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La playa DC

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Tomas
there's a job as a security guard.
think I wanna be an ass-kissing
security guard like Roel?
Chacos back.
He got deported.
they deported Chaco?
Where is he?
Down in town.
He hasn't come up yet.
Where have you been, Jairo?
We haven't seen you in a while.
Say something!
Go wash your hands.
Don't touch the baby
with dirty hands.
Tomas, Jairo can't stay here.
Why's that?
After 2 months on the streets,
look at him. You cant kick him out.
Wheres my baby?
What's this drug addict doing here?
Why do you treat my brother like that?
Why do you stick up for him?
Want to end up on the streets too?
it beats being
a lousy security guard like you
there's the door...
Get Out!
this isn't your house.
You cant kick me out.
the person in charge here is Mom.
Go on, tell him what we decided.
Go ahead, tell me!
Tomas. don't go.
Look at what I found.
Remember that day
we went fishing on the beach?
the day we had those big sticks
we used as poles?
the day I caught that cachamoa fish.
and we took right home
and fried it up?
We got home

and you ate it all yourself.
You left me nothing but the head.
You left me nothing but the head.
I found this talisman
where I get my drugs.
But it didn't bring me any luck.
Why's that?
the dealers at La Olla
gave me some stuff to sell.
and I smoked it myself.
You smoked it all?
How much do you owe them?
100.000 pesos.
100.000 pesos?
Where are we gonna get
all that money?
Relax, they're gonna kill me
anyway.
I just came to say goodbye.
Say goodbye?
You go missing for 2-3 months
and you come back to tell me that?
the haircuts
were in the shape of a map.
You had to take care of it.
it showed the men
how they could find their way back.
How to avoid any dangers.
It showed them the way.
so the men could find their way back.
sir, your ID. please!
Let's see what you have in your bag.
Headquarters? An ID check. please.
Finished?
We've been waiting for you.
take a look. perfect.
it's gonna be all the rage.
Nice job, eh?
And cheap.
Ok.
Here's your \$10.000.
What do you mean 10.000 pesos?
We said \$10.000.
it's 10000 per hubcap.

We said \$10.000 total.
You misunderstood.
It's 10,000 each.
You said \$10,000.
Do you think I'm going to accept?
My works worth more.
Show some respect!
It's 40.000, understand?
Dont be that way!
theres no doing business
with you people.
thats the price!
Give me my haIf.
Heres \$10.000.
- No, we said 50/50
- Just take the 10k
No, we said wed split 50/50
You've got talent or you don't.
I landed the job.
Caballo , thats not enough.
You know we split it 50/50
- take it or leave it?
- I want 20K.
I did the car.
whats the problem?
this gig was both of ours.
take it!
Do nt throw that money at me!
Excuse me.
Have you seen Chaco?
You know this guy?
Have you seen Chaco?
Why do you need Chaco?
Hes my brother.
Really?
Of course he's Chacos brother.
Looks at him.
He looks just like him.
He doesn't dress anything like that.
Chacos got style!
Chaco is one of a kind.
Chaco has a brother
who s been lost.
- Our Chaco?

- Yeah, our Chaco.
So have you guys seen him around?
Go check down on 6th Street.
6th Street?
take a right at the corner.
Be careful out there.
the man is trouble!
Be careful out there.
the man is trouble!
Do you think he's really
Chacos brother?
Chacos go t more class.
thats what I'm saying.
Come on, lets go.
Little brother!
Unbelievable!
What's up, Tomas?
When did you get back?
About 3 days ago, bro.
Loo k at you!
l was up north.
You've changed a lo t to o.
Lets take a walk.
See you around, guys.
Catch you later.
So whats up, little brother?
Do you smoke?
Sure.
So why did you come back?
Cause l fucked up and got busted.
Know what l mean?
l took a ship
supposedly sailing to Europe
l was too naive.
Followed some guy...
And they caught us both.
Are you working down at the Beach?
No, l work at the market.
At the market?
Mom doesn't let me work
anywhere l want.
She doesn't let you?
So shes really controlling you...
Me, at your age, when l was 13.

I was already on the streets
taking care of myself.
But I'm not living with them
anymore.
that idiot Roel kicked Jairo out.
You know. Jairo...
Jairo s crazy, man.
He doesn't listen to anybody.
I never pay to get laid!
kn Canada they paid me!
this is my place.
Who are you?
Doa Maria!
Hell crash in a corner somewhere.
We could put a little bed
next to mine.
OK.
thanks, doa Maria.
Every time I come back,
I just want to leave again.
Fucking country!
Listen, bro,
why don't we head north.
this time. no one'll tell me
how to do things
I can't go until I find Jairo.
So well look for him first.
Let me show you something, bro.
this is my hiding place.
So the money doesn't get wet.
We just need to save \$200,000 each.
Got it?.
We can save that
in less than a month.
Well work every day...
We go to Buenaventura
and then were off.
My turn, bro.
How about a shine, boss?
Leave me your car
and I'll give you a free demo.
Over here!
When can I do
your hubcaps for you?

It will only take a minute.
And real cheap.
If you like it
I'll give you a good deal.
Check it out.
Brand new hubcaps, boss.
Beautiful.
and for that price, its a steal.
I can do all four.
All four for just \$10,000 pesos.
You heard me right!
- OK, get to work.
- Ok, boss
- I'll leave the car with you.
- Ok, boss
take this and start over there.
Use this.
Chaco!
Danny, brother! How are you?
-Whats up, man?
- I'm here with you.
- When did you get back?
- A week ago.
- A week ago ?
- Yeah, a week ago.
- How did it go up there?
- Great, thank you.
- What about you?
- Just taking it easy.
Looks like you got it made.
Got it made?
this is Nelsons place.
Nelson!
this is Chaco.
He taught me to cut hair
in Buenaventura.
How's it going?
He taught me everything I know.
Youre as bad as him then?
Bad?
Hows that?
- He cut my hair real good.
- So I see
Easy, bro.

Do me a favour, please
I'm the reason this place works.
What happened to him?
Hes crazy
hes been hanging out around here.
We've been looking for him
for a while.

Missing:

Whats up, boy?
- Hi.
- I need you to do me a favour.
this isnt the lost and found.
You cant hang it here.
- Whats up, buddy?
- Whats up?
Nothing much.
I have this picture of my brother?
Sure, hang it up here.
Morning.
Ready to make some money?
Always am
Come sit down.
You been partying much?
A bit.
Tomas, show him the picture.
Yeah, I've seen him.
- Around here?
- Yeah.
Where?
this guy caught him
and bang-bang!
He shot him.
He messed with the wrong guy.
Fix this part here.
Fix this part here.
Where I come from
Life isnt easy, but we manage
its a daily struggle.
but we still get by
We talk about it bad,
but everything there is better
We have rain.
its cold and its hot

Where I come from
Life isn't easy, but we manage
We have the rain,
it's cold and it's hot.
You know...
all the cuts you see around here
come from up north.
the Jersey, the Co by...
they're all from up north.
there was this guy.
who shaved an S on his head
the first letter of his wife's name
And every time he cheated on her.
he'd put a cross through it.
He wound up with a tribal cut
full of crosses.
His wife found out about it.
I don't know how.
She almost shaved his head.
then was this other guy...
He had these dreadlocks...
When he got out of his car.
they dragged on the ground.
I'm not lying !
He could wrap his locks
around his fist.
Once, he fell asleep at a party
and they cut his locks, bro.
Some guy took the clippers
and left him bald.
And you know what happened?
He hung himself.
When he woke up and saw himself.
he went into the bathroom
and everybody saw
he'd hung himself.
You need some clippers man.
I'll teach you some cuts.
and some designs...
and some designs...
you've never seen.
I haven't seen them
around here, anyway.
there you go, bro.

Real bad.
- How much do I owe you?
- 7 grand.
Wasn't it 5 last time?
that was a year ago.
Here, take 6...
Just take a look at yourself.
Maybe I'll come back next weekend.
Don't wait a year, prices go up!
So, what do you say?
5,000 pesos...
I have some sketches here
I did myself.
You can use them for hair designs
if you like them.
they're great man.
What do you think, Danny?
these lines are all over the place!
You only ever want to do
your stuff!
You just have to learn
to make the lines wider.
Because the machine.
It makes the lines wider, see?
So, make them wider.
turn it on and get a feel.
You turn it on here.
It really vibrates!
Of course it does.
Let me see how you shave.
on your arm.
Not too close or it'll cut you.
And don't hold it like that.
Hold it like this.
to tell you the truth bro,
I don't like the white neighbourhoods.
We had a deal, right?
that deal
is starting to cost me money.
Let's get out of here, man.
We're not going to find him here.
Relax, man.
Let's take a look upstairs.
We look stupid, man.

- Can we help you?
- Were just having a look, bro.
If we cant help you.
perhaps youll help us by leaving.
Why would we leave?
We aren't doing anything.
Lets go.
I cant believe tho se guys!
theyre just paid watchdogs...
After all these years.
you still Don't see were the dogs?
CaIm down,
why are you talking to me like that?
Youll never take me
to a place like that again!
Being humiliated like that!
thats why I left
this fucking country, bro.
See what I mean?
Piece of cake, right?
Want to take over a while?
Just a little while.
What do you mean a little while?
I came for you to cut my hair.
Hell take over a while.
If anything goes wrong.
I'll fix it for you.
its looking great.
Youll fix it, right?
Design and the cut, all included.
Ok. then.
You better be good, kid.
Go ahead, Don't be scared.
Be careful. man!
Relax, buddy.
Don't hold the blade like that.
Lighten your grip and come down
easy so you don't cut him.
You know what, Nelson?
What?
You should give me a job.
Slow down, bro.
You know I'm a fast learner.
What I need is more customers.

not more barbers.
Lighten up a little.
Hi.
What are you doing here?
I saw you looking at shampoo
in the shop.
I don' t like anybody following me.
Nelson finally lent me the clippers.
Don't mess it up.
I'll give you a cut if you want.
Start by evening it out.
Leave it a little higher in the back.
Leave room for the design.
What crazy shape
are you making him?
You go in with the clippers
like this.
So you finally remembered.
We have to keep saving.
Whats this then?
See you, baby.
take care of yourseIf!
Kisses!
Whats up?
they found him.
Hes resting.
the doctor says
it was just a scratch.
this kids lucky. Mom.
Tomas, we have to talk.
Since you've abandoned me.
I need you to take care of Jairo.
No problem.
If you hadnt listened
to your security guard.
Jairo wouldn't be here.
How dare you
speak to me like that?
I've always tried
to get him out of trouble.
But he's constantly
roaming the streets.
Doing drugs.
Have you forgotten

thats where were from?
I want to forget
everything that happened to me there.
Window Number 4.
Can I pay over there?
Hello ,
I'd like to release Jairo Diaz.
Doctors authorisation.
his medical insurance and his ID.
He doesn't have an ID.
How can I release him without an ID?
Fill out this form
so I can release him.
tomorrow we can get him settled.
He looks like you.
Just a little more beat up.
What time did we say, bro?
Eight oclock, right?
Look what time it is.
Nelson. I had some family trouble.
With those guys from La Playa...
Are you concentrated or not?
We all have problems.
If you show up late every day.
its not gonna work out.
Did you bring the drawings?
these are the ones.
Now go sweep up.
See, I was with this guy
who was all in my face.
the police showed up
and arrested us.
they hauled us off
to some juvenile jail.
- Are you listening?
- Relax. I'm listening.
three days later,
there was a big storm at 3 am.
We jumped the wall and ran home.
Chaco, I wanted to talk to you.
Why don't you take off first
with Jairo?
What do you mean?
I can make enough

money at the barbershop
to catch up with you soon.
What are you talking about?
think its some kind of game?
You wouldn't even make it
to the dock on your own.
You dont know
the insides of a ship.
You have no idea.
But you've explained it all to me.
Don't you think?
Are you serious?
Get serious, man.
I'm no kid.
Remember our deal.
I know we have a deal.
but I'm not leaving without Jairo.
Youre just another liar. man.
Jairo ,what are you doing here?
I' m styling my friend
so she'll look pretty
for her boyfriend.
You ought to be at home.
Come on, let's go home.
I'm bored at home, bro.
I feel like a dog, all locked up.
Come with me,
I'll show you a great place.
Wanna co me?
OK, but then were going home.
Follow me, then.
You're just gonna leave me like this?
Cool, huh?
Imagine having this car at the beach.
We'd score with all the girls.
Not with this ugly car.
Remember the day we went fishing?
the weird fish
that screamed like girls?
- Remember?
- I sure do.
And I remember
the day I was fuming mad.
I jumped in the river

and started to swim across...
when this milk can
came floating.
I was hungry,
so I tried to grab it.
Mom started shouting:
Jairo
I was about to grab the can.
And she yelled Jairo, no!
And right when I got out.
the can blew up.
And all this foam stuff came out...
and I watched where it was floating.
Remember the river?
Let' s say this is the river...
and over here is our house.
the guys in boats
came down this way.
the paramilitariess got out here...
and this is where they killed Dad.
Look, a security guard.
It's that fucking Roel!
Roel! You son of a bitch!
Hes still moving.
Glad I Don't have to see
that asshole anymore.
thats your first cut man!
I'll do your beard for free!
Wheres my blue trimmer?
Somebody stole it...
I saw Tomas with it last.
Stop talking shit.
I left it on the table.
I didn't steal the trimmer.
I'm just kidding.
I'm giving you 100,000 pesos
to buy clippers.
I'm trusting you. ok ?
You wont regret it. Nelson.
And you, always making trouble!
Just lend me your trimmer!
Wheres Jairo?
Have you seen this kid?
Don't show me that picture!

He already killed my husband!
I don't want to see it ever again.
Why are you looking for this kid?
Let me see that.
Do you know this guy?
- Who is it?
- Come on, speak up!
Hes my brother.
this asshole owes us big time!
Are you gonna pay us
what he owes?
- How much is it?
- 120,000 pesos.
What do you have here?
Come on, speak up.
Are you paying or what?
Pay up and I'll take you to him.
Whats up, Tomas?
Everything cool?
Why the long face?
How did it go buying the clippers?
Nelson. actually...
I had a problem and I had to use
the money for the clippers.
I don't believe it.
I trusted you, gave you money
and you let me down.
I cant take it anymore, Tomas.
this is not gonna work.
the dealers gave me another chance.
Another chance?
You think its ok
to ruin everybodys life?
You're ruining your life yourself.
I never told you
to come looking for me.
You're prepared to kill yourself
for this shit?
Dont smoke that.
Dont smoke it !
Do nt smoke that!
take it.
thats what I like about this shit.
It takes me out of this hole.

and back to Buenaventura.
Come on, the bastards are close.
I'm staying here.
they wont see us here.
Don't you realise
I saw them kill dad.
Come on, lets go!
Fuck off! I'm staying.
this is the story
of my funeral and my burial.
I'm seven feet under
and I'm not afraid.
Im seven feet under
and I'm no t afraid.
I'm seven feet under
and I'm afraid.
And I ask the Lord.
that when I die
up to heaven. my Lord
up to heaven I want to go.
up to heaven. my Lord
up to heaven I want to go.
Mom kicked Roel out.
For the nine days of the wake.
Heres your part of the money.
its your share.
I'm heading north, bro.
Listen, tomorrow I'll see you
at the bus station at noon.
You got that?
I'm counting on you.
It's up to you, bro.
take this map to Tomas.
We've got enough
clippers around here.
Keep them, they're yours.
How about a haircut?
So do you want a haircut?
Ok, how much?
5,000 pesos.
OK, what kind of cut?
Cool!
take it easy.