Taming The Stallion

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Nathaniel walks in.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON Alright, I just gotta pick up the money & get on my way to Stallion.

Nathaniel grabs the luggage.

C.I.A AGENT He's got the luggage, what's my next move?

I./E. C.I.A VAN -- DAY

JADEN HAWKINS Return to the van, we'll pursue him quietly, I repeat return to the van.

INT. AIRPORT -- LUGGAGE AREA - DAY

C.I.A AGENT (Into walkie) Copy that sir.

EXT. DIRTY MOTEL

Nathaniel walks out.

MAFIA THUG #1 You got the money Nathaniel?

Nathaniel shows the "money".

MAFIA THUG #2 Good. Get in the car, we'll take ya to the boss.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON Now wait a minute. I have a question about--

MAFIA THUG #2 Boss said you're not allowed to ask questions so just get in the car.

All three head into the car.

INT. ABANDONED WAREHOUSE -- NIGHT

NATHANIEL THOMPSON I'm here Stallion, & I got the money.

THE STALLION It's bout time... check the money boys.

THE STALLION (CONT'D) Y'know I heard you either turned down or betrayed a lot of gangs to get here? How do I know they won't barge down my door right now or that you'll do to the same to me?

NATHANIEL THOMPSON I covered my tracks sir. I assure you no one knows i'm here. Plus the whole entire criminal underworld knows & fears your name. If anyone betrayed you, that would a stupid mistake.

Mafia thugs check money & show Stallion.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON (CONT'D) So? Am I in or what?

THE STALLION DO YOU TAKE ME FOR A FOOL?! THIS CASH IS FAKE!

Tracker beeps.

THE STALLION (CONT'D) What's that noise?

Picks up tracker.

THE STALLION (CONT'D) A tracker?! You brought a tracker into my hideout?!

C.I.A bust in the warehouse.

JADEN HAWKINS FREEZE, YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST!

Gun fight & Nathaniel takes cover.

MAFIA THUG #1 (To Nathaniel) YOU! You're dead meat.

Mafia Thug kicks Nathaniel into boxes.

Nathaniel punches Mafia Thug in the guts & runs.

JADEN HAWKINS I SAID FREEZE!

Jaden tasers Nathaniel.

C.I.A cuff & arrest everyone.

EXT. PRISON YARD -- DAY

PRISON THUG #1 You must Nathaniel Thompson. Description from the boss was spot on.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON What do you two & your boss need? Money, a person, or something else?

PRISON THUG #2 Nah, the boss sent us here to give you a message.

The prison thugs beat up Nathaniel.

PRISON THUG #1 Courtesy of The Stallion

INT. PRISON CELL -- NIGHT

Nathaniel looks around his cell & sees it ruined.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON What's this? Why are there moldy socks, clogged toilets, & a bed made out of stone?

OLD PRISONN THUG Stallion. Thanks to you. This dump will truly smell like a dump.

INT. PRISON LUNCHROOM -- DAY

Nathaniel sits

PRISON THUG #1 You know the rules Thompson. If Stallion wants your food, then he gets it.

Prison thug grabs Nathaniel's lunch tray.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON This is the third time this month. I've rarely had meals nowadays.

PRISON THUG #2 Ya should've thought twice about betraying stallion. No one messes with top dog or else. It's a common rule.

INT. PRISON LUNCHROOM -- CONTINUOUS

NATHANIEL THOMPSON STALLION! I challenge you to a fight for top dog of this prison.

THE STALLION A fight?! You must be crazy. I know you're stupid, but stupid enough to fight a losing battle? Even the punks around here aren't that dumb.

THE GUARD What's going on here?

Stallion slides the guard cash.

THE STALLION Nothing sir, just two gentlemen talking it out.

THE STALLION (CONT'D) Fine, I accept your challenge. Two hours from now, prison yard.

EXT. PRISON YARD -- NIGHT

PRISON THUG #2 You knows the rules, there are none. The first one to knockout or kill their opponent wins the fight & becomes the top dog in the prison. BEGIN. Stallion uppercuts Nathaniel

Nathaniel yanks him by the leg.

THE STALLION I see you live up to ya cheap reputation. Unfortunately your cheap tricks don't really work in the long run.

Stallion karate chops Nathaniel.

Stallion knee strikes Nathaniel in the face.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON WAIT!

Nathaniel pulls small dumbbell from pocket.

THE STALLION What's this? Ya using weapons now? (Looks around) I should've known this guy was just some punk who ain't got the--

Nathaniel strikes him across the face.

Stallion falls unconscious.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON WHO'S TOP DOG NOW HUH?! ME!

NATHANIEL THOMPSON (CONT'D) (Looks at Stallion) Pick him up & throw him into the closet trash can you can find.

2 Prison thugs grab & take Stallion.

NATHANIEL THOMPSON (CONT'D) The rest of you are with me. We got a prison to change & control.