

EPISODE 206: "YOU GET WHAT YOU GIVE, MON AMI"

stranded in ARUBA



CAQUETIOS, NIGHT 10

Gary and Judd celebrate their miraculous triumph at the last Tribal Council.

Gary - that was amazing, looks like we've got a final 4 buddy

Judd - Damn, that was as good as it gets. I'm on Cloud 9 right now. This is amazing. Power shifts don't get much better than that. You and me are actually going to the end of this game, when it seemed like it would be impossible just a few hours ago. I'm going to bed in a complete state of euphoria.

Gary - so great, I can't friggin stop smiling 😊

Meanwhile, ex-Caquetios members Terry and Melinda commiserate together.

Terry - We're the new Gary and Judd, I guess? 😞

Melinda - 😞

Terry - I still can't believe how much power Misty has. It's unbelievable. That girl doesn't even deserve to be here. 😡😡

Melinda - No use talking about what should have been. I'll really miss Cirie. I'm just really really sad right now. We need to win every immunity here out, and get to the merge.

Terry - Btw, calling out Danielle and Shane was fake, I was hoping it could save Cirie. Yup we need to win immunity...or have Dani and Shane throw it.

Terry - CONFESSIONAL - Tonight's events would've happened no matter what so seriously, I'm glad it's over with. I'm actually glad we threw that challenge because it gives time to Shane and Danielle to work something up with the other tribe without it ending up in a tie and Bobby breaking it.

Judd and Gary thank Courtney and Misty for saving them in the game.

Judd - CONFESSIONAL - These are the kinds of votes that make all the effort you put into surviving these things all worthwhile. This is the turnaround that every player always wants to see happen, it's the power shift that you can't help but smile when you see, and it's the element of the game that makes them so damn fun. I'm on Cloud Nine right now. For the first time all game, I feel absolutely, 100% at ease, and I'm looking forward to my future. Because for the first time all game, I'm not only in control of the votes, but I'm on a strong tribe that's going to do its damndest to win challenges, and will actually likely succeed. I'm in a game position where winning just isn't all that important. I'm in a spot where I have people I can trust, I have people on both sides of the fence, and I have the biggest sense of happiness you can get in these games.

Judd - Seriously, thank you so much. I couldn't express how much I appreciate you giving me a second chance in this game, and I'll have to spend the rest of it trying to make it up to you, because it's deserved. Same goes for Misty. You guys rock, and I can't thank you enough. After a long night, I'm going to bed. See you tomorrow.

Courtney - Totally! I wish I got to know you sooner before the vote but I like how you carry yourself from what I have seen and I respect that you guys do well in challenges. I hate it when people get voted off for helping their teams...See you tomorrow Judd. I am still reading tribal council because I had to go to the bathroom hehe

Judd - Well, I'll tell you, nobody on Arawak ever saved my ass like you just did. 😊 That counts for a hell of a lot more than tribal unity, I must say.

Gary - I don't know what to say. that must've been hard for you. Needless to say of course, I am now very much at your service 😊

Misty - The deal is that I need to know what was going on at Arawak. If we're going to be working together, we both need a clear picture of what we're dealing with. From the tribal, I think you know where everyone stands, or stood at least. Things will be changing on both tribes.

Gary - ask and ye shall receive, what do you want to know (in detail) I've told you since I got here that I wanna work with you and I stand by my word.

Melinda decides not to accept defeat and attempts to work her way into the fold through Courtney.

Melinda - Well, saw that coming! I'm sorry, I just couldn't vote Cirie out like that and blindsided her, I just didn't feel right doing it, even if she is a big threat. But everything happens for a reason, and I still want to work together.

Courtney - Yea that is fine. I know you probably liked her a lot. She, Terry, and Misty were my favorite people before the last 2 challenges because they talked to me the most of everyone and I told them that. So I think that is why they went out of their way not to tell me about Misty getting voted out. They should have though because I didn't have any alliance with her or anything. That made me really dislike Terry and Cirie more because they betrayed my trust like that... You have never done that to me though

Melinda - Yeah, I've always kind of felt like an outsider, so I just kind of went with the flow... but I'm glad we're working together, I think we could really kick some butt! And I agree, I really liked Cirie, but tonight I got kind of upset... at the challenge Terry was basically trying to speak for me, and I didn't appreciate that. I kind of saw true colors at tribal tonight, and I think Cirie and Terry probably didn't have my best interests in mind. Wow, what a crazy night!

Courtney - Yea. I do not know if I made the right decision. I do like Terry and Cirie but I just cannot trust them... I am sure they were in an alliance and no one has ever included me in something even though I have been friendly.

Courtney and Terry have a rather awkward conversation in regards to the power shift.

Terry - Anything you wanna say? We can just ignore each other, you know.

Courtney - I won't ignore you if you talk to me but I could ask you the same thing... After you blindsided me you ignored me and I had to ask you what happened. You have been ignoring me the last several days... By the way I did not have them vote for you because you did not lie to me as much as Cirie. So if you think I am just being mean to you I am not. Honestly though you had an alliance with Cirie and not me...

Misty works on bringing Melinda into the main alliance.

Misty - We did it! Now we need to get in tight with Judd and Gary. We'll also need Melinda because she won't have anyone after this. The others will take her back in a second though so it will be good to have her working with us so we know what they're up to after the merge.

Courtney - Yea I totally agree! I do not know if I can trust her but we have no choice really. I am talking to Judd and Gary already and I am glad you had a chance to prove which side you are on! That worked out perfectly.

Misty - Yep! Keep close to Melinda. We don't want her with Judd or Gary. We need her come the merge and we'll need to keep tabs on everyone. So keep in touch with everyone as much as possible.

Misty - CONFSSIONAL - I find it funny Terry thinks Judd or Gary made the move to get Courtney and me on their side. We made the decision to do it to kill his alliance. Should be interesting to see everyone's reactions tomorrow. Things are sure to get stirred up over in Arawak now. Courtney and I are in this now. We're going to have to sink or swim together. Hopefully we can navigate the choppy waters. It will be tough.

Misty - I think you can see from Cirie's goodbye message, where her real allegiance lay. I knew who was the core group, and that's why I was waiting to make the move that needed to be made. I'd like for us to be able to work together from this point on.

Melinda - Yes, and I agree.... tonight I started to kind of realize that Cirie and Terry were probably in charge. I didn't like how Terry tried to put words in my mouth and speak for me. I was just too worried to go against him, i didn't want to see conflict. I think you made a good decision... I was really torn about voting out Cirie/Judd... I'd already told Cirie I would stick with the team, so when the last minute scrambling occurred, I didn't think I should just completely blindside her like I guess she did to you. I am still kind of in shock, but I know this is what is best.

Misty - Cirie was in charge of things. I can't tell you how many times she repeated that she was not in the loop at all and had made no alliances. I could tell by how everyone was behaving that she was tight with Terry, Danielle and Shane. Everyone else was being strung along. We will need each other in the long run because we both need to keep tabs on everything that's going on and to compare notes. We need to know how things are going at all times. I suggest keeping close to Terry, since he's going to feel like you're the only one in his side for now.

Meanwhile, Terry tries some last minute scrambling to save himself.

Terry - Wanna talk? I got something on my mind

Gary - what's up man?

Terry - NOW you talk to me. Thanks.

Gary - I talked to you before 😊 I wasn't on much today before the challenge, so sorry. I'd be more than happy to talk to anyone.

Terry - All right, I thought you were ignoring me. 😞 I thought it would be cool if you and I would tell each other everything. You'd tell me how you got Courtney on your side. And I'll tell you all that you wanna ask me.

Gary - I'm not really sure how all this madness happened, it's been a bit of a whirlwind. You don't have to tell me anything man, your game is your game. I'd rather just chill and shoot the shit. I'm far to easy going.

Terry - Ahhh cmon. You perfectly know how you got Courtney with you guys. It's no whirlwind. I was just looking for honesty here, Gary. But I guess you can't really give me that.

Gary - you get what you give mon ami 😊

Terry - Oh you know some french? Good for you. Maybe you could get that baguette out of your ass too.

Gary - 😊😊 yeah maybe

Terry - Yawn.

Gary - what? are you mad or something?

Terry - No I'm not. I just find it sad that you're willing to be under Morgan and Judd when you could be in power. I know you'll blabble this around and I don't care.

Gary - you people think you have it all figured out 😊 and how exactly could I be in power Terry?

Terry - Oh no no, YOU think you have it all figured it out. You could be in power by not letting Judd steal your spotlight.

Gary - anybody who ever takes the spotlight becomes a target. Afterall isn't that why you voted for him tonight?

Terry - Yes, but that's now in the past. A new round is starting right now, Gary.

Gary - And if I take the spotlight, I'll be the next one voted for? But, I think I'll get your vote next time round anyway

Terry - No you won't. Judd will. No matter what. If you feel like you need me, hit me up. You know I'm there.

Terry hashes it out with his least favorite tribe mate, Misty.

Terry - Do you really think Gary and Judd are gonna stick with you after the merge? Here's how it'll go down. You'll get in a 6 person alliance : Morgan Judd Gary Bobby Misty Courtney. You guys will boot Morgan for being too powerful. Then you Courtney and Bobby will boot Gary for being too likable. Judd Misty Bobby Courtney. Judd will make a F3 pact with the 2 outcasts, you vote out Courtney. And Judd wins with every single jury vote. If you wanna play for second, great choice tonight, Misty.

Misty - Terry, I know exactly what kind of chances I have. I did this to make sure everyone has a good shot. I don't see how you can predict anything in this game, seeing as things didn't go down like you liked tonight.

Terry - Then stop playing for others and play for yourself.

Misty - I am. You're saying keeping Cirie would have improved my chances?

Terry - Whatever you do, you're not winning. But with that decision tonight, you'll look like a fool losing.

Misty - I know what you're saying. If you think my decision was flawed, fine. But you know keeping Cirie around was only good for you.

Terry - Oh no. You screwed your whole game up tonight, Misty. That decision was good for you, me, Cirie, Melinda AND Courtney. Judd and Gary are gonna run back to Morgan (and Bobby) as soon as we merge. They'll slowly stop pming you and you'll regret ever voting out Cirie. Just sayin'!

Misty - So let me ask you. If Cirie stays, we vote out Judd and Gary. We all make the merge with more original Caquetios. What happens then? Original Arawaks go first, and then I imagine you had some kind of pecking order. I knew I wasn't a part of it obviously.

Terry - We then make the merge with more Caquetios. At least with the Caquetios, we would've pmed you. We would've been honest with you, for once. But now, when you'll side with Arawak. I'm an honest player, Misty. When I lied, it was to protect my alliance and you know that. That alliance is pretty much in hell right now though.

Misty - Which was why I did what I did. You could have invited me in but you plotted against me instead. I wish you could have been honest with me earlier because I've always been straight and you know it. So what's your plan now?

Terry - By you, you do know you're talking about 5 people, right? Cirie Melinda Me Danielle AND Shane. 5 people. I couldn't have invited you in even if I had wanted to, Misty. I would confirmation from 4 people and Danielle and Shane didn't want your ass here one more second. Yes, I do appreciate your past honesty. My plan right now? I'm still figuring everything out. I know you guys are comparing notes about what I'm telling you all and I don't care. Good for you.

Misty - All I can say is that that alliance is pretty much dead at this point. We'll see how things work out on the other side but I don't think their chances are very good.

Terry - Whose chances? Danielle Aras and Shane's?

Misty - Yeah. Because unless someone jumps to their side, I don't think Bobby is breaking a tie in their favor.

Terry - CONFESSIONAL - Misty, I'm not surprised. I knew she would vote out Cirie the moment we saw she'd cast the deciding vote. I'm trying to make her believe, hopelessly, that it was a bad move. She's still a whore, don't get me wrong. But it's sickening how she thinks she still

has game. She'll make the jury, that's for sure. But she will never ever win this game, no matter what she does. It's pretty fucking sad. Might as well quit, huh?

ARAWAK, DAY 11

On Arawak, blissfully unaware of the shift in the power structure of the game, Shane is under the impression that Caquetios will be working to save himself and Danielle.

Shane - WELL, IT LOOKS LIKE ANOTHER CHALLENGE TONIGHT. CAQ WILL THROW IT AGAIN IT, SHOULD BE EASIER TO THROW ALSO, CONSIDERING THAT THERE WILL ONLY BE ONE OF THEM TO COMPETE NOT BOTH.

Aras - Yea...shouldn't be that hard. With Morgan gone, as long as me, you, and Dani are here... Also, if we do lose, I still think we should vote for Rafe. I think he is just telling us he will vote for Morgan. He knows I have votes, because he brought it up last night. I think we should still make him think we are booting Morgan, but us 3 vote Rafe...just to be safe (*IF* we lose, which I dont think we will)

Shane - SHANE BELIEVES RAFE THOUGH, I DONT THINK THATS HOW TIES ARE BROKEN, BUT IM NOT 100% SURE. ALSO, HOW MANY VOTES DOES RAFE HAVE IF INDEED THAT IS THE CASE?

Aras - He has 3, like me....and it is how they are broken, I remember reading it when the game first started. :-/

Shane - BUT IF THERE IS A TIE AFTER THE PAST VOTES, THEN I THINK BOBBY WOULD PICK, I WOULD LIKE TO GET A CLAFFIFICATION ON THAT.

Shane strategizes with Danielle sure of the fact that either Gary or Judd was voted off.

Shane - OK ARAS PMED ME AND SAID HE WANTS RAFE GONE NEXT, BECAUSE HE HAS 3 VOTES LIKE ARAS DOES. BUT WE DONT KNOW IF THAT IS HOW TIES ARE BROKEN. AND IF IT IS, ITS STILL TIED AFTER PAST VOTES THEN WHO KNOWS! I STILL THINK RAFE IS GOING TO BE FAIR TO US, AND VOTE OUT MORGAN. WHO DO U THINK? SHANE IS KINDA TORN, AND WE ARE BEST ALLIES, AND U KNOW WHAT TO DO, I STILL KINDA WANNA BEIELVE RAFE AND VOTE MORGAN, CAUSE I HONESTALY DO THINK RAFE IS WITH US.

Danielle - Voting out Rafe is wayyyy too risky. And I'm pretty sure the outcast would break the vote.

Shane - THATS WHAT I THINK TOO, BUT ARAS DOESNT WANT TO HEAR IT. I REALLY THINK RAFE IS 100% WITH US.

Danielle - Do you think Jaime or Morgan got to him? He's never been a free thinker for the most part, why is he pressing this issue so hard?

Shane - SHANE ISNT SURE, BUT HERE IS WHAT IM THINKING, IF WE LOSE THE CHALLENGE THE 3 OF US JUST VOTE MORGAN AND PRAY RAFE IS ON OUR SIDE, WHICH I THINK HE IS, AND MORGAN IS GONE. OWEVER, THERE IS ONLY ONE ARAWAK BACK ON CAQ, SO IM SURE THEY WILL HAVE NO PROBLEM THROWING THE CHALLENGE.

Danielle - Unless Misty got to Cirie and Melinda. She clearly thinks me, you and Aras are the ones responsible for her boot, since she put us with Arawak. And she thinks she can still persuade Cirie for sure.

Shane - YOU ARE RIGHT, AND DANIELLE, I THINK IT IS VERY VERY VERY IMPORTANT FOR BOTH OF OUR INTERESTS IN THIS GAME TO GET MISTY OUT ASAP, THE SECOND SHE IS BACK IN THE GAME,

WE NEED TO TAKE HER OUT. I KNOW SHE IS PULLING SHIT BACK THERE AND I KNOW THAT SHE WENT OUT OF HER WAY TO SCREW US 3 OVER. ARAS SHE DID BECAUSE IT WAS BETWEEN HER AND HIM, AND SHE THINKS HE HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT. US, FOR GODS KNOW WHY OTHER THAN LYING TO HER. WHAT DO U THINK?

Danielle - I think she's the biggest retard in the world for thinking Cirie didn't vote her out. And, yeah, we need to get her out ASAP, but our alliance will have a hard time making decisions after such a huge twist in the game.

Realizing that the outcasts might play a bigger role in the game than they previously considered, Bob Dawg suddenly becomes very popular.

Jamie - Sup DUDE! Haven't seen you in awhile. I thought you were over on Caquetios for a second the way the host explained it but I am glad you are still here.

Bob Dawg - So if we lose a challenge, whos going?

Jamie - I don't know. I'd love your input though.

Bob Dawg - well, whos are ou tight with?

Jamie - Aras a little. But that's it. Who r u tight with?

Bob Dawg - I was thinking of an alliance between you, me, Misty, Morgan, Rafe and hopefully Aras. at least we have half the votes.

Jamie - Defo not Aras. He isn't too fond of you. Or Misty. Apparently Misty tried to target him at TC. Don't mention any of this to Aras though or we could be fucked.

Bob Dawg - LOL, it must have been how I insulted him on day 1. Don't worry, I think if we can wear down Arawak to nil, maybe Shane or Aras might switch sides

Jamie - What do you mean? I think Caq is going to throw the challenge again so we might not even attend a TC.

Bob Dawg - As long as Misty, Rafe and Morgie stay tight, the other side wouldn't want to risk a tiebreaker, and even if they have the majority, I think we can still stay in the game.

Jamie - Besides that, I am not even sure if Misty would work with us, but why exactly did you guys make the tribes like this? Who does Misty have issues with?

Bob Dawg - I have a deal worked out with her, but yeah, I don't trust her either. She said she wanted to break up the dominate alliance on Cquetios, and she gave me the strongest ones I guess, although I'm weary about Terry. I'm the one who picked Judd to go over there, as hes one of our stronger people and I thought he could turn a few votes over there.

Jamie - Oh Judd is defo gone. No doubt about it. Whose the dominant alliance? Danielle, Aras and Shane? I wonder what she is up to.

Meanwhile, Jamie and Danielle flirt with an alliance.

Danielle - Get ready for some excitement since the merge is probably coming soon. That, for sure, will stir things up.

Jamie - Yeah, I am looking forward to it although I probably wont be around for too long.

Danielle - You might be around longer than you think. Just wait.

Jamie - I am not really thinking about it although I know that girl Misty is trying to stir up trouble and i think that's why she chose the tribes the way she did.

Danielle - And she managed to do it. If we lose a challenge we've got a tie on our hands.

Jamie - That's why we won't lose. 😊

Danielle - I sure hope we don't. And I really hope the merge comes after the next TC.

Jamie - Yeah, it'll be 12 of us then. Yeah, that would really suck if one of us had to leave right before the merge.

Danielle - I don't want to leave, you don't want to leave, we could work something out. Regardless, I'm praying for a merge soon.

Jamie - Same here. Can't wait for a merge. Anyway, work something out? What are you proposing?

Danielle - Not sure yet. You either have an alliance with Morgan, Rafe or both or you and/or them wouldn't still be in the game. Which is it?

Jamie - Well, it's kinda complicated. I always thought Judd and Gary and Morgan were aligned but according to Morgan that wasn't the case. But as far as Me, Rafe and Morgan being aligned before you guys came over? No way. Nothing concrete anyway. I mean, I know over on Caq you guys prob. made solid deals but NONE of that happened on Arawak. It was pretty much a consensus who was going home each TC, but if you mean that Me, Morgan and Rafe have had some allegiance to each other from the beginning that hasn't been the case. I'm open to any ideas you may have.

Jamie continues to see all of his options.

Jamie - Well, if we go to TC tonight, what should we do?

Bob Dawg - Is Morgan for sure going to stick with us, and Rafe?

Jamie - Yeah, she defo would. She has no where else to go. What do you think?

Bob Dawg - ok then, we have no choice but to force a tie, or switch Aras around, unless you have a better suggestion?

Jamie - Nah, it'll be a 3-3 tie for sure.

Shane - OK WELL, THE PLAN IS THAT ME, DANI, AND ARAS ARE VOTING MORGAN AT THE NEXT TC, WHICH HOPEFULLY WILL NEVER HAPPEN, AS CAQ IS THROWING THE CHALLENGE, AND THEN I HOPE WE MERGE, IF NOT, AND WE LOSE, WOULD U BE WILLING TO VOTE MORGAN WITH US, (IM SURE U TALED TO D AND ARAS ABOUT IT). BEIELVE ME, THERE ARE BIGGER FISH TO FRY AT MERGE. MISTY REALLY NEEDS TO GO.

Jamie - I REALLY have to think about it but I will let you know ok! I think we will win the next IC anyway though.

Shane - I GUARANTEE WE WILL WIN, BUT JUST LET SHANE KNOW, SLEEP ON IT IF U HAVE TO, IT TRUELY IS IN YOUR BEST INTEREST AFTER MERGE. JUT LET ME KNOW.

Jamie - Yeah, I really have to think about that one. Explain what's in it for me.

Shane - WE ARENT GOING TO TRIBAL TONIGHT, AND WE MAY NEVER HAVE TO VOTE ON THIS TRIBE DEPENDING ON A MERGE OR NOT. WITH THAT SAID, ME, D, AND ARAS ARE VOTING FOR MORGAN IF IT HAPPENS. (PLEASE DONT GO TELLING HER THAT OK!) U VOTE WITH US, (MAYBE RAFE WILL TOO). SHANE CAN TELL U THAT AT MERGE, THERE ARE BIG FISH TO FRY. AND IF U R WITH US, U WILL HELP US VOTE THEM OUT AND GO TO THE END.

After hearing all of his options, Jamie talks it over with Morgan (the target of Danielle/Shane).

Jamie - Hi Morgan!!! Do you have a minute? I want to talk to you!

Morgan - shoot 😊

Jamie - Okay, they really want Misty gone when we merge my goodness. However, they said they will be voting for you if we lose the TC. They are pushing me and Rafe to go w/ them, but I assure you it won't happen. So, Rafe and I talked last night and discussed that a tie-break would

be a challenge. So, basically, we need to study the challenge beach threads, game history, and Aruban history. From reading that Bolivia game the challenge showed a bunch of pictures and we they had to memorize the pictures and afterwards they asked questions on the pictures. Just keeping you updated!

Shane questions where Bob Dawg's loyalties lie.

Shane - QUESTION, IM REALLY WONDERING WHY MISTY THREW ME, D, AND ARAS HERE. DID SHE EVER MENTION WHAT HATRED SHE HAS TO US AND WHY?

Bob Dawg - She said she wanted to start a revolution with Terry, Cirie and Melinda

After hearing this, Shane panics and runs back to his partner in crime, Danielle.

Shane - BOB DAWG JUST TOLD ME ALL THAT HAPPENED AT THE TWIST WITH HIM AND MISTY. APPRENTLY, MISTY FUCKING HATES US 3. IM SCARED D. THE BITCH IS REALLY STARTING SHIT.

Danielle - We know Terry is with us. Cirie should be with you if you have a F2 deal. Hopefully Melinda will stay with us. Maybe we really should be allying ourselves with Jaime or Rafe to have their vote post merge.

Shane - IM TRYING, AND WHEN WE SEE WHAT HAPPENS AFTER MERGE WE CAN CUT THEM OR KEEP THEM DEPENDING. BUT REGARDLESS I FUCKING HATE MISTY AND WANT HER GONE FIRSTAGAIN!

Meanwhile, Jamie is second guessing his post-merge game.

Jamie - Hmmm, I think they really want Misty gone bad when we merge. Should we just go w/ them and vote her out?

Bob Dawg - Maybe, we'll just have to wait it out, patience my friend

Jamie - Yep.. Let's just wait until the merge to find out what to do. You and me my friend are close to the bottom of the totem pole however.

Bob Dawg - I'm beginning to form plans, but give me your ideas whenever man

With news of a challenge just around the corner, Shane and Danielle prepare.

Shane - LETS MAKE SURE, ME, YOU, AND ARASS GET IN THIS CHALLENGE. POST FAST YA KNOW. ALSO GARY WAS VOTED OUT, JUDDS POST COUNT HAS BEEN GOING UP ALL DAY AND GARYS BEEN THE SAME, I KNOW U CANT GO ON THAT, BUT ITS A LOGICAL ASSUMPTION.

Danielle - Yeah, I thought that too since Judd was logged in for a while all day. It kind of makes me nervous that they didn't vote out Judd, since he seems to be the more active player, but Bleeding Heart Cirie and Melinda probably preferred to vote out the easier target.

Shane - LOL YEA, WELL WE WILL MAKE SURE HE GOES TONIGHT. IT MAY OF HAPPENED BECAUSE WAS CUSSING PEOPLE OUT AND BEING AN ASSHOLE YESTERDAY, AND IM SURE THAT TC WAS NUTS.

Danielle - If the girls don't throw it, we know they're with Misty. I kind of want to go to TC and vote off Morgan, so Misty can shit her pants when she sees that her "big" plan of getting rid of us has failed. But yeah, we need to win tonight. Majorly.

Shane - LOL I WAS THINKING THE SAME EXACT THING. GREAT MINDS DO THINK ALIKE. YEAH I HOPE THE GIRLS THROW IT, AND YOUR RIGHT IF THEY DONT, WE KNOW MISTY HAD TAKEN OVER! I KNOW TERRY THREW IT BIG TIME, SO HE IS STILL WITH US, LIKE I EXPECTED.

Danielle - Here's hoping they throw it tonight and the merge comes SOON. We completely fucked Misty over once, we can do it again, even if she's in the power position this time.

Shane - AGREED, LETS YOU, ARAS, AN I COMPETE I HOPE.

Danielle - I hope that's what happens. Otherwise Misty's Revenge of the Dipshit might work, unless Jaime and Rafe are telling the truth.

Bob Dawg - who do you think left?

Shane - I THINK GARY IS OUTTA HERE. WHAT DO U THINK.

Bob Dawg - I think Gary too, but if they both posted... hehehe, Misty took over maybe, even though she can't vote.

Shane - YEA CANT BEIVELE MISTY IS TAKING OVER, SHE WAS VOTED OUT BY EVERYONE THERE, AND SHES TAKING OVER LOL.

CAQUETIOS, DAY 11

First thing in the morning, Judd sends out a warning to his new group.

Judd - I'm sending this to Courtney, Gary, and Misty, because we're a group now, and we're going to fight this thing out together, and I want everyone to know what I'm thinking so we can work well together as a unit. Anyway, don't be swayed by any bullshit Terry (or even Melinda) throws at you. He'll make up whatever lies he needs to in order to stick around, and he's a dangerous player, so don't buy into it. I don't want this amazing turnaround to happen, and then all fall apart because Terry was able to bullshit his way into safety and then team up with his old Caquetios group come merge.

Gary - you ain't gots to worry about me bro, I've been smelling his bull shit from day 1 here.

Misty - Yeah. No worries about that. I've been quite aware of what kinds of tactics have been used. We're all good as far as I'm concerned.

Courtney - Hello Judd! Yea I am feeling great today too 😊. Do not worry about any turn-around. I kno I am totally with you guys! Terry has been working me over since last night but it does not matter becuz I am with you guys now.

Excited about their accomplishments, Misty and Courtney are looking forward to the next Immunity Challenge to see the other tribe's reactions to Cirie's boot.

Misty - I've seen Judd's message. No surprise Terry has been doing whatever he's doing. We'll need to be careful of everyone. Judd and Gary sound genuine but it will take a little time to see if they are completely on board with us. Once the other tribe sees what's happened, there will be deals being made over there. It will be tough if we get to the merge since we don't have much of an in with the others. At least no one will be throwing the challenge later.

Courtney - Hi Misty! Yea I think we need to think of the future too...Who do you think is more dangerous Melinda or Terry? I am completely with you on Gary and Judd. I hope we can trust them tho...At least I hope that they do not just use us and throw us away. I really do not think they would do that tho...

Misty - It depends on how they're thinking which is why we need to keep in close contact with them all the time. But we still need to communicate with everyone else. Even if some of the stuff we get is bullshit, we'll be able to see what we need to do to keep each other safe.

Courtney - Yea I agree! I think Judd is telling the truth about this being a new group. I hope so anyways...O let us agree to never share wat we say to one another unless it is harmless. I kno we do not do this anyways but just to make sure we are on the same page

Misty - I've seen Judd's PM. I think we're all aware what we are dealing with. As for the other tribe, I believe if it hasn't already started, there will be deals being made once they see what has happened over here. It will be interesting when we all meet up again and we'll have to be careful whatever the case. I think we'll be able to perform a little better at the challenge tonight.

Gary - all we can do is try our best and come out on top. it's gonna be 1 helluva ride

Misty - It should definitely be interesting. Tough, but interesting. 😊 Challenge should be starting soon. We can talk after that. See you over at challenge beach!

CHALLENGE BEACH, NIGHT 11

Jeff Probst - We just need 1 person from each tribe, but more than one can help a tribe out. If you're not participating, I'm going to request that you don't stay here and watch and refresh a million times because it clogs up the server and may cause hte site to crash, for the thousandth time.

Jeff Probst - We'll now bring in Caquetios missing a member... Cirie, voted off at the last Tribal Council.

Shane - SHANE WILL IF NO ONE ELSE WANTS TOO?

Bob Dawg - woowoo, got it Probst

Judd - We'll pick our person in our discussion thread, Jeff, and then give you a heads-up here. Also, guess what Arawak! Not only am I still alive and kicking, but Gary's right here with me. Turns out Cirie somehow got the boot last night. Scary, huh? 😊

Judd - Aw, Jeff preempted me. Oh, well, I guess his job entails getting the credit of the big reveal.

Jamie - Oh. My. Gosh. 😳

Morgan - wow thats big haha.

Rafe - Holy crap! Judd and Gary!

Judd - Nice to see you guys, too. Last night was as crazy as it gets.

Gary - It's nice to see you guys I miss our hot tub partys!

Shane - LOOKS LIKE DANIELLE WILL GO FOR US!

Bob Dawg - good going Caqitios, now I'm the only minority here, but, I am in a league of my own due to my awesomeness

Judd - I think Courtney's competing for us, by the way. Court, Court, she's our girl, if she can't do it, no one...curl...whirl...will get voted out on Arawak!

Jeff Probst - Okay so today's challenge will be a game of Battleship. You will now each place 2 pieces on this board. 2 pieces that stretch 3 lengths wide. Pretty simple, right? Specify where you're putting your pieces in your private tribal threads... Diagonals are allowed.

After an hour of gameplay, the results are up and Arawak has won their third challenge in a row.



Jeff Probst -

Alright, and that ends the challenge.

Since both tribes put their 2nd piece in the same position, that piece cancels itself out and we go to who found the 1st piece...first. So that means Arawak wins their 3rd Challenge in a row.

By the way, Arawak and Caquetios, as tribes, are now tied in both wins and losses.

ARAWAK, NIGHT 11

The whole of Arawak is shocked over the results of Caquetios's last Tribal Council.

Jamie - Holy shit! That must have been a crazy TC!

Aras - hahaha....That is nuts. I guess Misty worked her magic, oh well...I still hate her. I am semi relieved I won't have to automatically be assumed to vote you, Morgan, or Rafe at TC if we ever lose....not that I would want to vote Shane or Danielle...but now at least if something crazy does happen, I wouldn't be automatically killed by my old tribe.

Jamie - Is there any particular person you had in mind if we had to go to TC?

Aras - If I had to vote someone out had we lost, god I dont know. I really dont think I could have voted out Danielle or Shane, or Rafe or you. I guess that leaves Morgan, but just because I have talked to her the very least.

Jamie - Well, we don't have to worry about that. Apparently Terry is gone next.

Aras - How do you know??? lol Are we able to communicate with them?

Jamie - No. Talking with Bob Dawg is seemed that Misty wanted Cirie and Terry gone. And Judd seemed really cocky like he knew he'd be safe.

Aras - Oh well, I haven't a clue whats going on in this game anymore, but I guess thats the point of Survivor!

Jamie - LOL. I am as confused as you are. AT least we're safe!

While Shane refuses to believe that the game has changed and his ally is next on the chopping block, Jamie's speculation comes as a harsh reality.

Jamie - YIKES! What happened w/ Cirie?

Shane - MISTY HAPPENED. O WELL THOUGH, STILL DOESNT RUIN THE PLAN. CIRIE WAS A FISH TO FRY THAT WE HAD TO TAKE OUT AT MERGE ANYWAY.

Jamie - I for sure thought Judd or Gary was gone. Apparently Terry is next.

Shane - YEAH, HOW DO U KNOW TERRY IS NEXT, U R JUST ASSUMING, CAUSE THEY DIDNT SAY.

Jamie - Well, according to Bob Dawg Misty separated the tribes like that to get rid of Cirie and Terry.

Shane and Danielle commiserate.

Shane - WELL DANIELLE, I THINK IT WAS A 3 ON 3 TIE. CIRIE, MELINDA, TERRY VS. JUDD GARY, COURT. MISTY GOT COURT TO CAUSE THE VOTE. AND THATS WHY CIRIE IS GONE. SUCKS THAT OUR GAME IS OVER. I THINK TERRY IS GOING HOME NEXT. HOPEFULLY WE CAN MAKE MERGE. BTW, TELL RAFE AND JAMIE THAT CIRIE WAS SOMEONE WE NEEDED TO TAKE OUT AND THAT WE ARE GLAD SHE IS GONE, TO KEEP THEM WITH US. *SIGH*

Danielle - We need to play this to our advantage. New alliance: Final 5 of Rafe, me you Aras and Jaime. It is so risky because Judd and Gary will try to get them for an all Arawak final 4, but it's the only thing we can do. I told Jaime it showed that Caquetios isn't unified and that we would remain loyal.

Shane - AGREED, WE HAVE TO GO WITH IT. BTW, BOB DAWG JUST SAID THAT MISTY ARRAGNED THE TRIBE SO THAT SHE COULD VOTE OUT CIRIE AND TERRY, THEN AT MERGE, VOTE OUT ME AND YOU. MISTY IS CALLING THE SHOTS NOW, AND IT FUCKING PISSES ME OF. TELL ARAS THE PLAN TOO.

Shane - **CONFESSIOAL** - THIS GAME WENT DOWN THE TOILET! MISTY IS SATAN, SHANE TRIED TO ORGANIZE A NEW ARAWAK COILITION, BUT SADLY, NO ONE WANTED IT. IF WE LOSE TONIGHT IM CONFIDENT MORGAN GOES. WHEN THERE IS A MERGE, SHANE IS THE FIRST GONE, UNLESS THERE IS A MIRACLE. I WILL TRY EVERYTHING IN MY GOD DAMN POWER TO TAKE OUT MISTY AGAIN, WHO SHOULD NOT BE IN THIS GAME. MISTY IS A FUCKING BITCH.

Shane - THEY DIDNT LISTEN TO SHANES PLAN. IT LOOKS LIKE WE ARE TOAST. JUST, IF JAMIE OR RAFE ASK WHAT U THINK OF CIRIE VOTED OUT, JUST SAY, YEAH, WE HAD TO GET RID OF CIRIE, ITS A GOOD THING SHE IS GONE. SOUND HAPPY, SO THEY STAY WITH US.

Aras - SERIOUSLY, wtf happened??? Stupid fucking Misty, that whore. She and BD are going to make it to the end of this game, and it pisses me off.

Shane - YEAH BOB DAWG SAID, MISTY DID IT SO SHE CAN GET RID OF TERRY AND CIRIE.

Aras - But how did it happen???? I bet you anything Melinda flipped and voted with Courtney and Judd and Gary

Shane - UGH WHO KNOWS. WE GOTTA TELL JAMIE AND RAFE THAT ITS US 5 TILL THE END! OR WE ARE DEAD MEAT AT MERGE!

Danielle attempts to work out a new deal with Jamie.

Jamie - Great job for winning! Anyway, somethign funky is going on over on CAQ. Judd and Gary seemed very confident and cocky as well so I think Judd was able to worm into something.

Danielle - I hope this shows you that I'm telling the truth, Caquetios was never a truly unified tribe and if we bonded together, I would keep that promise. I have major targets that were on the original Caquetios right now.

Jamie - Apparently Terry is gone next.

Danielle - That's what I thought. I can tell you one thing for sure, they aligned themselves with Courtney.

Jamie - Well, I don't trust Gary at ALL. Judd is very good at selling. Whatever deals happened, he was part of it. Here's what I think, they all made a deal to take out Terry and Cirie, hook up with Morgan, and take us all out.

Danielle - This is going out on the farthest limb in the world: Final 6: You, me, Rafe, Aras, Morgan and Shane. This tribe right here. We CAN keep winning stuff.

Jamie - I'd be down with that. But will Shane and Morgan be down w/ it too?

Danielle - And Bob Dawg for final 7? I'm not saying he'd go out at 7th necessarily, just maybe for a bigger group. I think Shane will be and Morgan will at least pretend to be. You know more about her than I do for sure.

Jamie - See, I thought about that. Maybe he could still communicate with Misty? And he isn't allowed to say anything about it because we know what happened w/ Cindy when she revealed her and Bob DAwg talked. She was kicked out. I don't know if we should tell BD for that fact alone. If we approach him, he would report to her and she can get her forces ready for when we merged.

Danielle - Thankfully her main henchwoman, Courtney, is dumb as hell and not great at comps. And yeah, you're right about BD. He'd rat it out to her. She's probably lied to him about the circumstances of his "elimination" from Caquetios. Misty was a huge part in getting him out, but he doesn't seem to think so.

CAQUETIOS, NIGHT 11

Having lost the challenge, Melinda knows that either she or Terry will be going home next and starts to consider taking the deal with Misty/Courtney.

Melinda - Well that was a bummer 😞 I feel retarded, I just went too fast. I suppose it wouldn't have mattered, but I'm really upset. What do you think I should do now?

Misty - I know how much it sucks to feel that way. Don't worry about it. I could suggest things you could do but you have to consider how things are going to go. Right now, I expect that there are going to be deals made over at Arawak. We really have no idea what we're going to be facing once we see them again. How do you feel about how things are going to go?

Melinda - I honestly don't know! Judd proposed that deal to you at TC of I'm assuming you, Courtney, Gary, and him going to the end together. Courtney and I have talked about how the two of us should stick together. I'm just wondering who should go... obviously if Courtney has some deal with Judd and Gary, Terry I think will be the one to go... and I suppose that's fair because he did want to throw the challenges and it backfired. At the same time, I wonder where Judd's loyalties really lie... if he is just going to go back with Arawak when the merge comes around. So it's really difficult. I'm going to talk to Courtney and see what she thinks. Who do you think is the bigger threat?

Misty - Regarding where everyone's loyalties lie, I guess it's something that has to be tested. You never know where people stand until they show it. Obviously I don't know what the others are

thinking about the vote or how they're going to decide it. Terry didn't even show tonight so I don't know what's going on with him. What do you mean by bigger threat?

Melinda - Between Terry and Judd... they're both obviously very smart, but I worry that Judd has so many connections. I was thinking that you, Courtney, and me should stick together for sure. I know Judd proposed that alliance to you, but I don't know how many people are with him on the other side. I'm definitely willing to vote for Terry, especially since he didn't show to the challenge. But I just worry about what happens if we lose another challenge. I really hope it doesn't happen, but there's still 2 to go, and we'll be down to 4 after this challenge. So I wonder what happens in that situation

Following Misty's suggestion, Melinda talks with Courtney about what the future holds for her. Talk about the three ladies of Caquetios teaming up arises.

Melinda - Hey Courtney, that challenge really blew, and I should have never taken over. 😞 I feel like a complete idiot, even though it wouldn't have made a difference. What do you want to do from here? I'm really upset we have to go to TC for the third time in a row...

Courtney - O I kno. I just looked at the challenge arena and found out we lost again! I do not kno where Terry is. I guess he is giving up now that Cirie is gone? I do not kno but we need to win challenges and he was not here. I was probably going to vote for him anyways tho becuz the other guys have been nice to me. How about you?

Melinda - Well, I was going to do whatever you were going to do. I really hope that we can win the rest of the challenges until the merge. Have you made any agreements with Judd and Gary? Because my only worry is that the two of them will return to their original Arawak team come merge time. I don't mind voting Terry off, especially since he missed the challenge tonight, but we're still going to stick together right? Because if we find ourselves here again, Judd and Gary are going to stick together. I hope we don't lose again, but if it happens, I think if us girls stick together, we'll be alright for making it to the merge... but I have no idea what we're going to do once the merge comes...

Courtney - I did not want to lose this one at all...I thought it was the 5 of us going to the end from wat they said at the tribal council. They have told me that this is a whole new game and they are with us so I think they are being true. We are sticking together Melinda! You are with this new tribe right?

Melinda - I am totally with this tribe! I just want to be sure we're making the best decisions, because I don't want to end up getting screwed over.

Courtney - Yea I kno wat you mean. We have both been getting used by people for too long and I do not like that at all...

Melinda - I just don't want to get used by Judd and Gary. Which is why I'm glad the two of us are going to stick together. I guess I just want to hear from the boys myself that they're going to have all of our backs come merge time.

Courtney - Yea me too. I think they are with us tho becuz Judd was telling me how this was a new game and that we do not kno wat is going on over at the other tribe. I got the feeling that they were bonding on the over side becuz there was no arguing between Shane and Morgan like usual... 😞

Melinda - That's true. And come to think of it, Shane wasn't outraged that Cirie was gone. I was sure he was going to bitch you or me out at the challenge... so maybe he doesn't really care about the original Arawak sticking together afterall. I really hope we can win these next two challenges and go in to the merge 5 strong.

Courtney - Yea I was surprised that the reactions weren't that much...The other tribe made Danielle their caller too...They could've tried to lose and then pick off old Caq and they did not do that...Mayb they are going to try to vote all of us out...

The more Melinda pushes for Terry to stay in the game, the more suspicious Courtney and Misty become of her loyalty to them.

Courtney - Before the Cirie vote I talked to Melinda to try to get her to vote with the 3 of us. I told her that the 2 of us should join together becuz we are on the outside. She did not vote with us tho. Also she lied to me about her alliances. After Cirie got voted off Terry has revealed that there was a majority alliance between Terry, Cirie, Melinda, Shane, and Danielle and that makes sense from everything I kno since the rest of us got used and abused...Melinda is saying she is only allied with Aras becuz of the Misty vote...So she is still lying...

Misty - Melinda just got back to me with a "now that she thinks about it" Terry could have been lying about an alliance. Seriously, I'm done with her as well. I don't know how much more of this crap she expects us to swallow. Another thing is Bobby now thinks we're on board with him on whatever his plans are. I can barely get anything out of him so I have no clue what he intends to do. He probably wants to stick with Arawak and some people might be using him as a vote later. No idea who he's close with at all. He's a wild card basically and that's not good.

Courtney - Yea seriously. I like Terry more than her when she acts fake becuz at least he told us the truth afterwards and apologized. I do not kno tho...maybe she does trust us becuz she thinks she is fooling us? So I will just go with wat Judd and Gary want. I do not really care which 1 of them goes...Yea where Bobby is worries me...I just think of him as an Arawak since he probably hates all of us turtles...

Misty - But at least he thinks we're "on his side" or at least in the same plane of thought as he is, if that's possible, since we took out a turtle. 😊 It's going to take some talking to get him to open up about his plans. The fact that she's lying now still about her alliance means she wants to go straight back to them when she sees them again. If we keep her, we can tell everyone she spilled the beans on the alliance and get them to trust her less at least. I'd still prefer to keep Terry too since he's a larger target and has far less options than Melinda.

Misty - CONFESSIONAL - I talked to Melinda and she played dumb, saying she was only just realizing Terry might have been lying to her. She said she thought the three girls should stick together and that the vote should be for the threats, Terry or Judd, saying Judd had links to the other tribe. I told her Judd and Gary had not lied so far that I could tell. It's between Melinda and Terry tomorrow. I would prefer that Melinda goes since she can always slide by. Terry can't. And he's just so obvious about everything he does.

ARAWAK, DAY 12

Shane - WELL NOTHING GOING ON FOR US TODAY. OUR PLAN STILL TO GET US 5 TO THE MERGE? THEN GET PICKED OFF 1 BY 1?

Danielle - Pretty much yeah. But I was thinking. In Survivor Bolivia there were those rewards that go along with the challenges. You win the challenge and you get to choose the reward or immunity, and if you choose immunity, you have to give someone else the reward. One of the rewards in Bolivia was to have your vote count twice at TC. If we got that, and immunity, we

would be in a pretty good position. Of course, that would have to be the greatest luck in the entire world, but it would be nice.

Shane gets desperate, but it might just pay off.

Shane - WHAT DO U THINK ABOUT THE ARAS-RAFE-JAMIE-SHANE-DANIELLE ALLIANCE? MISTY IS LIKE THE CULT LEADER OVER THERE, AND IF U COULD GET 2 MORE, (MAYBE JUDD AND GARY) WE CAN GO TO FINAL 7. THEN HELL U 4 ARAWAKS COULD VOTE US OUT AND GO FINAL 4, CAUSE 7TH PLACE FOR SHANE IS BETTER THAN 7TH OUT.

Rafe - Sounds good. I think we could pull Judd in, and then after that I think it would be fairly easy to get Gary to come along with us, he seems like he's pretty easy to sway.

Shane - OK, U ARENT LYING TO ME ARE U, I CAN TRUST U RIGHT? CAN SHANE HAVE YOUR WORD. YOU HAVE SHANES WORD. (BTW, MORGAN CAN COME WITH US, IF INDEED WE DONT GO TO TC B4 THEN.)

Rafe - No, I'm not lying to Shane. I'm too afraid of you to lie to you, lol!

Shane - I SWEAR IM NOT LYING. HONESTALY, MISTY HAS COME BACK AND WANTS REVENGE. I SWEAR I AM NOT LYING TO YOU, I REALLY WANT TO GO TO THE END WITH YOU GUYS, AND IF U CAN GET JUDD AND GARY THEN GREAT. ITS IMPOSSIBLE FOR SHANE TO BE LYING BECAUSE I HAVE NOTHING TO LIE ABOUT, THIS IS OUR ONLY HOPE RAFE, OR ALL 6 OR 5 OF US WILL BE PICKED OFF 1 BY 1 AFTER MERGE!

Shane reports this news back to his leader, Danielle.

Shane - RAFE SAID HE COULD POSSIBLE GET JUDD AND GARY ON OUR SIDE. I STILL HAVE SMALL HOPE, ANYTHING CAN HAPPEN, LOOK HOW FAST IT TURNED ON US. LETS JUST HOPE THAT SOMEHOW TERRY PULLS THROUGH THIS. THOUGH SHANE DOUBTS IT. I WANT THAT FUCKING CULT LEADER MISTY OUT OF THERE. IM SO PISSED, ITS NOT FAIR THAT CAQ GOT 2 OUTCASTS, 2 PEOPLE THAT WANT REVENGE ON THE OLD TRIBE, AND ARAWAK GOT NONE, I REALLY THINK ITS UNFAIR FOR US, AND THATS WHAT COST US THE GAME. IT SHOULD OF ONLY BEEN BETWEEN MARGARET, BRIANNA, AND BRANDON. MISTY SHOULD HAVE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO COME BACK, ITS NOT FAIR, ITS ALMOST RIGGING. I KNOW JEFF READS THESE, SO THATS RIGHT PROBST, SHANE THINKS U R AN ASS FOR THAT!

Danielle - Only a twist could save Terry tonight. 😞 But damn, at least we can look back on the times we had this game in the bag.

Shane - THERE ALWAYS A CHANCE. ONCE PEOPLE SEE THAT MISTY IS AN EVIL DICTATOR I THINK THE TIDES CAN TURN. BOB DAWG IS ALSO WITH MISTY THOUGH. WHICH IS SAD, BUT IF WE DO GET THIS 5 PERSON ALLIANCE AND THEN JUDD AND GARY. WE CAN DO THIS, WE MAY NOT BE IN CHARAGE LIKE IN CAQ, BUT WE WILL BE IN THE GAME... I HOPE.

Danielle - I just want to last long enough to vote out Misty once again. Just that long and then I'll feel fulfilled. A Judd/Gary final 2 would be better than a Misty/anybody final 2.

Shane - I AGREE, I JUST WANT TO VOTE OUT MISTY. THATS ALL WE ASK LOL.

Danielle - I hate not being in power. I don't like having to grovel to Jaime and Rafe and, in the future, Gary and Judd. Bleh.

Shane - SHANE AND DANIELLE MAY (ADDMITTIDLY A LONG SHOT BUT STILL) BE IN POWER AGAIN! I GOTTA GO FOR A BIT, ILL TALK TO YA LATER.

Shane corners Bob Dawg before he leaves and attempts to strong-arm him into an alliance.

Shane - I SEE FROM YOUR LITTLE ACTIONS THAT U R WITH MISTY AFTER MERGE. I REALLY DONT UNDERSTAND WHAT HAPPENED, SHANE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE CAQ ALL THE WAY.

Bob Dawg - I'm with you dude, and isn't that what matters? Even if I wasn't with Mist, peopl would suspect we were anyway

Shane - IF YOUR WITH US, WHY DID TELL HER U WERE WITH HER IN A ROUND ABOUT WAY.

Bob Dawg - You have to lie, don't you? I'm a double agent because I have no choice, but I trust you

Shane - SO AT A MERGE, WHO ARE U GOING TO GO WITH, THIS TRIBE, OR THE OTHER?

Bob Dawg - Caquietos is getting Ulonged, so I guess this tribe

Shane - I HOPE U WILL, WE HAVE THE NUMBERS, IF THERE IS A MERGE TOMORROW, WE ARE THE FINAL 7! I WANTED CAQ TILL THE END, BUT THEN MISTY CHANGED EVERYTHING, SO THIS WILL BE THE FINAL 7! WE WILL TAKE OUT THE REST OF THE CAQS ONE BY ONE.

Bob Dawg - yupper Do you think theres a final 2 or 3?

Shane - I DIDNT HEAR ANYTHING, IF ANYTHING, MORGAN, RAFE, JAMIE MAY HAVE SOMETHING, IN FACT, IF U VOTE WITH THEM AT FINAL 7, THEN U R FINAL 4 WHEN U VOTE US 3 OUT. AND U KNOW WHAT, ID BE OK WITH THAT BECAUSE AT LEAST I GOT TO LAST LONGER THAN THOSE BITCHES ON THE OTHER TRIBE.

CAQUETIOS, DAY 12

Melinda and Terry think of a way to keep themselves in the game.

Melinda - I have your back, I know you have mine... I just think we gotta work our butts off and avoid another TC as much as possible... I really think Judd is a huge threat... from his arguments last night to the deal he made publically with Misty, not to mention he still has 4 Arawak peeps on the other tribe... extremely dangerous player. I would hope Courtney would realize that his loyalties are probably to his original tribe, and that there's no way of telling how long he plans to keep Misty/Courtney. I wish things were different, but now we just have to work harder.

Terry - I agree with you, Judd is a HUGE threat, possibly the best player left in the game. His cocky attitude ain't fun to deal with either. Yeah dude, you turned the game around (sorta), but stop rubbing it in our faces...know what I mean, Meli? What we gotta do is make a Misty (even though she doesn't vote) Courtney Melinda Terry kinda deal and take out Judd. It's the only way we'll make sure we make it to the merge.

Melinda - I agree, I guess that's the only option there is. But I kind of think Courtney is not going to go for it. I think it's the best strategic move for all three of us, especially since Judd would probably go into the merge with the most allies of anyone. I don't know though, I think we're sitting ducks :-/

Terry - CONFESSIONAL - I'm bored. I'm depressed. It sucks to be on the losing side of things. I can't believe dumbass players like Courtney, Gary and Misty have so much power on Caquetios, since they never even deserved to be on such a great tribe anyway. I fucking hate them all. I hate Melinda and Judd too. I hate every single person in this game except Shane & Danielle.

With Tribal Council looming, everyone is on edge. Terry makes a last minute plea to save himself and in the process throws Melinda under the bus.

Misty - Morning, Terry. I didn't see you around last night. Is everything okay?

Terry - I assumed there wasn't a challenge. I read everything at Challenge Beach so I know what happened. Too bad we lost! Now I feel really depressed because I kinda feel like my time is up. You, Judd, Gary and Courtney are gonna target me, and then Melinda. Right? If there's nothing I can do to save myself, too bad. But I'd love a Courtney Misty Melinda Terry kinda deal. 😊 Judd is WAY too strong to let in the merge. If he makes the merge, I feel like he'll win the game. No one will have the guts to take him out. You know that, right?

Misty - It sucks that we lost but it doesn't necessarily mean you are the one that's going. I haven't heard from the others regarding the vote since the challenge ended pretty late and everyone didn't really hang around. You can still try to talk to the others when you see them and make a case.

Terry - Yeah I know what you're saying too. It just sickens me that you guys would go with Judd. He's way too good. He already has you and Courtney wrapped around his finger, just like he has Gary and Morgan around his finger too, no matter what he tells you 2 girls. Anyway yeah, I hope that if you guys vote out either Melinda or me, it'll be Melinda. Just for the fact that I've been honest and that I've invested way more time than her in this game.

Judd pipes in and the obvious target, Terry, may not be the best move.

Judd - Clearly tonight's boot is a little bit of a dilemma. On one side, Terry is the biggest outward threat in this game. He's dominated at challenges, he's a suave enough play to call people on their lies, and he's probably got the tightest relationship with the old Caquetios members. But with him around, quite simply, we're way less likely to lose that next challenge. Whereas Melinda, on the other hand, is a very sneaky, cunning player who could pull the rug out from underneath us at the drop of a hat. She's definitely weaker in challenges (she cost us that last one), and if we hold onto her, we're probably only going to be doing so for another day, because we'll have a poor shot at winning anything else. So if I had to make a call, I'd say Melinda would be our best bet for tonight. Terry's screwed no matter what he does, and while he's here, he offers us a little more security. Melinda, on the other hand, still has options open to her, and her staying only leaves a lot of potential to screw us up.

Courtney - I am okay with voting off Melinda tho. I will vote however you guys want. I do not think I can make tribal council tonight so I will have to vote ahead of time...

Former Arawak tribe mates, Gary and Judd, get together and discuss their game-plan.

Gary - what are your thoughts?

Judd - For us, personally? I think we should boot Melinda. All the things I said in my previous PM were true, plus the fact that if either of the two of them are more likely to get Court/Misty on their side, it's Mel. Also, Terry would be a great buffer to have for us come merge time. A shield for one vote is very nice to hang on to, and Melinda doesn't offer us that.

Gary - I can't help but feel like Terry could end up burning us by going on an immunity run. How do you think our old comrades are doing? Do you think Morgan would've made a deal with Shane and Dani?

Judd - It'd be tough for Terry to pull that off. I could see you, me, Morgan, Jamie, Shane, or Danielle beating him in a challenge at some point. I mean, really, nobody's ever been able to go all the way to the end with that (minus El Terry and his damn HII). And besides, I have a feeling

we're probably going to lose another pre-merge challenge anyway, in which case Terry will be gone before the merge.

Gary - I'm just saying ANYTHING can happen in this game, it's not as far fetched as you might think. but, I guess it's kinda up to the girls at this point. I have to leave for work when TC starts (damn I wish we did things a little earlier) so I have to know our vote asap!

Judd - Yeah, I see what you're saying. I was just thinking Melinda's sneakiness was more threatening than Terry's challenge prowess. We'll have to see what the girls think, because we don't want to exclude them from any decision making, but I get the feeling Court's against Melinda too, because she knows losing Terry increases her chances of leaving thanks to a challenge loss streak. Hopefully things will be sorted out before you have to go, and if you need to head out, just tell me, and we'll go with whatever the majority is leaning towards at the time, and we can tell everyone else what pre-vote you left.

Gary - I'm sure everything will be ok, no matter what decision is made

Thinking he has no chance of staying, Terry begins to desperately plea for his life to... just about everyone. A very winded plea.

Terry - What we're asking for is an endgame F4 alliance : Courtney Misty Melinda Terry. Melinda and I don't care about Danielle & Shane anymore. And now, Melinda and I realised Danielle & Shane are looking out for themselves. It's obvious. They don't care about me and Melinda anymore, now that Cirie is gone. They don't care. I'm not saying Melinda and I are little goats that got manipulated by Danielle & Shane, but they were definitely the leaders of the alliance of 5. It's a fact. Courtney, Melinda and I promise you and Misty a F4 deal, no questions asked. No "We'll see what happens", no "I hope we can make it!". No, no, no. It's F4 NO MATTER WHAT. Now, you must be thinking " But, won't I be the third wheel if I'm against Terry or Melinda?". No you won't be. Here's what's interesting to **you personally, Courtney**. I'm willing to make a secret F3 deal with you and Misty, or even a secret F2 with you, Courtney. Melinda knows about the plan for the F4, but what I'm telling you right now, she doesn't know about it. If you accept this deal, I will boot Melinda before you or Misty. And then, Courtney, if you want, I will bring you to the F2 with me, if I win the challenge. No conditions, nothing. It's a done deal. No matter what happens!!

Courtney - I have just finished reading it...It is a lot to think about...Why did you just follow Danielle and Shane? i still do not understand...I tried everything I could to be a good tribe mate and you just listen to them and lie to me. Why did you do that?

Terry - Shane & Danielle were the leaders, Cirie Melinda and I were the followers. You were an awesome tribe mate, Courtney. There was NEVER anything wrong about you or your game. I love you and I love how you're playing this game! 😊 But, at the time, my loyalty was to those four people. But now ,that alliance is garbage. I don't feel any loyalty to them anymore, after Melinda and I realised they were just looking out for themselves after all. I truly consider you a friend in this game, we had a lot of good chats! I sincerely apologize for lying to you before. I truly regret it. And now, I hope we can move on and dominate this game the 4 of us together. (And eventually, you and me together, Courtney 😊)

Courtney - Why were you so loyal to them tho and not me...We all met each other on the first day right?

Terry - I was loyal to them because I was in an alliance with them. We needed a majority over the 9 people that we were. Danielle and Shane approached me and Cirie, and we brought in Melinda after that. Not because we liked you, Aras or Misty less, just because that's the way it happened! So, Courtney, what do you say? 😊

Courtney - Ok give a little time...I will be back...

Terry - CONFESSIONAL - The thing is...Courtney is SO influencable. Either she's very good at playing dumb or she's actually dumb and naive. I think it's a combination of the two. If Misty wasn't here, this would be a totally different deal. Absolutely not the same game anymore. Whatever Melinda and I tell Courtney tonight, she'll blabble it back to Misty and Misty will tell her to lie to us and pretend like she's with us. But if Misty wasn't here, Courtney would be the swing vote, with no other people than Gary, Judd, me and Melinda to influence her. THAT'S how I'd like it. I'd actually have hope that I could survive the shitty situation I'm presently in.

...and again...

Terry - Just wanted to say hi before TC. Can you tell us if you're targetting me or Melinda? Or you're keeping it a secret? I'm fine either way, just checking

Judd - Honestly, right now, we don't know who to target. We see the advantages and disadvantages of going either way, and we're not positive which way to go. So I couldn't really tell you right now who the vote would be directed at, because it hasn't been decided. When it is, I'll give you a heads-up, but we're kind of waiting for further input from Misty.

Terry - Okay thanks, Judd.

Judd - Hey, if there's one thing I have a soft spot for in this game, it's tough players that got screwed by the numbers. I'm always game to compete against the best. I'll do my damndest. At least I have American Hero Terry Deitz backing me.

Terry - You know what? I have that same soft spot. And that's why I was honest with you before. And by the way, before, when you said that I'd go back with Caquetios as soon as the merge would hit, no I won't. I'm over Danielle & Shane for many reasons. MANY reasons. Some nobody even knows about except them.

Judd - Thanks for the support. Here's hoping. I'll keep my fingers crossed. So did you exclude Misty from the plans because you couldn't trust her, or what? I mean, if she was looking around for the alliances, why not include her in one, offer her the security she's looking for? Well geez, anyone at Arawak could have told you guys Shane and Danielle were the pair that was running things at Caquetios. We saw them as the leaders immediately.

Terry - That's the thing. She wasn't asking for alliances to anyone. She was just feeling up people, sniffing around and waiting for something, and nobody knew what that was. Stop being so cocky though. This game is far from over.

Judd - I'm far from cocky. I've had to check with Courtney a dozen times today making sure she wasn't going back to you. And I'm terrified that the 3 old/new Arawaks are going to screw me.

Terry - How do you know Courtney isn't go back to me today?

Judd - I don't. I just have to trust her, same as last night.

Terry - Well you shouldn't, because her last pm, she said she'd go with me. That's no bullshit Judd. I can forward it to you if you want. 😊 Courtney's playing both sides right now, it's ridiculous.

Judd - Please do forward that. I'm intrigued.

Terry - "Okay Terry...I have made my decision. I'm gonna go with you and Melinda. They have said they will be honest to me and they have not done anything to me. It is just so hard to trust you...but I have to...your promises sound really good and I thank you for your message, it convinced me, I guess... I cannot turn on them becuz so far they have done me no wrong...so I wont tell them...I wanted to tell you wat I was doing tho becuz I really do like you. Good luck tonight I won't be there...but vote for Judd,ok?"

Judd - And why in the world would you share this with me?

Terry - Because you said she would go with you! What the hell is she doing? 😏 Dude, I'm voting Courtney out tonight.

Judd - Bold, but I'm a little bit smarter than that.

Terry - What do you mean?

Terry - CONFESSIONAL - Last attempt to save my ass : Throw Courtney under the bus. I told Judd Courtney was gonna go with me tonight and I modified a pm from Courtney and sent it to Judd. Hope he bites

Terry informs Melinda of the “last PM Courtney sent to him” despite the fact that he completely made it up.

Terry - All right I think we might have hope... Here's the last pm Courtney sent me :

Melinda - she really sent that?! OMG!

Terry - Yup. You know what? I think I'll vote Courtney out tonight. Her wishy-washy attitude, I can't stand it anymore. I actually respect Judd AND Gary more than her now. I'm voting for Courtney tonight. You do whatever you want.

Melinda - CONFESSIONAL - Well, I'm kind of feeling like I might be going tonight. I have been extremely duplicitous and I think they may have finally caught on to it. Currently Terry is trying to sway Courtney to forming an alliance with me, and Misty as well, to the final 4... But Courtney still believes that I was never involved in an alliance with Terry and Cirie. I have a bad feeling that she's figuring it out, and Terry might have figured out that I kind of have jumped ship. If Courtney does want to create the alliance, I would be extremely happy, but I kind of think my time might be up. Up until this afternoon, it would have been Terry no question, but his campaigning for himself is likely revealing things about me that I didn't want people to know. I don't really know what's going to happen, but I kind of think I might be going tonight... I'm still going to fight my hardest though

With Terry on a rampage attempting to get votes that he may or may not already have, the council tonight is totally up in the air. Did Judd and Courtney decide that Terry was too big of a risk to keep around, or do they need his challenge strength more than they need Melinda's potential loyalty. And is Melinda going to be loyal at all come the merger? Will Gary and Judd fall for Terry's fake Courtney PM and decide to blindside Courtney tonight? All of these questions weigh heavily on the castaways minds as they enter tonight's council.

TRIBAL COUNCIL, NIGHT 12

Jeff Probst - Cmon in Caquetios. Terry, what will it take for this tribe to win a challenge?

Terry - A good plan, luck and will power.

Jeff Probst - Who here feels like it's going to be them going home tonight?

Melinda - I do.

Terry - I know it's me.

Jeff Probst - ...So does everyone besides Terry and Melinda feel safe tonight?

Judd - Yes, unlike the previous TC, this one, I feel pretty safe at. It's a relief to be able to say that, but unless I'm being lied to big time, the game has been turned on its head over here at

Caquetios, and I'm back to a little bit of security. I don't like that we're here, but I do at least feel pretty confident that I won't be leaving tonight. That may sound arrogant, and maybe hubris will be my downfall, but that's just what I honestly feel right now, and I'm not going to bullshit Melinda or Terry on that.

Misty - It's not easy to lose another person you've gotten to know.

Melinda - I think that things have just become clearer to me in terms of certain people's loyalties. I've started to really question certain people's intentions and genuinity.

Terry - Same here. Some people have changed a lot since the swap. Some for the better, some for the worst.

Jeff Probst - Terry would you say that you have changed?

Terry - No I haven't changed. I regret some things I did and I regret not doing certain things, but no, I haven't changed. I'm still good ol' Terry.

Judd - Terry has too changed. Because he's now met Judd, and nobody's life stays the same after that encounter.

Jeff Probst - Judd, you seem to be in a better mood than at last council, do you feel like this swap has given you a second life in this game?

Judd - Absolutely, Jeff. I went from being in the minority here at New Caquetios to being in a safe position, and it was great for me and my game. It sucks that Cirie, Terry, and Melinda have all been shifted to my old spot, but that's how it works, and I'm elated to have a little leverage over here when I was convinced I was done for last round. Like I said, I don't mean to come off as cocky, but it's just a good feeling to know you're safe for now, especially when you were so vulnerable so recently. I'm going to take this second chance and run with it, and I'm going to repay Courtney and Misty for helping me out if it's the last thing I do, because they deserve it.

Jeff Probst - Misty, how have you felt about the second life you've been given in the game?

Misty - Well, I've learned to take anything for granted. I've been lied to before and I'm certainly careful about who I trust in this game.

Jeff Probst - Terry, if it's you tonight... pissed? or good game, you'll take your lumps?

Terry - A little pissed for all the time I invested in this game...but still a good game. Met good people too.

Jeff Probst - Melinda, if it's you tonight? Proud of the way you played? Wish you played a little harder?

Melinda - If it's me that goes, I leave with no regrets. I'm tired of being accused of not playing a hard game, I think there is a notion that I don't deserve to be here or that I am weak. I've enjoyed the experience, if I go, I'll be able to focus on school a lot more, which is probably a good thing. But if I stay, I'll continue to be a dedicated player and try my best to stick around. And I have met some awesome people that I hope to stay in touch with after, no matter what the outcome may be.

Misty - I'll be the first to say Melinda has carried her weight so far. I don't think anyone in this game can be accused of not doing the best they can under whatever circumstances they are faced with.

Judd - Melinda's played a great game so far, just as hardcore as anyone else's. You don't have to post a lot to be playing this game very well.

Jeff Probst - once the votes have been read the decision is final, the person voted off will be asked to leave the tribal council area immedialy.

I'll read the votes:

<http://strandedgaming.com/episodes/aruba/tc6.html>

Terry - FINAL WORDS - Gary, Melinda, Courtney and queen-whore Misty, if you don't watch out, Judd will all KILL you. At the final TC, you'll see me and I'll go " TOLD YA! ". Watch out for him, he's better than ALL of you combined at this game. Don't let him sweet-talk you into some fake last minute deals.

Courtney, too bad, you're gonna lose because of your decision. I would've had your back until the end, but Judd and Gary won't. Oh well.

Melinda, best of luck to you. Give it your all and don't give up.

Gary, steal the spotlight from time to time or nobody'll vote for you in the end.

Misty, you are a whore and you have always been a fucking whore. I hated you for this entire game. Shane was right, you've been sniffing and snooping around the ENTIRE time. I hate you for that. You're playing this game horribly.