takes a moment, looking out over the crowd.

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WIPE

Honestly it's an incredible feeling. But I am not in this alone. I couldn't have done it without our amazing coach Charlie James, our owner Riley and this incredible team. Florida Mayhem!!

As he SCREAMS the crowd joins him and the team lift the trophy high above their heads.

Wipe and Genisus exchange a look. Smiling at each other, enjoying the moment.

CUT TO BLACK

INT. MAYHEM APARTMENT - LIVING ROOM - A FEW MONTHS LATER

The team gathers around the living room table eating breakfast together. Warrencrown and Nonstop are being cute, Gem feels like a part of the group, and Genisus and Wipe are in the middle of an argument.

WIPE

There is no way.

GENISUS

Yes there is.

WIPE

You can't make better Kimchi than me. I'm Korean.

GENISUS

I don't care, I'm a better cook.

WIPE

(Korean)

Smiley back me up.

SMILEY

(Korean)

On what?

Wipe GROANS as the team LAUGHS. Then a KNOCK at the door.

CHARLIE (O.S)

That him?

Wipe turns and looks to Charlie who is standing next to an excited Riley.

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WIPE

Probably.

CHARLIE

Let's do this.

Wipe stands and walks toward the door. He opens it to reveal Sincubous, in street clothes for the first time, standing with his suitcase.

SINCUBOUS

(Korean)

Hey.

WIPE

(Korean)

Hey.

SINCUBOUS

(Korean)

Can I...

Wipe embraces him. Sincubous is slightly confused but embraces back. After a moment they separate.

WIPE

(Korean)

Welcome to the team.

Wipe invites Sincubous in. They walk toward the team.

CHARLIE

(Korean)

Sincubous welcome. Drop your stuff,
lets get started.

Charlie walks to the practice room as the rest of the team follows. Sincubous is slightly confused.

SINCUBOUS

(Korean)

What?

Wipe looks back.

WIPE

(Korean)

We start early here.

Wipe walks into the computer room. After a moment Sincubous follows.

INT. MAYHEM COMPUTER ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Sincubous scurries in smiling and takes a seat. Wipe smiles as he puts on his headset.

Charlie stands in front of the team. He looks at them...

CHARLIE

Alright... Season Three.

CUT TO BLACK

END OF FILM.