

THE DEVIL

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SAM

Excuse me. Can I talk to you a minute?
Can I just talk to you?

He pulls the Devil away and out the front doors to --

EXT. THE HOME DEPOT - FRONT ENTRANCE - CONTINUOUS

Sam gets right in the Devil's face. The Devil thinks it's funny.

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SAM

What is wrong with you?

THE DEVIL

She is adorable! So sweet.

SAM

Stay away from her. I'm not kidding.

THE DEVIL

Please, like I'm gonna get in the kiddie pool.

(then)

Just wanted to congratulate you, Sam.
Great job with the arsonist. You'll be
happy to learn he's back where he
belongs, getting his nuts burned off for
eternity.

Sam sighs, rubs his eyes. He's becoming resigned to this.

SAM

So how exactly am I supposed to find all
these fugitives?

THE DEVIL

Bud will help you.

SAM

Yeah. No.

THE DEVIL

You'll know them when you see them.
Trust me. I am so not worried.

SAM

And how long do I have to do this for?

The Devil seems to not understand the question.

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THE DEVIL

Well... forever.

That's not what Sam expected to hear. He's crestfallen.

THE DEVIL (CONT'D)

I mean, technically not forever. You're done when you die, right?

(off Sam's look)

Hey, don't be so glum. I just bought a bunch of crap and gave you the sale. You're gonna win your contest.

Sam walks away. The Devil calls after him.

THE DEVIL (CONT'D)

That was nice. I can be nice.

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EXT. THE HOME DEPOT - LOADING DOCK - NIGHT

Sam and Sock sit on the edge of the high loading dock, legs dangling over the side, drinking beer. Between them, the spiral cut ham, which they snack on. They're introspective.

SAM

I guess this is my life now. I work for the Devil. How messed up is that?

SOCK

Dude. Just blow it off. You don't have to do anything.

Sam thinks, then shakes his head.

SAM

No... I think I do. I think I want to. It's like... there's a mission. And it's my mission. I'm the only one who can do it.

(beat)

I'm responsible now.

A beat, as that sinks in. WIDEN to reveal Ben sitting with them. His head is bandaged. And where his eyebrows used to be, thick, black, Mr. Spock Sharpie eyebrows.

BEN

We'll help you, Sam.

SAM

Thanks.

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