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- 01.00.57 O'NEILL (OS)-Break out the fishing gear,...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-General! Our job here is done.
- 01.01.01 HAMMOND-I take it your mission was successful?
- 01.01.03 CARTER (OS)-In a word, sir,...
- CARTER (CONT)-yes.
- 01.01.04 O'NEILL-In two words, yes sir.
- 01.01.07 HAMMOND (OS)-Your initial report said the...
- HAMMOND (CONT)-Volians were a simple agrarian society.
- 01.01.11 O'NEILL-That they are.
- 01.01.12 DANIEL (OS)-The Volians introduced us to *another*...
- DANIEL (CONT)-race. Friends of theirs...
- 01.01.14 O'NEILL (OS)-...who, while lacking...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-a sense of humor, make up for it in advanced technology.
- 01.01.19 CARTER-They just wanted to make sure that we were trustworthy first.

- 01.01.22 O'NEILL (OS)-Long story short:...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-I think we just carried out our standing orders, sir.
- 01.01.26 TEAL'C (OS)-Indeed.
- TEAL'C (CONT)-We may have met a race both willing and capable of defending this world against the Goa'uld.
- 01.01.32 O'NEILL (OS)-And if...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-*that* little outburst didn't convince you...
- 01.01.35 HAMMOND-I'm *convinced*.
- 01.01.36 O'NEILL-We just wrapped up several hours of talks with a guy named...
- 01.01.40 DANIEL-Borren.
- 01.01.41 O'NEILL-...Borren, who really lacks a sense of humor. But he wants the negotiations to move up to the state level.
- 01.01.47 HAMMOND-Well done, people.
- HAMMOND (OS CONT)-Perhaps while I inform the President,...
- HAMMOND (CONT)-you could prepare a mission briefing.
- 01.01.53 O'NEILL-Yessir.

- 01.01.56 HAMMOND-By the way... What do our new friends call themselves?
- 01.01.59 CARTER-The Aschen, sir. They're called the *Aschen*.
- 01.03.07 CARTER-So, out of security concerns, the Aschen wish not to reveal the location of
 their homeworld until we have an...
CARTER (OS CONT)-agreement.
- 01.03.15 O'NEILL-They're a little paranoid.
- 01.03.16 DANIEL-Which seems appropriate, seeing as how they don't have an *Iris* like ours.
- 01.03.19 CARTER (OS)-We do know that they've actually created...
CARTER (CONT)-a secondary star in the Volian system by igniting...
CARTER (OS CONT)-a gas giant, thereby doubling the Volians growing season.
- 01.03.27 JOE-They *made* a star? How?
- 01.03.29 CARTER-Well, theoretically, by increasing the density of a sufficiently massive gas
 giant until a thermonuclear reaction could take place. In fact, Arthur C. Clarke
 posited --

- 01.03.38 O'NEILL (OS OVERLAPPING, INTERRUPTS)-Ambassador,...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-you gotta be careful about the use of the word “how” unless you *really* want to know.
- 01.03.45 JOE-My mistake, Colonel.
- 01.03.47 CARTER-I guess my point is, the achievement itself goes a long way to prove the Aschen are advanced enough to take on the Goa'uld.
- 01.03.53 TEAL'C (OS)-The Aschen could be formidable...
- TEAL'C (CONT)-allies.
- 01.03.56 HAMMOND (OS)-If they're stargate capable, why is...
- HAMMOND (CONT)-this the first we've heard of them?
- 01.03.59 DANIEL (OS)-That's a good question.
- DANIEL (CONT)-They have ships, but they only use them to travel between planets within their Confederation.
- 01.04.04 HAMMOND-Of which the Volian system is a part.
- 01.04.06 DANIEL (OS)-Right. Uh, Borren said...
- DANIEL (CONT)-that both the Aschen and Volian gates were discovered buried, like ours was. And no DHD was ever recovered.

- 01.04.12 CARTER (OS)-Naturally, the Aschen tried dialing...
CARTER (CONT)-numerous symbol combinations. But without a DHD to compensate for stellar drift, they were stuck just like we were.
- 01.14.19 HAMMOND-We could only go to Abydos.
- 01.04.21 CARTER-Exactly. It was only *after* Daniel's discovery of the Cartouch on Abydos that we were able to make the drift calculations to successfully dial other planets.
CARTER (OS CONT)-Add that to the database Colonel O'Neill retrieved from the library of the Ancients,...
- CARTER (CONT)-we can offer access to an entire galaxy of worlds and races the Aschen never even knew existed.
- 01.04.38 HAMMOND-The news must have come as a shock to them.
- 01.04.41 O'NEILL-Oh, not really.
- 01.04.43 DANIEL (OS)-What Jack is trying to say is that if...
DANIEL (CONT)-they were surprised, they'd never show it.
- 01.04.47 O'NEILL-They don't get excited in general, General. It's like an entire planet of accountants.

- 01.04.53 TEAL’C (OS)-Colonel O’Neill mistrusts...
TEAL’C (CONT)-the Aschen.
- 01.04.55 O’NEILL-I didn’t say that.
- 01.04.56 TEAL’C-Indeed, you did. On several occasions.
- 01.04.57 O’NEILL (OVERLAPPING)-No. I didn’t. What I said was I didn’t trust people without a
sense of humor. Especially that boring guy.
- 01.05.05 TEAL’C-Borren.
- 01.05.06 O’NEILL-I know his name. He was *boring*.
- 01.05.08 HAMMOND-The Aschen have agreed to meet our representative on P3A 194
tomorrow. (to O’Neill)-Colonel O’Neill, both you and Major Carter...
HAMMOND (OS CONT)-are to make yourselves available to the Ambassador as
consultants.
- 01.05.20 O’NEILL (OS)-Yessir.
- 01.05.21 HAMMOND (OS)-Dr....
HAMMOND (CONT)-Jackson, in the meantime, I’d like you and Teal’c to confer with
the Volians. Find out how they feel about the Aschen.

- 01.05.28 DANIEL-Oh, I can tell you their feelings right now, sir.
- 01.05.30 HAMMOND (OS OVERLAPPING)-Dig a little...
HAMMOND (CONT)-deeper. Find out from the Volians if the Aschen are the good neighbors they seem to be. You'll embark at oh seven hundred. Gentlemen...
- 01.05.42 JOE-Major Carter... Since we're trading knowledge of the Stargate...I could probably use a little more of that knowledge myself.
- 01.05.51 CARTER-After you, Ambassador.
- 01.05.59 JOE (OS)-This place never ceases to amaze me.
- 01.06.02 CARTER (OS)-Anything yet?
- 01.06.03 TECHNICIAN-Ah, the computer should have it down to a handful of candidates by tomorrow.
- 01.06.06 CARTER-Thanks.
- 01.06.07 JOE-Candidates?
- 01.06.08 CARTER-Yeah. We're trying to determine the location of the Aschen home planet.

01.16.13 JOE-Well, how can you do that without the coordinates?

01.16.15 CARTER-How?

01.06.16 JOE-Oh, I asked that question again. (CHUCKLES)

01.06.19 CARTER-In my early work with the Stargate program, I theorized that –...

CARTER (OS CONT)-all things being equal – the outside limit for a lock between two
stargates...

CARTER (CONT)-without a DHD was three hundred light years.

01.06.27 JOE-Mm-hm

01.06.28 CARTER-The computer is searching for viable coordinates...

CARTER (OS CONT)-within that radius of the Volian system, P3A 194.

01.06.34 JOE (OS)-Because the Aschen homeworld is somewhere within this area.

01.06.37 CARTER-There's a seventy percent probability.

01.06.39 JOE-If the Aschen are so powerful, why don't they want us to know?

01.06.42 CARTER-Until we share our database with them, they have only our word of what's out there. They're vulnerable. If...if we didn't have an Iris, I think we'd do the same.

01.06.50 JOE-Uh, you know what? I have not eaten since, uh...oh, today. (CHUCKLES)

01.06.57 CARTER-The mess is this way. If you'd like, we can talk more there.

01.07.01 JOE-I'd like that very much.

01.07.16 TECHNICIAN-Chevron three, encoded!

01.07.28 JOE-Morning.

01.07.34 O'NEILL-This is what you're wearing?

01.07.36 JOE-What's wrong with it?

01.07.39 TEAL'C-Nothing.

01.07.40 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron four, encoded!

01.07.43 CARTER-You look fine.

01.07.44 JOE (a little nervous)-Well, yeah. They said I didn't have to wear a uniform; I just
wanna make a good impression.

01.07.48 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron...
TECHNICIAN (CONT)-five, encoded!

01.07.50 DANIEL-You look great. Very sharp.

01.07.52 JOE-Thank you.

01.07.54 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron six,...
TECHNICIAN (CONT)-encoded!

01.07.56 O'NEILL-It's the shoes.
O'NEILL (OS CONT)-They're...
O'NEILL (CONT)-gonna get ruined. It's a farm planet.

01.08.07 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron seven,...
TECHNICIAN (CONT)-locked!

01.08.25 HAMMOND (OS)-Enjoy the ride, Ambassador.
HAMMOND (CONT)-We'll look forward to your return.

01.08.31 CARTER-After you.

- 01.08.32 JOE (OS)-Thank you.
- 01.09.20 JOE (CONT)-It looks just like, uh –
- 01.09.22 O’NEILL (OVERLAPPING)-Oh, yeah. Just when you think you’re not in Kansas anymore, turns out you are.
- 01.09.30 DANIEL-We’ll go see what we can dig up.
- 01.09.32 O’NEILL-Have fun.
- 01.09.36 JOE-Uh, you said the Volians and the Aschen enjoy a longstanding trade relationship, but there aren’t any signs of trade infrastructure around the Stargate. (noticing sound)-What is that sound?
- 01.09.47 O’NEILL-Have a look.
- 01.10.02 CARTER (OS)-It’s called a *Harvester*.
CARTER (CONT)-The Aschen have provided hundreds of them all over the planet.
When a field is ready, the machine harvests the crop and then brings it to the Stargate for transport to the Aschen homeworld.
- 01.10.23 O’NEILL-We’re gonna want a few of those.

- 01.10.27 BORREN (OS)-I'm sure that can be arranged,...
- BORREN (CONT)-Colonel.
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- 01.10.30 O'NEILL-Borren!
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- 01.10.32 BORREN-Colonel. I thought I made it clear your weapons were unnecessary.
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- 01.10.39 O'NEILL-I thought you were jokin' around.
- O'NEILL (OS CONT)-You know,...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-like you always do.
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- 01.10.47 CARTER (OS)-Borren,...
- CARTER (CONT)-may I introduce our official representative, Ambassador Joseph
- Faxon of...
- CARTER (OS CONT)-the United States.
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- 01.10.53 JOE-I bring you greetings from –
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- 01.10.54 BORREN (OS OVERLAPPING)-I am not your counterpart.
- BORREN (CONT)-The Harvester possesses a suitable compartment. This way,...
- BORREN (OS CONT)-please.
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- 01.11.05 O'NEILL-Shoes.

- 01.11.10 HAMMOND (OS)-Sergeant? Do you have something?
- 01.11.11 TECHNICIAN-Sir, let me show you on the star map. We've calculated a total of five possible Stargate coordinates within a three hundred light-year radius of P3A 194, the Volian system.
- 01.11.20 HAMMOND-And there's a good chance one of them is the Aschen world.
- 01.11.23 TECHNICIAN-Well, of the five, these three were just calculated, so they're unexplored. This one was determined uninhabitable by a MALP probe three years ago. But, sir, *this one* – ...
- TECHNICIAN (OS CONT)-this gate was locked out of our dialing computer...
- TECHNICIAN (CONT)-by your order seven months ago.
- 01.11.36 HAMMOND-You're telling me there's a one in four chance that the Aschen homeworld is a planet that I ordered *off limits*.
- 01.11.42 TECHNICIAN-Yessir.
- 01.11.43 HAMMOND (OS)-Sergeant, have SG teams...
- HAMMOND (CONT)-three, twelve and fifteen report to the briefing room as soon as possible.
- 01.11.47 TECHNICIAN-Yessir.

- 01.12.06 DANIEL-Keel! It's, uh, Dan Jackson and, and Teal'c.
- 01.12.11 KEEL-You said you'd likely not be this way again.
- 01.12.14 DANIEL-Yeah, we wanted to learn more about your relationship with the Aschen.
- 01.12.17 KEEL-Oh, hey, what would you like to know?
- 01.12.19 TEAL'C-If they are honorable.
- 01.12.22 DANIEL-Yeah. I wouldn't have put it quite that way, but...
- 01.12.24 KEEL-They've been friends to us since I remember. I was raised by an Aschen
family. Orphan.
KEEL (OS CONT)-They give medicine...
KEEL (CONT)-freely, machines freely... Light and heat for our homes.
- 01.12.39 DANIEL-Really? So they've never been unreasonable with your people in any way?
- 01.12.42 KEEL (OS)-They just...
KEEL (CONT)-float around in their Harvesters mostly, what few of them there are.
- 01.12.48 TEAL'C-Then you maintain freedom from their world.

- 01.12.50 KEEL-If freedom is bein' left alone, we have it.
- 01.12.57 DANIEL-Okay. Well, thank you.
- 01.13.01 KEEL-Uh...when next you...
KEEL (OS CONT)-speak to one,...
KEEL (CONT)-tell 'em I got Iron root in my south field. Can't dig it out myself. Need
one of their machines.
- 01.13.10 DANIEL-*Iron* root? Well, maybe...maybe we can help.
- 01.13.18 O'NEILL-What do we got here, Borren?
- 01.13.20 BORREN-Stand here.
- 01.13.42 O'NEILL-Oh, yeah, we're gonna want a few of these too.
- 01.13.46 JOE-(CHUCKLES)
- 01.13.56 BORREN-Ambassador,...
BORREN (OS CONT)-allow me to introduce your counterpart from our
Confederation...Mollem.

- 01.14.02 JOE-I offer greetings from our President,...
- JOE (OS CONT)-in the hope that we can forge a friendship that will...
- JOE (CONT)-enrich both our peoples.
- 01.14.08 MOLLEM-This seating arrangement is suitable for our negotiations.
- MOLLEM (OS CONT)-Please.
- 01.14.16 O'NEILL-I assume there are facilities on board?
- 01.14.19 BORREN-In the next compartment.
- 01.14.23 O'NEILL-Just wanted to make sure before we flew off somewhere.
- 01.14.26 BORREN (OS)-The Harvester will remain in...
- BORREN (CONT)-the general vicinity of the Stargate throughout the negotiations.
- 01.14.33 O'NEILL-Mind if I check out the view first?
- 01.14.58 (INTO RADIO)-Daniel, Teal'c, we're on board one of their Harvesters. When
 you get back, report to Hammond and let him know the proceedings have
 begun. Over.
- 01.15.07 DANIEL (INTO RADIO)-Copy that. And, uh, good luck.

- 01.15.17 KEEL-Here it is.
- 01.15.23 It goes deep, I'll tell you that.
- 01.15.27 DANIEL-Keel, we can probably take care of this for you with Teal'c's staff weapon.
- 01.15.31 TEAL'C-General Hammond's request was to gather information.
- 01.15.35 DANIEL-Well, he also said we should dig a little deeper.
- 01.15.40 KEEL (OS)-There's a jug of my best sweetwater in it for you, if you...
KEEL (CONT)-manage.
- 01.15.43 DANIEL-Okay.
- 01.15.53 TEAL'C-Have you discovered something, Daniel Jackson?
- 01.15.54 DANIEL-Oh, God, I hope not. Probably though.
- 01.16.01 MOLLEM-Our position is straightforward. You have...
MOLLEM (OS CONT)-discovered means to travel between Stargates throughout the
galaxy. Several hundred worlds, I am told.
- 01.16.11 JOE-Yes.

01.17.31 CARTER-Growing at a rate of several million a year.

01.17.33 MOLLEM-That growth rate is unsustainable.

01.17.36 JOE-We agree.

01.17.38 MOLLEM-You represent the dominant nation?

01.17.40 JOE-That is a fair assessment.

01.17.41 MOLLEM-And so are you taking military action to curtail this...

MOLLEM (OS CONT)-growth rate?

01.17.45 JOE (OS)-No.

JOE (CONT)-We respect the sovereignty of our neighbors.

01.17.50 MOLLEM-We are pleased to hear that. The worlds of the Confederation are a
partnership of equals.

01.18.00 BORREN (OS)-Do not be alarmed.

BORREN (CONT)-The Harvester is continuing its normal operations.

- 01.18.58 DANIEL (OS)-Or maybe the Volians had their own version of a Luddite movement.
DANIEL (CONT)-Well, *whoever* did this – the Volians or the Aschen – they probably did it long after the city was already abandoned.
- 01.19.07 TEAL’C-There are no human remains.
- 01.19.09 DANIEL-Exactly. So the question is...why? (beat) This looks like it might have been a public building of some sort. I’m gonna go inside and take a look around.
- 01.19.27 TEAL’C-It may be extremely dangerous.
- 01.19.30 DANIEL (OS)-Yes, it *may*.
DANIEL (CONT)-I’m gonna go inside and take a look around.
- 01.19.43 HAMMOND (OS)-Several months ago we...
HAMMOND (CONT)-received a “message” through the Stargate that simply stated,
‘under no circumstances go to...
HAMMOND (OS CONT)-P4C 9...
HAMMOND (CONT)-70.’
- 01.19.53 PIERCE-The warning from the future.

- 01.19.54 HAMMOND (OS)-That's the theory, Major.
HAMMOND (CONT)-We don't know the circumstances in which it was written, only that the signature and the *blood* found on the note match Colonel O'Neill.
HAMMOND (OS CONT)-We've just determined that the race of...
HAMMOND (CONT)-people we're currently in trade negotiations with – the Aschen – may be from one of these four planets.
- 01.20.12 PIERCE-Then the only way to rule out 970 as the Aschen world is to check out the other three, sir.
- 01.20.17 HAMMOND-That's your mission. Have your teams ready to embark once the MALPs have determined you're good to go.
- 01.20.23 O'NEILL (OS)-Just out of curiosity,...
O'NEILL (CONT)-what kind of “defense technologies” are we talking about? Space guns, force fields? Motherships?
- 01.20.39 MOLLEM-This is an example of a bioweapon we can make available to you. A living, radioactive...
MOLLEM (OS CONT)-genetic material that may be designed to attack and...
MOLLEM (CONT)-destroy only the specific DNA of your enemy. We have a number of efficient delivery systems.
- 01.21.00 JOE-Well, we would want certain assurances –

- 01.21.02 MOLLEM (OS OVERLAPPING)-That we take...
MOLLEM (CONT)-military action only against your enemies, and not your friends. Of course.
- MOLLEM (OS CONT)-The question arises:...
- MOLLEM (CONT)-Why have these “friends” of Earth not already provided you with the defense technologies that you seek from us?
- 01.21.18 CARTER-Most of the advanced races that we’ve befriended have hesitated to share their technology with us for fear that we could use it to destroy ourselves.
- 01.21.28 MOLLEM (OS)-True *friends* would endeavor...
MOLLEM (CONT)-to prevent that.
MOLLEM (OS CONT)-You have changed the way...
MOLLEM (CONT)-in which we view the universe. Do not underestimate what we offer in return for that gift.
MOLLEM (OS CONT)-We can put an *end* to disease.
MOLLEM (CONT)-Double the human life span. Provide the means to cross entire continents in a single step.
MOLLEM (OS CONT)-Much more than simply a means to defend yourselves against your enemies,...
- MOLLEM (CONT)-we offer Earth membership within the Aschen Confederation.
- 01.22.07 TECHNICIAN-Chevron one, encoded.

- 01.22.08 AIRMAN (OS)-Sir, Pentagon, line one.
- 01.22.13 HAMMOND (INTO PHONE)-This is Hammond. Yessir, we were just about to de-...
- 01.22.17 TECHNICIAN-Chevron two, encoded.
- 01.22.19 HAMMOND (INTO PHONE)-May I ask why? Understood. (to Technician)-Sergeant,
about the dialing sequence.
- 01.22.27 TECHNICIAN-Yessir. Aborting dialing sequence.
- 01.22.30 HAMMOND (OS)-SG-15, your recon mission has...
HAMMOND (CONT)-been scrubbed until further notice. You may stand down.
- 01.22.35 TECHNICIAN-Sir, what's going on?
- 01.22.37 HAMMOND-That's what I aim to find out.
- 01.22.44 TEAL'C-It would not be wise to attempt that again, Daniel Jackson.
- 01.22.50 DANIEL-Okay... Now, if I'm right, these are *Newspapers*.
- 01.23.10 TEAL'C-There seems to be faint pictures.

- 01.23.12 DANIEL (OS)-Yes, and hopefully they'll paint a thousand words.
DANIEL (CONT)-The language appears to be similar to an ancient Celtic text I found in Wales. I should be able to make some of this out. (beat) We need to go through all of this. We're looking for big headlines first.
- 01.23.26 TEAL'C-This cavern may be unstable. I believe it would be best if we returned to the surface.
- 01.23.32 DANIEL-Oh, I don't think so.
DANIEL (OS CONT)-If this doesn't serve our purposes, we're gonna have to take...
DANIEL (CONT)-another look around and, if the Aschen really do have something to hide, I don't think we're gonna get a second chance.
- 01.23.46 MOLLEM (OS)-Colonel,...
MOLLEM (CONT)-you seem pensive.
- 01.23.51 O'NEILL-No, I was just thinking. You're offering a lot more than we asked for.
- 01.23.58 MOLLEM-Our motives are not entirely selfless. Perhaps you offer more than you give yourself credit for.
- 01.24.04 CARTER-Access to the Stargate network.

- 01.24.06 MOLLEM-And the promise of much more, Major Carter. An introduction to the advanced races that you have befriended, just as the Volians introduced you to us.
- MOLLEM (OS CONT)-Your ways and culture will enrich ours.
- MOLLEM (CONT)-The Aschen are not the natural explorers that you so obviously are.
- MOLLEM (OS CONT)-Fortified by our technology, you can...
- MOLLEM (CONT)-continue your exploration, share with us what you learn.
- 01.24.30 JOE-Uh, you understand I have to, uh, present your offer to our leaders.
- 01.24.35 MOLLEM-You'll find we are a very *patient* people, Ambassador.
- 01.24.44 In the meantime, I will also confer with my leadership and recommend to them the immediate commencement of trade between our worlds.
- 01.25.00 I look forward to our future together.
- 01.25.03 JOE-As do I.
- 01.25.09 O'NEILL-Well, that was...easy.
- 01.25.15 JOE (OS)-This was just the first stage.
- JOE (CONT)-If you thought it was too easy, believe me, you won't feel that way when we're done.
- 01.25.20 O'NEILL-So, I'm the only one that has a bad feeling about this.

- 01.25.26 JOE- Yes.
- 01.25.34 O’NEILL-Just checking.
- 01.25.37 DANIEL-Here’s something... (reading)-The headline says something about a pandemic. Some sort of... I can’t translate that, maybe *fever*. (reading)-Now, assuming the Aschen are the “newcomers” in this article, they provided a...can’t translate that word either, but it appears to have been some sort of vaccine. And the Volian people were immensely grateful.
- 01.25.56 TEAL’C-Which serves to prove the Aschen are honorable.
- 01.25.59 DANIEL-Actually, all it proves is that the city was abandoned some time *after* they made contact with the Aschen. And cities are usually abandoned only when civilizations fall.
- 01.26.08 TEAL’C-Perhaps they relocated elsewhere within the Aschen Confederation.
- 01.26.11 DANIEL (OS)-I...
DANIEL (CONT)-don’t much like the sound of that either. Keel said he’d never been anywhere else.
- 01.26.16 TEAL’C-This city has been abandoned for many years.

- 01.26.19 DANIEL-Yes, but long enough ago for Keel to have absolutely no idea it was ever
here?
- 01.26.27 HAMMOND-Welcome back. As per your instructions, Ambassador, an Air Force jet is
standing by at Peterson to take you to Washington, just as soon as you're
cleared by our doctors.
- 01.26.36 JOE-Thank you, General. (to O'Neill and Carter)-History will remember your
contribution to this.
- 01.26.41 O'NEILL-O'Neill...two L's.
- 01.26.45 JOE-And, Major,...
JOE (OS CONT)-next time I'm in the...
JOE (CONT)-neighborhood, I know a restaurant that beats your mess, hands down.
- 01.26.51 CARTER-I'd like that.
- 01.26.59 O'NEILL-Well, General, it might be time to reconsider this retirement thing.
- 01.27.04 HAMMOND-Not yet, Colonel. Come with me.
- 01.27.12 HAMMOND (OS CONT)-The President doesn't want to risk such a potentially
rewarding alliance on the...
HAMMOND (CONT)-basis of a note that may or may *not* be a warning from the future.

01.27.19 O'NEILL-I *knew* that thing was gonna come back to haunt me.

01.27.23 CARTER-General, to confirm the Aschen are from a world other than 970 is only prudent.

01.27.27 HAMMOND-And if we encounter the Aschen on one of those other worlds?

01.27.31 CARTER-They wouldn't be too happy about it.

01.27.32 HAMMOND-It could jeopardize the treaty.

01.27.35 O'NEILL-Send a probe.

01.27.36 HAMMOND (OS)-For all we know,...

HAMMOND (CONT)-sending a probe was what caused the problem you were trying to avoid by sending your note.

01.27.42 O'NEILL-Ttssh... Well, technically, I haven't sent it yet. But if I get a chance again, I'm sure I'm gonna fill it with a lot more detail.

01.27.48 CARTER-Well, you were probably trying to limit the causality violation by keeping it simple.

01.27.53 O'NEILL-I wonder who's idea *that* was. (to Hammond)-Sir, you know me. I wouldn't have sent that note without a damn good reason. The President should know that.

01.28.03 HAMMOND-He's under a lot of pressure to present a concrete benefit of the Stargate program before the next election.

01.28.09 O'NEILL-Oh, here we go –

01.28.11 HAMMOND (OS)-The bottom line is, he wants us out of it.
HAMMOND (CONT)-From now on, this treaty is a state matter.

01.28.17 CARTER-Well, what did Daniel and Teal'c find out?

01.28.19 HAMMOND-They haven't returned yet.

01.28.23 DANIEL-The Aschen vaccine had a side effect. I don't know what – it might be an Aschen word – but I know it was big news around here.

01.28.32 TEAL'C-How would you know this, Daniel Jackson?

01.28.33 DANIEL-Oh, it's in big black letters. (reading)-“Aschen vaccine...
DANIEL (OS CONT)-causes...” something. I don't know what it is,...
DANIEL (CONT)-but I don't think it's a good thing.

- 01.28.40 TEAL’C (OS)-These pictures appear to be...
TEAL’C (CONT)-much like those we saw of people celebrating.
- 01.28.43 DANIEL-Oh, I don’t think they’re celebrating.
DANIEL (OS CONT)-I think they’re *rioting*.
- 01.28.50 O’NEILL (VO THRU RADIO FILTERED)-Daniel? Teal’c?
- 01.28.55 DANIEL (INTO RADIO)-We’re in an underground cavern. Do the Aschen know we’re
down here?
- 01.28.59 O’NEILL (INTO RADIO)-Negative. Keel said you were digging a hole around here.
- 01.29.03 DANIEL (INTO RADIO)-Yeah. Um, stay put. We’ll, uh...we’ll come meet you.
- 01.29.15 O’NEILL-Boy, when they dig a hole...
- 01.29.20 CARTER (INTO RADIO)-Daniel, where exactly are you?
- 01.29.22 DANIEL (INTO RADIO)-We’re in the buried ruins of the Volian Union’s capital city.
DANIEL (OS CONT INTO RADIO)-By all accounts, a thriving metropolis.
DANIEL (CONT INTO RADIO)-That is, I *think*, until the Aschen wiped them out.

- 01.29.41 DANIEL (VO CONT)-Okay, here's what we know:...
- DANIEL (CONT)-Around two hundred years ago, the Volians were a thriving *urban* civilization, approximating turn-of-the-century North America in terms of technology.
- 01.29.51 CARTER-That wasn't very long ago.
- 01.29.52 DANIEL (OS)-No, it wasn't.
- 01.29.53 HAMMOND-What happened to them?
- 01.29.55 DANIEL-Well, all we know is that there was a flu Pandemic, similar to the one on Earth in 1918 that killed over 20 million people. Now *that* is when the Aschen came.
- 01.30.02 O'NEILL-Through the Stargate?
- 01.30.03 DANIEL (OS)-Actually, in ships. You see, the Volian gate wasn't...
- DANIEL (CONT)-discovered until years later. They befriended the Volians, offered them a...a...a vaccine for the epidemic, and saved their world. Now, by all accounts, the Aschen were heroes to the Volians, and their friendship lasted for years. But then something happened.
- 01.30.19 O'NEILL-What?

01.30.20 DANIEL-I don't know.

01.30.21 TEAL'C-We found no evidence of battle.

01.30.23 DANIEL (OS)-I found one clue.

DANIEL (CONT)-Here.

DANIEL (OS CONT)-Uh, this word loosely...

DANIEL (CONT)-translates as *medicine*/...

DANIEL (OS CONT)-*vaccine/drug* – Followed by *from the newcomers*...

DANIEL (CONT)-Followed by *causes* -- Followed by...some word I can't translate.

DANIEL (OS CONT)-Now, this was the latest issue of the paper we could find,
which...

DANIEL (CONT)-most likely indicates the paper was shut down or *was* shut down the
very next day.

01.30.45 CARTER-Vaccine causes...what?

01.30.48 DANIEL (OS)-I don't know.

DANIEL (CONT)-But it caused something, because, in the span of two hundred years,
the Volians went from an urban civilization of millions to an Agrarian civilization
of thousands. *After* they were saved by the Aschen.

01.31.03 CARTER-General, you have to speak to the President.

- 01.31.04 HAMMOND-I just tried. He's being briefed by the Ambassador and won't take my call.
- 01.31.10 O'NEILL (OS)-General,...
- O'NEILL (CONT)-I never did cash in on that open invitation to visit the White House.
Remember? Last time we saved the world...
- 01.31.34 Driver. Pennsylvania Avenue is that way.
- 01.31.39 DRIVER (OS)-We're picking up another passenger, sir.
- 01.31.42 O'NEILL-Beg your pardon?
- 01.31.55 SENATOR KINSEY (OS)-Colonel Starsky...
- SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-Or is it Hutch? I can never remember which one you are.
- 01.32.03 O'NEILL-Kinsey, what the hell are you doing here?
- 01.32.08 SENATOR KINSEY-I know this is a little more upscale than you're used to,...
- SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-but I wanted a comfortable place to talk.
- 01.32.23 SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-Uh... Drink?
- 01.32.27 O'NEILL-I have an appointment.
- 01.32.29 SENATOR KINSEY-No, you *don't*. (beat) You should've heard the President when
he heard you were coming to change his mind. Man oh man,...
- SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-he can be cruel.

01.32.40 O’NEILL-The treaty’s a mistake.

01.32.42 SENATOR KINSEY-You were the one who recommended it in the first place!

01.32.45 O’NEILL-I was wrong.

01.32.47 SENATOR KINSEY-Hell, this was worth it just to hear that.

SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-Let me tell you what it comes down to, Colonel.

SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-Those of us who have actually been *voted* into office...

SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-would like the opportunity to...

SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-make the damn decisions about the governments we
make treaties with.

01.33.02 O’NEILL-You don’t have all the information.

01.33.04 SENATOR KINSEY-I know all about the note.

01.33.05 O’NEILL-Which is why you should take it seriously.

01.33.07 SENATOR KINSEY (OS OVERLAPPING)-But we’ve got these experts who...

SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-know these things, and they tell me that the ink on your
note was a new biodegradable something-or-other that hasn’t...

SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-*quite* been invented yet.

- 01.33.19 O'NEILL (OVERLAPPING)-What's your point?
- 01.33.21 SENATOR KINSEY-What's the future really like, Colonel? You can tell me.
- 01.33.24 O'NEILL-As far as I know, it hasn't happened yet.
- 01.33.26 SENATOR KINSEY-It has for *you*. Hell, you've been back in time, forward in time,
you've seen it all!
SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-I just wonder how things...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-turn out...you know, without you being a hero anymore.
- 01.33.41 O'NEILL-This has nothing to do with me –
- 01.33.43 SENATOR KINSEY (OS OVERLAPPING)-And I wonder how...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-far you'd go to stop me from becoming President of the
United States.
- 01.33.50 O'NEILL-You think this is about *you*? Of all the self-centered, egotistical –
- 01.33.56 SENATOR KINSEY (OS OVERLAPPING)-Egotistical!
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)- *You're* the one who can't stop playing God with our
future!
SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-The minute we try to make a deal for Alien...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-technology, you decide that they're the wrong kind of
Aliens!

- 01.34.08 SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-Even our *current* President’s begun to see...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-the pattern, and, boy, he used to *love* you.
SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-Rest assured, we know all about the seventy
percent...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-probabilities, the one in four chances –
- 01.34.20 O’NEILL (OVERLAPPING)-Kinsey, you’re in way over your head.
- 01.34.23 SENATOR KINSEY-Am I? This is really a political matter, Colonel,...
SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT)-which will require bilateral approval. And that’s why
the...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT)-President put *me* in charge of the next stage of
negotiations.
- 01.34.43 (into phone)-Driver, stop at the Athletic Club, please. (to O’Neill)-Oh, you’ll get
your invitation to the White House soon enough, Colonel. Just not tonight.
SENATOR KINSEY (OS CONT, INTO PHONE)-Jonathan, when we get to the Athletic
Club, I’ll step out. You go on and take...
SENATOR KINSEY (CONT INTO PHONE)-our guest back to Andrews.
- 01.35.28 HAMMOND-Apparently, we have agreed to make a token gesture of our good faith.
Ambassador Faxon will deliver it personally and return with an Aschen
delegation to meet Senator Kinsey.
- 01.35.39 CARTER-We’re actually going ahead with this.

01.35.41 HAMMOND-I'm told we're proceeding with caution.

01.35.43 DANIEL-What are we offering?

01.35.45 HAMMOND-A number of gate coordinates.

01.35.46 O'NEILL-There goes the neighborhood.

01.35.48 HAMMOND-Ambassador Faxon has asked that Colonel O'Neill and Major Carter
accompany him again.

01.35.55 O'NEILL-I thought we were out of it.

01.35.56 HAMMOND (OS)-Apparently, he insisted. Senator Kinsey has agreed, but only to
Major...

HAMMOND (CONT)-Carter. Which presents us with a window of opportunity.

01.36.04 CARTER-What can I do?

01.36.06 HAMMOND-Force their hand, somehow.

01.36.09 TEAL'C-If we accuse them directly, they may simply lie.

01.36.13 DANIEL-Maybe we don't have to; I have an idea.

- 01.36.21 HAMMOND (OS)-Major, I can't...
 HAMMOND (CONT)-order you to do this.
- 01.36.25 CARTER-I know, sir. When do we leave?
- 01.36.40 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron one, encoded.
- 01.36.42 SENATOR KINSEY-Historic day, General.
- 01.36.45 HAMMOND-Let's hope so, Senator.
- 01.36.46 SENATOR KINSEY-Actually, I was referring to your retirement.
- 01.36.58 TECHNICIAN (OS)-Chevron two, encoded.
- 01.36.59 CARTER-Ambassador.
- 01.37.00 JOE-Major. Is *that* what you're wearing?
- 01.37.06 CARTER (OS)-Sir, I have a lot to tell you, and not a lot of time to tell it. So, please,
 listen carefully.
- 01.37.12 JOE-All right.

01.37.25 JOE-Mollem. Borren.

01.37.26 MOLLEM-Ambassador. Major Carter.

01.37.28 BORREN-Colonel O'Neill has not accompanied you?

01.38.30 JOE-His duties require him elsewhere.

01.37.32 MOLLEM-Of course.

01.37.33 JOE-It is my pleasure to offer a gesture of our own. The coordinates and Stargate symbols to several new worlds.

01.37.41 MOLLEM-It is our honor to receive such a gift.

01.37.51 CARTER-The coordinates are on the hard drive in the laptop. It'll just take a moment to display.

01.38.03 JOE (OS)-Our leaders would also like to extend an invitation to Earth...

JOE (CONT)-to formalize our treaty.

01.38.08 MOLLEM-All in time.

- 01.38.12 CARTER-By the way, Borren,...
- CARTER (OS CONT)-would you read this aloud for me? I couldn't quite translate it.
- 01.38.19 BORREN (OS)-Of course.
- BORREN (CONT)-'Sterility.'
- 01.38.30 CARTER-We knew what you were planning, Mollem. This just confirms it.
- 01.38.36 BORREN-What are you talking about?
- 01.38.38 CARTER-*Vaccine causes sterility.* That was the headline.
- CARTER (OS CONT)-You wiped out most of the Volian population and turned their
 entire world into farmland.
- CARTER (CONT)-You'd do the same to Earth.
- 01.38.53 MOLLEM-(SIGHS) Lock them in here. We have a treaty to conclude.
- 01.38.57 CARTER-If we don't come back alive, the treaty is *off*.
- 01.38.59 MOLLEM-That'll be *your* loss. We have what we wanted.
- 01.39.11 CARTER-I'm sorry.
- 01.39.16 JOE-What do you think they'll do?

01.39.18 CARTER-I don't know.

01.39.20 JOE-O'Neill sent the note to prevent this from happening.

01.39.28 We were so sure.

01.39.30 CARTER-Listen... They're dialing the Stargate.

01.39.46 They're dialing Earth.

01.39.51 JOE-What is that?

01.39.53 CARTER-I don't know, but we gotta find out.

01.40.02 CARTER (OS CONT)-Okay, when I get to the bottom,...

CARTER (CONT)-follow me down. We'll only have a few seconds over the gate.

01.40.08 JOE-What?!

01.40.13 CARTER-Just do what I tell you, when I tell you. Trust me.

01.40.18 JOE-Okay.

01.40.46 BORREN-Where is Major Carter?!

01.40.57 CARTER-AMBASSADOR! NOW!

01.41.13 JOE-GO!!!

01.41.44 CARTER-CLOSE THE IRIS!

01.41.59 KINSEY-What in God’s name is going on here?!

01.42.02 CARTER (OS)-(in pain) When they knew we were on...
CARTER (CONT)-to them, they launched a bioweapon.

01.42.05 KINSEY-Colonel!

01.42.05 CARTER (OS)-I had to warn you, I...
CARTER (CONT)-couldn’t wait for the Ambassador. I’m sorry, sir.

01.42.08 KINSEY (OS)-Colonel, I...
KINSEY (CONT)-asked you a question.

01.42.10 O’NEILL-You did good, Major.

01.42.12 CARTER-Thank you, sir.

01.42.14 HAMMOND-Let’s get her to the infirmary, now!

01.42.15 KINSEY-Colonel!
KINSEY (OS CONT)-I swear, O'Neill,...
KINSEY (CONT)-there's gonna be an investigation into this.

01.42.23 O'NEILL-Well, that'd be fine!
O'NEILL (OS CONT)-O'Neill...two L's. Nnnmm...

01.42.34 DANIEL-I guess we dodged a bullet there.

01.42.36 TEAL'C-Senator Kinsey appears most displeased.

01.42.39 O'NEILL-Yeah, that's a crying shame, isn't it?

01.42.42 DANIEL-I just hope we don't regret giving them those gate addresses.

01.42.45 O'NEILL-I don't think we will. First one being a black hole, and all. They get
progressively darker after that.
O'NEILL (OS CONT)-Carter, you all right?

01.42.55 CARTER-(BREATHY SIGH/REACTION)

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