

BROTHERZ

SEASON 1, EPISODE 3: MEET MARTIN

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words appear on screen

"2 MONTHS LATER"

OPEN ON:

INT. BARRON RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - MORNING

A man is pacing back and forth on the phone

This is MARTIN BARRON, 40 years old, wearing a blue shirt and black pants, he sighs

MARTIN

I'm sorry, Clyde, I can't come into  
today...both my wife and daughter  
are sick...

he sighs, he sits on the couch

MARTIN (CONT'D)

okay, I'll do detention duty  
tomorrow...alright, bye...

Martin hangs up, he sighs as it

CUT TO:

INT. BARRON RESIDENCE - MARTIN'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Martin walks into the room, he sits on the bed where his wife, CLAIRE, is laying, sweating a lot, he looks at her

MARTIN

how're you doing, baby?

Claire glances at him, half awake

CLAIRE

terrible...it feels like I'm on  
fire...

MARTIN

I keep telling you that we should  
go to the hospital...both you and  
Kate...

CLAIRE

you know how I feel about the  
hospital...

MARTIN  
come on Claire, you need to be  
looked at and see if you can get  
meds to help with whatever you're  
coming down with...

Claire looks at him, she sighs

CLAIRE  
alright, you win...

Martin nods, he smiles

MARTIN  
I'll get Kate up and help you  
downstairs...

Martin walks out of the room as it

CUT TO:

INT. BARRON RESIDENCE - DOWNSTAIRS - MOMENTS LATER

KATE, 14 years old, wearing a jacket and brown pants, is  
waiting downstairs, she sees Martin helping Claire down

MARTIN  
Kate, get the door, sweetie...

Kate nods and gets the door, they leave as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTIN'S CAR - FRONT SEAT - MOMENTS LATER

Martin is driving, he looks over at Claire, who's holding her  
head, and looks in the mirror at Kate, who's laying in the  
seat

MARTIN  
how're we doing, girls...

they both groan, Martin nods before he stops, there's a big  
traffic jam, he looks around

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
what the hell?

Martin rolls down his window to get the attention of a cop

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
Excuse me, sir...what's going on?

The cop walks over to them, he looks at Martin

COP  
some guy went ape shit on a lady,  
tore her face off...

MARTIN  
gross...any idea how to get to the  
hospital...my wife and daughter  
came down with something fierce...

The cop looks at Claire and Kate, he looks around

COP  
if you back up and turn down that  
road, it should lead you to the  
hospital...

Martin nods his head

MARTIN  
thank you, sir...have a nice day...

COP  
you too, drive safe...

Martin backs up, he turns down the road as it

CUT TO:

EXT. HOSPITAL - PARKING LOT - LATER

Martin parks the car, he gets out and helps Claire out, Kate  
stumbles out and they all go into the

INT. HOSPITAL - FRONT ENTRANCE - MOMENTS LATER

Martin, Claire, and Kate come in to find a bunch of people  
sitting in the hospital, coughing and vomiting, he looks  
around

MARTIN  
lets get you signed in...

Martin takes Claire to a seat, he looks at Kate

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
stay with your mother, I will be  
right back...

Martin walks towards the front desk, the lady is taking calls  
left and right, he looks at her

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
excuse me?

The lady looks at him, looking frazzled

LADY  
what?

MARTIN  
I need to have my wife and daughter  
see a doctor...they're sick pretty  
bad...

LADY  
yeah...so is the rest of the  
hospital... here's a form, fill it  
out and wait...

The lady gives him a form, Martin takes it and walks back to  
Claire and Kate, he sits down

MARTIN  
gotta fill it out and wait...

Claire coughs, as does Kate, Martin sighs as he fills out the  
form, he looks up and notices a person twitching in the  
corner of the room, along with a news report about the  
school, he gets up and looks at it, he reads the headline

**"School Bombed, Military on the Scene"**

Martin looks shocked, he turns just in time to see another  
person launch themselves towards the front desk clerk,  
attacking her, he runs over to see him biting her neck,  
pulling flesh off, he looks shocked, he turns to Claire and  
Kate, he runs to them

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
we gotta get out of here, NOW...

but before Martin grabs Claire, Kate launches herself at him,  
Martin keeps her away, he looks at her, confused

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
Kate...baby, stop it...

Claire gets up and pulls her off only to get pounced on, Kate  
bites into her mother's neck, blood sprays on the wall,  
Martin gets up, shocked but runs out and towards his car in  
the

EXT. HOSPITAL - PARKING LOT - CONTINUOUS

Martin gets in his car and drives off, the camera pans to the destruction of the town, zombies running around as it

SMASH TO:

**BROTHERZ**

OPEN ON:

INT. DOLLAR STORE - AISLE - AFTERNOON

Leo, Cam, and Martin are standing off, Leo looks at him

LEO  
Mr Barron?

MARTIN  
Leo?

Martin puts his gun down, he sighs, Cam looks at them

CAM  
Leo, who is this?

LEO  
this is Mr Martin Barron, Cam...he  
was my teacher when I went to  
school...

Martin looks at Cam, he smiles

MARTIN  
I remember you...you were just a  
small baby back when your parents  
came to the PTA meetings...

LEO  
what're you doing here, Mr  
Barron...

Martin looks at Leo, he sighs

MARTIN  
same as you probably, I've been  
looking for food...the supermarket  
was crawling with those things...

LEO  
yeah...we know...where are you  
staying at?

MARTIN  
nowhere, I've been roaming this  
city for days...haven't slept since  
last month...

LEO  
well...you could always come back  
with us, Mr Barron...it's just me  
and Cam...

Martin nods

MARTIN  
I would like that...and please Leo,  
call me Martin...

Leo nods, he looks around

LEO  
let's go...

Leo, Cam, and Martin leave as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - LATER

Leo and Martin push the door open enough to get in, they have  
all the food, Cam comes in last as Leo pushes the couch back,  
Martin looks around

MARTIN  
you seemed to have this place  
secured...

LEO  
yeah...we've been stuck here since  
day 1...

Martin sees the dried blood spot on the wall, he looks at Leo

MARTIN  
what happened?

Leo looks at Martin, he sighs

LEO  
Cam, go to your room and play for a  
little bit, alright? me and Martin  
have some catching up to do...

Cam goes into his room, leaving the door open as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - DINING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Leo and Martin are sitting across from each other

LEO

Kara died day 2 of the outbreak,  
she was infected and didn't tell  
us...I...I had no choice...

MARTIN

how was she infected?...

LEO

she had a scratch mask on her  
shoulder...

Martin takes his beanie off, he sighs

MARTIN

She was a great student...

Leo nods his head

LEO

a great sister...

Leo looks at Martin, he sighs

LEO (CONT'D)

so, where were you when it  
happened?...

MARTIN

I was at the hospital...wife and  
daughter had the flu and I had to  
take them there...about an hour  
later, people started turning left  
and right, biting doctors and...my  
wife and daughter were one of  
them...I managed to escape  
but...they're still roaming around  
somewhere...

Leo looks at him, he sighs

LEO

I know this is going to sound like  
a long shot but have you seen my  
parents at all?



Martin shakes his head no

MARTIN  
I'm afraid not...why?

LEO  
before we drove off from the  
supermarket, me and Cam found our  
parents car, there were groceries  
in it and it's leading me to  
believe that maybe...just maybe...  
they're still alive somewhere...

MARTIN  
if they were alive, where would  
they be, Leo?

LEO  
I...I don't know...

Martin looks at Leo

MARTIN  
listen...for right now, we're  
staying put and I'm sure we'll find  
your parents soon...

Leo nods, he sits back as it smashes to words on screen

"5 MONTHS LATER"

OPEN ON:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - AFTERNOON

The house is a lot more cleaner, boards are on the outside of  
the window, the beds are on the floor again, Leo is inside,  
looking at a map of the town, there are a couple X's on it,  
Cam and Martin are outside, throwing a baseball, Martin  
throws it and Cam catches it

MARTIN  
good job, buddy...

CAM  
thanks

Cam throws the ball back and Martin looks at Leo

MARTIN  
hey Leo...wanna come out here with  
us?

Leo looks at them, he sighs

LEO  
not right now...

Martin nods his head, he throws the ball at Cam and he catches it as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - DINING TABLE - NIGHT

Martin, Leo, and Cam are sitting at the table, eating dinner, Leo looks at Martin

LEO  
so...I found a walkie when I went out earlier...

MARTIN  
really? does it work...

LEO  
it does...but, I didn't try talking into it...

Martin nods his head

MARTIN  
well, I guess we can try and see if there's anyone else out there...can't be the only ones...

CAM  
what if we are?

Leo looks at Cam, and then at Martin, he looks at Cam

MARTIN  
are you done eating, Cam...

Cam nods his head, Martin gets up

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
I think it's time for bed...

Martin and Cam go to the beds, Leo sighs as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - LATER

Martin and Cam are sleeping on the beds, Leo is laying on the couch, he falls asleep, the room becomes brighter as he's woken up by someone

WOMAN

Wakey wakey, sleepy head....

Leo opens his eyes, it's now morning, he gets up and sighs as Martin looks at him

MARTIN (ENTHUSIASTIC)

great, you're up...

LEO

Yeah...

Martin looks at him, confused

MARTIN

had that dream again?

LEO

yep...same voice too...

Martin nods his head as Leo gets up, he looks around

LEO (CONT'D)

where's Cam?...

MARTIN

he's in his room...

Leo nods his head, he looks at the map

LEO

mind if I talk to you about something...

Martin looks at him as he sits across from him

MARTIN

what's up?

LEO

yesterday, when I went back out...I found a sign that says something about a sanctuary in Texas...

Martin looks at him, intrigued

MARTIN

Texas?

LEO  
I know it's a long shot...but, we  
can't stay here forever...

MARTIN  
I know that...but, Texas is a 10  
day walk from here...

LEO  
not if we fix my Dad's Camaro in  
the garage...all it needs is a new  
battery...and I know where to get  
one...

Martin looks at him

MARTIN  
where?

LEO  
the old Autozone...

Martin nods his head as Leo points at the map

LEO (CONT'D)  
if we go across the street and  
through the house across from us  
and hop the fence, we'll be able to  
get in and out...

MARTIN  
sounds like a great plan...but  
there's one problem....

Leo looks at him, confused

LEO  
what?

MARTIN  
Cam...

LEO  
what about him?

MARTIN  
we can't leave him here while we go  
over there?...

Leo looks at him, he thinks

LEO  
then I'll go...

MARTIN

what? no...

LEO

why not?

MARTIN

it's too risky...

LEO

I've went out before, what's  
different now...

MARTIN

that place is crawling with those  
things, you'd get torn apart...

LEO

shit...you're right...so what do we  
do?

MARTIN

I don't know, but for now...let's  
just sit tight...

LEO

I'm tired of sitting tight,  
Martin...I want to find our  
parents... I want to help other  
people...

MARTIN

for right now, there is no one to  
help...  
alright?

LEO

aren't you tired of just sitting  
here? we could be doing so much  
more out there...

MARTIN

of course I know that...but, going  
out there means we're risking our  
lives...and not just from those  
things...

Leo nods his head, he sighs

LEO

yeah, I know...

Leo walks away, he goes to his room and closes the door,  
Martin sighs as it

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - LEO'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Leo is sitting at his desk, he is tinkering with the walkie,  
he puts it down and sighs, he looks at a picture of his  
family, he picks it up and looks at it before Cam walks in,  
he looks at Leo

CAM

Leo?

Leo looks at Cam, he puts the picture down

LEO

what's up buddy?

CAM

were you and Mr Barron fighting?

LEO

what? no, we weren't, Cam...we were  
just talking... that's all...

CAM

it sounded like how Mom and Dad  
used to fight...

LEO

Cam...we aren't fighting...trust  
me...

Cam looks at the picture, he looks at Leo

CAM

what were you looking at?

Leo grabs the picture, he hands it to Cam

LEO

family picture...from when you were  
first born...

Cam looks at it, he smiles

CAM

everyone looks happy...

LEO  
we were...I remember the day they  
first brought you home...me and  
Kara were waiting with Uncle Mike  
and we were excited...you were the  
best thing to ever happen to the  
family, Cam...

Cam looks at him, he hands him the picture, he realizes

CAM  
Uncle Mike?...

Leo looks at him, confused

LEO  
yeah...don't you remember him?

CAM  
I do...but...doesn't he have a  
radio in his house...

Leo looks at him, he realizes

LEO  
holy crap...

Leo grabs the walkie, he gets up and passes Cam

CUT TO:

INT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - KITCHEN - CONTINUOUS

Leo walks up to Martin, with a smile on his face, Cam follows  
behind him

LEO  
I know who to try and contact...

Martin looks at him, intrigued

MARTIN  
who?

LEO  
our Uncle Mike...Cam brought up how  
he has a radio in his house...

MARTIN  
you think he's alive...

LEO  
I don't know...but it's worth a  
try...just gotta figure out what  
channel he has his on...

MARTIN  
why does he have a radio to begin  
with?

LEO  
our uncle was a apocalypse nut  
before it happened, drove my  
parents crazy every family  
gathering...guess he was right...

MARTIN  
how far does he live?

LEO  
a couple blocks from the  
supermarket...why?

MARTIN  
well...it's only the  
afternoon...maybe we can go over  
there...see if he's still there...

Leo looks at him, intrigued

LEO  
really?

MARTIN  
yeah, we need more supplies and  
maybe he'll help with our car  
situation...

Leo nods, he looks at Cam

LEO  
go get your stuff ready...

Cam goes to his room and gets his stuff, Leo does the same as  
it

CUT TO:

EXT. MARTINEZ RESIDENCE - DRIVEWAY - MOMENTS LATER

The trio have their backpacks on, Leo locks the door with his  
key, they walk out to the car, Martin looks at Leo



MARTIN  
think this thing will get us to  
him?

LEO  
it should, still has a bit of gas  
left in it...

Cam gets in the back, Leo gets in the passenger seat as  
Martin gets in the front, they back out and drive off

CUT TO:

INT. CAR - FRONT SEAT - MOMENTS LATER

Martin is driving down the road, Leo looks at his once  
populated town, they pass several stores, with roaming  
zombies in them

MARTIN  
gonna need you to tell me where he  
lives, Leo...

Leo looks at him, he nods

LEO  
make a left here...

Martin turns left as Leo looks out the window, Martin glances  
at him

MARTIN  
something on your mind?...

Leo sighs, he nods

LEO  
seeing this place like  
this...sucks...I've lived here my  
whole life and...it all came  
crashing down in a single day...

Martin nods his head as they continue driving down the road

MARTIN  
I was supposed to come in the  
school to teach before the outbreak  
happened...I called out thinking I  
could just come back the next day  
and see all of my students again...

Leo looks at Martin, who looks sad, he sighs

MARTIN (CONT'D)  
when I heard about the bombing at  
the school, I was worried about my  
friends....and I still hope that at  
least some of them made it out...

Leo nods as they continue driving

CUT TO:

EXT. DESTROYED NEIGHBORHOOD - MOMENTS LATER

the trio get out of the car, they look around, it looks  
deserted

LEO  
that's weird...there's no sign  
of... anything...

CAM  
where are all the weirdos?

MARTIN  
no idea...let's get moving...

They start to walk up the road, Leo looks at Martin

LEO  
do you also have that weird  
feeling?

MARTIN  
yeah...this is...weird...the entire  
city is filled with those things  
and this is the only place where---

suddenly, a man pops out from behind a tree, pointing a gun  
at the trio

MAN  
hands up...NOW

Leo, Cam, and Martin put their hands up, the man gets closer  
to them, he's wearing a mask

MAN (CONT'D)  
put your bags and guns on the  
ground...

They comply, the man looks at them

MAN (CONT'D)  
step away from them...

LEO  
look, man...we're just trying to  
find our uncle...

The man stops, he looks at Leo

MAN  
holy shit...Leo?

Leo looks at him, confused

LEO  
yeah...how do you---

The man unmask himself, it's UNCLE MIKE, Leo smiles

LEO (CONT'D)  
Uncle Mike?

MIKE  
hey kid...

Leo walks to him and they hug, they look at each other

MIKE (CONT'D)  
it's so nice to see you...

LEO  
you too...

They break off, he looks at Cam, who's hiding behind Martin

MIKE  
who's that little fella?

LEO  
that's Cam...

Mike looks surprised

MIKE  
Cam?...

Cam comes out from behind Martin, he smiles a little

CAM  
hi, Uncle Mike...

Mike looks at Martin, he nods

MIKE  
and you are...

MARTIN

Martin Barron...nice to meet you...

Martin holds his hand out, Mike shakes it, they let go, Mike looks at them

MIKE

we should get out of here...follow  
me...

Mike walks and Leo, Cam, and Martin follow him, the camera zooms out as it smashes to black