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MUHAMMAD YAHYA



Welldam son of Arthmeed .. this's my name...

Here we are!

At the Sea Side Tree .. the way home!

After fifteen years of tearing muscles, breaking bones and blood shed!

Half of my life! .. I've spent in "Mydaba" .. beasts factory!

An entire world, not a such fighting school .. Mydaba world!

Three of every ten who enter Mydaba, never get out, they die there!

Death is not a monster there, is not feared!

In Mydaba, death is a friend!

They taught us how to make the fear of death kneels before our Bravery .. they taught us that brave and coward too dies, but differently!

They taught us that we have nothing is more valuable than our Honor .. they taught us that it's not about to Survive, it's about to Live!

To Engage Life!

They told us once about the story of the two friends and the tiger!

When two friends are alone in the forest, and suddenly they were attacked by a tiger .. so one of them should be the hero who'll spare his life fighting the tiger to give his friend the chance to survive .. and the other one shall be the coward that'll use his friend's bravery to escape...!

But, both of them didn't accept to be the coward!

No one of them escaped, and each one of them stayed waiting for the other to run .. but he just didn't...!

Then the tiger attacked him! .. then he fought him with his friend!

Both submitted to their honor, both showed a splendid amount of bravery .. both desperately struggled to defend his friend...

Both died...!

In so satisfied conscience, and pleased hearts .. they looked at each other and just passed away...!

They talked by heart .. saying, however we would live, we would never live a better day .. if we would have survived, we would not live this day!

This's the day of our life! .. we can't miss this day!

If you were their third friend, what do you prefer? .. to join them in their honor world .. to live with them their adventure that'll cost you your life! .. or

to run, and disjoin the world of honor .. and substitute this one day with many many years of living as a coward!

We've learnt this lesson, Live life!, engage it .. never let down your honor .. feel your superiority .. that's Mydaba doctrine!

You're Mydaban .. you know no fear! .. death is your friend!

From the first day here! .. as a fresh boy was belong to the coward world, you watch 'free fight' matches .. you see beasts take lives of other beasts .. with full bravery, in full respect...!

And you know that your day shall come to do like them!

So!, to this day...!

And so begin years of tearing muscles, breaking bones and blood shed!

Then day by day you're approaching the beast nature...!

And once when you're there, a Beast! .. you're ready to get in the ring, face to face with death...!

This was Mydaba!

Now! .. I'm going home .. welcome back cowards world!

To Lindween...!

My town ..there in the North Earth...

Here's the Sea Side Tree ..the way home...

It's the way that Chuexandr my brother brought me and Yamoshin my childhood friend to Mydaba through! ..there's no other way joins North Earth with South Earth but the Sea Side Tree...

But this was before, now people take the sea way! ..there're rumors about the Sea Side Tree here .. not good ones indeed .. ha! .. it'sgonna be fun!

Yamoshin is now a master of the dagger way in

*Mydaba ..he preferred to stay .. so I'll take my way
back alone, three months...*

I wish if they won't be so boring three months!

*I hope this Sea Side Tree is gonna make me a good
welcoming...!*

I can't wait to see! ..haha...!

Here we are...!

The Sea Side Tree!

Doesn't look like the gate of the underworld...!

*Even if! .. I'm ready! ..as I told you, it's just gonna
be fun!*

Come on Sea side tree!, give me fun!

Two weeks now!

*What would make this place different!, everything
is just fine, yet!*

Where the rumors come from?

Hello mister Sea Side Tree! ..afraid!

Come on! ..show me what you got!

The night forty...!

In the middle of the forest ..in the middle of the night, I wake up...!

And I miss my ride!!! .. my ride, food, drink! .. everything...

Hi...!

I looked around ..there's nothing, nothing at all...

Haahhaahhaa! ..okay mister ghost! .. let's play...

I'd just slept again, without sleeping ..if they would back!

..., Nothing at all!

*In the morning, with the day light! ..thetraces
appeared...*

He didn't try to clear it! ..a ghost rides a horse!

You mess with the wrong guy dude!, ok...!

Hatefully I've followed the trace...!

*At noon, I've figured out that I'm heading the way
back...!*

He's getting me out of the Sea Side Tree...!

*At the sunset, I've found some of my food and
water on my way...!!!*

*Wow!, what now...!, what do you want! .. you just
want me out!*

So what's beyond here?!, in this Sea Side Tree...!

*Perhaps you used to see people following you when
you take their ride out mister ghost, but not me! ..
I'm not leaving...!*

*I can adapt this environment, I'm a Mydaban ..bon
apatite birds with my meals, have a nice trip dude!*

When you get back, you'll find me home...!

I got my meal, then I turned in...

*By moving forward I found myself at the beach,
aha! .. I see, so!*

*I should get in the forest again ..what I'm looking
for here...!*

*I'm looking for a needle in a haystack ..should I
just leave! .. what could I find here! .. am I looking
for a ghost! .. the man greatest loss is losing his
determination .. but I should know that I'm going
the right way...!*

*In the night! ..at the beach! .. while the moon is
complete...*

*A charming view, how beautiful this world is!,
wonderful...!*

*What's beyond this heaven! ..how vast it is! .. is it
endless! .. how would world look like there! .. I
didn't have the time to wonder in Mydaba!*

*Heeh! ..oh my life! .. my life before Mydaba was
just empty, Mydaba filled it, with strength and
cruelty .. a beast...*

*How should we live our life in this world ..which is
most worth spending our life with .. each has his
own world, while he's lost in the big world...!*

In the morning, I've turned in again...

I looked for a high place to take an over view!

I've spent the whole day looking for it!

*And when I found it, it was just useless! ..the place
is full of trees!*

Haaaaah! ..so mister Sea Side Tree...!

Day after day, night after night...

I'm looking for a needle in a haystack! ..if it even exist...

Is it! .. It is!

I won't let madness play with my mind!

*There's somebody took my ride and walked away!
..even he left me some of my food and water on the way...*

And why I don't say that my horse could unleash himself and escaped! ..and the food and water just dropped from him...!?

How silly! ..let madness play with your mind more...

But I've spent day after day here and I found nobody! ..nobody, no man no ghost .. nothing at

all...!

Amm!,amm! .. so! .. so, so, so...!

Am I lost here...! ..this's it...!

And while I'm wrestling madness, I've found a lake! .. I went to drink!

And on the other side! .. I saw it! ..then I went to the other side!

A WHEAT FIELD!!!

What now! ..did only the Wheat spikes were gathered here by accident!

.. and made this field .. or this ghost likes bread...!

There's somebody here...

I continued my way, madness got no chance against me now!

And I found it! ..a HOME...!!! .. welcome...!

I knocked the door! ..again and again! .. but nobody answered!

Then I slept before the door! ..and in the night!, somebody woke me up...!

“What are you doing here!” he said ..“What are you doing here!” I said .. “How did you get here!” ..“I’ve lost my ride, you took it ..somebody of you .. aren’t you!” .. “You shouldn’t take this way” ..“No I should, why not! ..it’s the way home!” .. “Where’s home!” ..“Lindween” .. “Where’re you coming from?” ..“Mydaba” .. “Aha, obviously! .. What’s your name?” ..“Welldam, son of Arthmeed” .. “...Aha, Welldam!, Where’s Yamoshin?” .. “Yamo what! ..so you know Chuexandr!” .. “They didn’t teach you to keep your mouth closein Mydaba! ..you’ve got to learn to now!” .. “Who are you!” .. “...Iyndlaf, ZandlbrdIyndlaf!” ..“There’s a big story here to listen to!” .. “Well, I’m not sure!, you’re so

talkative .. you've got to learn to keep your mouth close first!"...

*"Why should I, do you have secrets here!" ..
".....,Kinda! .. first tell me, what shall you do when you get back to Lindween, what's you plan!" ..
"..., I don't have plans, yet!" .. "What you want do in your life Welldam! ..tell me!" .. "Amm!, perhaps I need to discover my world first .. I'm just new born when I'm getting out of Mydaba ..world's still dim for me!" .. "...Ok little son! ..we got a plan for you..."*

Lindween...

Welcome back home! .. changed! .. too much people!

Nice, we're gonna make a fine kingdom here .. this's the plan...!

Lyndlaf filled my pocket well .. and give me the plan...

First, find Shihan Mashimi, he's the best to be your counselor, but he's not one of ours .. he shouldn't

know more than enough...

Second, build the greatest palace in Lindween!, let people know you!

Third!, buy Lindween!

Buy lands as much as you can! .. it'll be the nucleus of your kingdom! .. recruit people as much as you can! .. they'll be the nucleus of your army! .. then move on .. grow up...!

One year was enough for me .. I didn't know I'm so good...

Order...

Order is the key .. order makes society .. I made my hierarchy, and I gave people a kingdom, not a big one yet, but we're on the way...

Now! .. we're building our great stronghold .. preparing ourselves for the monster of the west .. we're in the far east, and he's in the far west .. but we know that he's coming .. the unstoppable!

Norm Dowmylds...!

In Madlian kingdom...

Zakhon, son of Madlian The Great .. Madlian The Great, the founder of the kingdom, that he passed to Zakhon...

Zakhon called his two sons Yudan and Gromid, to discuss with them the information that he was told about, something is happening in the east...

"News from the east!" said king Zakhon .. "Ha!, is there a such thing in the east!" Gromid the young son said .. "A kingdom is arising there" said the king .. "A kingdom!!!" said the older son Yudan .. "Yes" Zakhon .. "Just like that!, from nothing!" Yudan .. "Not from nothing, a young man called Welldam" king .. "How could it be!" Yudan .. "An explosion .. in few months he bought Lindween, neighbor suburbs, and made his own army .. now he's already making his stronghold, and growing

up" .. Gromid seemed interested .. "So!" said Yudan .. "I see we got to move as fast as we can, a little too late reaction, things could go out of control" .. "Yea!, we should cut every single flower in the world it's not ours!" Gromid said .. "Gromid my son, there's no place for the terrace policy here, grow up! .. here's the real world, a forest .. to eat, or to be eaten .. policy is to always keep in charge .. world is power holders, and power holding seekers .. once you're not in control, you're under control .. you better understand this lesson from me, because life is a cruel teacher" said the king .. "Yea!, I'm a silly guy plays in the soil with the normal people, whom don't understand your complex lessons about policy dad .. excuse me when I don't understand what's good beyond sending our armies to the end of the world to sabotage one other garden there, just because it's not ours!" said Gromid .. "Shall we waste more time with this idiot!" Yudan said .. "Don't call

your brother an idiot Yudan” Zakhon said .. “My king he’s not changing!” Yudan said .. “Don’t call me king Yudan, I’m your father .. I more pleased when you call me father!” said Zakhon .. “Watch out king, you’re ignoring your policy now!” said Gromid .. “No policy between the family Gromid, I got nothing is more precious than you!” said Zakhon .. “You just figured out how dirty your policy is” said Gromid .. “I’m done with this” Yudan said and stood up .. Gromid stood up and said “Chill out sober prince! .. I’m going to join people from my type” .. “You better do!” Yudan .. “Hope you have the chance to complete your sophisticated discussion without my bothering now” said Gromid while he was leaving .. “Don’t late at lunch Gromid!” said Zakhon...

“I want to send you on a large army to the east...” said king Zakhon .. “Me! .. how about Dowmylds!” Yudan said .. “If Dowmylds shall solve every small and big problem in the kingdom,

so he better takes it..." .. Yudan stayed silent for a while .. "What happened!" .. "Nothing yet!" .. "So!" .. "So what!, we should protect our position .. Dowmylds's name is growing, and this's no good, at all!" .. "My king, I treated to Dowmylds, I knew him .. I didn't see anything may impugn his loyalty!" .. "Can I release him!" .. Yudan is silent again, and kept silent .. "Policy is to keep in charge mister future king .. nothing should be out of control..."...

Lindween...

One week ago, people were informed that Lord Welldam shall talk to you within a week .. it's time, it's time to declare the Kingdom .. haahhhh! .. oh yeah! .. King Welldam! .. the king of Welldam Kingdom .. haahhhh!, how charming! .. oh yeah! .. it's a critical day...

"People are waiting my lord" said Shihan .. "Aha!, just before the sun set .. I want it to be a legendary

word!" said I .. "Just don't call it Welldam Kingdom, yet! .. call it Lindween Kingdom, for now .. let them feel that this's their kingdom, they own it, that matters..."

Here we are...

Shihan was planning to insert some people of ours between the people to warm people up and shout for me "Live for king Welldam", policy tools! .. but I refused .. if I couldn't extract these shouts frankly from people, so I better forget this all .. but I can .. I'm Welldam Arthmeed...

But surprisingly I found some of those fawning founded their selves .. they were about sabotaging everything...

"Shush...!, Dowmylds is moving on...! .. initial news say that an army from Madlian kingdom is marching, approaching us..."

"But how great this view is...! .. for how long time

these lands were waiting for this moment .. to see my people are unified in a great kingdom .. The Kingdom of Lindween .. when everybody wakes up every day, go to his work, a real work!, not a slave work .. walks in nice streets, in a beautiful town, between respectful people, under the authority of law .. and in the end of the day, he goes home, and sleeps safe behind high walls .. this's The Kingdom of Lindween .. our kingdom...

*And now they want to steal this dream from us...!
Some people when they hear the name of Dowmylds they become terrified, they just run away! .. and after they run away?! .. if we see, the brave and coward both dies, no one escapes death!, but the coward loses his honor, loses himself! .. loses his life too! .. you can run, and you can live!
.. but which kind of life is this, when anyone can come to you, any time, and steals your money, takes your land, kills your son and rapes your daughter! .. can you deal with this kind of life!,*

congratulations!

Because I can't! .. I'm not a coward!" .. Here I shouted loudly...

"LOOK AT ME...!, DO I LOOK AFRAID FROM DOWMYLDS...!"

At this moment, I felt people join me...

"Our gates are open, anyone wants to run just go! .. live as a coward, and deal to your slave life .. but I'll stay here .. to tell Dowmylds that 'no more!' .. we're a garbage people no more! .. we can live like herds no more! .. come on Dowmylds! .. I'm waiting for you .. every step you take approaching here, is a step approaching your tomb! .. when you come to here you'll find fit arms, sharp swords, dead hearts .. we're not ready to lose this kingdom, we're not ready to lose ourselves .. you'll find Welldam and his soldiers await!" then I shouted "WHO'S WITH MEEEEEE?!"...

So, many said "I", then some shouted "With you Well!, With you Well!" then the people repeated

them .. "WITH YOU WELL...!"

*I shouted "BRING IT ON!" .. "BRING IT ON!,
BRING IT ON!"*

*"I'll stay here! .. I'll stay here to see Dowmylds is
turning down! .. I'll stay here to see our victory is
shining like the sun in the sky! .. I'll stay here to
say to this world WE ARE HERE! .. come on you
Dowmylds, COME OOOON! .. come on and don't
be worry!, I'll make sure that your funeral shall be
legendary! .. and the war you'll begin here in
Lindween, we shall end it there in Juhina .. I'm a
man of my word..."*

*"TO VICTORYYY...!" .. "TO VICTORYYY...!,
TO VICTORYYY...!"*

In the palace, after the speech...

“Well said!, was a nice speech!” said Shihan .. “A frank one!” said I .. “But take care my lord, speech alone can’t hold Dowmylds” .. “I’m not gonna hold Dowmylds, I’m gonna destroy him!” .. Shihan smiled “With my whole respect my lord, underestimating your enemy is an enemy! .. and actually, Dowmylds isn’t an amateur .. you got to know what you’re involved in .. just get ready for many hard days and nights” .. “Haha!, you should go and tell these words to Dowmylds, he’s needing

them!" ...

in the morning...

We were watching not a few number of people leaving...

"Look at them! .. most of them are old! .. and young boys are staying...!" .. said I .. "Because the old ones have a longer friendship with life, haha!" said Shihan .. "I thought those whom have less left in their life, are less careful for their life, less afraid from death...!" .. "Haha! .. if you think that the rich people hate poverty less than the poor people because they had enough, you're very very wrong king Welldam! .. life is so seductive! .. so attractive!, you like it as much as you take from it, not as much as you miss from it .. people live with death as it's not exist .. for them, it's something between shade and darkness! .. it's something they prefer to forget .. they engage life more, to forget death more" .. "How dirty! .. I don't want be like

this!" .. "Haha!, it's too late...!" ...

Some of our young men were watching the people whom leave and spam them! "Move on you cowards, get out! .. our kingdom is clean from you now .. it's better you've left..." then they hold some horses, and called me "My lord!, horses! .. shall we let them leave with horses!" .. then I swung my hand away, meant 'let them go' .. "Ok!, just go away you dirt!" ...

I backed to Shihan "What do you mean, it's too late!" .. "You think that you're still that fearless young man of those heartless of Mydaba! .. you have a kingdom now .. now, life means something for you, by time, you'll like your life as a king, more and more .. you'll be not ready to lose it! .. and fear, is when something you're not ready to lose, is in danger...!" ...

While we're waiting for Dowmylds .. Yudan

Madlian was approaching, on an army of ten thousands .. doubles of what I can recruit till now in my new born kingdom...

The sneaky commander didn't show up, he sent some of his eyes to take a look first .. and they back...

"My lord, you should see what we saw! .. this's not a fort, we've never seen anything like this before!" his men told him...

"Arrest them!" .. Yudan hide with his guards and took a different way .. and before our walls they stood staring...

Yudan the wise prince, decided to turn away and go home...

In the palace in Juhina...

"You Yudan do this!, what could I do more to make you understand! .. what shall people say now, the king tried and failed .. this's unforgivable

mistake .. I should send Gromid I think .. I shall lose my mind .. you!, you Yudan! .. what should I do now! .. go by myself! .. or pray to Dowmylds, Come and save the kingdom, such like you always do! .. no! .. no no no! .. that's a lot, this's worse than all of my nightmares .. no no no no no..."

King Zakhon was raving before Yudan, so angry...

"Enough noes! .. are you done!" said Yudan .. "Yea yea yea! .. I'm done .. I'm done by the hand of my son!" .. "Ok, I can just leave you alone now, we need to make a serious talk .. call me when you're ready" .. "Haahhh, tell me! .. tell me, tell me, tell me!" .. "Father!" .. "Yes..." .. "Shall you listen now!" .. "...Haahhh, ok!" .. "This guy there is not an amateur! .. we shall be so pleased if Dowmylds could defeat him .. king Zakhon son of Madlian! .. your throne here is in danger!"...

Silence...! .. just silence...

Norm Dowmylds...

In a meeting between king Zakhon, Yudan and Dowmylds .. Yudan tells him about what he saw...

“High walls, higher than ours here in Juhina .. but this’s not the case .. I don’t know how could he do this, but! .. you know, something like a half bridge...!, like this!” Yudan said and made one hand like a wall, and the other like a bridge over it...

"I don't know how could he make it .. bridges bridges bridges, side by side over the walls, high walls .. it make any try to break into the fort a suicide .. soldiers in front of us, before their high walls, and their bridges are over our heads .. like you get yourself in his mouth..."

"...Well, I should be consulted before taking this step .. if he was one step away of being ready, I could use it! .. now he's ready! .. that's first! .. second, personally Yudan, you should never retreat your first attempt! .. ready or not .. whatever was the cost, if you didn't achieve, at least you've lost the fear of fail .. if you retreated, you've lost a possible achievement, and didn't lose the fear of fail .. and these bridges aren't a critical evidence that this guy knows what he's doing .. he could be trying .. people don't know what they're doing make new things too .. take your army and get back Yudan, show up, and make your battle there!" said Dowmylds...

Yudan stood up saying "..., I will!" .. "No!" said king Zakhon...

"Let him do it!" said Dowmylds .. "No!" said Zakhon .. "Why not!" said Yudan .. "Because I said so!" .. "Dowmylds!, you have my permission to lead the army and march to the east .. and I'll be waiting for good news coming from you soon..." king Zakhon said...

"...Well, I'll need ten thousands, infantry soldiers, no knights .. with a large ordnance .. my initial plan shall be a siege, a long siege if I may .. siege equipment shall be made there, according to the actual situation .. a continuous supply with more ordnance should be on .. until I try this guy there .. any new plans shall be predictable, because of the delay time from sending the message through this long distance, and the respond in the field there .. changing in plans is so expected .. when the final plan is ready, secrecy is our top priority .. Yudan

shall be our messenger..." said Norm Dowmylds...

"Don't waste a day! .. start by now" king Zakhon said .. and Dowmylds immediately stood moving away...

After Dowmylds left, Yudan was wondering...

"I don't understand you!, why you didn't let me!" Yudan said .. "You're just idiot!, it was your tomb! .. didn't you hear his plan .. did you have any of it!" king Zakhon said .. Yudan silenced for a while thinking .. "At least I found a way to say 'No' for Dowmylds for once!" said Zakhon...

Here we are...!

On the walls, I and Shihan .. and the whole people here! .. beholding...!

Waiting the first show up for Dowmylds, the

legend that they're talking about .. come on...!

And...!

Here he is...!

An ocean of soldiers .. wow army! .. I've seen death in Mydaba, wasn't terrifying as this .. frankly! .. the view is horrible...!

"What's wrong about leaving .. why should we face this!" I'm a big liar if I said that this notion didn't show up in my mind .. and if it showed up in my mind here, so it has showed up in every single person's mind here .. I, have, no, doubt...!

Haaahhh! .. whatever you were preparing yourself heavily .. at first time things are too heavy .. but you've got to face it .. then you'll get used to it .. if you failed the first time, so the next time shall be harder .. every fail makes facing harder, quitting easier .. you could never make it!

*Hold it! .. hold it Welldam...! .. if you fall,
everybody falls...!*

*Here's Dowmylds .. no great effort is needed to
know .. what a show up!*

*Distantly they stopped .. haaoooffffffff! .. see!, easy!
.. hhaahhh!, easyyy!*

No!

*I'm not gonna lose my self here because of this
kingdom or even a hundred kingdom like it .. and
this fearless young man of those heartless of
Mydaba arose here...!*

*I've just found myself jumping on the walls,
rolling on it, until I stand on my feet out of the fort
before Dowmylds soldiers...!*

*I've forgotten my kingdom, I've forgotten death.. I
don't see anything but myself .. I'm Weldam
Arthmeed you Dowmylds...*

*The soldiers on the walls were so surprised ..
Shihan commanded opening the gates and sent
guards behind me .. but I was gone...*

*I swung my sword while I'm approaching
Downmylds's army...*

*I shouted "HI...! .. ANYBODY WANTS TO
FIGHT...!"*

But no one answered me! .. I waited!

*"HELLOOO! .. ARE THERE MEN HERE...! ..
I'M WAITING...!"*

Downmylds was just like the statue...!

*"HUH! .. HOW BRAVE ARE YOU! .. NO ONE!
.. NO MEN! .. I THOUGHT SO...!" .. then I
went back to the fort!*

*But in my way back, I suddenly turned my face
and threw my sword towards Downmylds!*

*Immediately his near soldiers shielded him .. then
they back...*

And Downmylds! .. a statue...!

I can't describe what happened on walls when I was back .. a celebration!

They had the chance to offence Dowmylds's soldiers by all kinds of words .. I bet we're now different, fear is beaten...

"How brave! .. I got to admit, I've never seen anything like this in my whole life .. this's something new for me" Shihan said .. "Rule number one Shihan .. never judge me according to your previous experience, you've never seen anybody like me before, Welldam Arthmeed is peerless" .. "I see, but this should be your first and last time .. you did enough, was splendid .. was a great moral triumph .. now, your soldiers need you as a king .. so you should act like a king!" .. "Dam this Dowmylds, he made me look like a clown!" .. "Aha!, unfortunately! .. Dowmylds is not an amateur..." .. "He didn't give any response! .. like I'm not exist .. and his soldiers, they were statues!"

.. “No problem, our soldiers saw it heroic, this matters! .. we won this .. now! .. we should never take any step without a plan” .. “Hmmm! .. that

At the sea side of the Sea side tree...

On the eye shot! .. Nuweaar! .. the float city! .. a super massive ship .. Moliim Affrodedyar and Eikhan Mamadaness, with some men, are on small boats because water isn't deep enough on the coast to allow Nuweaar to close .. they got some boxes with them .. the Master Iyndlaf and Heron were on the coast to welcome them...

"What a nice boat!, live for Tydritkh!" said Heron .. "It's mine now!" Eikhan Mamadaness said .. they hugged each other all of them, then they began

getting the boxes from the boats...

In the night...

“What’s the news!” said Iyndlaf .. “Nuweaar is ready! .. that’s it!” said Affrodedyar .. “What about our little son...” .. “He’s doing fine .. was ready before Dowmylds arrives .. but he’s still behaving like an amateur .. Dowmylds is now there, besieging him, ten thousand infantry” .. “Send him Aulmagan” .. “And how many with him!” .. “Let Aulmagan decides .. how about Mydogyran...” .. “Not ready yet .. even if he thinks he’s!” .. “So!” .. “Nothing!, I told him to wait” .. “Send him Tydritkh, when he’s ready .. Chuexandr...!” .. “..., No!, nothing yet!” .. “...Hmm, what do you see!” .. “I think we shouldn’t be worry, yet!” .. “...I’m so worry! .. should we have alternatives!” .. “Do we had! .. Don’t worry Iyndlaf .. it can’t be lost .. I believe we’re on the way...”

At the dawn .. the tenth day for Dowmylds's army here .. he mobilizes his army towards us...!

I was on the walls with Shihan .. "It's on!" said I, "Not yet!" said Shihan .. "...He's just trying to discover us!" .. "Yeah, yeah!" .. "So!" .. "Give him nothing!, and he'll know that you're not an amateur .. or give him something!, and he'll know what you got..." .. "Aha! .. to discover me or to discover what I got!" .. "Yes!" .. "You know Shihan!, I began hating these games!" .. "Why, these details are not critical in deciding victory, but you better know your enemy! .. you're just unlucky my lord! .. you're just like someone suddenly found a mountain in his way, the highest one, and he's not planning to retreat .. so to make a legendary jump and overcome the mountain, so no other obstruction can stop him .. or he falls and gets smashed .. no middle options..."...

I went up to some bridge .. and stood over it

looking at Dowmylds and his army, while they're approaching our walls .. my soldiers were waiting my sign .. waiting, waiting, waiting...!

But I gave them no sign!

I gave Dowmylds nothing! .. hm! .. do you know who you're dealing to now Dowmylds! .. now what...!

They got no Rams, no Catapults, no Ballista .. nothing!

Actually they got nothing to do, but knocking our gates...

I swung my hand to Dowmylds .. he gave no reaction!, he gave the sign to his soldiers to retreat .. that weird guy!

"I hate that guy!" said I .. "Huhm!, Dowmylds!" said Shihan .. "Oh yeah!" .. "Should you!, Dowmylds is lovely!" .. "I hate him!" .. "Hate, is a

depleted feeling, I believe we got something more than hate to give Dowmylds!" .. "Yes!" .. "Dowmylds is undefeated, ok! .. but also he has never met somebody is match for you my lord" .. "I like that!, makes me feel better .. man why don't you say these words, you were always saying Dowmylds Dowmylds .. tell me something good about me man, I need it" .. "Sure my lord!, but it's better to be at time .. after you know your enemy, there are priorities" .. "I feel stressed because of this bad guy down there!" .. "You'll get used to stress .. stress is a friend of you now .. now and for life, you're a king!" .. "We get back to your, kind of words" .. "Stress and responsibility are brothers, so loyal brothers .. you can't take stress, don't take responsibility!" .. "I hate you Shihan, man...!" .. "The question is, Do you believe in what you are doing or not? .. if you do, so you can take stress .. if you don't, so you just can't .. if you don't know ha!, this's the misery...!" .. I silenced for a while,

*".... Mydaba was not enough to teach me life!" ..
"Here you are!, believe me my lord .. I'm trying to
show you where do you step .. because you better
see!" .. "...How the end shall be!" .. "If we know
what shall happen tomorrow, so why should we
live to see .. Life is meaningless without its
secrets...!" ...*

Midnight suns...!

*In the middle of the night, we've seen them, lots of
them! .. Downmylds rained us with .. it was our
first time...!*

*There was a panic has covered people .. as I said, it
was our first time to see something like this...!*

*I went to the walls to watch it .. uncountable
number of Mangonel .. just appeared, from
nothing, Downmylds was hiding them I assume...*

*Shihan was there a little bit after me .. "There's
nothing to do here my lord .. you should be there*

between people .. not in the palace, not undercover, not even here on the walls .. join people! .. they need you now .. share them some of your bravery, plenty of it..." said Shihan .. I don't know what I would do without him .. I'm a so amateur, yes I'm...!

Where should I go, the fire is everywhere! .. I've just carried gallons of water and poured it over fire .. and whenever we're done about one, I go to another one .. a child was crying before me, I went to him and said "Why do you cry, we're here all of us, together .. we're not afraid of Dowmylds's games .. who's afraid?, I'm not afraid .. see! .. don't be afraid .. don't cry...! .. show Dowmylds your bravery!" .. one other boy "Hi hi .. don't cry! .. this's our kingdom! .. you want us to give Dowmylds our kingdom!" .. "No!" said he .. "So be brave! .. show Dowmylds that this all is helpless .. we're not gonna give him our kingdom, are we!" .. "No! .. we're not gonna give him but a spit on

his face!" the boy said then we all laughed .. "Yes, yea yeah! .. I like this spirit .. we're not gonna lose this war, with this spirit, we're gonna have our kingdom .. shall we men!" .. "Yes we shall!" they said with passion .. I don't know, I felt people were so affected by what I'm doing, and what I'm saying...

I've ignored it!, but people looks at me and at themselves told me a lot! .. I've people here with me, they're now with me, because I'm now with them .. they now believe in me and believe me .. perhaps not all of them believe that we're gonna make it, this's Dowmylds out there .. however, they're not gonna leave me alone .. they're ready to face whatever happens with me here, they just want be with me...

Such few moments between people, and the influence was splendid...! .. thanks Shihan, my kingship teacher...!

In the morning .. a messenger from Dowmylds...!

Without raising a white sign, he has approached our gates...

"Let him come!" said I .. "He better not see this destruction while he is making his negotiations" said Shihan .. "He better see that we don't care! .. let him come" .. he was Yudan Madlian .. Shihan accompanied him to the palace .. through his way he saw people everywhere extinguishing the fires and cleaning the debris .. I was watching, they knew that he is the messenger of Dowmylds .. they

intended to show him that they don't care .. they still didn't lose their determination .. "Is this's all what you got!" some of people were saying .. some others were spitting on him .. I wanted so .. I wanted him to see this...

In the palace...

He was standing before my throne...

I entered .. I looked at him .. "My lord!, Yudan Madlian .. the messenger of Norm Downmylds" said Shihan .. I said nothing .. I went to sit on my throne .. "From Zakhon son of Madlian, the king of..." said Yudan .. "Did I give you the permission to speak!" said I .. Yudan looked at me surprised .. "I can leave if you wish!" said Yudan .. "You can leave if you wish!" said I .. "..., I came to you with an offer!" .. "Ok, I want to hear your offer" said I .. "From Zakhon son of..." he was saying, but again I interrupted him "Did I give you the permission to speak!"...

"Supplies chief!" said I .. "Yes my lord!" he said .. "Tell me!" said I .. he looked at Yudan .. "My lord!" said Shihan .. "Not now Shihan!" said I .. "..., Aa!, grain stock is over the level of safety .. fruits and vegetables the same .. these are the most important, no any problem with any other kind of supplies..." said supplies chief .. "Weapons chief!" said I .. "Yes my lord" he said .. "Tell me!" said I .. "Almost ready my lord! .. and by a month, we shall have enough weapons for one more army same to ours!" said weapons chief .. then I looked at Yudan and said "You were saying!" .. "..., From Zakhon son of Madlian, the king of Madlian kingdom .. my great salutes for king Welldam son of Arthmeed!, the king of Welldam Kingdom..." .. "Lindween Kingdom!" said I .. "..., I'm just reading the message! .. after the great salutes .. the honorable king Welldam is fully aware of king Zakhon's honest will of peace .. but we in the Western Kingdom, see that there can be no peace between

two conflicted kingdoms .. so this's the offer of unifying both of our kingdoms in one great kingdom .. which we in the west kingdom hope if the honorable king Welldam shall accept with full pleasure .. First, the honorable king Welldam declares the association between both of our kingdoms, in one kingdom, The Great Northern Kingdom .. Second, the honorable army of Welldam Kingdom joins the honorable army of the Western Kingdom, under the authority of our magnificent commander Norm Dowmylds .. Third, the honorable king Welldam is fully independent in his politics in the Eastern part of our kingdom for his bliss long life! .. and I welcome the negotiation with your highness, for the sake of peace .. my great salutes! King Zakhon." .. then Yudan looked at me waiting the response!

*I stood up!, and got the message from Yudan ..
“..., Well!, This is not a message from somebody his armies is at our gates and just fired us by*

mangonel last night! .. get back there to your king, and tell him that I'm coming after you! .. and when my army is at his gates, and he is under my fire .. I'll send him a nice message like this!" said I then I ripped the message apart!, "This's my message for your king...!" I said, then the whole crowd of ours shouted "YEAAAAAH! .. GET OUT OF HERE! .. TO JUHINA!, TO JUHINA!" .. except Shihan...

When we're alone, Shihan didn't look pleased!

"Come on Shihan, tell me!" said I .. "You did a grave mistake my lord!" he said .. "Let me tell you .. first, I didn't care if he saw the destruction of their firing, he already knows, they were not firing us with flowers .. but I wanted him to see that we don't care, people's determination is still firm .. second, I wanted to show him that we are ready for the siege .. and actually the chiefs information were not empty of exaggerations .. they knew what I

want .. what a use of this kind of information for our enemy .. don't worry Shihan, I know what to do!" .. "And this's the grave mistake! .. let me my lord tell you the story of the king IknowWhatToDo the second .. the king IknowWhatToDo the second came after the fall of the king IknowWhatToDo the first, that was inevitable! .. and here our story begins... During the reign of the king IknowWhatToDo the first, our hero was watching!, he has seen mistakes, the king IknowWhatToDo was obviously going the wrong way .. our hero said this king is going to fall, and this was true .. and he said when I'm in charge I'll fix this all .. if I've just fixed these mistakes, everything is going to be fine .. and as our hero expected, the king IknowWhatToDo has fallen, then our hero became in charge! .. first impression for him of being a king is, being a king is nice, he liked being a king! .. now!, he got a plan .. he wants to apply his plan, to fix these mistakes! .. some of his retinue liked his

plan, they saw it amazing, and praised it loudly, some saw it needs some reformations .. some disliked it totally, and dispraised it loudly .. he didn't discuss them, he has just excluded them from his retinue, this was a message! .. those whom saw the new king's plan needs some reformations were majority, they disjoined those whom were excluded, and joined those whom praised the king's plan .. king's plan worked, these mistakes were fixed, things improved .. the king is doing fine! .. the majority hoped that they were wrong about the king's plan, they hoped that the king knows what to do! .. by time, some other problems occurred! .. the king was confident .. I know what to do! .. he made a plan .. he showed his plan, his retinue fawning have just received his message .. and they praised his plan loudly .. the majority followed them, with the same hopes .. his plan worked .. our hero says yeah!, I was born to be a king!, I know what to do...!

But by time...! .. some of these problems seemed were not perfectly fixed .. they were not really resolved .. and those whom were excluded said loudly 'We said so!' .. the king worries! .. then he makes a new plan, and he shows it to his retinue! .. what they did!, praised it loudly! .. but, he began to feel he's not sure if they're praising it because it's good, or because they just used to do so! .. his plan worked, just like every time! .. and just like every time, it wasn't the best .. and every problem sleeps for a while, then wakes up again .. and so on, problems increase .. solutions decrease .. people began feel discontent .. then he began to feel he's losing his popularity .. then he feels his crown is in danger! .. then he remembers his first impression from kingship, and he now likes being a king! .. and he has just figured out that fixing all problems like people think, is an unreachable aim! .. shall he can't tell them so! .. however! .. people lose their hope with him .. and at this time, he has a plan, a

plan of staying as a king! .. so he explores the map of parties in his kingdom, and picks up the most powerful of them, and gives them benefits .. and makes his own hierarchy of rule .. not the hierarchy of the society .. but the hierarchy of benefits .. the Regime Pillars, the Power Ropes .. he protects them, and they protect him .. the company of corruption .. and by time he finds himself in a game .. a game of 'everybody should be in a conflict with each other', to make their battle with themselves not with him .. then he becomes professional in this game .. his plan worked! .. our hero says yeah!, I was born to be a king!, I know what to do...!

Live for the king! .. Fawning, became the constitution of the retinue .. Corruption, became the constitution of parties .. Survive, became the constitution of people .. Selfishness! .. and things go from bad to worse .. worse, worse while there's nothing is being done to stop this .. the king and

his retinue never had the real solutions for the people's problems! .. and now!, even the corruption solutions are depleted .. and then he uses the last option he has, to convert from the Kingdom of Corruption, to Kingdom of Fear! .. but Fear is a so hated friend, everybody wants to get rid of .. and it's just matter of time .. and our hero!, The King!, finds his nick under the guillotine .. and only at this time! .. our hero figures out that he was just the king IKnowWhatToDo the second! .. end of story...!"

".....Shihan...!" .. "Once when I offered you bringing some fawning and you refused, I was just trying to know which kind of king are you! .. my lord you're a young man, and this's a great advantage for you .. be straight!, and never be afraid of taking an advice .. never be afraid of changing your mind because of an advice .. when your son is lost, so you don't prefer to look for him alone .. sometimes king feels people don't know

what's the best for themselves .. sometimes he's right, sometimes he's not .. however! .. he should discuss them! .. he must, frankly! .. if he is right, he should have a good why .. if he has a good why .. he should have something to say .. if he has something to say .. he'll succeed to convince them .. and then he extracts the decision from them .. never takes the decision lonely .. to let them feel they're owners, not owned! And if he couldn't extract the decision from them .. this's because he didn't succeed to convince them .. and if he didn't succeed to convince them .. this's because he doesn't have something to say .. and if he doesn't have something to say .. this's because he doesn't have a good why .. and if he doesn't have a good why .. this's because he's not right...!"

"Once when a king doesn't want to listen, and feels 'IKnowWhatToDo', this's the birth of Tyranny! .. and once the king begins lying to his people .. this's the beginning of making his own

political bad room! .. most of times king's main role is 'To put the right man, in the right place', only! .. a king using the IKnowWhatToDo way may take the right decision for once, more than once if he may .. but taking this way is a grave mistake .. you know why! .. because it's not immune for the wrong decisions .. those decisions that wear the suit of the brilliant decisions, the best choice! .. while they're your life mistakes! .. how can you survive them without whom can criticize you! .. the Consulting way may be more heavy, but it's more immune for the wrong decisions, more rich with treasures .. otherwise!, the king IKnowWhatToDo's story! .. first, he begins as a hope to be the solution of people's problems! .. second, he fails to be! .. third, he turns to be the people's problem! .. toppling him is their ultimate wish! .. so son!, this's my advice for you, never be the King IKnowWhatToDo..."

"Shihan! .. you're a gift!" ...

In the other side of the field .. Yudan shows Dowmylds the message ripped up .. "He said, 'This's my message to your king' .. and he ripped it up" said Yudan .. "Aha!" said Dowmylds while he's looking at the ripped up message .. "The people there have a great determination on resistance, or they showed me so! .. he!, king Welldam, let his chiefs show me that they have too much food and weapons" .. "Did you saw it!" .. "No!" .. "His retinue, did it look full of fawning!" .. "Kinda, except one old man .. in the end they shouted 'To

Juhina, to Juhina!’” .. “Juhina!, and what about him!” .. “What about him! .. he looked impressive indeed! .. I don’t think he is from the kind who we can threaten” .. “I see!, the old man, where was he standing!” .. “Right beside him” .. “Am! .. no problem! .. so let’s try him again! .. he should show something!” ...

In the dawn .. our turn has come...

My mangonel are higher than yours mister Dowmylds...

From the bridges and the walls .. “Fire!” said I .. and then it begins...!

I told the weapons makers to minimize our suns .. I want it to fly high...

Too many of my suns fly high!, and fall over Dowmylds’s army heads .. how impressive! .. I could make it in the middle of the night .. but I preferred to make it in the dawn to let my people

watch it...

Oh yeah! .. I feel much more comfort now! .. we had our revenge .. we can do something in return! .. "LOOOAD! .. READYYY! .. FIIIIIIIRE...!"

Today! .. is a new day...

A cloudy day, like Dowmylds has chosen it...

Dew drops were kissing our faces so gently .. while we as a tired prey, beholding the merciless predator approaching...

Dowmylds has mobilized his army away a little bit far, on the eyeshot after we fired him with our fly high small suns...

He's now back...

I! .. I had a feeling...!

Shihan knows men .. Shihan knows Dowmylds...

This aaa! .. this calm, and kind man there...!

Is not Dowmylds! .. is not Dowmylds that Shihan knows...

Oh yes! .. as heavy as the mountain on his place, as heavy as Dowmylds on his place .. amm!, I never forget his looks at me when I was before him .. his look after I threw my sword towards him .. a statue!

I had a feeling...!

The beast didn't spread on the teeth yet...!

I was right...!

All what has past, is just kidding! .. nothing...!

Here's the real Dowmylds...!

I see that it's one kind of bravery, to tell that Downmylds has taught me a lesson in fear that day .. yeah! .. yes he did...!

I can say too that aa! .. I wasn't alone with this feeling, honestly!

One mega ocean wave is going to hit us .. I felt so, it's better to absorb it, not to resist it .. it doesn't look resistible...!

We were all feel lost .. I got nothing to do .. not this time...

At the right distance, the army stopped .. and plenty of mangonel were getting loaded .. no! .. real mangonel! .. from the kind that no fort would like to see .. it's not the kind of ours, not even their previous kind...

We knew the difference with the first hit .. an earthquake! .. this's what we felt on the walls, a so huge rock rammed our walls .. the sound was like

*the thunder .. I don't know how those whom were
on the ground felt, but I think that the sound was
enough...*

*I was right! .. I don't believe that any speech or
show would have work against this .. no use for
facing the flood...*

And this, was just the first hit!

A single hit...

Dowmylds remobilizes the mangonel...

And rises his hand!

Then, let it fall...!

And with it! .. our hearts have fallen...!

Line by line! .. began firing...!

*May I find the words that can describe what
happened next...!*

Like the world is turning down...!

We! .. what we...!

*On the walls, no word is said, no one looks a side ..
no heart isn't beating .. no chest is rest...*

*Should we go!, should we stay!, should we fight!,
should we run! .. should we speak!, Should we
silence! .. what should we...!*

What's this...!

Why should life be like this...!

Why should we make our lives miserable .. why...!

*Why there should be wars, why do we miss peace ..
why, why...!*

Haaaaahhh...! .. ok! .. so let's face our cruel life...!

*Dowmylds failed to find a weak point in my
walls...!*

He mobilizes his army again...!

Now they have some equipment we don't know ..

they're not coming to knock our gates this time...

It's time...!

"READYYYYYYYY...!" I shout!

Yes! .. we still alive .. I can speak...!, we still can fight...!

On the walls, on the bridges! .. our hands were not empty .. we're over their heads .. by arrows, rocks, oil and fire...!

*"READYYYYYYYY...! .. TODAY IS THE DAY!"
I've turned my face to my soldiers, there's something to say now!, there's something to do now!*

I thought so...!

Dowmylds was on a little higher equipment .. to have an over view on the battle field .. Dowmylds's soldiers were moving like a moving building .. how ordered!, how firm!, how tough! .. how impressive...!

No problem! .. they're still of flesh and bones like us .. aren't they...!

“My lord!, watch out for yourself! .. you are the victory and the defeat for your soldiers today!” said Shihan...

I looked at Dowmylds! .. a Conqueror...!

His soldiers see the triumph in his eyes!

*His soldiers can count on him in holding the sun if
he has to!*

Can I be like him...!

*A Commander not a soldier .. fights by an army,
not an arm...!*

*One kind of the King IKnowWhatToDo who really
knows what to do!*

*Yeah! .. battle fields want this kind of kings! .. I'm
a such amateur...!*

Hold it...! .. hold it...!

.....!

What's this.....!

TOWERS...!

Towers...! .. approaching...!

I looked at Shihan .. "You are the commander now!, no counselors here! .. this's the battle field!" said he...

The soldiers have stopped a little far from the bridges...!

The mangonel returned to shake the world again .. synchronized with the thunder and lightning in the sky .. I looked at the sky, "Great...!" ...

*I wished if I'm not this king for all of those soldiers,
I wished if I'm a such soldier! .. if I'm fighting as
one of those dead hearts of Mydaba! .. doesn't care
for who's right, who's left, who's behind, who's
giving orders, who's taking orders, doesn't care for
the soldiers, doesn't care for the kingdom .. doesn't
care about life, doesn't care about death .. gives
care for nothing...*

*But I just can't anymore! .. I should give care for
all of this...*

Towers are approaching...!

Not gonna be an easy noon!

Who said it shall...!

"READYYYYYYYY...!"

*"BRIDGES 'A'! .. BRIDGES 'B' .. ON MY
SIGN...!"*

Dowmylds was moving rising his hand, looking at the sky...!

And then...!

I've just figured out.....!

OHHH...!, no, no no no no no no no no...!

He chose this day...!

And then the dews that were kissing our faces! .. have turned into rocks knocking our heads .. the gates of the sky were open for a river...!

Fire...! Our main defense...! Is just lost...!

I've just closed my eyes...!

I've seen the story of life before me...!

*From this over aged attitude friendless young boy
in Lindween...!*

*To this heartless arrogant perfect fighter in beasts
factory in Mydaba...!*

*To this by chance king, who stands on the walls of
his kingdom helpless, before the legendary Norm
Downmylds...!*

I've remembered Chuexandr...!

I miss you brother...!

What now...!

Should I accept the peace of Zakhon...!

Should I rise the white flag and just surrender...!

Then one of my soldiers has rammed me away...!

I opened my eyes...!

He has saved me from a rock of these big ones...!

Those young boys want to fight...!

Ok!, brave boys!

*I'm gonna give you a fight!, this's all what I can
promise you...*

When I stood up again, the towers where in rang!

*“ROCKS!, ARROWS! .. AIM THE TOWERS
RIDERS, READYYY! .. FIRE!!!” .. yeah, let's
fight, let's just make a fight...!*

It's on...!

Dowmylds made a sign with his hand, then some soldiers raised a flag!

Towers approached, we couldn't stop them, Dowmylds's soldiers knew what to do to make our resistance useless...

They were aiming the bridges .. but just before they arrive I shouted...

"PULL THE BRIDGES UUUUUUUUUUP!" .. immediately the soldiers left the bridges and we pulled the bridges up by its series...

Dowmylds gave some reaction...! .. for the first time!

Aha! .. they thought that these bridge are buildings!

Then he gave a sign by his both hands, I think I understood this one, I think it was 'keep moving' .. they kept moving...

Approaching, approaching, approaching...!

And suddenly I found one of my soldiers jump on one of those bridges...!

"How insane...!" said Shihan...

And second and then tens of my soldiers...!

What should I do! .. deny them, praise them!

There was no time to think!, just moments and the bridges and our walls became a one piece .. and here we are...!

Our men have exploded in their face...

Shouts were loudly everywhere on the walls, "SLAY THEM, SLAY THEM ALLLL...!" .. how impressive...!

Dowmylds's soldiers seemed so expert, while our wave was rambunctious the most, they were so steady, they were not just engage like us, they were

hit and get back .. but we're not afraid, yeah!, I love you my soldiers, I'm proud of you...

All of this happened only in the mid of our front .. Dowmylds still keeping the both sides towers of his front out of the battle...

But the mid towers came one after one .. all of this time and Dowmylds's soldiers didn't make a real engage with us .. no real battle or casualties till now .. they were trying to hold until they have a wide front on our walls .. it was a deadly mistake to let them do it...

"MAKE THE LINE!, HOLD!, READYYY!" and just before I say attack Dowmylds's soldiers engaged us .. and here come a bloodbath in our lines with their first hit .. "ATTAAAAAAAAAAAAACK" .. I just shouted and our lions on the walls started the real engage...!

Dowmylds's soldiers now bleed...!, although they backed and solidified again, they fought bravely, but we outnumbered them, and fought madly!

The towers in the mid arrive one after one! .. but we still outnumbering them .. "PUUUSH PUUUSH!, PUSH IT HAAAARD!" we shout!

Our wave hit harder!, they can't take it! .. then some of our soldiers jump over them shouting "GET THEM DOWWWWN!" .. so mad! .. they all remember me when I jumped down alone before Dowmylds and his army .. so inspiring!

At this time Dowmylds gives his orders to the sides towers to move...!

And during Dowmylds's soldiers are struggling against us in the mid, the sides towers were approaching .. and our men there were yearning for them .. and the same thing happened at the sides...

How brave are you men! .. although most of them are just fresh soldiers .. but they show Dowmylds's expert soldiers no fear .. yeah our casualties are more than theirs .. but we still can hold them, they still got nothing to do against us .. the men were shouting loudly in the three fronts the same word "GET BACK OF OUR KINGDOOOOOOM...!"...

Shall we make it...!

Why not...!

But by time...!

Dowmylds's front on our walls is widen, and their numbers on our walls increase .. and then! .. they changed their defensive way...

At this time doubt infiltrated...!

Not me alone .. but everybody on the walls .. while we're seeing an ocean of soldiers getting up to our

walls...!

They're increasing, increasing, increasing...!

The casualties increased in their line, but they don't stop...!

And we turned to the defensive form...!

The shouts on the walls silenced...!

We struggled hard to stop them...!

"REFORM THE LINE! .. READYYY! .. ATTA AAAACK!" I shouted .. and we held them a little .. just a little...

Our left side, the right side of Dowmylds's army .. they were the most whom suffer under the enemy attack, they were pushed hard...

And then...!

We've seen the white flag of Madlian kingdom flipping on our walls...!

At this moment we felt we've lost our kingdom...!

I don't know why, I just didn't believe so! .. I didn't surrender yet...

“GET DOWWWN THE BRIIIDGES!” .. then all of my soldiers shouted “BRIIIDGES BRIIIDGES...!” .. my soldiers the lions, fought with more experience .. they have learnt from Dowmylds's soldiers, a heavy attack, then they back! .. the bridges made Dowmylds's soldiers surrounded from three sides .. our archers found their chance .. it was their hour...!

I went to the left side of the walls and shouted while I was going there “GIVE THEM DEAAAATH, DEAAAAAATH...!”, my soldiers there roared and stood up and ate them literally .. I jumped on their flag and got it and ripped it up and threw it, then I got our flag and kept swinging it shouting “RISE UP LINDWEEEN!, RISE UP LINDWEEEN...!”

And then I've just figured out that the flag is flipping...!

The rain has stopped...! .. the rain has stopped...!!!

Fire...!, haaahhh! .. yeahhh...!

*"FIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIRE! .. OIL AND
FIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIRE! .. OIL AND
FIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIR! .. BURN THEMMM! .. BURN
THEMM ALLLLLL!"*

Downmylds was already gave his sign to his soldiers to disengage...!

But we wormed them up a little before they retreat...!

Shihan was shaking his fist so so happy...!

*"YEAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAH!!!,
YEAAAAAAAAASSSSS!!!"...*

There are no words can tell what we feel now...!

We can't believe it! .. really we made it...?!

*I went to Shihan and hugged him .. "hahahaaaaa,
we made it Shihan...!" .. "WE MADE IT MEN!"
.. "YEAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHHH!, BRING IT
OOOOOOOOONNN!"*

*On the walls!, we were flying .. flying flying
flying...!*

Yes, hhaaaaaah! Hooooo!

It's the day of our life...!

*Soldiers were flying on me and hug me while I'm
walking between them! .. haaaahhh, I'm alive!*

How beautiful the life is, after it was so ugly!

*How charming this sun rising is, after these dark
clouds!*

Yeah, yeah, yeah...!

Was not an easy noon...! .. but great...!

Great great great noon...!

How tasteless if it was easy...!

“GIVE ME MOOORE...!”

Day one...!

We've been born today!

Yeah! .. we've overcome the impossible...! .. fly high...!

What if we surrendered to fear...!

What if we ran!, if we have just surrendered...!

If we quitted the battle of life...!

If we didn't live this day...!

Life isn't about survive...!

I've learnt this lesson before in Mydaba, but in a tiny size, individual size .. it's totally different in the real life...

Whatever the life looked frighten, you should overcome your fear!

*Never quit!, never surrender!, face life!, engage it!
.. live...!*

If you give much care for effort and hurt, you'll just spend your life escaping the life, and escaping it again, and again...!

Or just be brave, underestimate the roaring waves, and jump in, engage! .. fight!, fight hard! .. never look back! .. go ahead! .. struggle!, struggle!

And you just made it...! .. yeah!, yes you made it...!

Here...! .. you're alive...!

In the next day morning...

I met Shihan on my way to the walls!

*He was sitting on the floor playing with kids ..
"Owa! .. I thought you're on the walls instead*

me..." I said .. "No no no, I'm here! .. I want to enjoy those moments with those young kids..." said Shihan .. "You don't look worry like usual..." .. "No!, why should I! .. I owe you thanks!, you've taught me a lesson my long life didn't teach my!" .. "Well I can hear it after I hear your thanks!" .. "Those whom live in burrows, don't live! .. those whom take the risk, even if they lose .. their loss isn't greater than those whom never tried .. they didn't survive, but they've lived .. others survived, but they didn't live .. and one day death will catch them too! .. while they didn't take their share from life .. you know!, just like two squirrels, live under a high tree!, one of them spent his life eating the fallen leaves, and never tried to climb this tree to try the taste of fruits, he just sets survive as top priority .. while the other one just doesn't care!, and he takes the risk, and climbs the tree, and tries the taste of fruits, and sees the world from his high site, and he did it, until he once falls! .. then his

survival friend says, how poor! .. if he stayed down like me, he would survive! .. his friend listened to him while he's dying, and said to himself, how poor! .. this guy shall spend his life without knowing the taste of fruits, without seeing the world from this high site! .. how poor!, he'll spend his life, without living it! .. end of story...!" .. "I like your stories Shihan, they're great...!" .. "Thanks Welldam!, you taught me this one!"

At night!, in the enemy side...

"I couldn't imagine that these giant bridges aren't buildings, huh! .. he can pull them up!" said Yudan .. Dowmylds looked at him calm, and stayed silent, then he walked few steps forward, looking at our bridges, then he said "Mission accomplished! .. we wanted him to shows us what he got!, and he did!" .. "Commander...! .. did you meet anybody like this Welldam, I mean .. haaahh .. because, I think, I think he's, he..." .. "He's different!, yes he

is!" .. "So!" .. "...Come on young prince..."

In his tent, Dowmylds made a talk with Yudan son of the king...

"Yudan!, haste is deadly! .. I'm talking to you as the future king! .. when you're in charge you can't afford the cost of a wrong decision or a wrong judge! .. patience saves nations!" said Dowmylds .. "I know..." said Yudan .. "No you don't!, you're judging Welldam already!, do you even know him! .. and you're thinking about something to do with him, according to your incomplete judge .. I'll tell you about a lesson my lord Madlian the great taught me!, he said to me 'Never judge someone while you don't have to, let this heavy quest to be for him!' .. we don't know what we don't know, until we know! .. don't judge!, don't assume!, don't even think! .. let him tells you and gives the proof too, or let him be unknown forever, that's better!" .. "I don't know how can you hold yourself

of admiring this kind of man! .. he's impressive for me indeed!" .. "Yudan!, you're here, to take this man's kingdom, and you will..."

On the walls, Shihan was sit talking with some soldiers .. I joined them...

Around the fire .. "Hi!" said I .. "TO VICTORY!" they said .. "Welcome king!" said Shihan .. "Shouldn't we be ready!" .. "Yeah we're ready! .. let them come my lord, and this time... you'll see!" some of the soldiers said .. "What's your name!" said I .. "Wang!" .. "Underestimating your enemy is an enemy Wang..." .. "After your permission my lord, I agree with Wang!" said Shihan .. "..., Do you!" said I .. "Downmylds has just lost his greatest soldier against us, which is, fear! .. we all remember what was our feeling before the battle!" said Shihan .. "We were lost!" said Wang .. "Yeah!" soldiers said .. "How about now...!" said Shihan .. "Let them come!" they said .. "Before the

battle, they'd the upper hand, even though, they couldn't make it .. we'd the lower hand, even though, we could make it .. they've tried and failed, we've tried and succeeded .. let's try the same thing again, the same thing will happen!" said Shiahn .. "No!, we're gonna smash them! .. we have confidence now, they have doubt .. fear is theirs now!" said Wang .. "See!" said Shihan .. "I'm so pleased to hear so .. but we should be honest with ourselves, they're ten thousands, we're three .. they got Dowmylds, and you got me!, haha!" said I .. "Huh!, what Dowmylds! .. did Dowmylds build a kingdom like you my lord! .. and you've beaten him with his ten thousand! .. what chance they got against us now!" said Wang .. I looked at Shihan, "Well! .. they've one of two options now, if I was right! .. first, Dowmylds shall wait, until our soldiers and his forget this day, we forget the victory and they forget the defeat .. today is a new day!, then he tries again, using his experience of

the previous time...!" said Shihan .. "Forget this!, else...!" said Wang .. "To continue the siege!" said Shihan .. "Forever!, for how long time he can stay here outdoor with his soldiers costing this amount of ordnance every day, he shall give up soon!" said Wang .. "I like your spirit! .. but 'giving up' is a word missed her way to Dowmylds, that's first .. second, if they retreat now, this'll be a defeat declaration, this'll be a confession with an opponent kingdom on the map .. they can't afford this, if the cost of losing this threat shall be many more of huge supplies convoys, so they can afford this! .. ten thousand soldiers isn't a big army for The White Kingdom, they have doubles of this number, so the plan is an affordable long siege .. longer than what we can afford...!" said Shihan .. "Many more of huge supplies convoys!" said I .. "They must not arrive!" said Wang .. we silenced for a while!

"Let me think about it..." I said, then we left...

In the King's palace in Juhina...

"Gromid!" king Zakhon was calling his young son before he leaves .. "Yes father!" said Gromid .. "Come here!" .. "I'll take my breakfast with my friends today..." .. "Come here!" .. "Oh dad...!" .. "Come on, we need to talk!" .. "Let's talk later dad!" .. "Come on young prince!" .. Gromid joined his father the king, "What now!" .. "Tell me Gromid, how do you spend your time with your friends" .. "Well, it's not about how exactly do we spend our time, it's about we spend it together" ..

"Enough poetry .. tell me!" .. "We dine, hike, horse riding, play!" .. "Play!" .. "Archery!" .. "Hide and seek!" .. "Oh yeah, sometimes..." .. "What kind of prince is this who spends his time in dining or hiking, or playing! .. you got to grow up" .. "Yeah!, what kind of growing up, like doing what! .. being like the armored face Yudan, I'm not this kind of person .. he got no friends, I do, plenty, I love them, they love me!" .. "They love you! .. they love your money that you spend on them every day!" .. "I don't .. you think that there're no friends except this kind of fake ones! .. they spend their money just like I do, all our money are in one pocket, when I get something I get it for all of us, when they get something they get it for all of us .. sometimes we don't have but a little, but a little is enough when we share it .. with those poor guys..." .. "There're no poor in my kingdom!" .. "You're the pocket of gold! .. they don't need my money you know!, but those whom they're not so

rich, taught me that even within poverty you can find happiness, while you can miss it within richness .. How does he know happiness, who doesn't know love! .. make tons of money!, be rich!, collect plenty of beneficiaries around you, spend your money on all kinds of welfare with them, trying to forget with them your loneliness .. but you're alone!, with all those friends, still alone! .. how sad! .. I've found another way!, to look for true friends .. spending our times with our families, helping people, joining them in their happy and sad moments, they join us in our happy and sad moments .. live together! .. we don't want the much that we envy each other for, here we are glad with the little that we share together .. that's happiness! .. I can't live this kind of life as a prince in your palace father .. and I can't miss it!" .. "Well, I'm glad my son found his way to happiness" .. "You welcome!" .. "But we have responsibilities here! .. you can take your friends to

a picnic..." .. "To the east!" .. "You're gonna be on a big convoy with supplies to our army there .. and you better stay with Dowmylds, you may learn something from him" .. "Okay!" .. "..., Really, no evading, no complaints! .. you want to show me that you're up to the responsibility!" .. "What's wrong about this!" .. "No, nothing .. great! .. you welcome..."

“Taking any soldier from his position now, and getting out to lurk their supply convoys could be a gift Dowmylds shall not waste...” said Shihan while our discussion about lurking Zakhon’s convoys .. “So mercenaries” said I .. “There’re two problems about mercenaries .. first, more mouths to feed!, not a good idea while we’re under siege and our supplies are limited .. this’s if we can afford the cost of bringing plenty of them .. second, which kind of insane mercenaries shall come to fight at our side against Dowmylds! .. and let’s say they’re insane enough to involve their selves in a war

*against Dowmylds, why do they fight!, for money!
.. we're not richer than Zakhon Madlian the pocket
of gold! .. the possibility of losing them to
Zakhons's side is so undisregardable .. I strongly
recommend the residents indeed!" .. "Residents! ..
you're right! .. we've got to make them residents!"
.. "My lord! .. first thing about being a resident is
to reside!, here are your family your friends your
properties! .. you have to melt in the society
texture, become a part of it .. you have no other
place to go, this's home! .. perhaps later we'll open
our gates again for people to get in our site and
expand our bounds and have more residents, but
those new residents too, whom our kingdom shall
be their home, shall not be ready to fight for her! ..
because they're just new! .. they're not yet truly
feel they belong to it, they're not yet truly feel it
belongs to them .. how about mercenaries! .. our
people here have made this kingdom by their own
hands, built it stone by stone! .. they literally own*

it .. our soldiers here now around us are the elite of the elite!, made of the metal of heroes! .. they've signed their residency certifications by their blood .. I don't feel good about changing our army essence .. I don't think that any change could be a change into a better case .. we're doing great till now, so why!" .. "..., I feel really good about our position in the battle now, I want to keep it the same as you do too .. but I think there's something more to do .. I think they shouldn't feel so comfort here before our walls..." said I, just before I receive a call from our behind side walls...!

Me and Shihan were there as soon as possible...

"OH WOW...! .. what's this...!" said Shihan .. I felt good about it .. I was right .. it was Nuweaar...!

I didn't think that the white kingdom is up to make something like this .. not Zakhon not Dowmylds .. those are our people...

*I went to meet their chief, he said "Japushth!" ..
"...!, aha!, the secrete word!, Japushth!" said I ..
"Aulmagan Nileo! .. I'm sent to you from the
master Zandlbrd Iyndlaf..." he said ..
"...Ahahhha! .. yeah yeah! .. you!, you
welcome...!" said I, what a pleased night...!*

*And then I've found an uncountable number of
knights getting off from the city ship Nuweaar in
lines and enter my kingdom...*

"Welcome! .. very very welcome...! .. hahahaaa!"

Now we're talking...

In the enemy site...

*"Ten thousand!!! .. knights!" Dowmylds was
about losing his mind after he received the arrow of
the message from his eyes in our kingdom...*

*It was the first time when Yudan sees Dowmylds
like this .. "This's the information, what shall we*

do...!" .. "Find us a way home!" .. "What do you say!" .. "I say that we're all dead if you didn't make us a peaceful retreat treaty...!" .. "Peaceful retreat treaty! .. why we can't just leave!" .. "We could, if we were the knights! .. we can't leave, we can't even stay .. even if we incredibly could hold our position, he can put us under siege .. no piece of bread shall arrive to us anymore! .. from where he can get this huge aid!" .. "So, what should I do now!" .. "Find a way, you're the politic man .. you're our only hope now!"...

Again, this elegant young prince is here to negotiate...

"I have a good news for you king!" he said .. "Really!, tell me!" .. "King Zakhon Madlian decided to get back the kingdom's army as a gesture of goodwill, that's first .. second, he welcomes any kind of real negotiations that

guarantees the peace between, both of our kingdoms!" Yudan said...

"My lord!" said Shihan .. "..., Ok young prince, we appreciate the king's offer, we hope you enjoy our hospitality for a while until we make our discussion to answer your honorable offer..." said I...

In a triple discussion between me Shihan and Aulamgan, Shihan began talking "They knew! .. they have their eyes in our kingdom!" .. "...Aha!, I felt so..." said I .. "It's a retreat plan..." said Aulmagan .. "Retreat plan! .. I didn't know before that there's a such thing called retreat plan!" said I .. "Now they're outnumbered, lower ordnance, and under siege!" said Aulmagan .. "Aha! .. yeah yeah yeah! .. so what do you see!" said I .. "They're not going anywhere!, I got to play with this Dowmylds a little" said Aulmagan .. Shihan got back and said "Well, let's explore all of our options! .. first, if we

accept!, what is the possibility that Dowmylds get back here with much bigger army! .. and even if he didn't, did we survive, or they're whom really survived! .. and we have just wasted a guaranteed triumph was necessary for our kingdom arising .. on the other side, if we refused the offer .. did we really waste a serious chance for peace, and involved ourselves in a battle we had the chance to avoid it .. even if we decided one of the options, what should we tell the young prince, and how!" .. "What young prince!" said Aulmagan .. "Yudan son of the king Zakhon!" said I .. "...!, This guy!" said Aulmagan .. "What you're thinking!" said Shihan .. "What am I thinking!, we have the son of the king in our hands..." said Aulmagan .. "He's no body!, not even his father, Dowmylds is the disaster" said I .. "Dowmylds is now living the last days of his life!" said Aulmagan .. "Hahaha!" Shihan laughed .. "Underestimating your enemy is an enemy commander Nileo!" said I .. "We have

the son of the king in our hands, it's a card we can play with! .. what's wrong about having him in hand" said Aulmagan .. "Our main target in this battle commander Aulmagan is to make them give up and leave .. how shall they leave while their prince is behind our walls .. all what you shall do is energizing their determination against us, and this's something we don't want to give them!" said Shihan .. "Mister Shihan, their determination is not gonna work against me and my men!" said Aulmagan .. "Since then what's the use of holding Yudan here!, you don't need him anyway!" said Shihan .. "And it's not honorable to take as a hostage, a man came to me as a messenger!" said I .. "Ok!, it's your decision .. just give me this Downmylds in the battle field...!" Aulmagan said .. "I think we better give them no response .. we can tell him to visit us few days later to give him our final word" said Shihan .. "Days! .. come on king! .. don't give the bird the chance to fly!" said

Alumagan .. "Alright king!, I think he has the right to try, give him the chance .. let him try Dowmylds!" said Shihan...

In the enemy field, Dowmylds was in the front of his army, waiting for Yudan! .. Yudan seemed so disappointed...

"He said you're gonna see our response soon!" Yudan said to Dowmylds .. "Well done...!" so confidently said Dowmylds .. "What!" said Yudan, while he was looking at Dowmylds bewilderment...!

Dowmylds gave him a message .. "Fly to the king with this message...!" .. and then, Gromid has appeared with his huge convoy of supplies...

At the same time, Aulmagan was arranging his army outside...

Here we are...!

On the walls, there were me and Shihan...

“May I ask you my lord, who is that guy!” said Shihan .. “He’ll show us soon .. I’ve tried Iyndlaf once .. was a brilliant choice .. it was you as a counselor .. now, Aulmagan as a commander...” said I .. “Amm! .. who is Iyndlaf!” .. “Somebody of those whom they’re beyond the mystery .. believe me! .. even me, don’t exactly know!” .. “What an answer! .. how can you trust them!” .. “No no no! .. they’re so trustful, they’re my brother’s company .. you’ll join us soon too, I guess!” .. “What an answer again!” .. “Yeah mate! .. world is biiigger than you what you see!”...

In the enemy field...

“Gromid!, I wasn’t expecting tha...” said Yudan just before Dowmylds interrupts him saying “Yudan!, fly to the king, fly!” then he flew...

“Glad to see you here!, come on little son get a

cover, there's a battle about to begin..." said Dowmylds .. "I don't want to get a cover! .. if those soldiers shall fight I'm ready to fight with them" said Gromid .. "Little prince, rush actions taxes are sometimes unaffordable!, plea..." .. "I'm not little, don't call me this anymore please! .. I'll join this battle..." .. "..., Are you sure!" .. "You'll see"...

Aulmagan mobilized his army slowly, approaching Dowmylds's army, but as he's getting closer, he has accelerated, then he turned around Dowmylds's army .. immediately Dowmylds made one of his signs then some of the soldiers raised a flag and made a loud shout...

"What he's doing!" said I .. "I, have, no, idea!" said Shihan...

Dowmylds's army mobilized too .. then Aulmagan returned to his first place, slowly .. then he accelerated while he was approaching the other side, the right side of the army, the left to us...

*"I think he's aiming the rear!" said Shihan ..
"Supplies!" said I...*

Dowmylds's army mobilized again to cover the rear .. so Aulmagan returned to the middle position, then he accelerated, approaching the other side .. then they mobilized and covered the other side .. "So!" said I .. "Is he trying to exhaust them!" said Shihan, we looked to each other .. "..., Look he's using his own advantage, very bad!, haha!" said Shihan .. Aulmagan kept doing this .. till we got bored, but he didn't get bored, and did it again and again and again...

At sunset he backed and entered the fort with his army .. then Dowmylds gave a sign to his soldiers to sit and rest .. our soldier celebrated on the walls, they kinda considered this a victory...

"He looks good!" said Shihan .. "We are the other guys my friend!" said I .. "Good job commander!" said I to Aulmagan .. "Damn him!, he's good" said

Aulmagan .. "He's Dowmylds mister Aulmagan" said Shihan .. "No really!, he's good .. he didn't do a single mistake! .. I was waiting when his soldiers change their defensive formation and try to engage .. nothing! .. he mobilizes his army like he mobilizes his arm" said Aulmagan .. "Afraid!" said I .. "They got no chance!, I'll get them to their knees! .. we have a complete advantage against them! .. I wish if we were equivalent to make a fair battle! .. damn, it would be a big lose that this fair battle between Aulmagan Nileo versus Norm Dowmylds shall never happen" .. "Believe me you don't want face this man in a fair battle!" said Shihan .. "Why Shihan, we won against Dowmylds in the thunder day with great advantage to him!" said I .. "This was a legendary battle!, once in history .. and it's components were there, our fort, our hero soldiers, you my lord! .. perhaps you're not so expert as Dowmylds or this nice guy, but I got to admit that your spirit is

amazing, and you're super inspirational .. there's something within you I miss in the others .. and after all it was a legendary day .. it was the day of my life! .. I was born that day..." said Shihan .. "There's a story here to tell!" said Aulmagan .. "Aha!, one big story actually! .. but I repeat Shihan's advice to you, underestimating your enemy, is an enemy!" said I .. "I agree!, but underestimating yourself is a worse enemy mister Shihan" .. "So correct!" said Shihan .. "Okay okay! .. we now need to 'residize' your men in their kingdom, their new home .. I want them to connect the people and mix with our soldiers .. melt in the society, you know!" said I .. "We better discuss this later! .. we have no time to give to Dowmylds's soldiers to rest, this should be our top priority for now" said Aulmagan .. "No problem!, take your chance!"

Next day...

Aulmagan...! .. no need to say .. the same...!

At noon, I got bored actually, I couldn't enjoy this stupid repetition like Shihan could .. I've left to the palace to sleep for a while...

*Just after the sunset, I woke up on a great noise...
I've heard great noise on the walls from my palace
.. what happened...!*

Instantly I went to the walls...

On my way I found our gates open and I've seen soldiers of Dowmylds's army entering our kingdom...!

I've lost my heart at this moment...!

Shihan came to me laughing, and there were celebrations on the walls .. "haaaafffoooo!", I've returned my heart back, "What happened...!" said I .. Shihan was shaking both of his hands

extremely happy “Where were you! .. you’ve just missed the day of your life...!” .. this made me so interested .. I run to up the walls to see .. “Oh wow!”, Aulmagan was back with prisoners from Dowmylds’s army .. he looked at me and raised his sword shouting “ARKAUUUUUUUUUUUUS...!”...

“I can’t believe it...!” said I .. Shiahn came to me and pointed at some young guy from the prisoners and said “This’s Gromid son of Zakhon Madlian, a prisoner from the battle field...” .. “What happened! .. what did I miss...!” said I .. “I said, you’ve missed the day of your life .. come on now! .. we should congratulate the triumphant .. thank your Iyndlaf by my name...”...

“Great job Commander!” said I .. “Not yet, we need to give the horses some rest, tomorrow is off, then we’ll see what we can do the day after...” said Aulmadan .. “Give horses some rest! .. if the horses

need some rest, so how about Dowmylds's soldiers .. it could be our chance!" said I .. "I prefer to enter my battles with my full power .. our victory is made by our strength, not enemy weakness" .. said Aulmagan .. "Nice strategy! .. he's doing great with it my lord" said Shihan .. "You got it commander..."

"We should show the prisoners great hospitality .. especially the king's son, Gromid .. we got a card now" said Shihan .. "Let Dowmylds's all soldiers come Shihan as captives and I'll welcome them in my palace haha! .. do what you see..." said I .. "Look at the soldiers, ours and the new .. I think they're residing now" .. "I still can't believe it, is this a dream! .. we're winning against Dowmylds...! .. tell me how could this happen!" .. "Let me first finish the issue of the prisoners .. until you make a nice talk with both of our soldiers, the new and the old .. then I'll back to show you the battle as you're seeing it..."

I went to my soldiers and first whom I met was Wang “ARKAUUUS!” .. “Haha! .. I’m so unlucky I didn’t live this day with you!” said I .. “When shall come our turn my lord!” said Wang .. “Your role on the walls isn’t less important than those whom they’re in the battle field Wang, if not you!, Dowmylds should be standing right where I’m” said I .. “Tell your new mates about this legendary day .. you made a legendary battle at this day .. it shall never be forgotten, it’s still the day of our life!” said I .. “Oh yeah we will!” said Wang .. “However!, your turn shall come!” I just said and they all shouted “YEAAAAAH!”...

Shihan came at this time, then we went up the walls to look at the battle scene .. then he began the battle...

“Just like every time, he kept moving by his army .. mid, right, mid, left” said Shihan .. “Yeah yeah!, then...” said I .. “He kept doing this just like you

were seeing before you leave" .. "Okay!" .. "After you left he kept doing it so..." .. "Nice!, and then..." .. "He kept doing this until they became so exhausted .. mid, right, mid, left..." .. "Mid, right, mid, left, mid, right, mid, left" .. "No! .. mid, right, mid, left, mid, right, and then he continued with the army, to complete a circle .. then a great disorder happened in Dowmylds's soldiers lines, but they miraculously ordered again and could cover the rear, and Aulmagan continues, and they after him .. all of this he was waiting them to change their intensified defensive form, and they too, insist to never engage without it..." .. "Come on...!"

"During this, just before the mid, while they were struggling after him, the rear half of Aulmagan's army splits, and inverses its direction .. while the rear is partially uncovered, just behind them...! .. full attack...!"

“Hahahaha! .. I missed this!, I really missed this...” .. “Covering the rear by moving back the army was just gonna make the last part of their army between both sides of our army .. so Dowmylds chose to continue the round and keeps solidifying his army, opening the rear for us...! .. Aulmagan destroyed as he could from their supplies and arrested some of Dowmylds’s soldiers, and the prince was one of them...” .. “Then he retreated avoiding Dowmylds’s counterattack!” .. “Exactly!” .. “If just Aulmagan’s plan worked as it should!” .. “He could destroy Dowmylds’s army .. it could be Dowmylds’s first defeat .. haah, wow...!” .. “It’s coming, Aulmagan uses his advantage to the edge, he smashes them with exhaustion, then he hits them by his full power in their most weak points, then flies, giving them no chance for any counter attack .. what a bad guy .. how unlucky you Dowmylds...”...

“What’s this! .. where’s Dowmylds army...!” said

Shihan...

“Oh no!, here it is! .. Dowmylds is mobilizing his army .. he is retreating .. bring me Aulmagan immediately!” said I...

When Aulmagan came on the walls, Dowmylds’s army was disappeared in the darkness of the night...

“What’s going on!” said Aulmagan .. “Dowmylds mobilized his army” said I .. “They won’t go far!” said Aulmagan .. “Aren’t they retreating!” said Shihan .. “An amateur commander with much less experience than Dowmylds knows well that he can’t, he’s just maneuvering!” Aulmagan said .. “So!” said I .. “Nothing, we shall take our rest fully, let them play, they’ll just exhaust their selves more...” said Aulmagan .. “Shouldn’t we send whom follow them, to site them!” said I .. “Pretty dangerous in the night!” said Aulmagan .. “Can

he disassemble the army and just melt in the open area" said I .. "That's a suicide .. we still faster than them, we'll hunt them just like chickens .. I can't even hope so! .. not Dowmylds..." said Aulmagan .. "He just wants us to keep ready, while his army is taking some rest!" said Shihan .. "He didn't give up yet, don't forget, the king's son is still in our hand, haha!" said Aulmagan .. "If you were him!, what would you do Aulmagan!" said I .. "Take my fast ride home!" said Aulmagan .. "Leaving those poor soldiers to their destiny!" said Shihan .. "There's nothing to do here dear!, at least I can come back with a bigger army and revenge them..." said Aulmagan .. "But Dowmylds shall not do this!" said Shihan .. "And this, is what gonna kill him..."

Two days later .. Dowmylds is back with his army...

After a good rest, Aulmagan gets out...

It could be the end of it today...

He approaches towards Dowmylds's army...

The same stupid boring thing...

But at this time, exhaustion appeared on Dowmylds's soldiers, the rest wasn't enough for

them, they're not horses...

Aulmagan used it badly...

When he was revolving around them he was attack and back, attack and back! .. Dowmylds's army seemed like a lion desperately trying to survive against many hyenas...

Like this, until noon...

Then Dowmylds's army mobilizes, retreating .. or trying to...

Aulmagan gave them no chance .. and attacks them forcing the army to engage with him .. and when they try to engage, he disengages...

So unlucky army .. they were in the wrong place with the wrong guy...

Dowmylds's army kept retreating .. and while retreating, they were trying to catch Aulmagan's

army...

But they don't retreat, or even catch Aulmagan...

The end of it...

*Dowmylds's army leaves its equipment behind ..
the soldiers take off their shields and throw them in
our army way .. for sake of moving faster, and
slowing down our army .. it worked a little...*

And after Aulmagan crossed these obstructions...!

*And most of Dowmylds's army are without their
shields...!*

"ATTAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAACK...!"

Aulmagan made a full attack...

Here, was the first time...!

The first time ever I see Norm Dowmylds shouting...!

Dowmylds shouted supremely loudly while he's making his arms like.....!

“CRESCEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEENT...!”

And while our army is taking so offensive form with a sharp front, and disassembled lines .. and engaged with Dowmylds's soldiers...

Dowmylds's army front and rear in a wink became lines, and switched their positions, with its weapons .. the shielded in the rear became the heavy shielded front .. the crescent! .. and the archers whom pretended that they're the heavy shielded front, returned archers in the rear...!

Then Dowmylds shouted the second shout...

"SWALLOWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW...!"

And they rushed towards our army which was rushing in a total disorder .. reaping them just like the farmer reaps his harvest...

Since the shields were on the floor, we retreat from full attack to fall back!

We made the most horrible retreat ever...

And we've lost quarter of our army, and Aulmagan was captured...!

Then Dowmylds shows up, approaching our walls with his army...

Just like the first day he came...

The undefeated commander .. Norm Dowmylds...!

In the lion's den...

Dowmylds was sitting while his soldiers were bringing the triumphant Aulmagan to him, in his chains...!

"Remove these things..." said Dowmylds .. so they removed it...

"Sit!" Dowmylds said to Aulmagan .. but Aulmagan ignored him, and looked away .. "As you like! .. where are you from!" said Dowmylds .. "I don't want to tell you!" said Aulmagn .. "You're a brilliant commander" said Dowmylds .. "You'll see!" said Aulmagan .. Dowmylds's soldiers were not giving any reactions .. no laughing no mocking .. so decent .. their leader inspired them so, good for them...

"Is there something you want for now!" said Dowmylds .. "You don't want to know!" .. "Ok!, take a rest..." .. "I will, but I got to undertake some quest first" .. "Good luck then..." .. "I don't need luck!" .. "No you don't .. you just need a little more humble! .. and then you'll be a great commander...!" Dowmylds said, then left him...

*"We were deceived in Aulmagan!" said Shihan ..
"No!, we were deceived in Dowmylds" said I ..
"As heavy as the mountain on his place, as heavy
as Dowmylds on his place" said I...*

*"I better accept the terms of peace..." said I .. "If
they still exist..." said Shihan .. I looked at him ..
"..., So I've just lost my kingdom...!" said I .. "We
have lost nothing, hold it Welldam .. where's your
spirit...!" .. said Shihan .. "Was just a dream...!,
'good morning king', 'good night my lord' ..
palaces, a big army .. people loudly shouting by my
name .. the honorable king Welldam .. was just a*

dream..." said I, then I cried...

Shihan hugged me, "Son!, as you keep looking at the kingship, and hear your title in your ear 'king Welldam', see palaces, armies .. you'll see just like sun is shining .. and beyond losing this all is a dark place, you see nothing in .. but this's not true .. remember yourself just before you're a king, forget you once was!, look at the normal people, how do they make their happiness! .. if you look at your sadness of losing a kingship, you'll see everybody isn't a king is falling in darkness, he should not live .. but actually he lives .. he makes his own happiness .. he laughs more than us, sleeps deeper than us .. I see worst kind of fear, is fear of losing something you owned, owned it hard, until it owned you! .. unchain yourself from this fear! .. life still awaits! .. a life is free of fear! .. I bet you were more rest hearted when you was this Mydaban .. if you don't get from losing your kingship but stop escaping this fear of losing your

kingship that hunts you all the time, so congratulations!"

I stood up, "Postpone these congratulations Shihan .. I'm not yet lost my kingship .. and I'm not planning to lose it..."

"A messenger from Dowmylds my lord" said one of my servants .. "Get him! .. where are the prisoners Shihan..." said I .. "In the old palace" said Shihan .. "Bring them here..." said I...

About fifty soldier came, one of them was different .. looks like a prince .. Gromid Madlian...

"Come here!" I said to him .. "You shouldn't be in the soldiers lines!" said I .. "Why shouldn't I!" .. "You couldn't be here now!" said I .. "Just like them, just like me!" .. "Leave us!"...

Then I saw Shihan is leaving, "I didn't mean you Shihan!" .. "I better leave you alone!" said Shihan...

"The messenger has arrived king!" said my servant .. "Let him wait!" said I .. "What's your story!" said I .. "What story!" said Gromid .. "You look like a prince, but you don't behave like one .. you don't look like your brother!" .. "I'm not a fool..." .. "You don't like to be a prince, a great kingship awaits!" .. "I don't see any joy in burning in the fire of stress and struggling escaping the hunt of fear of losing a such title" .. "If you believe in what you're doing you can take this all" .. "Well I don't, only fool sees it worth..." .. "How shall you spend your life so!, playing with the kids" .. "I better do!" .. "You're just saying, a such fool young man" .. "And to be not fool, what should I do!" .. "Engage life, live it .. rise high! .. what's wrong about titles!" .. "And what if I just found some people love me and I love them, then we spent our life as a fruitful tree, ready with the hand of help for everybody, beloved from everybody .. our life is free of stress, free of fear, free of envy, free of hate! .. I

wake up with rest heart, sleep with rest heart .. and then I've exchanged this kind of life, with one other kind of life, full of stress, full of fear, full of envy, full of hate .. where nobody really loves you, and you love no body .. all of this, for the sake of a title! .. what shall you call me...!, say it...!" ...

"..., BRING IN THE MESSENGER...!" I shouted...

The messenger entered, a such soldier this time...

"Greetings for the honorable king Welldam son of Arthmeed, I have a message from my lord commander Norm son of Dowmylds..." said he...

"Show up!" said I .. "From Norm son of Dowmylds, to the honorable king Welldam son of Arthmeed .. our salutes for your highness, and for your brave soldiers .. we had the honor to show some of your brave men, whom they're our guests now, some of our humble hospitality .. and I'm

sure that your highness do the same to your guests from our men .. but in the end they preferred your site over our humble site .. so they're in their way to your highness .. my salutes, Norm Dowmylds..."

Yes! .. just Norm Dowmylds .. a name extinguishes a thousand titles!

I've sent Dowmylds his men back, and I got our horses back for the young prince .. I don't need the prince, he doesn't need the horses .. fair deal...

I and Shihan met the triumphant Aulmagan Nileo in the palace...

He entered with the shame of the defeat on his face...

I walked around him silent for a while, then I lost my self...!

"DOWMYLDS, IS LIVING THE LAST DAYS OF HIS LIIIIIIIIIFE...!

DOWMYLDS'S SOLDIERS GOT NO CHANCE
AGAINST MINE...!

WE HAVE THE COMPLETE
ADVANTAAAAAAAAAAAAAGE...!"

"We still have the advantage! .. we've lost a battle .. but we still can win the war...!" Aulmagan said .. "Yeah yeah, tell me! .. tell me tell me! .. shall you take us to the moon next complete moon!" said I .. "I didn't know Dowmylds!" said Aulmagan .. "Aha! .. but you did now! .. were his eyes blue, was his beard red!" said I .. "I didn't know he's this kind of bad .. you didn't warn me enough!" said Aulmagan .. "Yeah Shihan, why you didn't make him a song about Dowmylds to warn him enough, you should do it man!" said I .. "Yeah you should! .. 'underestimating your enemy is an enemy!' .. you can tell this about Dushen Yabdumera the king of barbarians in the South Earth, and it'll be useful .. when you see a fisher tries to make fishing in the whales ocean using the sharks net, you got to

*tell him what a whale is!" Aulmagan said ..
"Haaahhh, anyway! .. no use for squealing on the
spilled milk .. you now know Dowmylds, aren't
you! .. if you got something to do .. I want to
see..." said I...*

*In the night the young prince met Dowmylds in
his tent...*

*"Thanks for saving my nick!" said Gromid .. "I've
saved my nick indeed, losing you for king Zakhon
is worse than losing his kingdom!" said Dowmylds
.. "Haha!, how pathetic!" .. "This's true!" .. "You
know more than me that no king has anything is
more important than his kingship commander" ..
"Except your father!" .. "I can't understand you
Dowmylds" .. "What you don't understand!" ..
"You don't look like my father, you don't look like
Yudan .. you're a different kind of man .. but you
do like they do!" .. "And what they do!" ..
"Where's our right of taking the kingdom of this*

man, or any other man! .. if someone steals a ring this's bad, it's a crime, punishable by law .. but when we steal a kingdom it's good, it's an honor .. everybody has the right to look after his advantages .. and so we too .. which kind of world is this where the crime is relative .. law is relative .. so no goodness, no evil .. they're all relative virtues .. when somebody justifies to himself killing me, and stealing my own, I shouldn't blame him .. because I'm doing the same thing .. which kind of world is this....!" .. "This's a big story!" .. "I'm all ears!" .. "....., Hmm! .. I've missed justice during my life .. my people just like the other people, saw the world as you say .. 'We and They' .. the word crime is not exist outside of the tribe .. we have the right to look after our advantages, and so the others .. this's the rule of life! .. I didn't like it .. but I was just about to believe in it .. I got no other world to judge by! .. I've tried to accept my ugly world as what it is .. but I failed! .. I began to have a doubt

about this rule of life .. but the hope in a just world was like a far candle in the night .. between shade and darkness! .. this's the world that our fathers lived in, and we shall live in, and so our sons .. trying to find another world with another rule of life is just waste of time! .. until once! .. one big chief of a big tribe invaded our lands .. and conquered us .. in the morning we found ourselves in his hand, our chiefs subdued to him .. then we didn't find our money stolen, or ourselves enslaved .. then just before our eyes, I found him make a trial for three of his men, they have raped a young girl of ours .. and he executed them!, I was shocked! .. then I said 'This's justice' .. it exists, it's not a dream! .. this man was Madlian The Great, your grandfather...!" .. "Ohhh! .. my father never told me about this story!" .. "Can you imagine the feeling when you live in a dark world, where everybody deals to it on his way, while finding a candle is your ultimate wish .. then

suddenly while you're playing in a cave, you found the sun .. then you run to your people saying I've found a sun, I've found a sun!" .. "Wow!" .. "But unexpectedly! .. your people say no!, move it away!, it's out shining our candles...!" .. "What...!" .. "Our chiefs said what a fool! .. and in the night, they arranged an attack on his camp .. but I was faster than them .. and went to him, and warned him .. so he decided to rearrange his men .. but I told him that if they came and found you ready they'll just retreat, as nothing happened! .. but move away with your men, and just leave your camp the same, with a little of your men, and make them an ambush .. he smashed them! .. traitor am I!" .. "How great are you my lord! .. I thought people like you don't exist!" .. "I was orphan when I was too young .. my father was sorry for this, he wished if he lived longer life to teach me his wisdom .. but he didn't .. so he tried something .. he left me this parchment!"

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Life is small worlds, in a Big World...

Whom live in their small worlds, never see the complete picture .. they never make a correct calculation...

"How beautiful words...!" .. "He was not a good writer, but he tried his best .. concisely!" .. "He combined his treasures in only five gems" .. "He

wanted to grow me up as a human" .. "He did!" ..
"So I became don't believe in Nationality, I believe
in the Humanity...!" .. "Oh yes, but this principle
could be misused!" .. "If we didn't lose our fear of
taking the wrong step, we shall never take the right
step .. if we didn't lose our fear of the miss use, we
shall never use the knife, we shall never use the fire
.. and they're indispensable .. the problem here isn't
in the tool, the problem is in the user .. any good
thing can be misused if it's in the wrong hand ..
bad people can sabotage every good thing .. but
nothing they can sabotage is worse than sabotaging
our faith in goodness .. to make us surrender to
fear...! .. I've spent my life with your grandfather
Madlian the Great building this kingdom" ..
"Doing the wrong thing for the right reason ..
what kind of justice is this when you rain people
with fire before you even negotiate them!" .. "I
asked my lord Madlian the Great the same question
.. and he told me that he was trying negotiation

first, but the result was just like my people did, show people your might first, then negotiate!, this's how to protect them from themselves .. turning their homes down is better than taking their lives!" .. "Aha!" .. "But this was wrong! .. if you reconcile with your arrogance and neglect .. you shall never correct your mistakes .. I'm not this kind of man .. when I saw Welldam's valiant men bravely resisting us that day .. I've figured out that this's wrong, it works only with cowards! .. it was a mistake .. this'll be my last time doing this!" .. "I'm about changing my mind!" .. "I wish if I live long until we conquer the whole two Earths, even the barbarians of the south .. to get them in a society is full of justice free of poverty, to get them civilized .. but leaving people suffering for generations under the feet of tyranny, drowned in poverty .. saying we shouldn't intervoene in other kingdom's issues, we should respect every king's sovereignty in his kingdom .. this's a betray for our

humanity! .. and those national valiant guys whom spare their lives for their nationality are very very wrong .. Nationality is to serve the tyrant .. to spare your life to save the tyrant his title .. a king or a prince or or! .. those whom ready to persecute their nations to save these titles .. each one takes some land with its people and makes a fence and calls himself a king! .. and besides him another, and besides the other another .. then fight they each other .. using those poor people as a fuel for their conflicts .. just because each one wants to expand his fence .. to have a bigger title .. and this Welldam is a such one of them!"

.. "..., I need to reconsider! .. I really need to...!" .. "If he really cares for his people he should ask himself .. what's better for them, to live under the authority of the greatest kingdom in the world, or to live in his pathetic fort .. if he loves his title, we offered him to keep it, and unify our nations .. to avoid a history of wars between our both kingdoms

if he made his an opponent for ours .. a brave man does so..." .. "So we're right!" .. "If we're not right, we're trying our best to be .. this's a way wrong people don't take .. I still have hope with him .. a brilliant man like him should know men, should find a way to deal to them! .. who's not good at something but ramming is a ram..." .. "Let me talk to him!" .. "You better be fast .. soon we're gonna be inside his kingdom!" .. "What! .. soon!, how!" .. "By the next of the next moon completion this should be done, if nothing occurred again!" .. "Well, let it be! .. I don't want to exhaust myself for saving this kind of man, haha..."

At the other side from the world...

"What a plan!" King Zakhon said after he's seen the encrypted message of Dowmylds .. "What it's about!" said Yudan .. "I'll tell you, this's a big deal .. but from where did he get this huge aid!" .. "We have no idea .. mercenaries!, could be!" .. "How

about the situation there!" .. "The fort is so immune, and Welldam's men are so stubborn, resistance is not easy at all .. but Dowmylds told me you're here to take this man's kingdom and you will .. he was so confident .. until he received the information about the aid, ten thousand knights .. he lost his mind, or perhaps he pretended so!" .. "Pretended!" .. "I think so! .. he sent me to Welldam saying find us a peaceful retreat treaty and these things! .. and when I back I told him that I failed, he said 'Well done!'" .. "Hm!, that Dowmylds!, nobody understands him but me!" .. "Then he gave me this message, and told me to fly to you!" .. "Well done .. nice nice nice nice nice .. nice again! .. one more nice! .. okay! .. mercenaries, that was a great mistake from us .. we should cut this way on him .. but some of harmful is useful .. get some rest, and I'll tell you what to do" .. "Tell me now! .. what's the plan!" .. "Nooo no no no! .. this's a big deal..."

In our side from the World...

*"Mercenaries!" said I .. "My lord!" said Shihan ..
"And you who will get them Shihan!" said I ..
"We could find a use for them!" said Aulmagan ..
"Of course we will! .. two things Shihan,
mercenaries and a large convoy of supplies .. you'll
go with a cover from our knights .. one thousand
are enough!" said I .. "More than enough!" said
Aulmagan .. "How much time do you need!" said I
.. "How many of mercenaries do you want" said
Shihan .. "Thousands! .. infantry, knights, archers!*

.. get as much as you can .. perhaps we're not as rich as Zakhon Madlian, but we have enough" said I .. "Two to three month!" said Shihan .. "During those three month commander Aulmagan, I want no piece of bread enters to their camp!" said I .. "Done!, but they are not gonna starve during this time, they already have received a huge convoy of supplies just before we begin the fight" said Aulmagan .. "No they're not gonna starve .. but later they will!" said I .. "After your permission my lord!" said Shihan .. "No Shihan!, and give me a vacation from your advices until I take this Dowmylds down, I need to remember Welldam who I forgot..."...

Two months and two weeks later...

Our aid has arrived...

Come on come on come on! .. Aulmagan was covering them while they were entering the kingdom .. but actually they weren't so needing it .. one thousand knight, four thousand infantry, two thousand archer...

I went to Wang on the walls "You was asking about when your turn shall come .. here it comes!" said I .. "We shall see who are the men!"...

Dowmylds and Gromid in the front of their army were watching .. I swung my fist for them from the walls...

In the palace...

"Welcome back Shihan!, good job!" said I .. "I could get more, but I chose those .. the best of the bad!" said Shihan .. "Bad or good, it doesn't matter .. what matters is saving this kingdom" said I .. "Plans!" said Aulmagan .. "We shall bleed them to death...!" ...

In the other side of the field...

Dowmylds was standing alone .. seemed so upset...

Gromid came and stood beside him .. "My lord, this's the third moon completion!" .. "We got nothing to do but waiting!" said Dowmylds .. "I've just received a secret message from my father!" said Gromid .. "To the army, or to you!" said Dowmylds .. "Here it is!" Gromid said and gave it to Dowmylds "He's needing me severely ..

but the messengers told me that they are here weeks ago! .. they couldn't come until this guy moved his army away to cover their convoy!" .. Dowmylds sat on the floor when he saw the message...

"What! .. is there anything wrong my lord!" said Gromid .. Dowmylds kept silent for a while .. then he stood, and hugged Gromid with a tear in his eye, saying "Honor is a crown, heavy on the heads of the cads .. and honesty is a suit, uncovers the traitors .. I'll miss you young prince!"...

Gromid looked at him .. "You're crying my lord...!"

"Haaaahhh! .. gather the men for me! .. I want to talk to them..."

Before his soldiers...

The situation was so obvious in Dowmylds's face!

"For many years ago .. we were together! .. travelled together, marched together, held together, ate together, starved together, struggled together, fought together, showed the best bravery and valor .. made the victory after the victory .. conquered many lands .. were never defeated by others .. were never defeated by ourselves .. showed the respect, treated with elegancy .. and we built a great

kingdom .. where everyone can have a fine life .. you have the blessing of the families that now everywhere in our large kingdom, they're blessed with a life saves their dignity, so bless you! .. I'm proud of you..."

Dowmylds silenced for a while, then he continued...

"Did I fail any of you!"

"We are witnessing you didn't our lord!" his soldiers said...

"Today I want you to don't fail me!" Dowmylds said and held himself of crying before his men .. then they cried...

"I was orphan! .. my father didn't live long to grow me up as a man .. he wished if he can live to teach me some lessons about life .. but he left this for me! .. then Dowmylds recited it on them...

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*I've learnt to be a man .. up to my responsibilities ..
our lives are going to end one day, this's a must ..
life is not the point .. but the point is how did you
live .. did you make the world a better place, or a
worse place .. or you just lived, then just left! .. you
got to do something makes you when your day
comes, you remember it and say proudly 'I did this'
.. now! .. when I look at you .. real men! .. I say 'I
did this!'"*

Then the men squealed...

“I want you to live...!”

“I want you to live .. spread in the lands .. teach people what I taught you .. tell your sons and daughter about our stories .. how did we make this world a better place .. make people believe in goodness and greatness...”

During this while I was watching from the walls, our new guests were making a loud noise, looks like Shihan didn't tell them that they're gonna involve in a battle with Dowmylds .. I wanted to keep watch Dowmylds's field since he began hugging his soldiers .. I want to know what's happening there .. but it seems that things need me to intervene now...

“AULMAGAN .. ASSEMBLE THE ARMY .. THIS DOWMYLDS ISN'T GONNA SEE THE SUN RISING OF THE NEXT MORNING .. GET IT OOOOOOOOOOOOOON...!” I shouted loudly .. I needed to show those new guests

that they're working for a man doesn't fear Dowmylds .. also, he's not so kind guy .. some of them became interested and joined ours whom should loudly .. and the rest have just stopped complaining .. now, do or die...

But before we do anything, "My lord look...!" said Wang...

He was Dowmylds approaching our walls...

Alone...!!!

This view has muted all of us...

Then he stood between his army and our walls...

So...!

None of us knows what's happening...!

We kept like this .. nobody says a word, so...!

Shihan came and looked at me...!, I didn't ask him

.. I've just told him to stop advising me .. but I understood his look .. means "Come on!" ...

Come on what...!

Oh! .. should I go to meet him...

I've never imagined something like this before...

I was so confused...!

What should I do...!

I stayed drowned in my confusion...!

The man is awaiting.....!

Then I've just gone...!

I'm approaching Norm Dowmylds now...!

Every step gets me closer to him, makes me feel more prestige from him! .. so magnificent...

Comparing with this, the fight to death matches are

just kidding...!

I feel empty, I feel hollow inside...!

One thousand thousand idea are fighting each other in my mind...

Should I go...!

Why should I...!

Why I didn't send Shihan, or any body, why me...!

Why should I be afraid like this...!

I'm not afraid! .. this's different...!

Respect...! .. over respect...!

Ideas ideas ideas fighting each other in my mind...!

Just shut up...!

And here, we, are...!

Face to face with Norm Dowmylds...

I'm the one who is coming, I should say something!

*Hello!, Hi!, Good morning!, Bad morning! ..
anything...!*

Words flew from my tongue! .. I was melting...!

The man has a dreadful presence...!

*I felt so small, so tiny! .. I felt if he said to me give
me this kingdom I would say to him here it is...!*

So he spoke...!

"You're better than what I thought!" said he...

I, no response...!, still can't speak...

*"Excuse me for my wrong thinking about you"
said he...*

I've just held myself from saying "Thanks My

lord!" .. My lord...!!!

I've just nodded...

*"Me instead my men, one time offer...!" he said
then he gone...!*

*I backed with the words .. still feel myself in a
coma...*

*Everybody was yearning to know what
happened...*

*"'Me instead my men' .. he said!" said I to Shihan
and Aulmagan...*

Aulamagan went away...!

Shihan went to sit away, seemed slain...

*"One last advice...! .. don't do it son...!" said
Shihan...*

That was my first moment I feel awake from the

coma .. I just got it...

The idea was horrible...

He's sparing his life to save his men lives...!

Which kind of man he thinks I'm...!

He think that I would take a life of a man like him ..

while he's sparing his life to save his men's lives...

How stupid, why should I...!

He's not gonna be even a prisoner...!

But a guest, just like the young prince...

Even instead this useless Aulmagan one day, if I was so lucky...

Shihan stood and came to me saying "Through his life, man meets some situations, they are tests, exams .. to choose your honor! .. or your desire! .. I've met many of them .. taught me a great lesson, in a so bitter way .. this lesson is .. whenever you

meet this kind of exams, so just pass it .. pass it now .. simply because, if you let down your honor! .. and this's the greatest loss! .. you've lost yourself! .. not only so! .. and also, you may lose the thing that you let down your honor and lost yourself for! .. and you may never have the chance again to correct your mistake..."

"What you're thinking about Shihan! .. I'm not gonna do what you're thinking about" said I .. "Let him go my king!" said Shihan...

"There's a middle option!" said I .. "How do you think the worst option wears when it comes to show itself to you .. the middle option's wear! .. sometimes the best option's .. according to how dark your heart is..."

"You'll see what I'm gonna do! .. you'll not expect it!" said I...

"Let him go my king!" said Shihan...

Then I've just left him...

In the night...

I've got every single soldier in my army, ours, Aulmagan's, mercenaries, to be ready if they tried to trap us...

The treaty was both of our armies sites as two opposite corners of a square .. then we leave our horses and move away straightly .. then they do the same with their camp .. and leave their weapons and ordnance .. and move away straightly .. and they approach our horses .. and we approach their

camp .. and there, shall be Dowmylds awaits...

My orders were to destroy their camp and their ordnance instantly, to give them no chance to stay...

While we were approaching...

I saw all kind of dreams before my eyes...

My future long life as a king, king Welldam Arthmeed...!

I'm stepping in the land of dreams...!

Where no Dowmylds .. no threat, no stress, no fear...!

Until suddenly Dowmylds woke me up...

*“HOLD IT MEN!, YOU COULD USE IT...!” he
said to my soldiers...*

*.....They held...! .. and looked at me
wondering...!*

*At this moment I’ve just figured out that there’re
no middle options!*

*The man gives my own men orders, and they
obey...!*

*Immediately I handled the situation,
“HOOOOOOLD...!”*

It should be my order not his...!

It's time...!

The ideas wars backed to break out in my head again...

Why should you show a man came to invade you and take your kingdom any mercy .. why did he even come...

Was he gonna show you any mercy if you were in his hand...!

Shall you take the shame of killing Norm Dowmylds...!

What Dowmylds...!

*He's just an invader, a criminal! .. invades people and takes their own by force .. he is a fear maker...!
.. he should be ashamed of himself...*

This's just a war...!

And he has just lost .. and it's time to pay...

The same could have happen to me if I would have lost...

We could hear Dowmylds's unarmed soldiers squeals from our site...

I went to Aulmagan and unsheathed my dagger!

"I better die...!" he said...

Great...!, one more public disobey and I lose the control...!

I should take it by my own hand...

Dowmylds kneeled, submitting to his destiny...

Or to release me from embarrassment...!

I went to him, and moved my face away!

I don't want to see him looking at me...!

Why I'm feeling I'm doing something wrong .. why!, why!, why...!

Because I'm doing something wrong...! .. no I'm not...!

What's wrong about defending my kingdom...!, and my nick too...

Should I let him go, to get back and take my kingdom, and my life too...

How fool I'm...!

"Sorry my lord!, I'm not planning to lose my kingdom...!"

I just took it...! .. One stab in the heart!

Then I laid down on my face crying .. I went in a coma of crying...

"TRAITOOOOOOOOOR...!" Gromid shout woke me up...

Gates closed, walls filled with soldiers .. Yudan Madlian on the walls...!

And I've seen my kingdom is stolen...!

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