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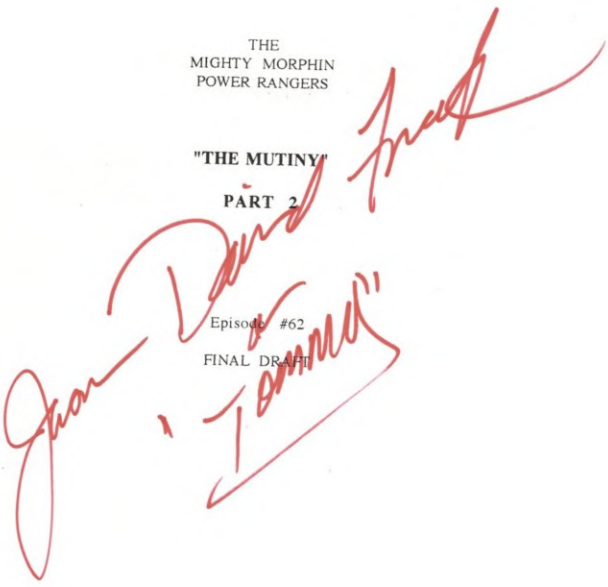

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THE RETURN OF LORD ZEDD - PART TWO

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SET BREAKDOWN
Lord Zed's Chambers
Command Center
Ext. Mountain Area

CAST
Regulars:
Jason
Kimberly
Zack
Trini
Billy
Tommy
Zordon
Alpha
Bulk
Skull
Goldar
Squatt
Baboo
Lord Zed
RECURRING:
Ernie
EXTRAS:
For Mountain Area

Second Draft

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SHORT RECAP OF PART ONE

PROLOGUE

6201 INT. COMMAND CENTER - DAY 6201

The six Rangers, in costume and holding their helmets, and Alpha are gathered back in the Command Center. Zordon's image gazes upon them. The mood is down as they all rack their brains for a solution. Kimberly holds her head in her hand. Some are seated, some lean against the control panels.

ZACK
I keep trying but I can't think of anything to do.

KIMBERLY
We've got to come up with something.

JASON
We can't let Lord Zedd remain in control of the Zords.

TRINI
Alpha, has the computer come up with a solution?

Alpha turns away from the computer with a trail of paper.

ALPHA
Some abstract statistics. I'll need to analyze them more thoroughly.

BILLY
I'll help you.

Billy moves to Alpha and the two put their heads together. Billy pushes buttons on the console.

TOMMY
There's gotta be a way! – Search - wish hope

BILLY
I think we've got something here!

The others rush to Billy and Alpha.

TRINI
What have you come up with?

BILLY
(showing the papers)
By my calculations, if we build a device that will interfere with Lord Zedd's signal, we might be able to release the Zords.

JASON
Sort of like reprogramming them.

BILLY
Exactly. I believe I have all the available materials in my lab.

ZORDON
Alpha, Billy, good work. We have no time to lose. Lord Zedd's monster must be stopped.

TRINI
I'll teleport to the lab with you. Maybe I can help.

BILLY
Thanks.

Trini and Billy stand side by side. They teleport out.

KIMBERLY
I hope this works.

The four Rangers look at one another hopefully.

6202 INT. LORD ZEDD'S CHAMBER - SAME 6202

Lord Zedd sweeps around the room. The room is glowing a cool, aqua blue. Goldar stands smugly in the center. Squatt and Baboo peer around the door frame. A group of Putties stand by one of the walls, motionless.

LORD ZEDD
It is done! The Power Rangers are now out of the way!

GOLDAR
Yes, Lord Zedd! They are helpless without the power of their Zords!

Squatt and Baboo giggle from the corner.

SQUATT
I wish Rita could see this.

BABOO
One day on the job and he's got it all wrapped up! She'd have a major hissy fit!

Lord Zedd crosses to the balcony and thrusts his scepter towards Earth.

LORD ZEDD
Carry on my Pirahntis Head monster! Destroy Angel Grove!!! Soon the whole world will be in my command!

END PROLOGUE

ACT ONE

6203 INT. BILLY'S LAB - DAY 6203

Trini and Billy in street clothes, are busy working on the device. Trini is busy sorting wires.

BILLY
Do you have the wire tips stripped.

TRINI
(handing them to him)
Here they are.

Billy looks at them carefully and nods his head.

BILLY
Good work Trini.

TRINI
(smiling)
Two pairs of hands make faster work than one.

The two get back to work.

5204 INT. COMMAND CENTER - DAY 5204

Kimberly and Tommy are leaning against the control panel. Zack and Jason pace nervously. An alarm pierces the silence. Kimberly and Tommy jump.(The four Rangers are still in their costumes.)

KIMBERLY
Oh no! Now what?!

TOMMY
Zordon, what's happening?! Wonder

ZORDON
The Pirahntis head monster is getting ready to start another attack.

ALPHA
Aye yai yai! Billy and Trini haven't had enough time to complete the device!

JASON
We can't wait for them. We've got to morph!

ZACK
I'm with you. No telling what this fish will do next!

ZORDON
Rangers, I understand your concern and commend you for it. But, without your Zords you will not be able to defeat this monster and might be seriously hurt in the process!

JASON
But, we can't just sit here and wait!

ZACK
There's nothing we can do?!

ZORDON
I'm afraid not. We'll have to wait.

Alpha stands by the viewing globe.

ALPHA
Aye yai yai! This is one mean fish. He's preparing for battle.

The four Rangers crowd around to look.

INSERT: (JAPANESE FOOTAGE) The Pirahntis head monster blowing on his fish horns and beckoning the Zords.

KIMBERLY
I hope Billy and Trini finish soon!

TOMMY
They have to! I wish

6205 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - DAY 6205

Bulk and Skull drive through on their four wheelers. They drive in circles, each of them pointing a different direction.

BULK
This way!

SKULL
(shaking his head)
This way!

The two pull to a stop next to each other and take their helmets off.

BULK
Skull, I happen to have the instincts of a homing pigeon. And I say we go this way!

SKULL
(getting angry)
You have the homing instincts of a duck! That clump of trees looks familiar to me.

BULK
That's because we passed it an hour ago! That's the way back!

Skull points to another direction.

SKULL
If you'd look at the map you'd see I'm right!

BULK
I don't need the map to see I'm right!...

SKULL
Fine! You go your way and I'll go mine! Who ever gets back first is the winner and the loser buys all the pizza the winner can eat! (X)

BULK
Fine! Hope you got your allowance this week!

SKULL
Hope you got yours!

The two take off in separate directions.

6206 EXT. WILDERNESS (JAPANESE FOOTAGE) -SAME 6206

The Pirahntis head Monster blows upon his fish horn and begins the attack

6207 INT. COMMAND CENTER - SAME 6207

The four Rangers and Alpha are around the viewing globe.

INSERT: The Pirahntis head Monster attacking.

ZACK
Zordon, we've got to do something!

ZORDON
Alpha, contact Trini and Billy.

ALPHA
Right away Zordon!

Alpha rushes to the control panel and pushes a button.

ZORDON
Billy, Trini, have you completed the device yet?!

BILLY
(o.c.)
Negative. We're still working on it.

TRINI
(o.c.)
Hopefully we'll have it done soon!

ALPHA
Hurry! We need it!

Alpha breaks contact.

TOMMY
We can't afford to wait for Trini and Billy!

KIMBERLY
This monster could do a lot of damage by the time they're done!

JASON
Zordon we have to morph. Maybe we can at least slow down the monster's progress!

ZORDON
Alright Rangers. This is an emergency.

ALPHA
Please be careful!

KIMBERLY
Tell Trini and Billy to meet us there!

JASON
Let's go!

The four Rangers teleport out of there.

6208 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6208

The Rangers teleport into the mountain area. They look around cautiously.(In costume, helmets on.)

ZACK
I don't see the Pirahntis head.

TOMMY
Or the Zords.

KIMBERLY
He's here somewhere, I can almost smell him.

JASON
This was the exact spot we saw him on the viewing globe.

TOMMY
Let's look around.- INSIST

The Rangers cautiously move forward.

6209 INT. LORD ZEDD'S CHAMBER - SAME 6209

LORD ZEDD'S P.O.V. Through his laser vision eyes Lord Zedd spots the Rangers in the mountain area.

LORD ZEDD
Perfect. Just where I want them.

GOLDAR
What do you have in mind Lord Zedd?

LORD ZEDD
A little game of cat and mouse!

Lord Zedd lifts his scepter and directs it toward Earth.

LORD ZEDD
I command you Pirahntis head Monster to lure the Power Rangers to you! I will take care of the rest!

Lord Zedd and Goldar laugh. Goldar foams at the mouth as the room turns blue. Lord Zedd sends a ray of light to energize the group of Putties. The "Z" on their chests glow.

6210 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME (2nd Unit) 6210

The four Rangers are walking in search of the monster. Suddenly the Pirahntis head Monster appears upon a near by hill.

TOMMY
(pointing)
Up there!

ZACK
In the flesh...or should I say scales!

JASON
Lets go!

(6210 Cont.)

The four rush up the hill only to find the Pirahntis head Monster gone!

KIMBERLY
He's gone!

Suddenly a group of Lord Zedd's putties surround them.

TOMMY
It was a trap! - Realize

The putties start to approach.

ZACK
I'm ready when you are!

JASON
Remember, aim for the Z!

The battle begins. The Rangers try in vain to get to the Zs on the putties chests.
The Pirahntis head Monster appears and dances in joy.

KIMBERLY
Just what we don't need! A fish lipped cheer leader!

CUT TO:

6211 INT. LORD ZEDD'S CHAMBERS - SAME 6211

CLOSE ON: Lord Zedd's face. He seems to be contemplating.

LORD ZEDD
Pirahntis head Monster, I sense an intruder near by! Attend to him!

CUT TO:

6212 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6212

The Pirahntis head Monster lifts up his head and appears to listen. He gives a look at the struggling Rangers. He nods his head and vanishes.

6213 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6213

Bulk drives his four wheeler talking to himself.

BULK
That Skull couldn't find his way out of a paper bag! I'll probably have to send out a search party for him. Good thing I know where I'm going!

CUT TO:

6213A EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6213A

Skull is riding in the same area talking to himself.

SKULL
Poor Bulky! He has such a hard time admitting when he's wrong! A least I'll get all the pizza I can eat! Good thing I know where I'm going! (X)

6214 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME (2nd Unit) 6214

The Rangers battle the putties valiantly.

ZACK
This is a lot tougher than it used to be!

KIMBERLY
These golf ball heads are stubborn!

TOMMY
Jason! Look out! – Wand

A puttie slams into Jason, Tommy steps in and diverts the blow!

JASON
Thanks Buddy!

The battle continues.

6215 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6215

Bulk drives his four wheeler, humming a little tune. Bulk makes a turn and comes face to face with Skull, humming his own tune.

BULK
What are you doing here?!

Suddenly the Pirahntis head Monster appears! Skull squeaks and points.

SKULL
(shaking)
Bulky....Are...are we close to the river?

BULK
(annoyed)
No!...What's the matter with you?

SKULL
(pointing)
Behind you...There's a huge fish...A giant fish...A humongous fish!!!

Bulk turns to look and whips back to Skull. They scream in unison and take off. The Pirahntis head Monster plays his fish horn. A bolt of light chases after Bulk and Skull's four wheelers and envelops the tires. The four wheelers begin to move backwards at high speed. Bulk and Skull scream.

BULK
Whoa! Whoa

SKULL
How do you stop this thing?!!!

The Pirahntis head Monster gurgles in laughter as he watches the retreating four wheelers disappear from sight. The monster vanishes.

6216 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME (2nd Unit) 6216

The Rangers are finally making headway with the putties. Jason lands a kick to the Z on ones chest.

JASON
Gottcha!

The puttie crumbles and vanishes. One by one they dismantle the remaining putties.

ZACK
That's the way the puttie crumbles!

TOMMY
The parties over guys!

KIMBERLY
Thanks for coming!

The various body parts of the putties vanish. The Pirahntis head Monster arrives.

ZACK
Oh great! Look who's back!

The Pirahntis head Monster blows his fish horn!

SHOT OF: The Zords moving forward to attack the Rangers! A spray of fire hits them. The Rangers go down. They stagger up clutching there wounds.

JASON
We can't fight them on our own!

ZACK
We need Trini and Billy

TOMMY
They've got us cornered!

KIMBERLY
What are we gonna do!

END ACT ONE

ACT TWO

6217 INT. BILLY'S LAB - DAY 6217

Billy and Trini are finishing up the final touches on the device.

BILLY
There, I think that does it!

TRINI
Good! Let's morph to the others! (X)

The two morph out.

6218 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA (JAPANESE FOOTAGE) - DAY 6218

Trini and Billy rush to the other Rangers carrying the device.

JASON
Perfect timing Guys!

BILLY
Let's just hope this device works!

KIMBERLY
It has to!

The Zords Attack. Billy frantically pushes the button on the device. Nothing happens.

TOMMY
What's wrong with it?!

ZACK
Why isn't it working?!

The Zords attack again. The Rangers glance around wildly.

TRINI
Something must be malfunctioning!

BILLY
I'll have to try and figure it out!

JASON
We have to buy some time! We need our weapons!

The Rangers call on their weapons. They point them at the Zords. The Pirahntis head gurgles wildly.

JASON
Now! Change directions!

The Rangers turn suddenly and fire at the Pirahntis head. The Pirahntis head jumps wildly. The Zords stop their attack for the moment.

ZACK
Anyone for some charbroiled fish?! (X)

TOMMY
We've diluted the monster's power for the moment!

TRINI
But not for long! Look!

KIMBERLY
Billy, hurry!

The Zords begin to advance again. Billy wildly scrambles with the device. He takes out one of the batteries and turns it upside down, replacing it.

BILLY
(sheepishly)
I had the battery in upside down.

Jason playfully taps him on the head.

JASON
Guess even the great brain can make a mistake. Now, will it work?!

BILLY
Here goes nothing!

Billy turns the device on. The Advancing Zords stop moments before crushing them. The Rangers cheer.

ZACK
Way to go Billy!

6219 INT. LORD ZEDD'S CHAMBER - SAME 6219

Lord Zedd howls in rage. The room pulsates blood red. Squatt and Baboo scurry into a corner to hide. Lord Zedd lifts his hand and pulls a glowing silver ball out of the air.

LORD ZEDD
The game is not over yet! Grow Pirahntis head! Grow!

Lord Zedd sends the ball hurtling toward Earth.

6220 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME (2nd Unit) 6220 *

The Pirahntis head Monster catches the ball and throws it at his feet. With a giant rasping gurgle the monster grows.

JASON
Megazord power! Now!

The Rangers call upon their Zords and form the Megazord. The Dragonzord does not respond.

TOMMY
The Dragonzord isn't responding! My powers are failing me!

Tommy runs for cover. The Megazord does battle with the Pirahntis head monster. The Pirahntis head still has control of the Dragonzord, which attacks the Megazord. The Megazord crashes to the ground.

6221 INT. COCKPIT - SAME 6221

The Rangers are jolted with the fall.

JASON
Abandon the Megazord!

6222 EXT. WILDERNESS - SAME 6222

The Rangers land on the ground and move to contact Zordon.

6223 INT. COMMAND CENTER - SAME 6223

Alpha and Zordon listen to Jason's call of distress.

JASON
(o.c.)
Zordon, Tommy can't control the Dragonzord and the Megazord is down! What should we do?!

ALPHA
Ave yai yai!

ZORDON
Rangers, you must remain calm. It is now time to call upon the new Zords!!

JASON
(o.c.)
We read you!

6224 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6224

The Rangers prepare to call. Jason stands forward first.

JASON
I call upon the power of the Tyrannosaurus!

Jason's Tyrannosaurus appears.

JASON
Red Dragon Thunderzord!

The Tyrannosaurus Morphs into the Red Dragon Thunderzord.

KIMBERLY
I call upon the power of the Pterodactyl!...Firebird Thunderzord!

Kimberly's Pterodactyl Morphs into the Firebird Thunderzord.

ZACK
I call upon the power of the Mastodon! Lion Thunderzord!

Zack's Mastodon Morphs into the Lion Thunderzord.

TRINI
I call upon the power of the Saber Tooth Tiger!....Griffin Thunderzord!

Trini's Saber Tooth Tiger Morphs into the Griffin Thunderzord.

BILLY
I call upon the power of the Triceratops!... Unicorn Thunderzord!

Billy's Triceratops Morphs into the Unicorn Thunderzord.

Tommy stands quietly by. The new Zords form the Thunder Megazord. The Thunder Megazord shoots a ray of light that releases the spell upon the DragonZord. The Dragonzord turns and seems to look right at Tommy. The Dragonzord gives a little roar.

TOMMY
(sadly)
Goodbye my friend. Rest well.

The Dragonzord turns and walks back to the sea.

6225 INT. COMMAND CENTER - SAME 6225

Zordon calls on Tommy.

ZORDON
Tommy! Teleport back to the Command center!

6226 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA 6226

Tommy teleports out.

6227 INT. COMMAND CENTER - SAME 6227
(normal clothes)

Tommy teleports in and rushes to the viewing globe to watch the battle. Alpha stands by him.

ALPHA
I'm sorry Tommy.

TOMMY
Yeah, me too...(He looks at the Globe)
Those new Zords are amazing.

6228 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6228

The Thunderzord prepares for battle. The Thunderzord attacks the Pirahntis head Monster and destroys it.

6229 INT. LORD ZEDD'S CHAMBER - SAME 6229

The room glows red as Lord Zedd laughs

LORD ZEDD
This is not the end by far. I like a challenge. The Power Rangers shall not defeat me again!

END ACT TWO

EPILOGUE

6230 INT. COMMAND CENTER - DAY 6230

The six Rangers stand in front of Zordon. They are back in their normal clothes. Tommy stands a little to the side, feeling a little left out.

ZORDON
Rangers, congratulations on a new beginning.

ALPHA
These new Zords will serve you well.

Kimberly glances to Tommy. She walks over and takes his hand. He smiles at her. She looks up at Zordon.

KIMBERLY
What about Tommy. Will the Dragonzord be able to go through another battle?

ZORDON
The Dragonzord will need to rest and conserve it's energy. Just as Tommy's powers will periodically fail him so will the Dragonzords.

TOMMY
Hey, no sweat...it was nice while it lasted.

JASON
What are you talking about? You're always gonna be one of us.

ZACK
That's right, you've gotten us through some tough times.

TRINI
We're not going to forget that.

BILLY
There still may be a way, anything's possible.

TOMMY
Thanks Guys...There's just one thing I was wondering about?

KIMBERLY
What's that?

TOMMY
What ever happened to Rita?

ALPHA
Right this way and we'll find out.

The Rangers follow Alpha to the viewing Globe.

INSERT: Rita's cocoon floating in space. Over this we hear.

RITA
(v.o. singing)
Ninety nine bottles of slime on the wall ninety nine bottles of slime, you take one down and pass it around, ninety nine bottles of slime on the wall. ninety eight bottles...

Alpha turns on a switch interrupting Rita's solo. Zack rubs his ears. The Rangers laugh.

ZACK
Thank you Alpha!

ALPHA
I'm picking up something amiss...Oh no! (giggling) Aye yai yai!

INSERT: Bulk and Skull still going backwards on their four wheelers. They scream loudly.

JASON
Bulk and Skull?

TRINI
We can't just leave them like that.

BILLY
We'd better help them. I'll bring along the device. Perhaps it can turn the four wheelers back to normal.

The six teleport out.

6231 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - SAME 6231

The Rangers land close by but hidden from Bulk and Skull, who are now going in circles backwards.

BULK
Help me!!!!

SKULL
I think I'm gonna be sick!!!

TRINI
Okay Billy, give it a try.

Billy pushes the button on the device and the four wheelers come to a stop. Bulk and Skull get off, still spinning.

(6231 Cont.)

They fall onto the ground and kiss the Earth.

BULK
Thank you! Thank you!

SKULL
I'm still spinning!

JASON
(to Tommy and Kimberly)
Why don't you two go see how they are. The rest of us will go retrieve the other four wheelers.

The four Rangers teleport. Tommy and Kimberly walk down to Bulk and Skull. Bulk and Skull jump to their feet a little unsteady.

SKULL
Kimberly! The gray goons didn't get you!

Tommy and Kimberly exchange looks.

KIMBERLY
Gray goons? What are you talking about?

BULK
It was horrible! They had us surrounded! But then, (puffing up with importance) the Power Rangers saved us!

TOMMY
No kidding, the Power Rangers? - dazbel sue

SKULL
Yeah, we were as close to them as I am to you!

BULK
What's more, we're gonna find out who they really are!

KIMBERLY
Really.

Just then the others arrive on the rest of the four wheelers.

ZACK
Hey Guys, don't you think it's time we got back in the marathon?

TRINI
You'll have to double up.

Bulk and Skull jump on one four wheeler, Kimberly on the other. Tommy stands to the side with a sad look on his face. Kimberly looks to him .

KIMBERLY
Come on Tommy! I'm driving!

Tommy smiles and jumps on.

SKULL
This thing better not go backwards!

BULK
You are backwards!

They all drive off into the sunset. Over this we hear:

SKULL
(v.o)
Hey guys....Have you seen a big fish around here?

DISSOLVE TO:

6232 EXT. MOUNTAIN AREA - DAY 6232

The camera pulls back from a large hanging banner that reads "Finish Line". We see a few kids cross under the banner on their four wheelers. People are cheering and applauding. In the distance we see the six Rangers and Bulk and Skull riding in a cloud of dust as they near the finish line.

FREEZE FRAME