

Ms. Chan's Third Grade Class

Rainforest Dilemma

Dramatis Personae

The Rainforest People

SHARP (Dylan)
NONAME (Matheo)
NAVTI (Ethan)
JOE (Declan)
JEN FASSA ROSE (Matilda)
AGENT ZERO (Miles)
BUKA (Koh)
AMANDA (Hadassah)
FLABBER (Stella)

The Destroyers

MR. FLAMESAH (Jaedon)
TABBY (Alicia)
LOB (Raymond)
FLETER (Joshua)

The Savers

RED DOG HAWK (Louie)
JADE (Abby)
CUINSIDIA (Soulana)
JESSIE (Apple)
J18 (Cathy)
SIR TREASURES (Tristan)
AMY (Kaylin)
WILLY (Orion)
NAVY (Talia)
KATIE (Morgan)
LAURA C. (Nettie)

Rainforest Dilemma

It is a typical day in the rainforest. However, the Rainforest people are stressed out and not getting along. Agent Zero is patrolling and shoots a bow and arrow.

AMANDA
Hey don't do that!

JEN FASSA ROSE
What did you do that for?

AGENT ZERO
I thought I saw something.

NONAME
What did you see?

Navti come rushing in.

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Awww! Its just Navti.

NAVTI
Why did you shoot an arrow at me?
You could have hurt me!

AGENT ZERO
Sorry!

Buka accidentally bumps into Jen Fassa Rose.

JEN FASSA ROSE
Stop bumping into me. I'm going to claw you!

BUKA
Hey! I'm sorry. It was an accident.

FLABBER
Buka, you need to stop getting in people's way.
Yesterday you stepped on my hand.

JOE
I need a vacation!



RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Yeah! Let's go on vacation!

AMANDA
Let's go to our get-away-island.

JEN FASSA ROSE
Oh! I can't wait to lie on the beach.

SHARP
Yeah! We just need to relax!

AGENT ZERO
This is not a good idea.
Who's going to watch our village?
I have been hearing strange sounds from the
Ancient temple. What if something happens?

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Nothing's going to happen.
You worry too much.
This place will take care of itself.

NAVTI
Come on! Let's go!

JEN FASSA ROSE
Wait! Where's my leash.
I can't find my leash.

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Come on!
Last one there is a rotten coconut!

AGENT ZERO
I'm staying here!
Catch some rays for me.

At the ancient temple, the fighting going on amongst the Rainforest People has awakened a small group of destroyers.

LOB
Okay! What are you going to do?
I command you to do that!

TABBY
(Staring at him)



Who are you talking to?

MR. FLAMESAH

I'm so glad to finally be free of this place.
I've been stuck in here way too long.

FLETER

The arguing must have set us free.
Those rainforest people have been shouting for months.

TABBY

I was getting used to this place.
It could use some more goop.

LOB

I think we should take over the whole city!

FLETER

What do you intend to do?
Turn the whole forest into stone?

LOB

Yes! That's a great idea!

TABBY

Stone is nice. But goop is better.
Green, slimmey, goop!

MR. FLAMESAH

I think we should bomb the whole place.

LOB

Yeah!

FLETER

Wait a minute! Do you hear something?

TABBY

I hear you talking.

MR. FLAMESAH

She's pretty right.

FLETER

I smell something too.
Mmmm! Smells like dinner.



TABBY
I think I smell bacon.

LOB
Ahhh! Stop talking!
Not pigs! No!
Don't talk about the pig!

They all laugh at LoB.

TABBY
Making fun of you never gets old.

LOB
Fear of flying pigs is not a laughing matter.
It is not funny!

They continue laughing until Fleter spots Agent Zero in the bushes.

FLETER
Well! Look what we have here!

MR. FLAMESAH
Well, if it isn't one of the Rainforest People.

AGENT ZERO
Hold! Who are you?
What do you want here?

TABBY
We are the Destroyers and we want your rainforest.

AGENT ZERO
Well, you can't have it.

LOB
Let me turn him into stone! Please!

FLETER
No, let's just tie him up and take him to our lair.
We may need him later.

The Destroyers grab Agent Zero and tie him up. Then they take him to their lair. Three Savers step out of hiding. They have been watching the whole thing.

LAURA C.



Did you hear that?

WILLY

Yes! The destroyers are awake and they are going to turn the
rainforest into stone and goop.

JESSIE

We have to tell the others.
Let's sound the alarm.

JESSIE, LAURA C. and WILLY

Rrrrrr! Cocoo!

The Savers come out of the Rainforest and gather around.

SIR TREASURES

You called?

NAVY

Did you find the Rainforest people yet?

JESSIE

We found one, but he was captured.

SAVERS

Captured!

WILLY

The destroyers have awoken in the Ancient temple.

SIR TREASURES

I thought that might happen.
Last time I searched for treasure there,
the stones were starting to crumble.
The forest sounds echoed loudly inside.

AMY and KATIE

This is not good!

J18

Do you think they have the other Rainforest People?

LAURA C.

We only saw the one Rainforest Person.
He seemed to be guarding the place.



CUINSIDIA

We've been looking for days and can find no trace of the others.

RED DOG HAWK

Maybe they went someplace else.

NAVY

We need to find them and tell them that the Destroyers woke up!

JADE

But how will we find them?

SIR TREASURES

We haven't looked for them on the islands.

RED DOG HAWK

Okay! There are three islands. Let's split up into four teams.

SAVERS

Four?

JADE

Didn't you just say there were three islands?

KATIE

I think maybe he means for one team to go and rescue the one Rainforest Person.

RED DOG HAWK

Yes! Thank you Katie.

J18

Who's going to be on the rescue team?

WILLY

I'll go, it seems they are afraid of flying pigs.

NAVY

I'll go with Willy.

SIR TREASURES

I will go too. I know the Ancient Temple pretty well.

The three savers go off to rescue the one Rainforest Person. The rest split up into three groups to search the islands. Amy, Jessie, and Cuinsidia discover the Rainforest People on vacation.

AMY, JESSIE, CUINSIDIA



We found you!

BUKA
Who are you?

AMY, JESSIE, and CUINSIDIA
We are the Savers.

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
The who?

CUINSIDIA
The savers. We are
a group of people dedicated to saving the rainforest.

FLABBER
Cool! You can take a break then.
Rainforest is safe!
Do you want some pineapple juice!

JEN FASSA ROSE
It's so relaxing here!
We're going to sunbathe for a bit,
want to join us?

JESSIE
We came to warn you that the Rainforest is in danger!

NAVTI
Naw! Agent Zero's there!

SHARP
He's got it under control.

JOE
What do you mean the Rainforest is in danger?

AMY
The Destroyers woke up in the temple.
They are going to turn the rainforest into stone and goop.

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
(Laughing)
That's silly.

NONAME



There are no Destroyers.
That's just an old story made up to scare kids.

JESSIE
They aren't listening.
We need to call the others.

JESSIE, AMY and CUINSIDIA
Rrrr! Coocoo!

The savers appear from the other islands.

JADE
Did you find them?

AMY
Yes!

RED DOG HAWK
Good work! But, why are they still laying around?

CUINSIDIA
They don't believe us!

JEN FASSA ROSE
Who wants to go scooba diving?

FLABBER
Me!!

SHARP
Mmmm! Fresh fish for dinner!

AMANDA
This island is better than Disneyland!

LAURA C.
Stop! Don't you understand what is happening?

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
What?!

RED DOG HAWK
Your homes are going to be destroyed if we don't do something about it now!

KATIE
You have to come with us!



AMANDA
And leave all this?

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Nahhhh!

JEN FASSA ROSE
Why would we ever want to go back?

J18
Because it's your land!

JOE
I'll go back with you!

NAVTI
I suppose I could go help too!

NONAME
Wait for me. I'll come help too!

JEN FASSA ROSE
I'm staying right here.
I need to even up my tan.

The Savers leave with Joe, Noname, and Navti to go back to the rainforest. Meanwhile, Navy, Sir Treasures, and Willy sneak up on the Destroyers to free Agent Zero.

FLETER
I smell food again!
Pig stew! Pickled pigs feet! Baby back pigs!

LOB
Seriously not funny anymore!
Don't mention the P word again!

TABBY
Look, I'm getting tired of arguing.
Let's go making some forest into goop!

LOB
And stone!



MR. FLAMESAH
I have the bomb ready to go.
Let's go set it off.

TABBY
I'll get the map of where we want things to go.

The Destroyers go off to set the bomb. The Savers move in to free Agent Zero.

SIR TREASURES
Now! Go and untie him.

AGENT ZERO
I'm already untied. They forgot to take away my knife.
I was just about to escape. Who are you?

NAVY
We are the savers.

AGENT ZERO
The who?

WILLY
Savers. We protect the rainforest.

AGENT ZERO
I'm sure glad you're here. The rest of my people are on vacation.

NAVY
We need to hurry up.
We want to stop them before they set off that bomb.

WILLY
I think I have a plan.
They seem to be really afraid of me.

SIR TREASURES
Well, one of them at least.

WILLY
I could fly in and scare him and distract the others.

AGENT ZERO
I'll go for the girl, Tabby.

SIR TREASURES



We should wait until the others arrive.

NAVY

We don't have time!

SIR TREASURES

Okay. But I don't have a good feeling about this.

In a clearing the Destroyers have put a bomb on the ground and are about to light it. As Mr. Flamesah is leaning down to light the bomb, Willy flies out of the forest towards LoB. LoB screams in fear and runs away, chased by Willy. In the distraction, Agent Zero grabs Tabby and captures her. Mr. Flamesah grabs the bomb.

MR. FLAMESAH

Stop! I have the bomb!

Just then, the rest of the Savers arrive with the three Rainforest people. They surround Mr. Flamesah and Fleter.

NONAME

We have you surrounded.

JOE

There's no place to go.

NAVY

Surrender now! There's more of us than there are of you.

Mr. Flamesah drops the bomb. Red Dog Hawk quickly grabs the bomb. Jessie grabs Mr. Flamesah and Laura grabs Fleter.

RED DOG HAWK

I'll take it to the temple and throw it down into a deep hole.
If it goes off it won't harm the forest.

SIR TREASURE

It might even shake loose some treasure.

JESSIE

Come with us destroyers. You are going back to sleep for a long, long time.

FLETER

You haven't heard the last from us.

The destroyers are led out. The rest of the Savers and Rainforest people are talking when the rest of the Rainforest people arrive.



AMANDA
We're back!

BUKA
We decided to come back early and help you guys!

JEN FASSA ROSE
I love what you've done the place.

NONAME
You came to late. We already took care of the problem.

NAVY
This should be our rainforest now.

SHARP
What do you mean?

LAURA
We saved your land, so it should be ours now.

SIR TREASURES
Let's not argue about this.
I think that we can share the land together.

JESSIE
You just have to promise to take better care of it with us.

RAINFOREST PEOPLE
Okay! We will.

FLABBER
We should celebrate!
We brought back some good food from the island.

EVERYONE
Yay! Let's celebrate!



