

Guardians
Episode 22: "To Catch A Train"
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TEASER

FADE IN:

EXT. SPACE - EARTH ORBIT

The great ship hangs in silent orbit of Earth.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

The Guardians and Car Robots enter the conference room and see Pat sat at the head of the table, sat on the chair to his left is an attractive Japanese woman in her early thirties. Mika and Ami are also present. When Joss sees the Japanese woman, he looks at her rather longingly.

PAT

Sorry for my unannounced arrival

JOSEPH

It's OK, what's going on?

The Guardians take up what has become their usual positions around the table

PAT

This is Commander Odagiri Aya...

JOSEPH

But what is she doing up here?

PAT

I ws just getting to that. I have decided that she will be the commander of the Galaxy Knight

JOSEPH

What? Why? I thought I was in charge?

PAT

And you still are...

COMMANDER AYA

You are the leader of the team in the field while I will be the over-all mission commander

PAT

I have decided that you will have a mission Commander to ensure your safety

JOSEPH

We managed fine on our first fight and on every fight since

COMMANDER AYA

I assure you, any further encounters will not go as smoothly as your first few

(Beat)

I hope we can work together to get the job done

PAT

As Guardians, not only do you rely on me but on everyone around you for help and guidance

(Beat)

Now, are there any objections to Commander Aya's posting as your commander?

PORTER

Now that you have explained it, I'm fine

MATTHEW

It makes sense to have someone in charge

ZAC

I'm fine

JOSS

I agree with Porter, it makes sense for us to have someone to direct our missions

TAYLOR

I have no problem with it

JOSEPH

Well I do. We do not need a civilian complicating matters by looking over our shoulder at every turn and generally getting in our way

COMMANDER AYA

I assure you I won't...

Joseph gets up and walks out of the Conference Room.

FADE TO
CREDITS

END OF TEASER

ACT ONE

FADE IN:

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

We carry on from where the teaser left off.

PAT

I must apologize for Joseph's behavior

COMMANDER AYA

It's ok, he just needs time to adjust to things

PAT

That is no excuse for his attitude towards you

COMMANDER AYA

It's ok

PAT

Connie, where is Joseph?

CONNIE(V.O.)

Joseph has left the ship, he is now at CyberTech HQ

PAT

If you will excuse me, I'll go and speak to him...

PORTER

Actually father, why don't you stay up here and give Commander Aya the tour, I'll go speak to Joseph for you

PAT

I appreciate the offer Porter, but this is something that I need to talk to him about

PORTER

I understand
(To Commander Aya)
If you'll follow me, I'll give you a brief tour

COMMANDER AYA

Thank-you

MATTHEW

Hang on, we'll come with you

ROLLBAR

Do we have to go, I ask this as
we have a lot of work to do

(To Pat)

On the Special Project 2

PORTER

The what?

ZAC

Special Project 2?

PAT

You'll find out, when the time is
right

INT. CYBERTECH HQ - PAT'S OFFICE

Joseph is sat behind the desk, with his feet up reading the
Financial Times when Pat enters the office.

PAT

We need to talk about your
behavior

JOSEPH

And while we're at it, we can
also talk about that civilian you
have brought into the fold to
take command of the Galaxy Knight
away from me

Joseph gets up from behind the desk and allows his father
to sit down while Joseph stands in front of the desk, his
arms folded across his chest.

PAT

Your attitude and behavior towards
Commander Aya was not what I have
come to accept from you Joseph.
You should show respect

JOSEPH

Father, respect is earned, not
given

PAT

Oh really?

JOSEPH

Yes

PAT

And what about me? have I earned your respect?

JOSEPH

You are my father, you already have my respect and the respect of the others as well

PAT

I do not seem to have your respect

JOSEPH

Of course you do father

PAT

Then why did you walk out on Commander Aya like that?

JOSEPH

I walked out because I take offense to being replaced as mission leader, without being told

PAT

You are NOT being replaced as leader, all that is happening is that while you are the leader of the team in the field Commander Aya will be the over- all mission commander

JOSEPH

We do not need her father, we have not needed her so far and we will not need her in the future

(Beat)

If I may be excuse father, I have things I need to be doing

PAT

Yes, you may go, but you have not heard the last of this

Joseph bows then turns and exits the office.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CORRIDOR

Led by the Guardians and followed by the Car Robots, Commander Aya walks down the corridor.

PORTER

The Galaxy Knight is a Hyperion-class battle cruiser, built for battle, not science or exploration. It has an impressive array of offensive and defensive weapons, most of which are currently off-line

COMMANDER AYA

Might I ask why?

MATTHEW

Because the auto-repair system itself is heavily damaged and is operating at less than 3 percent

ROLLBAR

percent to be exact

SURESHOT

We've tried repairing as many as we can, but as you Humans say, it's "Slower than hell" without the auto-repair system

MIRAGE

We do what we can to keep the ship operating and repair what we can when we can

COMMANDER AYA

Can the auto-repair system not be repaired or replaced?

Porter glances at the others.

PORTER

How much has our father told you Commander?

COMMANDER AYA

He has told me everything, and he said to tell you one word to prove that I know what you all know

ZAC

Oh really, and that word is what exactly?

As Commander Aya is about to say the word, we:

CUT TO:

INT. CYBERTECH HQ - ZERO-HOUR BAR

Joseph enters the bar and takes up a seat near a large window. A waiter approaches.

WAITER

What can I get for you Mr Shakhan?

JOSEPH

Three large steaks, mash potatoes, fried onions and a large pot of coffee please

WAITER

Coming right up sir

As the waiter moves away, Connie's android body enters and joins him at the table.

CONNIE

So, I hear you walked out on the new Galaxy Knight commander?

JOSEPH

Yes, and I'd do it again. I will not have a common- place Human take my place

CONNIE

Did you actually listen to what your father and Commander Aya said?

JOSEPH

Yes, and I believe that they are sugar-coating it in the hope that I'll believe them

CONNIE

They are telling the truth

JOSEPH

Then why was I not informed before hand?

CONNIE

Of that I have no idea, only your father knows...

The waiter returns with his order.

CONNIE (CONT'D)

Talk to your father Joseph and he'll explain everything...

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM 2 HOURS LATER

Having finished a brief tour of the Galaxy Knight, Commander Aya and the others have returned to the Conference Room.

COMMANDER AYA

This ship is amazing, simply amazing

ISAAC

It would be even more impressive if it were fully functional

MATTHEW

If it were, we could hunt down Mele's ship and take her and her forces into custody...

COMMANDER AYA

Yes, I've read the reports on the facility on Monster Land, an impressive way to...

An alarm blares out and the screen flickers to life and shows a monster attacking the city center.

TAYLOR

If you will excuse us, we have business to take care of

COMMANDER AYA

Of course, I'll monitor you from the bridge

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

The Guardians arrive at the scene and come face to face with a winged monster with two large wings and a nasty set of claws.

ASTRO-CON

Guardians, I had hoped to destroy this city before killing you

YELLOW GUARDIAN

Why do you monster freaks have such delusions of grandeur?

ASTRO-CON

These are not delusions Guardians as I shall now show you, WATCH

Astro-Con glows bright with energy and begins growing into a giant and soon towers above the Guardians.

There's slurping and bubbling as two twisted and blackened engines erupt from his back.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
Can't catch me...

That said, Astro-Con takes to the air.

SILVER GUARDIAN
I'll head back to the ship...

Silver Guardian takes to the skies and flies away

BLUE GUARDIAN
That monster freak is getting
away

RED GUARDIAN
Then let's follow him
(Beat)
Combatoids hear our call

GUARDIANS
LIONS, DESCEND

From the sky, the six LION COMBATOIDS BURST FORTH IN THE SKY LIKE THUNDERING, MECHANICAL GODS. The Guardians look up at the TOWERING ASSAULT VEHICLES. They are running on a wave of light, which dissipates when the six lions hit the ground. There's amazing PYROTECHNICS AS SIX LIONS MERGE TOGETHER AND TRANSFORM INTO ULTRON. The Guardians are enveloped in beams of light as we...

CUT TO:

INT. ULTRON - COCKPIT

The cockpit fills with light as the Guardians teleport into their respective seats.

GREEN GUARDIAN
All systems ready

WHITE GUARDIAN
Weapons charged

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

Ultron takes to the skies in pursuit of Astro-Con.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - BRIDGE

Commander Aya watches as Ultron flies in pursuit of Astro-Con.

COMMANDER AYA
 Connie, can you project Ultron's
 course?

CONNIE(V.O.)
 No problem...

The screen changes and shows the course Astro-Con is
 taking.

CONNIE(V.O.) (CONT'D)
 If the monster keeps on it's
 present course, it will leave the
 atmosphere in the next few
 seconds

COMMANDER AYA
 Can Ultron function in space?

CONNIE(V.O.)
 They've fought a monster or two
 in close orbit, but that's about
 it

EXT. SPACE - EARTH ORBIT

Astro-Con flies up from Earth's atmosphere.

ASTRO-CON
 Time to slow you down a little

He snarls and fires a fierce volley of energy beams back
 down towards Earth.

EXT. UPPER ATMOSPHERE

Ultron is buffeted and rocked as the energy beams slam into
 it.

INT. ULTRON - COCKPIT

The Guardians are showered with sparks.

GREEN GUARDIAN
 We're taking quite a beating

BLACK GUARDIAN
 Then let's give him a beating in
 return

RED GUARDIAN
 Now that is such a good idea
 (Beat)
 Mega Missiles, FIRE!

EXT. SPACE - EARTH ORBIT

Ultron's left hand retracts and sprays Astro-Con with hundreds of missiles. The monster is knocked back by the impacts. Ultron slams into Astro-Con and the two spin out of control.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - BRIDGE

Commander Aya watches as Ultron and Astro-Con spin out of control.

COMMANDER AYA

Is there anything we can do to assist them?

CONNIE(V.O.)

With the weapons off-line, there's nothing we can do to help them

COMMANDER AYA

I feel so helpless just sitting here and watching them fight

CONNIE(V.O.)

Well, I do have some good news, the auto-repair system is now 4 percent repaired, it's not much

COMMANDER AYA

It's a start

EXT. SPACE

Astro-Con kicks and punches Ultron.

ASTRO-CON

The cold vacuum of space will be your tomb...

The monster grabs Ultron's left hand and with a roar of rage rips the missile launcher off. sparks and flame erupt from the severed hand and wrist, sending Ultron drifting away.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)

Bye-bye kiddies...

Astro-Con laughs, throws the hand at Ultron and flies off into space.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - BRIDGE

COMMANDER AYA
 Connie, lock on a tractor beam
 and steady Ultron

CONNIE(V.O.)
 That is if the tractor beam works

EXT. SPACE

A crimson beam of energy stabs out from the Galaxy Knight
 and envelops Ultron and it's severed missile launcher-hand.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - BRIDGE

Commander Aya watches as the Tractor beam steadies Ultron.

CONNIE(V.O.)
 We're receiving a signal from
 Ultron

COMMANDER AYA
 Let's see it

CONNIE(V.O.)
 On screen...

The screen flickers to life and shows the Guardians in the
 damaged cockpit.

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)
 Galaxy Knight, we've sustained
 major damage and the lions can't
 disengage

COMMANDER AYA
 Can you maneuver Ultron at all?

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)
 No, we took a hit to the
 thrusters when we slammed into
 Astro-Con

COMMANDER AYA
 Ok, we'll maneuver Ultron into a
 high-orbit so we can figure out
 how to repair it

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)
 We will be waiting

Before Commander Aya can say anything else, the screen goes
 blank.

COMMANDER AYA
 Chatty fellow isn't he
 (Beat)
 Connie, inform Mr Shakhan of
 Ultron predicament and teleport
 the Guardians on-board

CONNIE(V.O.)
 Understood

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM - 5 MINUTES LATER

Everyone is on the Conference Room, on the viewscreen we can see Ultron and the severed hand as they float in Earth orbit.

PAT
 What is the estimated repair time
 of Ultron?

PORTER
 At least a week, and then there
 is the repair time for each
 individual lion which puts the
 total repair time at a week and 4
 days

AMI
 Well, without your giant robot,
 Earth is royally screwed

JOSEPH
 That it is blondy

PAT
 That is where you are wrong,
 Earth is not screwed

JOSEPH
 If we can't fight the giant
 monsters, how is earth NOT
 screwed?

COMMANDER AYA
 We have something that will...

JOSEPH
 (Interrupting)
 I was not asking you

Pat glances at Joseph.

PAT
 If you had not interrupted her,
 Commander Aya would have revealed
 how Earth is not screwed

JOSEPH

And what would she know? She's
only a Human

AMI

Hey, I resent that as I'm Human

MIKA

Me to

JOSS

And me

JOSEPH

My apologies girls, Joss
(Points To Aya)
But how can she help us, she's
only just joined the group

PAT

If you had not interrupted her,
Commander Aya would have told you
how she can help

JOSEPH

(Feigning hopefulness)
She's going to throw herself in-
front of the next laser blast?

Blades giggles at the joke.

PAT

Don't be childish Joseph

JOSEPH

What else is there for me to do
after
(points to Aya)
Has taken over my job as leader

Joseph gets up and goes to walk out of the Conference Room,
Pat gets up and rushes to the exit and blocks his way.

PAT

You will apologies to Aya this
instant

JOSEPH

And if I don't will you bring in
someone to replace me as Red
Guardian?

PAT

If you carry on acting with such
disrespect, then yes, I will...

An alarm blares out and the screen flickers to life and shows Astro-Con heading back towards Earth.

JOSEPH

If you will excuse us father, we
have business to take care of

(To Porter)

Let's go, we'll take the Glider

Porter gets up and heads towards the exit.

JOSEPH (CONT'D)

If I may be excuse father?

PAT

Of course, but we will talk about
your attitude when you get back.

EXT. SPACE - EARTH ORBIT

The Guardian Glider shoots out of the Hangar Deck and into space.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

Red Guardian grips the controls as Black Guardian activates the weapons.

BLACK GUARDIAN

For all the good it will do, the
weapons are fully charged and on-
line

RED GUARDIAN

Well, let's see if we can't slow
this guy down a bit shall we

EXT. SPACE

The Guardian Glider streaks towards Astro-Con.

ASTRO-CON

So, is this an insect I see
before me? No mater, it shall be
crush as such...

The giant monster unleashes a series of energy beams that streak through space and slam into the Guardian Glider.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

The cockpit shakes under the multiple impacts.

BLACK GUARDIAN
Ok, now it's OUR turn

EXT. SPACE

The Guardian Glider streaks towards Astro-Con and unleashes a volley of energy fire, it hits Astro-Con but does not seem to slow him down.

ASTRO-CON
So, this insect has a sting, well
so do I

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - BRIDGE

Everyone is now manning their stations on the bridge.

ROLLBAR
If the weapons we're working, we
could take down Astro-Con with no
problem

BLADES
I believe I can help with this
problem
(To Pat)
May I borrow a half-dozen
torpedoes?

Pat smiles, knowing what Blades wants to do.

PAT
(Smiling)
Help your-self Blades, you know
where the torpedoes are stored
(To Commander Aya)
You'll want to see this

EXT. SPACE

The Guardian Glider dodges the energy blasts fired by Astro-Con and fires a few of it's own back at the giant monster.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

Red Guardian grips the controls as he tries to keep ahead of Astro-Con.

BLACK GUARDIAN
You do realize that all we can do
is lead this thing around until
he destroys us

RED GUARDIAN
 Don't worry, I'll think of a plan
 by then
 (Beat)
 I hope

EXT. SPACE

Suddenly, a torpedo streaks past the Guardian Glider and slams into Astro-Con, sending the monster spinning away.

ANGLE ON: BLADES

Standing on the top of the Galaxy Knight is Blades, he has a torpedo in his arms.

BLADES
 Let's see if I can hit this one
 right on the money or what ever
 that Human phrase is...

He begins spinning around, soon he is a blur, he lets the torpedo go and stops spinning. He watches as the torpedo streaks away and slams into Astro-Con.

PAT(V.O.)
 Blades, our scanners indicate
 that Astro-Con is leaving the
 solar system, come back inside

BLADES
 If I hurl one more torpedo at it,
 I could finish Astro-Con off once
 and for all

PAT(V.O.)
 We have a way to defeat Astro-
 Con, come back inside

BLADES
 Ok, I'm on my way

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Blades, Joseph and Porter enter the Conference Room.

JOSEPH
 So, you mentioned to Blades
 something about having a way to
 stop Astro-Con?

PAT

Yes, Commander Aya tried to tell you about it earlier but you were rude to her

(Beat)

Please direct your attention to the screen...

They take up their seats as the screen flickers to life and shows an island.

MATTHEW

Why are you showing is the island of Oahu?

PAT

This is why I am showing...

An alarm blares out.

CONNIE(V.O.)

We've got a problem, Astro-Con has returned to Earth

The screen changes and shows a human-sized Astro-Con attacking the outskirts of the city.

ZAC

Ok, we'll smash him down so hard he'll be BEGGING us to contain him...

PAT

No, you are needed up here
(To Rollbar)
Can you handle Astro-Con?

ROLLBAR

(Smiling)
Oh yes, just you watch

The Car Robots get up and rush out of the room.

PORTER

What do you need us up here for, we should be fighting Astro-Con

COMMANDER AYA

Do you doubt the Car Robots' ability to fight?

PORTER

Hell no, they can fight as good as we do

COMMANDER AYA
Then let them fight Astro-Con
while you...

JOSEPH
(Interrupting)
Father, what is it we are meant
to be doing while they are down
on Earth?

PAT
I need your help with Special
Project 2

TAYLOR
And that is?

PAT
(Smiling)
You'll see, when it's ready

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT ONE

ACT TWO

FADE IN:

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Astro-Con lifts a car above his head and throws it into the
side of a building, causing a massive explosion.

ASTRO-CON
Will no-one challenge me, not
even the mighty Guardians...

A missile streaks down and slams into Astro-Con, it
explodes and send shim flying through the air where he
slams into a wall and slumps to the ground.

BLADES(O.S.)
We challenge you, scum for brains

Blades descends down out of the sky, a hatch opens in his
side and the other Car Robots jump out and land before
Astro-Con. Blades converts to robot mode and stands with
them.

ASTRO-CON

So, the Guardians have sent in
the robotic second-stringers, you
will go down as easily as they
will

With a roar, Astro-Con charges at the Car Robots and their
fight begins.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

The Guardians are studying the same schematics the Car
Robots were looking at in the previous episode.

JOSEPH

(Frowning)

I don't understand what I am
looking at

MATTHEW

Me neither, we need to see the
entire device, what ever it is,
if we are to repair it

PAT

No, you will only see Special
Project 2 when it's ready

ISAAC

But at this rate it will NEVER be
ready

COMMANDER AYA

Trust me when I say that it will
be ready

ZAC

And how do you know?

COMMANDER AYA

I've seen it

Joseph grunts slightly.

PAT

Problem Joseph?

JOSEPH

No, why would I have a problem
with that human woman knowing
about Special Project 2 before
us, why on Earth would that
bother me?

PAT
Joseph, I have had enough of your
attitude, leave the room, NOW

Joseph gets up and heads out of the room, Pat follows him.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CORRIDOR

Joseph and Pat step out into the corridor.

PAT
Your attitude towards Commander
Aya is disrespectful, you will
apologize at once

JOSEPH
Why should I? she gets brought in
here to replace me as leader and
I'm just meant to roll over and
take it?

PAT
You have not heard one word she
has said, have you?
(Off Joseph's Silence)
She is not replacing you as
leader of the Guardians, she is
simply taking command of the
Galaxy Knight

Joseph remains silent.

PAT (CONT'D)
I brought Commander Aya here to
HELP you. You will no longer have
to do two jobs, you can focus on
being the Red Guardian while she
commands the Galaxy Knight

JOSEPH
And what of the chain of command?

PAT
I don't understand

JOSEPH
If she is now part of our group,
where does she fit in on the
chain of command, am I below or
above her?

PAT
Oh now I understand, she is
Commander of the Galaxy Knight

JOSEPH

I already know that, you've just told me

PAT

Any matters pertaining to the defense of Earth will fall under your jurisdiction

JOSEPH

What of G.S.A. Business?

PAT

I will take charge of that
(Beat)
Now do you see that your position is not threatened?

JOSEPH

Yes, I see that. Now

PAT

And don't you think you owe Commander Aya an apology?

JOSEPH

I suppose I do, yes

PAT

Then let's go back in shall we

JOSEPH

Do I have to apologize to her in front of everyone?

PAT

No, you can apologize to her privately if you wish

JOSEPH

Thank-you

PAT

(Smiling)
If you play your cards right, you could be making her breakfast

For a moment, Joseph frowns, then it hits him that his father is teasing him.

JOSEPH

Ok, that's enough of that. I am not attracted to Commander Aya

PAT

(Smiling)
Ok, if you say so

JOSEPH

I do say so

PAT

(Smiling)

I'll bet you'll be saying "I do"
to her later

JOSEPH

Don't push it father

PAT

(Smiling)

I won't say another word about
you having the hots for Commander
Aya

JOSEPH

One more word from you and it's
off to the retirement home with
you

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Sureshot staggers back as Astro-Con spin-kicks him in the chest.

ASTRO-CON

Are you ready to go off-line,
robot?

SURESHOT

It is not me who is going off-
line, but YOU

Sureshot dives out of the way as Rollbar in vehicle mode races up to Astro-Con and slams into him, sending the monster crashing away from Sureshot. Rollbar converts to robot mode and kicks Astro-Con in the gut, sending him skidding away.

ROLLBAR

He's all yours Mirage

Mirage dives off a building and lands on Astro-Con, causing the monster to roar in pain. Mirage gets up and moves away.

MIRAGE

Ok DragStrip, you're next

DRAGSTRIP

I thought you'd never ask

DragStrip picks up Astro-Con and pummels him with a series of punches and kicks before delivering one final punch that sends him crashing to the ground.

DRAGSTRIP (CONT'D)
Smokescreen, you're up next...

Smokescreen runs up to Astro-Con and kicks him in the head repeatedly, causing sparks to erupt on the monster's head.

SMOKESCREEN
Blades, he's all yours...

As Astro-Con struggles to his feet, Blades swoops down out of the sky and strafes the monster with cannon fire.

ASTRO-CON
(In Pain)
You wretched machines have ganged
up on me, so now I'll gang up on
you...

Astro-Con once again glows bright with energy and begins growing into a giant, but this time, it appears jerky and slower than last time. Soon Astro-Con towers above the Car Robots. There's slurping and bubbling as the two twisted and blackened engines erupt from his back.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
To the skies I soar...

Astro-Con jumps and takes to the sky.

BLADES
(Converting to Vehicle
Mode)
Ok, all aboard

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

CONNIE(V.O.)
Astro-Con has grown to giant-
size, Blades and the others are
in pursuit

PAT
Show us

The screen flickers to life and shows Blades in pursuit of giant Astro-Con.

COMMANDER AYA
They won't have much luck against
him

PORTER
Then I suggest we use the
Guardian Glider to slow him down

JOSEPH
 Capitol idea Porter, let's go...

Joseph and Porter get up and leave the room.

COMMANDER AYA
 Joseph, wait, I could use your
 help with Special Project 2

Joseph seems to hesitate for a moment, then stops and turns
 to Joss.

JOSEPH
 Joss, you take second seat with
 Porter

JOSS
 No problem

JOSEPH
 I have to stay here and help
 Commander Aya Joss Joins Porter
 and they leave the room.

JOSEPH(CONT'D)
 So, what is it you need my help
 with Commander?

COMMANDER AYA
 It's in the science Lab, if
 you'll follow me

Joseph follows Commander Aya out of the Conference Room.

EXT. WESTVILLE

Astro-Con dodges the cannon fire loosed upon him by Blades.

ASTRO-CON
 Is that the best you can do?

INT. BLADES - COCKPIT

The other Car Robots are strapped in with DragStrip seated
 at the pilots controls. The cockpit lurches as Blades twist
 and turns in pursuit of Astro-Con.

DRAGSTRIP
 Blades, what other weapons do you
 have?

BLADES
 I have a few heat seeking
 missiles plus a torpedo I
 borrowed from the Galaxy Knight

DRAGSTRIP

That will be fine, load it up and fire

BLADES

We have a problem, I'm not equipped to fire a torpedo

SURESHOT

What if we took the warhead from the torpedo and put it in one of your other missiles, would that work?

BLADES

Yes, it might, but you have to hurry, I'm starting to lose him

EXT. WESTVILLE

Astro-Con still easily dodges the cannon fire loosed upon him by Blades.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

Black Guardian is at the controls while Silver Guardian mans the weapons.

SILVER GUARDIAN

Ok, I've powered up the laser cannons, what else should we need?

BLACK GUARDIAN

Be prepared to activate the Storm Cyclone

SILVER GUARDIAN

The what?

BLACK GUARDIAN

It's a new weapon I created and uploaded, it should prove quite useful

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - SCIENCE LAB 1

Joseph and Commander Aya are stood next to each other, looking over technical schematics.

COMMANDER AYA

So, what do you think?

Joseph is staring at her legs. She coughs.

JOSEPH
 Sorry, I got distracted
 (Beat)
 The designs are impressive, but
 is it already built?

COMMANDER AYA
 Yes, it just needs a few final
 adjustments and it will be ready
 for battle

As she moves to another console, Joseph looks at her,
 shakes his head and carries on with his work.

EXT. WESTVILLE

The Guardian Glider streaks down out of the sky and
 unleashes a devastating barrage of laser cannon fire upon
 Astro-Con. The monster roars and fires back, giving Blades
 time to get into position.

INT. BLADES - COCKPIT

Sureshot and Mirage are working on a missile.

MIRAGE
 I think we've got it done

SURESHOT
 The warhead has been transferred,
 what now Blades?

BLADES(V.O.)
 Stand back...

The Car Robots back away from the modified missile.

EXT. WESTVILLE

The modified missile streaks away from Blades and heads
 towards Astro-Con, where it explodes a good distance from
 Astro-Con.

ASTRO-CON
 You missed me you robotic rejects

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

SILVER GUARDIAN
 Shall i use your new weapon now?

BLACK GUARDIAN

No, it can only be used when the target is on the ground, we'd best keep firing on it until we force it to land

EXT. WESTVILLE

The Guardian Glider unleashes another devastating barrage of laser cannon fire upon Astro-Con.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - SCIENCE LAB 1

Commander Aya and Joseph are working at a console, putting the finishing touches to Special Project 2.

COMMANDER AYA

When the others see this in action, they will be impressed

Joseph is is staring at her behind. She coughs.

JOSEPH

Sorry, I got distracted

(Beat)

When the next alien monster to attack Earth see this thing in action, they'll surrender without us having to fire a single shot

As Joseph moves to another console, Commander Aya quickly looks him up and down before returning to her work.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Everyone else is watching as the Guardian Glider and Blades give chase to giant Astro-Con.

MATTHEW

I feel so helpless just stuck up here and not being able to do anything about it

PAT

Until the Special Project 2 is ready and Ultron is repaired, we must rely on your combat skills to keep the monsters from growing into giants

ZAC

So when do we get to see this "Special Project 2"

PAT

When it is ready, not before

(Beat)

Which could be the middle of next
year if Joseph can keep his eyes
of Aya

TAYLOR

So you noticed it to huh?

MATTHEW

I thought the sexual tension
between them was so thick it
could have been cut with a jack-
hammer

AMI

So, when do we set them up on a
date?

MIKA

I agree. What Joseph needs is a
good woman in his life and al his
problems will be solved

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

Black Guardian grabs the controls and grips them tightly.

BLACK GUARDIAN

Joss, remember that new weapon I
told you about?

SILVER GUARDIAN

Yeah, the Cyclone Storm, what
about it? you said it couldn't be
used unless Astro-Con was on the
ground

BLACK GUARDIAN

Get ready to use it on my mark

SILVER GUARDIAN

I'll have my finger on the
trigger

BLACK GUARDIAN

I'll call Blades and let him in
on the plan

INT. BLADES - COCKPIT

The comm. system crackles to life.

BLACK GUARDIAN(V.O.)
Blades, can you hear me

DRAGSTRIP
We hear you Porter

BLACK GUARDIAN(V.O.)
I have a new weapon installed on
the Guardian Glider, but we need
Astro-Con to be on the ground
before we can use it

DRAGSTRIP
We'll do what we can

BLACK GUARDIAN(V.O.)
Thanks

EXT. WESTVILLE

Blades flies down then straight up at Astro-Con, he
unleashes all of his fire-power on the giant monster's left
wing.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

Black Guardian and Silver Guardian watch as Astro-Con falls
out of the sky and crashes to the ground at the outskirts
of the city.

BLACK GUARDIAN
Ok, signal Blades to pull back
then activate the weapon

SILVER GUARDIAN
Understood

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Blades pulls away from the fallen giant monster. The
Guardian Glider swoops down and flies at top speed around
Astro-Con. A tornado forms around the monster, causing it
damage and pain.

ASTRO-CON
(Wordless roars of rage)

The Storm Cyclone lifts Astro-Con off his feet and throws
him down hard.

INT. GUARDIAN GLIDER - COCKPIT

SILVER GUARDIAN

Is it me or does the effect of
the Storm cyclone seem a little
non-spectacular?

BLACK GUARDIAN

It should have had more of an
effect on him than it... Wait,
he's starting to shrink

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Astro-Con shrinks back down to his normal size.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Everyone is watching as Astro-Con shrinks down to his
normal size.

PAT

Connie, teleport the Guardian
Glider back up here and recall
the Car Robots
(To The other Guardians)
Get going, they will need your
help

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - SCIENCE LAB 1

Joseph and Commander Aya are still working at the consoles.

JOSEPH

Come on, we need to work faster

COMMANDER AYA

If we go any faster, it won't
work properly

JOSEPH

And if we DON'T go any faster, my
brothers and Joss will be slagged
by Astro-Con

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

The Guardians land and face off against Astro-Con.

ASTRO-CON

Face it Guardians, there is no way that you can hope to defeat me

SILVER GUARDIAN

Wanna bet?

As Silver Guardian takes a step forward, Astro-Con blasts him back.

ASTRO-CON

Yes, I DO want to bet on it actually With a roar, Astro-Con charges at the other Guardians.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - SCIENCE LAB 1

Joseph moves from the console and studies a scanner screen.

JOSEPH

Ok, that does it, they are getting their butts kicked, I'm going down there to help them

As Joseph heads for the door:

COMMANDER AYA

I need you here Joseph, we are almost finished...

JOSEPH

Never mind that, my brothers are almost finished and I AM going to go down and help them

COMMANDER AYA

Just a few more minutes, please

JOSEPH

They may not HAVE a few minutes

COMMANDER AYA

Then I suggest we get back to work

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Pat, the Car Robots, Mika and Ami watch as the Guardians fight Astro-Con.

AMI

Is there nothing we can do to help them?

PAT
Not at the moment

AMI
Why not? They are loosing the
fight

PAT
They must hold out for just a few
moments more, just long enough
for the...

COMMANDER AYA(V.O.)
(Interrupting)
Aya to Conference Room, it's
ready They watch the viewscreen
as Astro-Con once again grows to
giant size.

PAT
Then launch if you please, the
Guardians need assistance

COMMANDER AYA(V.O.)
(Interrupting)
Understood

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - SCIENCE LAB 1

COMMANDER AYA
Ok Joseph, you can go help the
others

JOSEPH
About time to

As Joseph heads for the door:

COMMANDER AYA
I'll launch them as soon as you
are clear

JOSEPH
Understood

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Astro-Con roars at the Guardians and looks down at them.

ASTRO-CON
You weak pathetic fools, I've
come to destroy you and your city

As he raises his foot to stomp on the Guardians, a series of energy blasts streak down in rapid succession and slam into the giant monster, knocking him away.

SILVER GUARDIAN
What the hell was that?

The Guardians look into the sky and see something descending down towards them. It is a huge train made up of 7 individual segments. Each section has a colored stripe down the side corresponding to each Guardian and has a large number painted on the side, Number 1 for Red Guardian and so-on.

WHITE GUARDIAN
What in the name of the gods is that?

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT TWO

ACT THREE

FADE IN:

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Astro-Con roars at the huge train before it fires another devastating energy volley at him.

ASTRO-CON
(Wordless roars of rage)

Astro-Con is severely injured by the energy volley but manages to get to his feet.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
(In Pain)
Your new toy may have saved you
this time Guardians, but you have
not seen the last of me

With a great amount of difficulty, Astro-Con teleports away.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM - 5 MINUTES LATER

The Guardians are in the in their usual seats. On the screen they see a technical layout of the trains.

PORTER
Those trains were amazing

JOSEPH

(Smiling)

Just you wait and see what else
the Astro-Rails can do

(To Joss)

We made sure to include one for
you, so you can join us in battle
instead of having to sit it out

JOSS

Thank-you

COMMANDER AYA

The Astro-Rails still need a few
more adjustments before their
full potential can be used

(To Joseph)

I assume you won't mind helping
me again?

JOSEPH

Of course I don't mind

A smile creases Porter's face.

PORTER

(Smiling)

So, you and Commander Aya are
getting along are you?

JOSEPH

Yes

PORTER

So you have been getting along.
Just the two of you,. Alone in
the science lab...

Joseph picks up on what Porter is hinting at.

JOSEPH

Ok, you can knock that off right
now

PORTER

(Smiling)

Speaking of knocking things
off...

JOSEPH

I'm warning you

PAT

Go easy on him Porter

PORTER
(Smiling)
I was only telling it like I see
it

JOSEPH
Porter...

COMMANDER AYA
What's going on?

PORTER
(Smiling)
I'm just trying to find out what
exactly you and Joseph got up to
when you were all alone in the
science lab

A smile creeps across Commander Aya's face.

JOSEPH
We worked, and that is it

Commander Aya turns to Joseph, feigning a look of hurt.

COMMANDER AYA
(Feigning hurt)
So you are denying it then?

JOSEPH
Denying what? Nothing happened
between us...

COMMANDER AYA
(Feigning hurt)
So you are denying that you were
staring at my butt?

JOSEPH
Yes, because I was not staring at
your rear end

Commander Aya gets up and moves to Joseph, bends down and
wraps her arms around his shoulders.

COMMANDER AYA
Oh Joseph, I know you were
staring at my rear end, don't
deny it

JOSEPH
(Nervously)
Ahh, but you don't have any proof
do you?

COMMANDER AYA
 (Grinning)
 Oh yes, Connie can back me up

CONNIE (V.O.)
 That I can commander

JOSEPH
 (To Pat)
 A little help...

PAT
 (Laughing)
 Oh no, I'm enjoying this to much

Commander Aya puts her hand through Joseph's hair.

COMMANDER AYA
 (Seductively)
 How about I give you detention?

Porter begins laughing even harder than before, and begins whistling the wedding march.

PORTER
 (Laughing)
 Hey guys, when you get married,
 can I be best man?

JOSEPH
 What is this, pick on Joseph
 week?

COMMANDER AYA
 Don't be like that Joseph

PORTER
 Yeah Johnny, be nice to your
 future wife

Joseph decides to play along with their teasing.

JOSEPH
 Who said we're gonna get married?
 we might just elope

PORTER
 (Smiling)
 So you admit it then? You DO have
 feelings for Commander Aya?

Joseph is a little flustered when his plan back-fires; he gets up from the table.

JOSEPH
 If you will all excuse me, I have
 something to attend to

As Joseph heads for the door:

COMMANDER AYA
 (Seductively)
 Keep the sheets warm Joseph, I'll
 be along shortly

EXT. SPACE - LUNAR SURFACE

Astro-Con is knelt in the dusty surface of the moon, he is knelt before a small monitor screen. On it we can see the shadowy outline of someone or something.

ASTRO-CON
 My lord, the Guardians unleashed
 a new weapon which forced me to
 retreat

HORNHEAD(V.O.)
 Your excuses will not save you
 from the punishment for failure

ASTRO-CON
 My lord, this new weapon is far
 stronger than I am, there is no
 way I could have taken it on and
 survived

HORNHEAD(V.O.)
 Then you should have died trying
 to destroy the Guardians

ASTRO-CON
 Please my lord, I will not fail
 you again

HORNHEAD
 Make sure that you do not,
 otherwise you will face my
 wrath...

ASTRO-CON
 (Bowing)
 My lord, I will not fail you
 again

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - JOSEPH'S QUARTERS

Joseph is sat at the computer terminal, looking over a status report. He sits back and yawns. His gaze falls on a wedding photo of him and Aiko. He picks it up and runs his fingers along it. As he places it back, something gets his attention, he gets up and moves to the view-port, then he turns and exits his quarters as fast as he can.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

With the exception of Joseph, the others are seated around the Conference Table in their usual places.

ROLLBAR

I say we locate Mele's ship and destroy it now, before he can attack

BLADES

A good idea save for one problem: we do not know where the ship is hiding

COMMANDER AYA

We should be ready for the attack so until it's over, you all should stay up here on the Galaxy knight

CONNIE(V.O.)

We have a monster on Earth...

COMMANDER AYA

Show us, and alert Joseph

CONNIE(V.O.)

No need, he's already down there...

AMI

How did he get there that fast?

COMMANDER AYA

He probably detected the monster's presence and went straight there

PAT

Get going Guardians, he'll need your help

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Red Guardian crashes to the floor, he rolls into a kneeling position and fires his Guardian Blaster, hitting Astro-Con in the left leg.

RED GUARDIAN

Surrender now Astro-Con and you will NOT be harmed

ASTRO-CON
I will not surrender, it is you
who will...

The rest of the sentence is cut off as six energy beams streak out of the sky and slam into him, knocking him away from Red Guardian.

BLACK GUARDIAN(O.S.)
You should have told us about the
monster instead of trying to go
it alone

Red Guardian turns and sees the rest of the Guardians land and move to stand with him.

RED GUARDIAN
Yeah, sorry about that

SILVER GUARDIAN
Next time, let us know and we'll
come with you to kick his hideous
behind

Astro-Con gets to his feet and growls at the Guardians.

ASTRO-CON
This is the end of the road for
you, Guardian scum. Did you think
that I came alone this time?

New monsters teleport in and stand with Astro-Con. One of them is a skeleton with a bone-sword, the second is a humanoid fish and the third is a humanoid wolf.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
(To The New Monsters)
ATTACK THEM

The Monsters snarl and charges at the Guardians. Red Guardian dodges out of the way and faces off against Astro-Con.

RED GUARDIAN
It's you and me now alien asshole

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Pat and the others watch as the Guardians split up into three groups of two and take on the monsters while Joseph fights Astro-Con.

BLADES
Shall we go down there and assist
them?

PAT
 No, I need you up here
 (To Commander Aya)
 I need the conversion activator
 on-line and installed
 (To Car Robots)
 Go help Commander Aya

BLADES
 No problem

They get up and leave the Conference Room.

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Black and Blue Guardians are fighting the wolf monster, who is called Wolfgang.

BLUE GUARDIAN
 Ok, this guy is tough...

Wolfgang grabs Blue Guardian by the neck and lifts him off the ground.

WOLFGANG
 Can you feel it? the cold hand of
 death is grasping at you

Black Guardian fires his Guardian Blaster, hut the beam seems to have no effect except making Wolfgang angry.

WOLFGANG (CONT'D)
 If you think your toys can harm
 me, you are wrong

He hurls Blue Guardian at Black Guardian, knocking them both to the floor.

WOLFGANG (CONT'D)
 This is going to be an easy
 victory

ANGLE ON:GREEN AND YELLOW GUARDIANS

They are fighting the skeleton monster called Bones.

BONES
 I will take great pleasure in
 snapping your necks, then your
 bones will make a great trophy to
 hang on my wall

GREEN GUARDIAN
 Now if we kill you first

BONES

You won't kill me

YELLOW GUARDIAN

Maybe not, but that isn't to say
we won't cause you a world of
hurt

Yellow Guardian kicks out and Bones and catches the monster in the ribs, sending him crashing away.

ANGLE ON: WHITE AND SILVER GUARDIANS

They are fighting the fish monster called Aqua-Con. Silver Guardian does a spinning heel kick that knocks Aqua-Con to the ground. White Guardian tries to deliver an elbow drop but Aqua-Con rolls out of the way and is back on his feet in an instant.

AQUA-CON

Give it up Guardians, and you may
live to be my pets

White Guardian leaps forward and grabs onto Aqua-Con and tries to restrain him.

WHITE GUARDIAN

I've got him, now SHOOT HIM

Silver Guardian draws his Guardian Blaster and fires, but Aqua-Con breaks free from White Guardian and uses him as a shield to take the hit.

AQUA-CON

Oops, my bad...

He drops White Guardians and charges at Silver Guardian.

AQUA-CON (CONT'D)

You're next silver-boy

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Pat, Mika, Ami and the Car Robots are watching the battle on the view- screen.

SURESHOT

They seem to be holding their own
on a sixty-forty percent basis

ROLLBAR

Don't worry, they'll soon turn
the table on those monster scum-
bags

EXT. WESTVILLE - OUTSKIRTS

Red Guardian is fighting one-on-one with Astro-Con. Astro-Con rushes in with a jump kick but red Guardian grabs Astro-Con's foot and flips him above himself, then follows through with a Vibra-Sword strike to Astro-Con while the alien is in mid-air. Astro-Con falls down hard.

RED GUARDIAN

Take this scum

Red Guardian draws his Guardian Blaster and shoots but Astro-Con jumps out of the way.

ASTRO-CON

Now it's MY turn...

Astro-Con shoots but Red Guardian swings his Vibra-Swords to deflect Astro-Con's energy blasts back at him. Astro-Con is taken down again. Red Guardian finishes his leap with a sharp strike to Astro-Con, who back-flips to the ground as sparks fly. Red Guardian retracts his Vibra-Swords, draws his Guardian Blaster and takes aim at Astro-Con.

RED GUARDIAN

Do you surrender or do I have to kill you?

ASTRO-CON

You won't kill me...

RED GUARDIAN

Wanna bet?

Red Guardian fires his blaster at either side of Astro-Con's head.

RED GUARDIAN (CONT'D)

You were saying?

ASTRO-CON

What I meant to say was you will not get the CHANCE to kill me...

There are three explosions as the monsters the other Guardians are fighting are destroyed in three explosions.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)

You have a choice, come after me or help your brothers...

That said, Astro-Con gets up and teleports out. Red Guardian holsters his Blaster and runs to help the other Guardians.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - MEDICAL QUARTERS - 5 MINUTES LATER

With the exception of Joseph, the other Guardians are laid on the medical beds while Connie runs a medical scan of each of them.

PAT

What's the prognosis?

CONNIE

They're going to be fine, as long as they don't have to fight for a day or two, which is a problem

JOSEPH

Not really, I'll fight Astro-Con by myself

ROLLBAR

Oh no you won't

JOSEPH

Excuse me?

ROLLBAR

You will NOT fight alone, not whole we can help you

JOSEPH

I appreciate the thought Rollbar, but when Astro-Con hurt my family, he signed his own death warrant

ROLLBAR

As part of this family, we will stand with you Joseph so you will NOT be fighting alone

Joseph smiles at their willingness to help.

JOSEPH

(Smiling)

Thank-you Rollbar, I would be honored to fight along side you

Porter sits up in bed.

PORTER

Remember Joseph, if you get hurt, you'll have ME to answer to, ok?

JOSEPH

Ok, but I won't get hurt

PORTER

Make sure you don't as you're the only Guardian on duty until we're back on our feet again

COMMANDER AYA

Aside from having to answer to Porter, I will be very displeased...

JOSEPH

So?

COMMANDER AYA

If you get hurt, I will be very displeased... and I will have to hold back on giving you a surprise gift I have for you

Joseph interest in piqued.

JOSEPH

Surprise gift?

COMMANDER AYA

Don't get hurt and I'll give you the surprise gift when you return to the ship. Unharmed

JOSEPH

No problem

(Beat)

So, what do we do until Astro-Con shows up?

PAT

Your brothers need to rest, as do you so I suggest you all take some time to relax

JOSEPH

Father, you know me and relaxing, I am always tense and on-edge

PAT

Then I suggest you try harder to relax, you need to rest and unwind occasionally

JOSEPH

I am always tense and on-edge without something to fight or do

PAT

I'm sure if you asked her nicely,
Aya might give you that surprise
gift she mentioned, that might
help you to relax

COMMANDER AYA

While I am sure that it might
help Joseph to relax, it isn't
ready just yet

JOSEPH

Oh?

COMMANDER AYA

I have one or two items to pick
up down on Earth, but when I have
said items, the surprise gift
will be ready

BLADES

If you need a ride, I'll take you
down commander

COMMANDER AYA

Thank-you Blades

PAT

Well, the rest of you are ordered
to take time out and rest while
you can

EXT. SPACE - LUNAR SURFACE

Astro-Con looks at the silver orb in his hand. It has a
small flashing half-circle on the top.

ASTRO-CON

With this Growth Grenade, I shall
receive all the power I need to
crush the Guardians and claim
Earth for my master

He looks at the Growth Grenade and grips it tightly as he
looks up at with a snarl of anger.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)

Soon Guardians, soon you shale
taste my wrath

EXT. SPACE - EARTH ORBIT

The great ship hangs in silent orbit of Earth. Blades exits
the Galaxy Knight and heads down towards Earth.

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

Blades lands in the city center, a hatch opens and Commander Aya gets out wearing a blue trouser suit. Blades converts to robot mode.

BLADES

So, which store are you going into?

Commander Aya hesitates in answering.

BLADES (CONT'D)

Is there a problem?

COMMANDER AYA

If it is ok with you Blades, I'd rather not say as I won't the surprise to stay secret

BLADES

No problem, I'll go fly around for a while. Call me when you are ready to go

COMMANDER AYA

Are you sure you don't mind?

BLADES

Not at all. Have fun...

Blades jumps up, converts to vehicle mode and zooms away into the sky. Commander Aya turns and heads towards the mall.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Joseph is sat at the head of the table, reading the Financial Times. There are some light refreshments at the side of the room.

CONNIE(V.O.)

Remind me again, didn't your father tell you to relax?

JOSEPH

I am relaxed Connie

CONNIE(V.O.)

Oh really?

JOSEPH

I like to keep abreast of the business news, it helps me relax, simple as that

CONNIE(V.O.)

You do realize that the others
are all in the lounge having a
drink and a laugh

JOSEPH

I know, but I wanted some peace
and quiet

The doors slide open and Porter enters the room.

PORTER

Hey bro, come and join us in the
lounge, we're about to start
another drinking contest

JOSEPH

You go ahead, I'll be there
shortly

PORTER

Oh I get it. You're waiting for
Commander Aya to get back up here
so you to can get down to some
lovin'

JOSEPH

(Smiling)
Bite me

PORTER

So you are admitting that you DO
have feelings for her?

For a moment, Joseph says anything.

JOSEPH

(Smiling)
Don't you have anything better to
do than interfere in my love
life, dear brother?

PORTER

Well, not at the moment I don't
(Beat)
But seriously, you need to, as
the Humans say "get back into the
game"

JOSEPH

Excuse me?

PORTER

I believe it means you need to
get back into the "dating game"

JOSEPH
I've not been part of the dating
game since I met Aiko

PORTER
Which is why you need to get back
into it, and your first move
should be to take Commander Aya
to bed

Joseph sighs and puts down the Financial Times.

JOSEPH
If I join and beat you in the
drinking contest, will you stop
bothering me about sleeping with
Commander Aya?

PORTER
Yes

JOSEPH
Well, let's go

Joseph gets up and the two of them leave the Conference
Room.

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT THREE

ACT FOUR

FADE IN:

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

Commander Aya exits the mall and looks around. In the
distance she can see a helicopter circling above the city.
She takes out a communicator.

COMMANDER AYA
Blades, I'm moving onto the next
store

BLADES (V.O.)
Ok, call me when you are ready
She pockets the communicator and
moves away.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - LOUNGE

Porter and Matthew are sat at the coffee table

PORTER

Joseph still not given Commander
Aya a good humping yet has he?

MATTHEW

No, I don't think he has

PORTER

We should help him

MATTHEW

We can't interfere...

PORTER

(Interrupting)

No, interfering would not be
good, we could However "assist"
him since we are his family And
friends, who care for him deeply

MATTHEW

Now that sounds like plan. I'll
inform The others and try to work
out a plan of action

Zac and the others walk up to them.

ZAC

So, have we figured out a way to
get Aya and Joseph together yet
or not?

PORTER

We're working on it

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Having drunk 12 glasses of human Whisky and having lost the
drinking contest to Matthew, Joseph returned to the
Conference Room to finish reading the Financial Times.

CONNIE(V.O.)

You should try to relax Joseph

JOSEPH

I am relaxed Connie

CONNIE(V.O.)

What I meant was you should find
a nice girl and relax with her

JOSEPH

I had a nice girl once....

Joseph remembers that as we fade to:

SETTING: JOSEPH'S FLASHBACK

INT. CYBERTECH HQ - PAT'S OFFICE

AIKO

Is it ok if I take a picture so I
Can send it to my friend since
she couldn't make it to the
wedding

JOSEPH

Sure, go ahead

Aiko gets a camera out of her purse and sets the auto timer; she places it on a bookcase and runs back to Joseph. She stands in front of him, she reaches behind her and gently grabs his hands, she brings them around and he wraps his arms around her shoulders.

AIKO

(Smiling)

SMILE

They smile; a flash, the picture is taken.

AIKO (CONT'D)

Thank you

JOSEPH

No Problem

She turns to face him and they look into each other eyes. They inch closer together. Closer still. their lips meet in a passionate kiss.

INT. CYBERTECH HQ - PAT'S OFFICE - 10 MINUTES LATER

Aiko and Joseph are laid on the couch together TIGHT ON: Aiko's face, in sexual bliss, writhing up and down.

AIKO

Oh Joseph, OH GOD!

Joseph sits up and kisses Aiko passionately. AIKO goes nuts and Joseph lies back down.

AIKO(CONT'D)

(A little too loudly)

Oh, God!

AIKO reaches blindly for a pillow. She squeezes it over her face, moaning into it.

AIKO (CONT'D)
Ooohhh yeah...!

AIKO can barely control herself. She SCREAMS into the Pillow.

JOSEPH
Aiko, Shhh, you know the others
could hear us.

AIKO
I... don't... care

AIKO wrestles with her own ecstasy. Groans.

AIKO (CONT'D)
(Groaning)
I'M COMING!

INT. CYBERTECH HQ - PAT'S OFFICE - 10 MINUTES LATER

Aiko and Joseph are curled up on the couch, fast asleep with a blanket pulled over them. The office door swings open and Commander Porter walks in.

PORTER
Hey Johnny, there's a reported
sighting of that...

He spies the two of them asleep on the couch, he smiles.

PORTER (CONT'D)
(Smiling, quietly)
Sorry

He turns around and walks out of the room, closing the door behind him.

END FLASHBACK

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Joseph picks up the paper and resumes his reading.

JOSEPH
I don't need another relationship
just Connie

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - LOUNGE

Connie's holographic body flickers on and walks up to the other Guardians.

CONNIE

He says he doesn't want another relationship just yet

MATTHEW

Well, we'll just have to change that now won't we

PORTER

I think he still misses Aiko

MATTHEW

We all miss her, but him most of all.

PORTER

Something about her death still doesn't feel right

CONNIE

The fact that she died?

PORTER

No, the fact that no matter the yield of the warhead that destroyed her family house, there should have been some sort of organic residue left on DragStrip

There is a murmur from the other Guardians.

JOSS

What exactly are you saying Porter?

PORTER

As I said, something just doesn't feel right, and I intend to find out what it is

(Beat)

I would take it as a kindness if you all did not mention this to Joseph, not yet

MATTHEW

What are you getting at Porter?

PORTER

I ave a horrible feeling about something, but I hope I am wrong, now if you will all excuse me, I need to go begin my investigation and remember, not a word to Joseph

That said, Porter gets up and leaves the room.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CORRIDOR

As Porter walks down the corridor, Connie's holographic body appears and walks beside him.

CONNIE

I think I know what you are
hinting at and I to hope you are
wrong

PORTER

Now you know why Joseph can't
find out, not until I know for
sure one way or the other

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

Commander Aya exits a "Body Shop" type store and takes out her communicator.

COMMANDER AYA

Blades, I'm done and ready to be
picked up... There is no answer.

COMMANDER AYA (CONT'D)

Blades, did you hear me I'm..

She stops when she sees the helicopter firing at something on the ground.

COMMANDER AYA (CONT'D)

Aya to Galaxy Knight, what's
going on?

PAT(V.O.)

Astro-Con has returned, prepare
to teleport

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

The teleport beam deposits Commander Aya in the Conference Room. She sees the Red Guardian and the Car Robots have now arrived on the scene and are engaged in fighting Astro-Con. She takes up her usual seat

COMMANDER AYA

This monster is proving to be a
rather sturdy opponent

PAT

That he is, but I have faith that
Joseph and the Car Robots will
emerge victorious

EXT. WESTVILLE - CITY CENTER

Blades ducks out of the way of Astro-Con's spinning heel kick and jumps up, slashing the monster with his swords, causing Astro-Con to stagger back.

ASTRO-CON
You cowardly robots will pay
for...

An energy beam slams into the back of Astro-Con's head. The monster whirls around in anger and charges at Red Guardian, who takes to the skies and continues to fire down at Astro-Con.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
(Angry)
COME BACK DOWN AND FIGHT YOU
COWARD

RED GUARDIAN
Why don't you come up here and
get me, scum?

ASTRO-CON
As you wish...

As Astro-Con attempts to take to the sky, Rollbar and SmokeScreen leap on the monster and drag him back down.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
(Wordless Roars Of Rage)

Mirage and SureShot run up to Astro-Con and tackle the monster to the ground. They kick and punch the monster then scatter as Red Guardian descends down, firing his Guardian Blaster at the injured monster.

RED GUARDIAN
So, going to surrender yet?

ASTRO-CON
Here's a hint...

Mirage and SureShot run up to Astro-Con and tackle the monster to the ground. They kick and punch the monster then scatter as Red Guardian descends down, firing his Guardian Blaster at the injured monster.

RED GUARDIAN
So, going to surrender yet?

ASTRO-CON
Here's a hint...

Astro-Con delivers a stunning upper-cut which sends Red Guardian crashing down. Blades rushes forwards, but Astro-Con blast him and the other Car Robots back.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
This is the end of the line,
Guardian scum. From this moment
forward, you will serve ME...

He takes out the growth grenade and throws it at his feet, as it explodes, Red Guardian is thrown clear, Blades jumps up and catches him. As they land, Astro-Con is engulfed in a massive explosion and vanishes.

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Pat watches as Astro-Con teleports away.

PAT
Connie, can you lock onto Astro-Con?

CONNIE(V.O.)
Yes, I've calculated his teleport destination

PAT
Then send it down to Joseph, NOW

EXT. DOWNTOWN WESTVILLE

Astro-Con appears on the street roaring evilly. His enormous foot drops down and crushes a car into oblivion.

ASTRO-CON
(Roaring)
Bow before the might of your god

He then bashes in the side of a building, sending glass and debris everywhere. As he raises his fist to smash it into the side of a building, a series of energy beams stab down from the sky and slam into Astro-Con, sending the giant monster crashing down to the ground.

ASTRO-CON (CONT'D)
Who dares attack me...

RED GUARDIAN(V.O.)
I dare, alien scum...

Astro-Con looks up and sees the Astro-Rails heading towards him.

INT. RED ASTRO-RAIL - COCKPIT

Red Guardian is seated at the controls of the Red Astro-Rail.

RED GUARDIAN
Red Astro-Rail to Galaxy Knight

PAT(V.O.)
Go ahead Joseph

RED GUARDIAN
Father, I could use some help
down here

PAT(V.O.)
The others are not well enough to
fight, can you manage on your own

RED GUARDIAN
I'll give it a try

EXT. DOWNTOWN WESTVILLE

Astro-Con roars and fires multiple energy blasts at the Astro-Rails; none of them hit.

ASTRO-CON
STAND STILL AND DIE

He shoots a blast which the Astro-Rails barely manage to
dodge.

RED GUARDIAN(V. O.)
Nice try, Pinhead

He fires booster rockets, strafing Astro-Con with an
intense fusillade. The giant monster roars in anger and
unleashes a devastating volley of energy fire at the Astro-
Rails.

INT. RED ASTRO-RAIL - COCKPIT

The cockpit shakes under the massive attack.

RED GUARDIAN
I don't know how much longer I
can hold on

INT. GALAXY KNIGHT - CONFERENCE ROOM

Pat watches the screen.

PAT

You must hold on Joseph, your
brothers are not yet able to
assist you

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)

That is easier said than done...

COMMANDER AYA

Joseph, activate the
transformation sequence

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)

Mega Rail is not yet ready

COMMANDER AYA

What choice do you have?

RED GUARDIAN(ON SCREEN)

Ok, I'll give it a shot

INT. RED ASTRO-RAIL - COCKPIT

Red Guardian pressed a thumb button on his right-hand control console and twisted it a half-circle counter-clockwise.

RED GUARDIAN

Activate interlocks

The results of the interlock procedure came up on his main viewer.

RED GUARDIAN (CONT'D)

Separation programs are on line,
Mega-Rail program standing-by.
Mega thrusters are go! Let's
GO...

EXT. ABOVE WESTVILLE SUBURBS

The Astro-Rails fly high above the city and separate and then fly in formation. The Astro-Rails then reposition into assembly position amidst some clouds. The front ends of Two and three flew off, revealing the silver hands, rotating sideways, and the fronts then rejoined onto what would become Mega Rail's shoulders. Five and six turned away from each other then merged, forming the chest. The front ends of Four and Five then lifted up into feet, and Three transformed; the legs and arms then connected. One slid down and locked into place, it's rear end splitting open, and Mega-Rail's head was revealed, and the gold coverings lifted from its eyes as its two blue forehead lights blinked like railroad crossing lights.

INT. MEGA-RAIL - COCKPIT

Red Guardian took a look around the cockpit, the other five Guardian's chairs rose up and locked into place at their stations. Mega-rail's is different from that of the individual Astro-Rails. Red Guardian is seated in the middle center. Black Guardian is seated in the lower left corner, Blue in lower right corner, Yellow in Upper left corner, Green in the upper right corner and White Guardian is seated in the rear center.

RED GUARDIAN
Mega-Rail transformation complete

EXT. WESTVILLE SUBURBS

Astro-Con watches as Mega-Rail lands and charges at him. Mega-Rail swings it's massive fist in a stunning upper-cut that sends Astro-Con crashing to the ground.

RED GUARDIAN(V.O.)
Care to surrender yet?

Astro-Con roars and fires a volley of energy beams at Mega-Rail, but the giant robot keeps coming towards him.

RED GUARDIAN(V.O.) (CONT'D)
I bet that surrender I offered
you looks pretty good about now
doesn't it

Astro-Con roars and continues to fire, but the energy blasts do not damage Mega-Rail.

INT. MEGA-RAIL - COCKPIT

Red Guardian watches as Astro-Con backs away from Mega-Rail.

RED GUARDIAN
Ok, time to end this game...

He scrolls through the list of weapons available to him and selects one.

RED GUARDIAN (CONT'D)
Yes, I think this will do
nicely...
(Beat)
Gattling Cannon...

EXT. WESTVILLE SUBURBS

A massive cannon appears in Mega-Rail's hands. The giant robot aims the weapon squarely at Astro-Con.

RED GUARDIAN
Gatling Cannon, containment
blast, FIRE

Mega-Rail fires the cannon, and Astro-Con is hit by a containment beam.

The energy beams wrap around the monster, then cover him completely, then in a flash, the monster shrinks down in an explosion of white light.

INT. MEGA-RAIL - COCKPIT

Red Guardian watches as Astro-Con is contained.

RED GUARDIAN
Mega-Rail to Galaxy Knight, Astro-
Con has been contained

PAT(V. O.)
Congratulations on your victory
my son, Mega-Rail has performed
well on it's first attempt

RED GUARDIAN
Thank-you father, now if you'll
excuse me, I have a souvenir to
pick up

EXT. WESTVILLE SUBURBS

Red Guardian leaps down from Mega-Rail's cockpit and powers down. He bends down and picks up the containment Jar.

JOSEPH
Yes, very collectible

He turns and walks down the street while the sun shines on Mega-Rail.

CUT TO:

INT. SHAKHAN MANSION - LIVING ROOM

The Guardians, Car Robots, Mika, Ami and Commander Aya are gathered in the front room.

JOSEPH

Well, the containment jar is safely on Monster Island and the world is safe yet again

PORTER

Yeah, for another week or so

(Beat)

I can't wait to try out

BLADES

I have heard of a place where Humans do combat in mud, can we go there?

ROLLBAR

(Smiling)

You want to see mud Wrestling, now That I can say is going to be fun

COMMANDER AYA

After what we've just been through, we Could all use some relaxation time but Does it have to be mud wrestling?

ROLLBAR

You have a better idea?

AMI

No, but do we have to go see mud wrestling?

PORTER

Yes, we do have to go, it has been decided

COMMANDER AYA

But do we GIRLS have to go, don't we get to vote on where to go

PORTER

You are only two while the rest of us are many, therefore your vote has no power and you have no choice

AMI

Oh, is that so?

PORTER

Yes, get used to it

Commander Aya and Ami stop walking.

MIKA

I say we take a vote

PORTER

No, we don't, you are out
numbered

COMMANDER AYA

We insist on a vote

JOSEPH

Fine, if you want to embarrass
yourself, let's vote

ROLLBAR

All those in favor for Mud
Wrestling

Everyone except Commander Aya, Mika and Ami raise their
hands.

JOSEPH

And those against mud wrestling?
Commander Aya, Mika and Ami raise
their hands.

JOSEPH (CONT'D)

(Smiling)

Motion OVERWHELMINGLY carried

ROLLBAR

The first round of drinks are on
Porter

PORTER

Oh, say's who?

ROLLBAR

I do, I bought the last round so
this Time the first round is on
you

PORTER

A sound argument my friend. So
the first Round will be on me,
then the next is on Zac

BLADES

I am looking forward to seeing
you all relax as I've only seen
you fight so far

MATTHEW

We take our duties as the
Guardians very seriously, so
we've made having Fun and
relaxing another duty

COMMANDER AYA

(To ami)

Maybe mud wrestling won't be so bad

AMI

Yeah, we could always have a wrestle ourselves

COMMANDER AYA

(To Joss)

You'd like that, wouldn't you Joseph, seeing me in my underwear and covered in mud

Commander Aya smiles seductively at Joss, who tries not to blush.

COMMANDER AYA (CONT'D)

Perhaps I could find someone else who would want to watch me mud wrestle

(Beat)

Perhaps if I like the guy, he could have me And I would let him put his hands all my body

ROLLBAR

Enough talk about Joss' repressed sexual feelings for you, our mud wrestling awaits

CUT TO:

EXT. SPACE

Mele's troop ship limps through space.

INT. TROOP-SHIP - BRIDGE

Mele is seated in the command chair when the entire bridge is rocked by an explosion.

MELE

What is going on?

EXT. SPACE

Several torpedoes streak towards the troop-ship, they hit the rear near the engines, causing the entire troop-ship to explode in a massive fireball.

INT. BRIDGE - DARK-STAR

The bridge of the Dark-Star is shrouded in darkness, except for the viewscreen which casts an eerie glow over the bridge crew monsters.

HORNHEAD

(Angry)

Who gave the order to fire?

He stands, slowly and we get our first look at him. He is tall and powerfully built, moving with graceful precision. He has green scaly skin and a long, spiked tail that drags behind him. His eyes glow an evil black and are darker than night. His arms are thick and muscled. His fingers are tipped in nasty looking metal claws. He has three horns on his head, the biggest from the middle of his face. This is Emperor Hornhead, he looks different to when we saw him last, how he survived will be explained next episode.

HORNHEAD (CONT'D)

(Angry)

Who did that? Show yourself..

A figure steps out of the shadows, allowing us our first look at who just destroyed Mele. The face is familiar to us; it's Aiko. Her face is now pale and circuitry covers the right side of her face. She is wearing a skintight outfit of red with black tiger stripes that is outfitted with golden armor.

CYBER-AIKO

Mele was a fool, death was her
reward for failure

Horn-Head relaxes a little when he sees her.

HORNHEAD

You should have warned me

CYBER-AIKO

I had to act or she would have
escaped

Hornhead puts his arm around her waist. Cyber-Aiko grasps either side of Hornhead's face and kisses the beast deeply. Hornhead breaks the kiss and snarls.

HORNHEAD

When we get to Earth my love, we
will take down the Guardians and
make them PAY for what they have
done

FADE TO
CREDITS

END OF ACT FOUR