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EPISODE 3: The Trees of Avia

Characters:

Uncle Fargus, earthling, novice (Dave Nelson) Tom Servo, robotman, novice, (Jason Leibert) Robot Bastard, robotman, novice (Bob LaForge) Max Damage, earthling, novice (Dave Hanley) Toolbox Timmy (NPC)

GM: Andrew Smith

Log:

When we last left our heroes, they had just happened upon the oracle of Sandpit. The primal managed to blast the stone edifice apart while Max Damage was visited mentally by the power of the oracle itself. He received a vision about feathers and gloves and such. Meanwhile, the battle against the primals raged, but the villains were finally crushed. In the aftermath the heroes find that KKK-Kree-Chack (aka "Steve") was slain in the crossfire. They return him to the High Priest and are rewarded with a laser sword for Robot Bastard. The heroes start off for Avia following a hunch about the feathers.

On the way, the heroes happen on a pirate raider attacking a fancy purple-ribbed rocketship. A woman's voice crackles over the radiophone offering half her cargo if the heroes help her get safely to Barter. The heroes do so and board the vessel. Ran Skaldi is the name of the Valkyrian captain of the "Purple Infiltrator" (later dubbed the "flying dildo" by Robot Bastard). Skaldi quickly takes to Max Damage, and the two have sexual relations in short order whilst Uncle Fargus fixes the damage the Purple Infiltrator took in the pirate raid. The heroes escort Skaldi to barter and gain some more cash and the Valkyrian's friendship.

Uncle Fargus visits an old fence named "Snowball" for a favor selling some of the goods at a premium. Snowball promises favors in return for returning her longtime lover "Sparticus" who was stolen by another cross-dressing kingpin Jorr-Don. The heroes drop in on Jorr-Don, a cross dressing brown lump of an alien that can only be described as "Jabba the Hutt dressed in Princess Lea's slave outfit". Negotiations for Sparticus' release break down and a firefight ensues. All of Jorr-Don's goons, hypnotized minions, and robot sentries are destroyed and the heroes flee the angry alien with Sparticus in tow. The heroes sell their loot at an amazing profit and prepare for their trip to Avia.

At Avia, the heroes are asked to park their ship far below the bird-men's huge sky city nested within the hugest trees ever seen. Fearing capture for his liquor store indiscretion, Uncle Fargus refuses to leave the ship when herald Twoot arrives to escort the heroes to visit King Throx. Along the way, the heroes are ambushed by a bunch of bird men with black head feathers. Simultaneously, black headdress bird men attempt

to invade the ship with Uncle Fargus on it. The bird men are fought off and the falling Tom Servo caught in midair and the group is finally shown to the throne chamber by the comely bird-man (woman) Captain Scrawk. Here King Throx appears enthralled by his younger son Prince Craw and orders the heroes slain. A huge fight breaks out amongst the trees, with the heroes finally victorious. King Throx is freed from Prince Craw's mental grip and asks the heroes' help to free his older son, promising a hero's reward.