

Previously on... *Stranded in Venezuela: The Caciques, Sarah and Kim J, each sent three tribe members to the other tribe leaving them all feeling cast away and vulnerable. On Mariche, Kim P and Lindsey made quick work to integrate themselves into the new tribe. They found themselves fitting in quite well and glad to be away from Kim J and Frank's watchful eyes. On the new Tamanaco tribe, Sean, Vecepia and the General had a harder time trying to break through. While they courted Frank and Lex for their votes, they couldn't fully trust that they were on board with them. In the Immunity Challenge, Mariche's unity paid off as they won tribal immunity. Feeling panicked about going home and not wanting to rely on Frank, Sean devised a plan to bluff Tamanaco into voting with him. He created two fake Hidden Immunity Idols and showed them during Tribal Council. Despite Frank agreeing to vote with them in exchange for an idol, the General received the most votes. 13 people remain, who will be voted out tonight on...*

STRANDED IN VENEZUELA

Episode 1906 – "Perfectly Orchestrated"

TAMANACO, NIGHT 13

After a shocking fake double-idol play during Tribal Council, Sean is left to explain what happened to his closest ally who had no idea he was going to play them.

***Confessional - Sean** - I was so close to not playing my idols. But i just had this gut feeling that I had to. If I was leaving I was going out with a bang and if I was staying then i wanted to maybe make something work by not revealing either were fake. My plan is to pit the former Tamanaco against each other. we suspect that they will vote 2-2 if we dont tell them to flush the idols. So we are going to say we are voting 1-1 and making Kim decide. This will make them fight for Kims' love.*

Sean - I had a gut feeling I had to go with that tribal. I didnt think frank was with us or had ever payed an idol.

Vecepia - Good call and thanks for saving our asses. Sad to see General go. I hope they believe they're real though.

Sean - me too. It should at least get us through the next tribal maybe :/ as long as we can make a plan to scramble them.

Vecepia - It's us against the world right now. Just have to make it to the merge.

Sean - I love the general, but I'm glad it was him and not you.

Everyone is left reeling ahead of another Immunity Challenge.

Sean - Lets win this challenge! No hard feelings, let get our team together strong!

Frank - No hard feelings at all. Especially about the part where I acted like the swing, it actually started out as a joke then got out of hand really fast. Still props for the ballsy play.

Linda - wait, did you guys actually believe Frank?

Sean - sometimes all you have is hope Linda.

Frank - No , they had the idols, they knew i was bullshitting.

Sean - I had a gut feeling thats why i tried to buy his vote. His price is very high it seems.

Lex - I didn't believe you were voting for Linda the whole time, and when the vote came up as Linda I was really surprised... but it was an error which makes sense now. You played it really nicely though. Well, if Sean is playing two idols next round, neither he or Vecepia are going... so we're voting for Linda next? Also how did he get two idols in the first place :| he must have a lot of free time or something

Frank - The password was the fucking same, no other way. Damn it Jeffrey. Yeah I was worried you might think I would do it then you'd do it and stuff. That's why i threw in a DONT LEX at the end XD

MARICHE, NIGHT 13

Gina - OK, I'm changing my mind. I'd be down for throwing the challenge so long as it isn't super obvious.

I'm pretty mad they voted out General. :/

Sarah - yeah, pat's all for it.

Gina - My only concern is it can't be obvious- if Lindsay or Kim P catch on I think that will seriously put a huge dent in their trust for us.

Sarah - hopefully it's like the challenge from last night that they threw.

***Confessional - Sarah** - It's definitely tough feeling like I'm being played by the three old Tamanaco. I don't feel like I can trust them. They're dead to me.*

THE RUINS, NIGHT 13

Jeff Probst - HOST - Welcome, I hope both tribes had enough time to adjust to your new members. Here's how today's challenge will work. Up for grabs: Individual Immunity.

You will all have the opportunity to take it, you just have to be the first person to claim it. The catch is that in doing so, you will send your tribe to Tribal Council and the other tribe will be safe.

If no one claims Individual Immunity by the end of 15 minutes, both tribes will go to Tribal Council and no one will be Immune (aside from your Caciques). Your 15 minutes will start on my go. Please ask any questions now if you are unclear.

Sarah - I was genuinely considering going for this immunity but then I remembered I'm the Cacique.

Frank attempts to control his alliance into rejecting the offer, but Linda is feeling more paranoid after almost going home.

Frank - Don't win it, I have a few ideas how to deal. If we win it they go to merge with 2 idols and pagong us.

Linda - and if we lose, I go home

Frank - If we lose, there's a chance one of us goes home. But I'm willing to take it. They'd probably vote for me anyway. Its that or get Pagong'd.

Frank - Wait what do we have to do again? Just say "I want immunity?"

Linda - Well this is an interesting dilemma. that would be a bitch thing to do. Send you tribe to TC without any new person being immune :P

Lindsey - Wow. What an awful situation. LOL.

Patricia - FRANK SAID IT! HE DID IT I SAW!

Jeff Probst - HOST - Yes Frank. And Sarah, Caciques can claim Immunity and then as always, Individual Immunity can be assigned to the person of their choosing.

Linda - will you give us the ext time you will say Go?

Jeff Probst - HOST - Without any further questions. I'll give you the starting word @ 9:07 meaning you'd have until 9:23 to give me an answer. Youll post publicly here. This is an individual decision, please do not discuss this with your tribes.

Sean (to Vecepia) - should we take the immunity? It might hold up our bluff more and we save an "idol"

Before Vecepia could respond, the challenge has begun.

Frank - If it started, I want immunity. Done.

Kim P - This is so stressful, I need to lay down.

Lex - I'd like immunity.

Frank - I want immunity

Sean - I want Immunity.

Jeff Probst - HOST - Go!

Linda - I claim immunity

Frank - I want immunity

Lex - WOW one second too early. FML. LOL

Linda - BOOM Sorry guys, couldn't risk it being me :)

Jeff Probst - HOST - Linda will receive Individual Immunity meaning everyone else besides Kim J on Tamanaco is vulnerable at tomorrow's Tribal Council. Mariche, you have the night off.

Frank - Also, next time you send over someone with two idols. Make it less obvious.

Sean - Is tribal tonight?

Sarah - Guys. Let's give immunity to Tamanaco. They are clearly throwing the immunity.

Kim P - Say what?

Lex - Technically he was only sent over with one... but the passwords must have been the same. Jeff whyyy. I'm tempted to use the main in the rain GIF again.

Linda - Yeah. I would have gone home if they were played tonight, but tomorrow..yeah. Hence why everyone was jumping on immunity :P

Frank - They sent Sean over with an idol and the password to ours was the same. Hence two idols. It was a very eventful tribal.

Kim P - Well thats interesting...

Sarah - This is news to me.

Lindsey - omg LOL what?!

Lex - Wait, legitimately? Sean must be either brilliant or lucky then to find the password(s) that quickly.

Clarence - Scandalous.

Sean - Oh guys lets let Mariche on all our little tribal secrets shall we.

Lindsey - Everyone's going to find out sooner or later. Might as well air it out now. #Ratings

Sean - Hey Frank remember that time you lied to me Vee and the General..... gave us hope and then shattered and splattered it into little tiny pieces.

Jeff Probst - HOST - Alright doesn't look like Mariche is giving up Immunity, although they could always at a later date. Tamanaco I'll see you all tomorrow. Get some rest!

MARICHE, NIGHT 13

Gina - OK, so, um....That was an explosive challenge.

Patricia - Safe to say we had no chance of 'subtly' throwing that one. Despite Sarah's trying :P

Gina - Yeah I was getting so mad that she kept commenting! Like, just let them all implode together! If what happened is all true, then either Lex or Frank is going home... we win no matter what.

***Confessional - Gina** - I love Lindsay to death. She's such a breath of fresh air. I adore talking to her. Clarence is sorta creepy and a little obnoxious, but wants to go far with me (I think..). Kim P is friendly but probably the one I know least about. She's kinda an enigma to me. I don't know who's side she's on, or if she's on*

anyone's side. Maybe Kim P is just on Kim P's side.

Gina - Well, how bout that challenge, huh? Real hard fought victory, no?

Kim P - Tell me about it! The whole thing seemed very odd to me... Something didn't feel right.

Gina - Yeah I was getting so mad that she kept commenting! Like, just let them all implode together! If what happened is all true, then either Lex or Frank is going home... we win no matter what.

Kim P - I just think its a little fishy that so many people were eager to take immunity when ultimately, 4/6 members will be immune...

Gina - I'm guessing Linda and Frank were jumping on it because Sean could have easily gotten immunity then assigned it to someone? If I were any of those original Tamanacos thats what my worry would have been.

Kim P - I didn't even think about that! Lol Sean is sooo devious!!!!

Gina - That would have been even better! So who do you think they'll take out? Frank or Lex? I imagine Frank, right? He seems to be calling the shots there. And I've heard from you, Lindsay and Clarence that he was a bit of a dick.

Kim P - Yeah Frank for sure. He ruffles peoples feathers for no reason and its finally coming back to bite him :D

Clarence - If what Frank and Sean say is true, then Mariche realigns at merge and cons you and I into flipping on Tamonaco, we take them all out, then they vote you and i out, then they win and we vote for Gina because of her sexy avatar.

Lindsey - yup, pretty much. Our best bet is to flip back and forth IMO.

Clarence - Let's just form tight alliances independently of one another, and sway them toward other people.

***Confessional - Lindsey** - I don't think my standing is particularly good or particularly awful. Patricia and Gina already flat out said they would vote out Clarence and Lil Kim before me without me even prodding them into saying so, so that makes me feel pretty good. Between me/Gina/Patricia/Gabriel we have a good, friendly vibe going and we've talked about sticking together into the merge. Honestly, I need to play it by year for now. I can't say what my plan is further ahead in the game because I don't know if I'll even be there to HAVE a plan.*

TAMANACO, NIGHT 13

***Confessional - Frank** - I gotta pull the play of a lifetime to get out of next tribal. That extra Necklace on Linda really screwed up my plans.*

Frank - Good job Linda, I woulda loved to have that necklace considering how much they hate me right now at least they don't have it so they keep an idol.

Linda - Apologies Frank and Lex, but I needed it and we definitely didn't need Sean being able to keep one of his idols. At least both idols will be flushed. thing is, their target at first glance would be either you or me. So I figured I had to. No hard feelings I hope

Frank - Saved you and screwed myself over royally now. I guess the only thing we can do is split the vote 2-2 and hope they get greedy and try to keep an idol. They'll hope we turn on ourselves so they might just do it. Just dont say anything tonight, let me feel them out. Don't respond to them. I'll try to seek more options. Maybe I can fool them somehow..idk.

Vecepia - lol They were way too eager which must mean they buy it.

Sean - haha exactly. I tried to get it so after this tribal they might think we have one idol left casue i knew Linda was going to jump for it. frank too. For the vote I think we should tell them that we are going to split our votes. 1-1 and make them decide. But really stack our votes together. This will cause Lex and Frank to campaign and NEED the others votes to stay. Also Kim and Linda are most likely going to vote one of us. So we need 3 to make sure there is no tie. I feel like Lex and Frank will come forth with a plan to us, and we should consider them both.

Vecepia - Yeah I agree with everything you said there. Who do you think our target should be. Lex is a real threat

long term but I really like him. Just tell them we're voting 1 Frank and 1 Lex I guess?

Frank forces Lex to stay loyal to him.

Frank - I need to know that you won't switch your vote man, I need to know you'd be up for a 2-2-2 and which ever one of us they vote goes home. Do you see any other alternative? I mean, if they keep those idols we're screwed at the merge anyway.

Lex - There's no other alternative, no. It's too bad we couldn't flush out an idol last vote

After making Lex prove his loyalty, Frank decides to come up with a back up plan to vote out Lex.

Linda - I wish you luck. I really do. I don't want idols to tear our perfect F5 apart

Frank - Worst case scenario us 3 vote poor Lex out. I'll be looking for alternatives though.

Linda - Yup. Though like I said, DO NOT inform Sean if we were to do that. Remember, so long as us 3 do that, even if Lex has the same idea, Kim will vote Lex out as part of her decision. But if the idols come into the game, it's all for naught at merge anyways.

Confessional - Linda - Frank's already throwing Lex under the bus. I'm worried something will happen where one of us goes and NEITHER IDOL IS PLAYED. If that happens, I will kill Frank. Frank - ___ -. He has this "brilliant idea" that has me giving up the immunity necklace and Mama Kim giving up Cacique, to show Sean he has lots of power in a merge situation. Then Sean will magically flip to us. Do I really want to risk my neck doing this?

After having lied to Sean during Tribal Council, and with the biggest target, Linda, Immune; Frank is becoming very nervous.

Frank - Are you voting for me cause I didn't take your deal? Wish I had more time to consider that deal though... It was kind of a scary deal to take. I mean, if Mariche saw that, they woulda threw the challenge and got rid of a tamanaco. An idol wouldn't have saved my ass from getting pagong'd. Geniunely nice plays though, wish you started on my tribe.

Sean - Vee and myself are honestly up for anything. I know I have to use both idols as Kim and Linda are most likely voting for Vee or myself since they have nothing to lose and you and Lex could throw your votes twords the other to make sure we use the idols. And i know after this tribal, we'll be down in numbers and I'll probably go next if we lose or the tribe throws the challenge. I really want to stay. Honestly all i have left in this game is Vee. After tomorrow night, im nothing. I really want to make something happen so I'm not gone the tribal after the next. And I know its a long shot, and i dont have much to offer beside my loyalty.

Frank - I have control over what the 4 Tamanacos vote. The fear was that we would get pagonged. That's why I didn't take your initial deal. If say we split the votes, force you to play the idols, either me or Lex get voted out, but the merge is even numbers. And no you will not convince Lex to switch his vote to me, neither will you convince me to do it without any guarantee. The two idols in a 6-6 merge pretty much spells pagong for tamanacos.

How far do you think you'd go with the Mariche without any idols? I respect big plays so much, I even kinda like that small troll called Russell for those amazing plays. I play this game for that, and I want players like that to win a season. Not goats, not coattail ridders. If you were with me on Tamanaco, I would've placed you as my #2. My plan after this tribal if no idols were in question was to make you a deal. A deal to divert the votes from you all the way through the Mariche pagonging until you are the only one left, then start cannibalizing on the alliances of tamanaco. And that was before you had proven yourself with this play.

I orchestrated Tamanaco, I have all the information, all the control, vote me out and you lose all that. Stick with me and we can go far. Give me one of the idols, keep the other. Don't even play it, Mama Kim will save who I tell her to. Vote out Vecepia, vote out the rest of Mariche, then hop aboard the train to the final 3. I'm 100% that I can get me and you to the final 3 if there's only Tamanacos left. Its just a ticket for you though, Vecepia can't come. I want me to be your number 2 not her.

I understand the first thought that goes through your mind: ITS A TRAP! But i urge you to reconsider. Worst case scenario you can play the idol and save yourself. I promise you that deal or not, I'd get Vecepia out not you.

Sean - Let me think about it for the night. I have a lot on my mind. But i'd def consider it. I think we are good players to pair up, but again it is hard to trust you after you played us last round. and i have to give you props you had Vee and General feeling good about the vote. I think we would be an awesome team frank, but you have to understand by not using an idol next round I'm completely vulnerable. and i dont want to be JT and give an idol away that could bite me in the behind so how can you assure me that this wont happen?

Frank - Yea I understand, this is a tough deal to take. Won't blame me if you don't. This is a deal I'd really like to make, but I'm frustrated cause its so hard to make without anything to back it up. My tribe pretty much thought it was a good idea for me to play the guy on the outs for this vote. I knew you wouldn't believe me, I knew you most likely have the idols, but I did it cause if I came clean then my original tribe mate would lose trust in me. The thing at the challenge started as a joke between me and Lindsey then everyone thought it was a good idea, so I figured I'd do it out of boredom. Kinda wish I didn't cause I had to keep it going for another 3 days.

I have Tamanaco perfectly orchestrated, everything under control. They vote out what I tell them to vote out. Maybe we can make a compromise on this part. I can't tell you without an idol in my pocket cause then you can take the information, vote me out and lose nothing. Once you trade me the idol, way before tribal, I'll fill you in on all the information you want.

Do you want me to make them message you blindly a code so that you see they follow my orders and trust me completely?

You'd be able to contribute with ideas/tactics, I need someone who can think next level. You would also get welcomed into the Tamanaco family at my blessing and be able to make plenty of connections by the time the Mariches are voted out.

Sean -I dont know how I feel about giving you an idol before this vote. And its true if you told me then I could turn it around with and vote you out. However, you lose the fact that if i did that I'd be back to square one as your the only one who has considered working with me or offered me anything. What would i do next round besides be out of idols, and standing against 3. I already know Kim and Linda are voting for us and most likely you are too, unless you guys vote for each other. But you wouldn't tell us that because then we would be able to swing the votes. That said, I'm totally down for transferring idols when you have my trust, but I'd be a fool to do it anytime before.

If you want my trust your going to have to earn it this round, cause fortunately this round I'm not the one in danger. So lets talk this out.

Frank - If you only had one idol and I asked for it, then yea that would be riskier. But you have both. Both idols, no more idols in play. Your only way of getting at least one idol to the merge is voting Vecepia out. Voting me or Lex would require two idols. I guarantee you we won't betray each other, I've had his back and he had mine since he came in as a replacement for the original Lex on day 3 or 4. Plus it would be stupid for either of us to do it, you'd have the chance to keep idols, then stick to Mariche and use them to Pagong Tamanaco.

Even if say you voted Lex out, then worked with me, from what I can tell you don't have enough control on Mariche. They risked your life, idols or not. You could've found that the password was different on this side and be voted out after you play the idol. You won't have the control to overrule the four Mariche that are still there, especially without any idols. With Tamanaco I am in the front seat and can get us through to the end.

Sean - hey Frank, I have to get to bed as I have to work in the morning. We'll talk more tomorrow. Maybe once this alliance happens I'll feel more comfortable giving you that information. I'm going to think on how i want this tribal to play out. we'll talk more in the morning!

***Confessional - Sean** - Frank keeps asking me to give him an idol and he'll bring me to the end. I don't believe him, but I want him to have a fake idol so bad. I just want him to play it and go home from it. If I go out I just want to have the last laugh. Frank claims he wants me as his #2, but I find it hard to believe when he won't vote off his own ally lex. He wants nee to join him and go to the end with tamanaco..... Basically ride his coat tails there. That's not gonna fly though. But it's hard to make threats when I know it's just one giant bluff. I need to get myself and eve through this tribal... But as of now, it doesn't look good.*

Lex takes a softer, more subtle approach with Sean.

Lex - Hi Sean. There's a lot to talk about but I think you know most of it. You must be a very brilliant guy to be able to find both idols without clues (even if they were the same password.) Assuming you play both idols, you have all the power right now... whoever you want to vote for is gone. 4 immunities in a tribe of 6 when I'm not one of them is depressing. :(There's not really much to say that isn't already obvious to you. Although on Sunday when you asked me who to vote I wasn't lying - I actually didn't know who the taco members were voting for yet.

Sean - hey Lex, not necessarily. we were going to tie the vote and let Kim J decide who went. Food for thought though: If you were to throw a vote for Frank in the end it would be 2-1, and you'd be safe. Something tells me Kim is tight with Frank. No one could be mad at you either because you were only saving yourself. You don't even have to tell us because I assume if you did you'd be afraid that the idols wouldn't be played. Also if you are really on the bottom over there come to our side. We don't have much at the moment to offer besides our loyalty. also with a mixed alliance going into the merge we can pull from old Tamanco and old Mariche when we get there.

Lex - That has come to mind, but what I'm more worried about is Frank doing that and screwing me. =/ And if both Frank and I do that, and you get off with both idols, we're practically dooming ourselves come the merge because our tribes will be 6-6 regardless of which of us stays, and you guys will be up two idols. Have you ever heard of Prisoner's dilemma? That's basically the situation for me and Frank right now. Kim will pick Frank over me tomorrow if the vote comes to that. I really don't know what I'm going to do yet, I need to think about it.

Sean - Its true. But do you really think Frank would do that knowing that Kim will keep him in the end. He claims to be calling the shots. It might be your only move at this point.

Lex - Is this more of a matter of you wanting to keep both idols than saving me? :p I'll think about it though.
Sean - haha I already know I'm going to have to play them if I want any chance of staying. But consider it. It won't affect me only your own game. Why would you be more concerned about idols than keeping yourself in the game.

Lex - I'll definitely consider it... but what do you possibly have to gain from telling me all of this, other than keeping the idols and *potentially* a new ally later on? I don't see why you're suggesting the option to me (and maybe Frank) other than to keep us on edge. ;-; There's a lot of benefit to be gained for you if either Frank or I vote out the other, or if we even vote for each other. Don't get me wrong, I like you, I like you, it's just this seems a bit shady. :/

***Confessional - Sean** - Interesting deals coming to the table. I'm a little surprised Lex isn't a gamer. He is more concerned about the idol's being flushed than his own safety. I have to say that the idol's won't matter if he gone.*

When Kim J returns, Frank gives her the low down on all the correct predictions he made.

***Confessional - Frank** - Worst case scenario Lex goes home. Me Kim J and Linda are enough with Kim as the cacique. I have to make them believe I'm crazy enough to split the votes. I would rather Sean takes my deal, gives me an idol, in exchange for me carrying him through. I would legitimately keep him around I think. At least until 8th. Or I might just backstab him...He isn't gonna take this deal is he. Haha. Sean thinks I'm offering him a deal out of being scared for my life. I'm gonna make Linda and Mama Kim give me both Cacique and The Necklace in a show of strength. That will throw him off his plan to turn me against Lex and save an idol by us not splitting votes properly.*

Frank - So Sean had two idols as I suspected. He tried to bluff his way into giving me an idol for voting Linda. I bluffed harder, General went home. But now he has two idols. And Linda has a necklace from the stupid challenge Jeff made. First option is we still split, they flush both idols, me or Lex go home. Second option is me and Linda get Lex out. Sad option. Third option. I'm trying to make a deal with Sean that if he gives me an idol, I'll carry him far. I'd be genuinely willing to give him Clarences/Lexes spot if he'd only do it. This is the last council before the merge, we need to do it right.

Kim J - Oh shit. Linda's necklace grants her immunity?

Frank - Yes it grants her immunity. She beat me to it by less than 1 second. I'll have to see tomorrow what he plans to do, please try to be online. Going to bed now. Good night.

***Confessional - Kim J** - Jesus christ I can't understand what is going on around here. I've been offline a bit because of a road trip, but returning, i'm still trying to rap my head around it. We're going to split the votes 2 on Sean, 2 on Vecepia, and they vote however they want. Hopefully Sean doesn't throw his idol on Vecepia.*

MARICHE, DAY 14

Sarah - Assuming we merge tonight as planned because it's Final 12 and will be Episode 7... What's the dynamic of Old Tamanaco? Are they going to try to Pagong old Mariche? I don't want this to be a Pagong situation, you know. I'm looking at this and I think tribe dynamics doesn't make for an interesting game. My goal would be to get the best final three possible and not be divided through tribal lines

Kim P - Well Frank was the ringleader of Tamanaco and it looks like he is going home tonight. To be honest I think Mariche is a much better group of people. So in that case I completely agree with you! Pagongings are no fun and I look forward to working together! So what would the plan be?

Sarah - I think the goal at the merge for me would be to loosen up Mama's alliance because she lied to me in our conversation before the swap. I don't trust that.

Kim P - I agree. Don't trust Mama Kim. Tonight will weaken her alliance for sure because ultimately only Frank and Lex can go home. Frank is Mama Kim's partner in crime and Lex is their little lapdog who follows them around. So either way is beneficial.

Sarah - Right. The whole thing is iffy to me. Mama Kim scares me. But.... A merge 2 weeks into the game? I honestly doubt it.

***Confessional - Kim P** - I actually really like this new tribe. Everyone seems very genuine here. I am pretty sure that I am number 5 on this tribe. You have the four original Mariches on top obviously but I can safely say that I am the most valued Tamanaco. I feel like NuMariche is far more close and strong than NuTamanaco. And if we do lose, I pretty much threw Clarence under the bus and told Mariche that he is in the Tamanaco majority (when in reality Lindsey and I are.)*

Sarah - Alright, so in the possible merge, what's the game plan to prevent a potential pagonging situation?

Gabriel - Explain more of the pagonging?

Sarah - What if Tamanaco tries to take Mariche out?

Gabriel - Oh, right. I just realized that we have the same numbers. I keep thinking we have a big edge over them, but we're equal. I don't think that they'll flip.. We'll get someone in old Mariche, hopefully, and I don't think anyone from our tribe right now will want to vote against us. We haven't done anything for them to do that and they seem honest in wanting Kim J and Frank out.

Sarah - Yeah. I don't trust Mama Kim or Frank.

Gabriel - I don't either. They seem snaky as heck.

Kim P - Hey Gabe! Hoping for a merge tonight!

Gabriel - Oh my gosh, I am too. I would literally be so happy! I'm ready for it.

Kim P - Me too! My biggest goal was to make merge. I hope New Mariche sticks together because I love everyone here!

Gabriel - Aw, you're literally so sweet. <3 I agree though! I want us to stick together. Except for maybe Clarence, I guess. And even then, I don't know if he's as spyish as I first assumed.

Kim P - Yeah I don't really get Clarence. On Old Tamanaco we legit, like never talked so I'm not what he thinks about me, or what I think about him for that matter...

Gabriel - We barely talked here... I don't know what's up with him. He's definitely the most expendable on this tribe.

Kim P - Yeah couple that with the fact that he is super close to Kim J. I won't miss him when he leaves.

Gabriel - I won't either. He seems very keen on getting Kim J and Frank out though, from what I've heard..

Kim P - Hmm... That's weird. They were super tight on Tamanaco. Maybe he's pouting because Kim swapped him

Gabriel - That's my only theory. I bet that he got really sour that she chose him and wants revenge.

Kim P - What a little brat lol I wonder what color the merge tribe will be? I'm hoping for blue or purple.

Gabriel - Is Frank leaving? Oh my gosh!

Kim P - Well 4/6 are immune. Sean and Vecepia have idols, Mama Kim is immune until merge and Linda won individual immunity last night leaving Frank and Lex as the only ones left. Frank is the much bigger threat so I am guessing he is going,

Gabriel - Wait... oh my gosh. You're right. That's so ridiculous. I never even thought of that.

Kim P - Wait, I just thought of something... Frank, Kim, and Linda could vote for Lex instead of Sean/Vecepia. Looks like Frank may survive after all

Gabriel - I bet it'll be a close vote regardless.

***Confessional - Clarence** - I feel as though no one needs to make an alliance with me, so they aren't. I think I'm just gonna have to stare at some trees for a while and wait til the merge, unfortunately.*

TAMANACO, DAY 14

The next morning, Frank becomes even more panicked. With Tribal in a few hours, Frank tries everything he can to make it to the merge.

Kim J - Is there anything I can do to help?

Frank - You mean beyond giving me Cacique? Be online. We might have to strategize up until the tribal. Give me Cacique by making a thread in Camp Fire, same with the Necklace. Then just wait til Sean comes home from work and realizes his only option is to take my deal.

Kim J - I'm sorry Frank, but I don't want to give up Cacique a day before merge. Is there anything else I can do? I hope you understand. We're this close to merging, and I don't want to cluster up my chances. I don't want to be an "Erik" XP

Frank - Are you kidding me? You are safe, you're my ally. Me you and Linda would vote out Lex if Sean doesn't take the deal. Why are you afraid? its the perfect plan. Seans plan is to pit one against the other cause theres 2 people not immune so he can save his idols by voting 1-1. Why would you be Erik, who would vote you out? Us 3 wouldn't, and we have control. I'd be Cacique and Lex would go home. Is there any part of the plan you don't understand and would like me to explain?

Frank - Seriously, you let me in charge of the strategy while you're away most of the time. And now you don't give a chance to the only strategy I've come up with in the last 10 hours that gives us a decent chance in this game just because of some baseless fear. Nobody is out to get either of you, I put my ass on the line to save Linda last night to keep Tamancos here. And I intend to keep Tamanacos here, you just need to supply me with the ammunition.

I've called the double idol, I've bluffed them out of voting out Linda, solidified our 5 into a 7 with people that won't flip, made a fool out of Big Tom, etc. No strategy of mine failed so far, put some trust in me. Think a little bit before you act, why would I want your necklace and title? I'm not in any actual danger, we'd vote out Lex if this would fail. But I'd rather we keep all 4 of us. The only way is to let me force Sean into making this deal and voting out Vecepia, I can't do it if he thinks I'm just scared for my life. I have working negotiations with him, I have talked with him a lot the past few days, even if it was a ruse at the start, I still have a relationship with him. I can get him to jump ship, but I gotta have your full backing.

You're shooting yourself in the foot and all of us by not doing this. We're gonna lose a member, merge as 6-6, then what immunity do you have? Purple rocks, that's what you have.

Confessional - Frank - Kim J isn't thinking it through and is afraid to give up Cacique...oh boy. Why the hell would I vote her off, it makes no sense..she's being a Dawn. Point to make. If i survive this, Kim J is gonna get sent home for making this so difficult. Most paranoid and stupid person in this game.

With Frank losing his cool, he cannot understand why no one is "cooperating" with him.

Frank - I have the perfect plan that will definitely work. For Sean to make the deal, I'd have to show him I'm in a position to save his ass from the other Tamanaco and that I'm not just making the deal to save my life. However, Kim J's attention span is that of a monkey at the moment. She's too scared to give it up. She didn't even read most of my message explaining the strategy cause she was asking if there's anything she can do. God I hope I can get these two to cooperate.

Lex - I'm glad you have a good plan set up. I'm sure Linda will cooperate with you if she isn't already. If Sean has already agreed to the plan, tell Kim J. if she gives you immunity tonight Vecepia is going home, can't really get simpler than that.

Frank - I'm sure Kim will cooperate once she reads through the plan again. Linda kinda owes me and I know she's up for any crazy play.

While Frank attempts to save his own skin, Sean and Vecepia decide whom they will be voting for.

Sean - I think that we should vote Lex. What are you thinking?

Vecepia - I say we vote Frank because Lex wants to stay alive by turning on Frank. It's whoever we can get 3 votes against and avoid a tie.

Sean - see i talked to Lex and he sounds like he's more concerned then flushing out the idols then his own safety, where Frank has been at the lets make a deal stage for a while. I'll keep you updated if i hear anything.

Vecepia - We just need to scare both of them.

Growing closer by the day, Linda decides to let Lex in on some of Frank's plans.

Confessional - Lex - So the plan going into this vote was to split it 2-2-2 to flush an idol. Problem is they have both idols. :/ so if Sean/V play both idols either Frank or I are getting voted out. The situation is... well... I don't know what word to use for it. Frustrating? Not that powerful, maybe disappointing. I don't really like how everything has led up to this point, mainly Frank making mistakes.

Linda - If I give you some information, I need your word that you won't speak anything of it to anyone else on this tribe. This includes both the former Mariche's AND Frank/Mama Kim. You'll see why.

Lex - Ok, you have my word I won't speak to anyone else about our conversations.

Linda - Ok..so I feel the need to inform you of what Frank is trying to do, but is only telling me and Kim. Essentially he thinks he can make a deal with Sean that if he proves he has power, will allow Sean to trust him and either be voted out or be in "our court". This essentially requires me giving Frank the immunity necklace AND Mama Kim giving Frank the Cacique. Crazy, right? He's also talking at worst this would mean you go home.

Lex - Thanks for letting me know. I feel like Frank has messed up a lot of times though in the last couple days. -If Frank hadn't done the "traitor act" we would have been up in numbers because we would have won the counting challenge.

-If we had voted for Sean instead of General we would be up in numbers and they would have no idols.

-If Frank hadn't played up the "Oh, I'm voting for Linda now" act just last night, Sean would have played an idol on HIMSELF, and General would have been voted out anyways.

Frank doesn't realize how much he's screwed over all the taco members and me the last couple days by being stubborn.

Linda - Yeah, Frank talks about his "strategic acumen" but it really is not all that. And again, this obviously can't be leaked, but we could also theoretically both vote Frank without telling Sean. If he keeps his 1-1 plan, that would essentially ensure Frank goes home unless both Frank and Kim vote you. Thing is, bringing Sean in might

make him tell Frank and really make us all implode. Sean is slick, I don't trust him is the problem.

Lex - I really don't understand why Frank played up the "Oh I'll vote for Linda" act yesterday night, if he had just been quiet the whole time we would have flushed an idol and then an idol again tonight, and wouldn't be in this predicament in the first place. I was thinking about voting for Frank tonight, but if we don't go through with his "failproof plan" I'm sure he will ask Kim to vote for me with him. He really doesn't care much about backstabbing people, he just wants to stay in the game. :/

***Confessional - Linda** - Frank is an Over the Top control freak who is trying to come up with too many crazy ideas. Not to mention a lot of conflicting deals. I'm 60% certain that he was with the Final 5, but not 100%. And there's nothing I can do to make myself less wary. Sean at least makes sense in a lot of ways. This will either be the move that makes my game, or it will end it very soon. This will be the most important vote of the season, and I promise you, that is not an exaggeration.*

Frank is still trying to find a way to make someone give him Immunity.

Frank - Is there any way you can help me with assuring Linda and Kim that giving up their immunity won't somehow kill them... You need to give them a bit of assurance. I'm not asking you to lay down on your sword, I'm just asking you to let them know you trust the plan.

Lex - Have you talked to Sean about the plan yet?

Frank - Oh yeah, been doing negotiations with him for the past 15 hours. Without me proving that I have enough pull to prevent him from getting voted out he won't accept any deal that favors tamanaco. That's why I need those damn immunities, to show him I'm not just lying to save my ass.

While Sean has come up with a double idol bluff, he still has some tricks left up his sleeves.

Kim J - I just want to let you know that no matter what you do, I won't hold it against you since your just trying to protect yourself. Is there ANY compromise we can do, where we send Vecepia home, you keep your idols, and everyone is happy? Or can you offer any sort of deal where we can align? Mail back asap.

Sean - hey Kim. Well I really want to ensure my safety. I've been talking to frank a little about it and its def a thought. I'd love to be an ally with you guys, but there is no way to gaurentee that I am safe this tribal without playing one. Frank did bring up the idea of making me Cacique. I dont know how you feel about that. But if I had that then I would be able to not worry about myself tonight and I even talked about giving you guys and idol or both in good faith, as I wont need them as cacique and we can use them together at the merge.

Kim J - Surely you understand the paranoia with that. How about you giving me your idols - which I will give back. This ensures Vecepia leaves. I don't want you playing idols on Vecepia and then I leave after

Sean - I dont want Vecepia to leave this round. I want you guys to vote out Lex. Next round if we lose I'll have no way to protect Vee, but i surely can not throw her under the bus this round for my own selfish potential gain. Frank will talk to you I'm sure.

Kim J - Lex needs to stay. Ifwe make this work, I'll explain. I know you don't want vee gone, but she has to leave eventually. Sometimes you need to do something for your own personal gain.

Sean - Well Lex needs to go at some point as well, am I right? Whats the difference between this round or the next. If you guys really want to work with me, I can't be the only one making the sacrifices.

With the information he's learned from Linda, Lex wants to speak with Sean.

Sean - Hey man, did you still want to talk?

Lex - Sup Sean. I'll be honest with you and hope you're being honest with me, because I respect you and what you've done in the game so far. First of all though: has Frank offered you a deal of some sorts yet?

Sean - i would be lying if he said he hadnt, and i think you know he has.

Lex - Ok. I'd like to ask if you could keep this between me and you, but I can't enforce it obviously haha so I'll just leave this for you to think about. First of all, don't take anything of what Frank says as the truth, he's already shown himself to be a very sneaky guy.

Here's the deal: Right now in Tamanaco there is two smaller alliances. Kim J, Frank and Clarence, and Linda, Lindsey and Kim P. I was in with Frank's group at the time before the merge but that's changed somewhat. I'm sure Frank has been telling you a lot about his control in the tribe, but he perceives himself as something a lot bigger than something he's not, mainly because neither Clarence or Kim J. are very aware of what's going on around them.

The fact of the matter is, if you join Frank's alliance he will use you for whatever he needs, then spit you up when he feels like it. Every day I was with them pre-merge I felt worse and worse and wanted to escape, I honestly did. Linda, Kim P. and Lindsey are far more friendly and more enjoyable to be around, I miss them every day. Frank is pretty much the puppet master, right now he's trying to get everybody to shift immunities around so he's safe tonight...

Right now, Linda and I can offer you and V a hand to join us after the merge. We'd both be happy to integrate you both, you're very likeable and chill. You can keep both idols this way as well. However, I'm sure you know by now Frank is manipulating a lot of people, and he won't listen to the group's suggestions. I really don't want to get eliminated before Frank just because he's controlling our Cacique. :(

Sean - This makes a ton of sense to me, and I would def be on board if you get Linda on board and start a message with the three of us. I agree with what you have said, truly. However, i also have to be careful just because it could be easily that you are just saying this.

Linda - Frank is clearly the one who is trying to mastermind everyone. And it's dangerous. I don't know what I can trust out of his mouth, and if he goes, we auto lose Mama Kim, so Tamanaco as a whole obviously won't be together anymore, to keep you confident Sean

Sean - Cool. If you guys want to go ahead with this, here is what you have to do for me. Linda, Convince Kim J to give me her Cacique. No doubt that Frank has already brought it up. Support him. The fact is if you really want us 4, then if we dont merge we need her to be vulnerable. Also I would love to continue with 2 idols but i cant risk getting blindsided. In this case I only use 1, and not the other. If it works out I would consider giving it to you in good faith that we are a solid 4, but only if votes fall were you say they will.

Linda - Kim just senr a message to me and frank saying she would do it when she got home. I didn't even have to do anything!

When Kim J comes back online, she is still unsure of what to do.

Kim J - Please be honest with me. What stunt is being pulled? I hope you understand my paranoia considering were about to merge.

Sean - I'm just trying to ensure I'm safe next tribal. I understand that after this tribal there is no way i come out with an idol. and I want to stay here as long as i can. I figure the best way is to be Cacique, and make sure im safe if we do not merge. Its my only play right now, other then wasting both my idols and waiting to be voted off next.

Kim J - I realize that it's a tug and pull effort. It's just, i'm giving up my ALL GAME immunity for a slight chance to work something out. That could easily send me out the door.

Sean - I wont be a target when the merge comes but I will next time if we dont merge. Cacique is the only way to ensure I'm not the next one picked off if the merge doesnt happen. I understand your hesitations though. All you have is my word.

Kim J - The problem is that I don't have the proof that you would keep your word. I want to merge. Not only do I want to merge, but I also don't want to potentially look like I buried myself ONE DAY before merge. The only way to ensure proof is that you prove it. The best way to prove it is by kissing goodbye to Vecepia. However my Cacique-ness is a tough thing to sell. I'm making merge, regardless of what happens, if I don't give up my immunity.

Sean - sorry, i can't agree to that. I offered a lot, but you guys keep asking for more. I thought i was being generous offering idols, but i wont sell vecepia down the river. Who would want to align with me if thats how i treated my friends.

Kim J - And don't get me wrong : giving up your idols is incredibly generous. So is giving up Cacique. I could be looked upon as the stupidest person in the game if I leave. If you give me the idols, I promise you that I will give up Cacique. I also promise that you will receive both of your idols when we merge.

Sean - Correct. I will receive the position of Cacique and the immunities that come along with it, whether that be just tonight or future tribe tribals. Once I do I will hand over both Immunity idols to Jeff to hold onto for the tribal. I would like Cacique before tribal begins. In a public post. If this happens you have my word that I will hand Jeff both idols and have him give them to you ONLY IF Lex is voted out, and Vee remains.

Kim J - I've thought it over, a lot. You promise that if I give you my Cacique, you will give your idols to Jeff. All of them. If you have 3 for whatever reason, you give them to him too. We're golden?

Sean - alright lets make this happen. start a thread up.

Kim J - Alright Sean thank you. I have so many jitters. This is the first time I could be leaving. How do you guys deal with it? :P

Sean - You just got to sit back and enjoy it. I was almost voted out the first tribal, that one was hard to enjoy. But this game is crazy.

***Confessional - Kim J** - Even now, the plan is changing. We're going to give Sean the immunity necklace in exchange for the idols, so we can get rid of Vecepia. In exchange, he'll be getting the idols returned to him at merge. I don't know HOW Frank talked him into it. It's not final yet either. This is just a shock and awe performance, trying to get all of us Tamanaco members to merge.*

Frank - Hopefully no hard feelings about trying to get you out. I was just negotiating with Sean. Hope you understand and we can move forward and work together.

Vecepia - I know, it's a game about outwitting each other.

Frank - Glad to see you're so cool about it. I hate it when people don't get that on Survivor then make a big deal out of stuff.

Frank makes a public proclamation to the hosts.

Frank - Me, Sean and Kim J would like to make a deal before this tribal. Similar to what Jeff facilitated yesterday, but with some buffer time so we don't all panic at tribal. The deal consists of Kim J giving Cacique to Sean and at the same time, Sean giving both his idols to Jeff. Only when Lex is voted out, Jeff will give one idol to me and one idol to Kim J. This is to facilitate this Tamanaco going forward without Sean having to play both idols and waste them right before the merge. Lex is an unfortunate collateral damage and I am truly sorry.

Sean - I agree to this, but to be clear. If Vecepia goes home tonight, I will be taking back BOTH idols. And I will hold Cacique and the immunity that comes with it until the tribe dissolves/merges or the Hosts say otherwise.

Frank - That is correct. Although you are not allowed to play them at this tribal while they are in Jeff's possession. You could play them on Lex and make us look like idiots. So Jeff's possession is off limits.

Kim J - I agree

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Kim J, please confirm that you would like to give up the Cacique role to Sean, if that's your intent. The rest has to be worked out amongst yourselves.

Frank - Well if Jeff doesn't guarantee the idol transfer then we can't do this.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Tribal council will begin at 9:05 est.

Kim J - I agreed already, but I'll agree again

Frank - No dumbass don't agree. They don't guarantee the idol transfer.

Frank - Ignore her, she doesn't realize what she's agreeing to.

Sean - No need to worry Frank idols will be transferred.

Linda - to be fair, this is a bit of a confusing deal.

Kim J - I only give it to him under the circumstances above, I thought

Frank - You don't read do you? They didn't guarantee the idols. So we're doing this on blind faith now.

Brenda Lowe - HOST - lol, you guys and your shenanigans,

***Confessional - Frank** - Kim either secretly betrayed me or is the stupidest person alive and I'm going home cause of her. Facepalm, I'd rather it be the first reason.*

Confessional - Kim J - This may be my last confessional. I feel like an idiot. If I leave tonight, can you do me a favor and make me look good on a viewer- scale? XD I need to put my life on the hands of others. If this bites me in the ass, then so be it. I just really hope it doesn't.

TRIBAL COUNCIL, NIGHT 14

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Welcome to yet another Tribal Council! As always, votes will be due at 8:35c/9:35e and can be changed up until that point.

Now down to some business: Kim J has given her role as Cacique up to Sean. You cannot vote for Sean tonight. Also, Linda received immunity in last night's challenge, and you cannot vote for Linda unless she decides to give up immunity. Linda, are you keeping immunity? You have 5 minutes to give it up.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Vecepia: Suddenly, Sean is Cacique, leaving you as the only former Mariche vulnerable tonight. Are you worried?

Vecepia - I'm definitely worried. But if they vote me out tonight they aren't gonna get to see the 2 idols we will transfer to them. You never know what's gonna happen.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Kim J: This is the first time you've been vulnerable during this game. What's going through your head right now? How do you make sure you survive this vote?

Kim J - Did the deal with the idols pull through?

Frank - Basically you just gave them Cacique on blind faith. So now we're just gonna have to trust them they won't betray us at the merge. I don't feel confident about it but hey, what the hell.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Sean: You made a bold move last night by showing your tribe that you have 2 immunity idols. Are you planning on playing them tonight, or are there other forces at work?

Sean - I guess we will find out tonight. Things sure do get crazy fast here. I'm going to be blunt... I'm voting for Linda tonight.

Kim J - Frank, no. We set up a deal. It should be followed. That's what I agreed to, that's what was typed out, that's what happened. I trust Sean, but I don't have proof enough to give up Cacique.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - To clarify, Sean is Cacique.

Frank - Vote me or Mama Kim out, keep their idols? I don't know. Mama Kim, Linda, vote for Lex. I know it's scary to trust them blindly but that's what we have to do.

Kim J - Sean also cannot play his idols. Please, Mia, reread the post.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - I have said all that I can about idol transfers.

Sean - Idol's won't be played. Chill your jets. You guys exhaust me - -

Kim J - Well if it cannot happen, then the only thing we DO have is faith. Fair enough.

Linda - Was Mariche this much fun?

Kim J - I apologize. I'm VERY jittery, not being immune for the first time in a while.

Frank - Please forgive Mama Kim, she gets a bit paranoid at times. But we still love her and accept her. Alright Sean, putting all my eggs in your basket. I trust you're not gonna backstab me, and if you don't we can go far.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Sean, do you trust Frank enough to "go far" with him in this game?

Sean - I really want to say yes. But there is always doubt.

Frank - I think me and Sean are both good strategists. There will always be some doubt in there, but if we can get past that, great things will come.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - At this time, all votes are now final. If anybody has a Hidden Immunity Idol and would like to play one, you have 5 minutes to do so.

Linda - *camera zooms in on Sean*

Frank - And everyone in the tribal is looking at Sean...love when that happens on Survivor. The suspense.

Sean - gosh, I'm so camera shy.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - Alright, I'll go tally the votes.

Frank - Alright Sean, time to see if you hold up your promises. Well, after the votes thingie. If I'm still here lol.

Linda - Also congrats on making it this far without having to play either idol Sean

Sean - thanks Linda. <3 #yoloswag

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - First vote:

"So sorry you're a great guy but I have to vote for you now..."

Lex - 1 vote

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - 2nd Vote:

Vecepia

1 vote Lex, 1 vote Vecepia

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - "The snake wont eat the rat this time"

Frank

1 vote Frank, 1 vote Lex, 1 vote Vecepia

Frank - And it begins...

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - "No one believes the lies you say"

Frank

2 votes Frank, 1 vote Lex, 1 vote Vecepia.

2 votes left.

Frank - For what its worth, I was actually willing to work with you this time Sean.

Mia Galeotalanza - HOST - The 6th person voted out of Stranded in Venezuela...

"This vote is a result of your apathy towards others. There's no doubt you're a smart player, but you've blatantly shown a disregard for other players behind their backs, and are playing up multiple people/alliances repeatedly. I just hope everyone follows through."

Frank

"dude, this round with you drained me. you clearly dont trust me... i gave you SO many chances, but you just complicated things, a better deal found me in the meantime."

Frank

Frank, your tribe has spoken.

Linda - Seriously. This is such a clusterfuck

Kim J - Wow Frank... your the one that voted Lex?

Frank - Meh knew that was risky. But just know what I was telling Sean, was only to save your sorry asses. You screwed yourself over.

Linda - Good bye Frank, and I am sorry

Lex - It wasn't you that voted me? I'm seriously confused now.

Frank - Hey, I assumed people knew better. Clearly they don't.

Vecepia - You're an amazing player Frank.

Kim J - No, but I voted Vecepia (sorry Vecepia) I was told to, by Frank

Frank - I only voted Lex cause Kim J gave up Cacique and threw my whole plan out the window...i had no choice.

Kim J - Franks gone, and I'm an idiot XP

Vecepia - What the fuck. Sean and us orchestrated this and I don't have a single clue of what is going on right now....

Frank - no need to be condescending to Mama Kim Frank. Or anyone for that matter.

Kim J - Muchos kudos to everyone in this game but me. But Frank, I didn't fuck you over. Clearly, they voted this regardless of me having Cacique or not. The only way I'm safe is if we merge, now that I'm not Cacique XP

Lex - Frank, the reason we voted you out is because you made some of us feel like we were disposable, I won't deny you're a smart player. ./ Sorry to see you go like this though.

FINAL WORDS

Frank - I went wrong when I couldn't find the idol password. If someone would be nice to tell me what it was, I'm dying to know.

I do like to show off icon_lol I fully expected something like this to be my downfall. It was a chance I was willing to take though. I'm probably more about making big plays than winning. I'd rather lose after a Russel game than win after a Natalie game. That's why it was infuriating when I couldn't find the idol, it broadens the number of plays you can make by one thousand. Just look at what happened to me once those two idols came in.

i wanted that Cacique position on day one but Kim beat me to it. Contesting it would've made me look bad at that point. Then I had to make myself her #2. Too late I realized she's really bad at this game. She just freaking gave away immunity for free. Free. She doesn't read half the things I say, and apparently doesn't read what Mia was asking her and she just agreed. I thought she betrayed me, cause nobody can be that stupid, I was wrong.

The curious case of new Lex. I had to Godfather this guy into my side at the Diane vote. I was hoping he wouldn't try to pull something funny until late game, He talked to Lindsey about alliances then lied to me about it. I genuinely considered voting him instead of Big Tom for a second. But I thought I'm good with them until later after the merge. The devil you know... I guess he was rushed by the offer of idols. First clue was them finding out "general might go home" that day. Lex also didn't want the vote to swing to General, however, he didn't expose himself then. Once Sean still had the two idols, I knew he was out for revenge with me. My hope was to get the immunity for me, to force him to take a deal with me. But that hope was ruined by Mama Kim's total paranoia. Sean wouldn't have risked going into the merge with me if he wasn't on my good side. Sean was willing to make that deal, which scared me because it was a bit too obvious, but I had to put my money on it, no other choice. Minutes before tribal I was panicking, I told Lex i trust he is not stupid enough to take any deals Sean might offer. He was.

Linda? Goat.

I wish I could've instructed Mama Kim to send me to the other tribe. Her making the decisions was the worst thing imaginable.

I would play again in a heartbeat, had great fun while it lasted. icon_laughing