# **Aaron IV Sleepless NIGHTS: I Have No**

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This story is based on the Sega Saturn game, NIGHTS into Dreams. Join Aaron, Ace, Nick, Liza, Kelsea, and NIGHTS as they try to stop the evil Wizeman the second from turning dreams everywhere into Nightmares.

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#### 1 - Prologue

Wizeman: I, Wizeman the Second, have devised a plan to harness the power of the magical Ideya to create fear over everyone on Earth! I must gather my Nightmaren to gather the dream energies of purity, wisdom, hope, intelligence, and most of all, bravery! NIGHTS!!!!!!

Nights: Yah yah! Whaddaya need?

Wizeman: You are my most valuble and needed Nightmaren. I need you to-

Nights: I appreciate the compliment, but you DO remember I have the Nightopian powers of free will. You can torment me all you want, but me, along with my pal Reala, still cannot be absolutely under your control!

Wizeman: I DON'T CARE! You have nothing else to do!

Nights: True....

Wizeman: I need you and Reala to lead the Nightmaren in a search for the 5 Ideya!

Nights: Yah right! So you can use them to teleport into the real dimension outside Nightopia and rule the world?

Wizeman: To tell you the truth, that is not my plan at all! Now back to the point, you are evil. You were raised into a family of evil and chaos and you will fufill your ancestors' purposes and fetch me the 5 Ideya! 5 sleeping children who travel here every night will posess one depending on their skills and personality! You must find one pure child, one wize child, one hopeful child, one intelligent child, and most importantly, a brave child who holds the rare Red Ideya! Now who would hold such magic and power?

Nights: I have no "Ideya!" HAHAHAHAHAHAAAAAAAA!!!!!!

Wizeman: I've had enough of your Dream puns! Now go fetch me the Ideya, you obnoxious "free-will" girl!

Nights: Yes sir! I'll get on that! \*leaves room\* Sucker!

Reala: Nights? \*grabs Nights by the neck\* You'd better not let down our new master!

Nights: \*giggles\* Don't worry! I wooooooon't!

Reala: Wizeman the Wicked was an excellent master. You are insulting his DEATH by

not obeying his Royal Understudy!

Nights: YAH! Well...you CAN assure that I'll be getting the Dream energy. \*walks away\* The real question is...who will posess it in the end?

Reala: Nights, do something right for once.

Nights: \*grins\*

Meanwhile...

Aaron: uuuuu....HEY ACE! I just had the greatest dream EVER! There was this girl dressed in purple! She could FLY! And she had these GORGEOUS acrobatic skills! She gave me some red orb...and then I woke up.

Ace: Hmm...last night I had a dream just like that! But the girl gave me a BLUE orb!

Aaron: Hmmm...I wish I could have that dream again!

Meanwhile meanwhile....

Nick: Oh Kelsea! I had this GREAT dream! I met a girl in a purple suit! She looked like a jester or a clown or something! At the end, she gave me this white glowing ball or something. That was when I woke up.

Kelsea: Hmmm....I had that same dream, but the purple girl gave me a YELLOW orb.

Nick: A YELLOW orb? Hmmm....It'd be GREAT to have that dream again!

At the meanwhile before the last meanwhile meanwhile....

Liza: Hi Aaron! I thought I'd stop over to see how everything's going!

Ace: It's fine!

Aaron: But why so early?

Liza: Well I just got up from an AWESOME dream!

Aaron: Lemme guess, a female jester in purple clothes?

Liza: How'd YOU know?

Ace: Lucky guess?

Liza: Well, I brought over a Dream Interpretation book. Wanna take a look?

Aaron: Hmmmm....For Jesters, look under purple clown, section 3, subsection H, subsubsection K7... AHA!

Ace: Whats it say?

Aaron: It says the purple girl has judged your personality throught your dream and gives you an orb depending on how you have acted and how you treat her...

Ace: Hmmm...Is blue sadness or something?

Aaron: mmmm...nope. It says here, the colors only represent purity, wisdom, hope, intelligence, and bravery.

Liza: I wonder what I am!

Aaron: Let's keep looking! OH! It says that only the luckiest and most courageous will recieve the color of bravery.

Liza: What color is bravery?

Ace: Maybe one of US was lucky and courageous enough to get it!

Aaron: Here it is! The most powerful of them all, the color of bravery... is....

## 2 - Days of Failure, NIGHTS of Dreams

Aaron: The color of bravery is...hmmmmm....

Ace: What hmm?

Aaron: Liza, how long have you had this book? There's a big smudge

over the last word!

Liza: EEK! Well. I'll go to the school library and see if I can find

another book. Seeya!

Aaron: Hmmm...I'm gonna go to Nick's for drum practice!

Ace: And I'M gonna head to the video game player's convention!

Meanwhile...

Nick: Well, enough about dreams. I gotta practice with Aaron!

Kelsea: LINKIN' PARK'S TRAILOR! I have a concert to get to! Seeya Nick!

At Nick's...

Aaron: ACK! I guess today isn't my day!

Nick: I'll say! Lord, make it STOP!

Aaron: ARGH! Don't worry! I'm just not hitting hard enough!

rrrrrrrRRRRRRRRRRRRR!!!!!

BOOM!

Aaron: \*pauses\* uuuuu...

Nick: Thanks a LOT Aaron! That drum set cost me 1500 DOLLARS!!!!

And now it's in PIECES!

Aaron: Uh...sorry. Maybe there's a store that will buy it!

Nick: OH, like WHAT!? The useless drum set smitherine store?!

Aaron: I suppose.

Nick: OOOUUUUUTTTTTTTT!!!!!! \*beats Aaron out the door\*

Aaron: Ow ow ow! Oh darn it! I reck his drum set and THIS is how

Nick forgives me? \*sigh\* Aw forget it! I'm going home.

At the video game players convention...

Ace: Hmmm...huh? Hey! Whatcha playin?

Kid: Bloody Castle 4.

Ace: No way! That game wont be released 'til 10 years from now!

Kid: And for 50 bucks! You get 30 minutes of turn-o'-the-century

violent action! Wanna play 2p?

Ace: Sure! Let's do Team Battle!

15 minutes later...

Kid: Ace, you rock! You're practically unbeatable!

Ace: Only 15 minutes of playing and I'm already half way to

beating the game!

Bully: Hey squirt! You the fat chicken's cheering section?

Kid: Squirt?

Ace: Fat chicken?

Bully: Hey chicken. You think you're so good? I could whomp you at that

game ANY day! Even if my arms were tied around my BACK!

Ace: That could be arranged! I'm just a beginner and I could send

YOU home CRYIN'!

Bully: You wanna bet?

Ace: SURE! I'll bet my last 75 tickets on it!

Bully: 75 it is!

Kid: Tickets?

Ace: Yah! If you head over to the booth up there on the left, they give you betting tickets. You bet the tickets to get more! AND, if you cash in 150 tickets, they give you any game here you want for FREE! That means when I cream this guy, I could be the first to own Bloody Castle 4!

Bully: But if I win, then I'LL be the first!

Ace: You're on!

**BYOOP BYOOP** 

Ace: One point for me!...Two points!...Five!...Twenty-nine!... fifty!...sixty-three!...

Kid: ALRIGHT! The score is 99 to 0! With Ace in the lead! If Ace gets one more point, he wins!

Bully: ARGH!

Ace: Geesh, dude you STINK!

Bully: Just keep your eye on the screen!

Kid: the timer's ticking down!

Ace: I'm gonna win! There's no way you can score a perfect 100 in just 5 seconds! And I need only ONE!

4...3...2...1...

BLEEP BLEEP! BOOM BOOM...0

ACE-GAME OVER

Ace: What? You got 100 points in ONE second?

Kid: Oh no! He captured the secret ghost!

Ace: SECRET ghost?

Kid: Capturing and destroying a ghost that's a gold color gives you a 100 point bonus! Very rare!

Bully: HAHA! I win! Now fork over those tickets!

Ace: AGH! Not only do I have no tickets, but I wasted 50 bucks to humilate myself enough to LOSE them! Aw forget it. I'm going home.

At the drum store...

Nick: Aaron is SO gonna pay! Oh well. Guess I'll have to buy another one. I have 1999 dollars and 99 cents in my life savings. That should be enough to pay for a repla-HOLY DRUM-RECK! An Onyx platinum Sonic SK Beatmachine! Here?

Cashier: You seem to be interested in this item sir?

Nick: Interested? This is the greatest drum set on Earth! And on the entire face of the Earth there are only six in existence!

Cashier: And this is one of 'em! And we'll sell it to you for the bargain price of 1999 dollars and 99 cents!

Nick: Excellent! I'll take it! Here you go!

Cashier: Hmmm...I'm sorry sir, but you've forgotten about the tax.

Nick: Oh crap! Tax?

DARN IT DARN IT DARN IT!!!!!

Cashier: I see you are very dissapointed. Ya know what? I'll let it slide. I'll just leave our profit as payment towards tax purposes.

Nick: Isn't that illegal?

Cashier: Get outta here and take your drum before I change my mind.

Nick: Yes SIR!

At Nick's house...

Nick: WOW! I can't believe I have a Sonic SK Beatmachine! hmmm... Aaron's too careless to use such a treasure. I suppose I could try it out.

CLANG! BASH! BOOM!

Nick: AAAGGGHHH!!! It fell apart! That drum set was a FAKE! Stupid Sales tricks!!!! I just gave some snobby selfish jerk nearly 2000 dollars!!!! The old geyser ripped me OFF!!!! Aw forget it. I'm going to bed.

At the school library...

Liza: Lemme see... Dream interpretations...

Mr. Luganberry: Um excuse me. Liza? May I have a word with you?

Liza: What's up, Mr. Luganberry?

Mr. Luganberry: Well it's about your test scores.

Liza: What ABOUT my test scores?

Mr. Luganberry: Uh...instead of TELLING you, I'd rather SHOW you.

Here.

Liza: Hmmmm... Mathematics...THIRTY FOUR PERCENT?!...Language Arts...
TWENTY SEVEN PERCENT?!...Science and Health...NINETEEN PERCENT?!...and
History TWENTY NINE?!?!?! This-this can't be right!

Mr. Luganberry: Liza, this is obviously not your best work.

Liza: HUH?????

Mr. Luganberry: I'm sorry, but I'm giving you a second chance. You can retake the test and turn it in for oh say...50 percent?

Mr. Luganberry: Liza! WAIT!!!!

At the Linkin' Park concert...

Kelsea: WAHOO! Linkin' Park!

Ticket guy: Next?

Kelsea: Oh HI! I'm here for the concert! One please!

Ticket guy: Hmmm... Ok. \*presses button\* Hmmm? \*presses again\* ARGH! The darn thing's not workin'! Could you wait about half an hour?

Kelsea: To listen to Linkin' Park, YES!

Ticket guy: A'right lemme take a look. errrrrr....

30 min later...

Ticket guy: OH!...s'empty! I need to call for some new tickets.

Wait here for about an hour.

1 hour later...

Ticket guy: Sorry. Sold out.

Kelsea: WHAT!? I wait here for an hour and a half to here you say your out of TICKETS!?!?!? I demand entrance to this concert

right now! Aw forget it. I'm going home.

Ticket guy: Oh LOOK! An extra ticket on the ground! I musta dropped this! Next?

Aaron: My day has been SO awful.

Ace: My day has been SO bad.

Nick: My day has been SO lame.

Liza: My day has been SO terrible.

Kelsea: My day has been SO Linkin' Park free! WHHHYYYYY!!!!

Aaron: I'm SUCH a failure.

Ace: I just wish...

Nick: That I could prove to the world...

Liza: That there's MORE to me...

Kelsea: Than the negative things everyone sees.

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Nights: The children! The 5 kids holding the Ideya! They've arrived!

ZAP!

Aaron: Wha?

Ace: Where am I?

Nick: Am I dreaming?

Liza: What's up?

Kelsea: Who are YOU!?

Nights: My name is Nights......and WELCOME TO NIGHTOPIA!!!!!!!!

### 3 - The NIGHT is young

Aaron: Nights?! You're the girl I've seen in my dreams!

Nights: Uh HUH! I've met ALL of you! More importantly I've given you each something!

Ace: Yah, you gave us orbs!

Liza: But...we don't have them anymore.

Nights: HAHA! Silly! Did you check your pockets?

Nick: Pockets?

Kelsea: HEY! My orb is inside my pocket?

Nights: Those orbs are called Ideya, very valuble sources of dream energy! I've given them to you, because you are pure, wize, hopeful, intelligent, and brave. That proves that you can be trusted with such treasures. However, my master, Wizeman the Second, plans to steal those Ideya you have. You are all in danger unless you return them to me!

Aaron: But WAIT! Then YOU would be in danger!

Nights: Better me than you! I need those Ideya back!

Wizeman: Ideya?

Nights: WIZEMAN!

Wizeman: Finally you've been of use to me Nights! Now hand me those Ideya!

Nights: NEVER! These Ideya are MINE! I shall seal them in the Ideya palace... to never be seen or heard from AGAIN! And the power will belong to NOBODY!

Wizeman: Don't be a fool, Nights! You were created by the first Wizeman as a weapon, to serve, not defend!

Nights: Well then I guess Wizeman wasn't so wize after all to create ME if his intention was world domination!

Wizeman: If you don't hand them to me, I must take them by FORCE!

Aaron: AGH!

Ace: Our Ideya!

Wizeman: You mean MY Ideya! HAHAHAHAAAA!!!! Now for Step TWO of Project

Nightmare!!!!! \*vanishes\*

Nights: Project Nightmare?

Liza: Sounds bad!

Nick: What does that creep Wizeman want with those things anyway?

Kelsea: I know! What's so special about them?

Nights: You don't understand! Ideya are the most powerful objects in all

of Nightopia! It's the backbone of our entire universe of dreams!

Aaron: Universe of dreams? You mean every time we have a dream we come HERE?

Nights: Exactly! In Nightopia, you can find nearly ANY kind of Dream setting there is. If you're having a NIGHTMARE, it's probably Wizeman's dirty work.

Ace: So that would mean that Wizeman seems to want to turn all the GOOD dreams into nightmares so that every time somebody goes to sleep, they are quaranteed to have a bad dream!

Liza: YAH! I bet THAT'S his plan!

Nights: So we need to save Nightopia from the Ideya's negative forces and save the world from eternal Nightmares!

Nick: I'm in!

Kelsea: I'm in!

Aaron: We're ALL in Nights! We'll help you!

Nights: OK then! We have 4 places to go to. One for each Ideya!

Ace: Huh? But there's FIVE Ideya!

Nights: Yes, but the fifth one Wizeman can never have control over. The Ideya of Bravery cannot be harnessed by any machine or spell.

Aaron: Bravery...

Liza: Well how do we save each dream?

Night: Well Wizeman's trademark evil plan is to trap the Ideya in capsules. The capsules NOW, probably have the ability to use the Ideya's power and turn the main four dreams into nightmares.

Nick: So we need to destroy the capsules right?

Nights: Right. But it's not that easy. I live in a world surrounded by evil so I should know how each capsule is destroyed. Wizeman has a habit of leaving his keys around every dream, always in the worst places. These keys are little blue chips. 20 of them can open each one!

Kelsea: Well what are we standing here for? Let's go explore Nightopia!

Nights: OK! The first dream is up ahead! Get going kids! I'll be right behind you!

Ace: Hey Aaron, you coming?

Aaron: Just gimme a sec. Hey Nights! Could you wait up? I have a question!

Nights: Ask away.

Aaron: Well, you know about the Ideya right?

Nights: Uh huh. What about them?

Aaron: Well...which one is the color for Bravery?

Nights: The Ideya color for Bravery is.....red.

Aaron: \*smiles\* Let's go!

### 4 - By Days the Valley, by NIGHTS the Forest

Nick: Where the heck are we?

Nights: I dunno. It seems like we're in the first dream, the one most

commonly visited.

Liza: It sure looks like it. Where are we?

Nights: We're in Upside-down Valley!

Kelsea: Upside-Down Valley?

Nights: Yup! Ever had a dream when you're in a meadow? Skipping through

field of flowers? Peacefully walking across a dusty country lane?

Liza: Yah!

Kelsea: Uh huh.

Ace: I suppose.

Aaron: Sounds familiar.

Nick: No!

Everyone stares at Nick...

Nick: OK, yes.

Nights: This is where you've been to! Upside-down Valley is where all

the fun peaceful dreams take place!

Aaron: Well, what are we standing here for? We got some blue chips

to find!

Nights: Me and the bird will take to the skies. The rest of you search

on the ground! OK?

Ace: The bird? You mean me? I-I can't fly.

Nights: Sure you can! You're a bird, aren't you?

Ace: LOOK at my belly! LOOK AT IT! I'm not a bird, I'm a HEAVY one!

Nights: There MUST be some way you can fly, kid! Give it a try!

Ace: A'right. Here I go!

Aaron: And with a leap of incredible faith, Ace the Hawk manages to

take flight, only to-

BAM!

Aaron: Come crashing back down!

Nights: He's large, he's cute, but he can't fly. I suppose I'll have to search the skies myself! If you find any chips, you can give them to ME OK?

Liza: You got it!

5 minutes later...

Aaron: ....THIS IS STUPID!

Ace: What is?

Aaron: We're looking through bushes and trees for a bunch of thin coins? What is this? A quest to save the WORLD or an Easter egg hunt?

Ace: Well, Nights is the only one among us who can fly.

Aaron: It's still not fair that SHE gets to do all the cool stuff while we walk around, faces to the ground! Look at THAT!

Nights: Hi Nightmaren! Bye Nightmaren! DIE Nightmaren!!!!

WHAM! BAM! BASH! BOOM!

Aaron: I wish WE could join her! I wish WE could be of more help! Is saving Planet Earth from Eternal bad dreams SUPPOSED to be as hard as trying to find a quarter in the park?

Ace: I guess this just proves that a life of saving the world isn't ALWAYS a glamorous one!

Aaron: But still! I want action! I want danger! Something! Anything! Swoop down and HURT me! I don't want the EASY way out!

**WHAM** 

Aaron: Ow! Me and my big mouth!

Ace: It wasn't ME! It was HIM!

Aaron: Him? AAAGGGHHHH!!!! Is that a monster or something?

Nights: AARON! That's a Nightmaren, a servant of Wizeman the Second!

Aaron: I thought YOU were a Nightmaren!

Nights: Well I'M the only one that uses powers for GOOD! I wouldn't

mind if any OTHERS were destroyed!

Aaron: OK, finally. I get to have some FUN! Join me Ace!

Ace: Yes SIR!

About 10 minutes later...

Aaron: I think we have all the blue chips! I got 2, Ace has 3, Liza has

3, Nick has 4, Kelsea has 3, and Nights?

Nights: I got FIVE!

Aaron: That means we got all the blue chips!

Nights: Give 'em to me and I'll rush them to the capsule and blow it up!

BOOM!

Aaron: The capsule's gone and Upside-down Valley is saved!

Nights: The adventure has only just begun! Next we need to get that Ideya

outta there!

Ace: I wonder what color it is?

Nights: \*dives into the exploded capsule\* Here it is!

Ace: It's the blue one you gave me!

Liza: What's blue represent?

Nights: Blue is intelligence! I gave Ace the Ideya power of intelligence!

Ace: INTELLIGENCE?! ME?????

Nick: Yah really! Ace is dumber than a chicken with no head!

Kelsea: Ace practically IS a chicken with no head. (or at least no brain)

Nights: Don't say that! I've seen Ace and as dumb as he is, he seems to

have an intelligence lurking deep inside him!

Ace: Hmmmm...I never would've guessed.

Aaron: Well that means we have ONE Ideya!.....

Nick: Whaddoo we do with it?

Nights: Choice number one, we take it with us and use its powers of

intelligence to aid in our adventure...

Aaron: (you mean YOUR adventure)

Nights: Choice two, we seal it in the Ideya Palace so that neither us nor

Wizeman will have access to it.

Liza: Ideya Palace it is!

Nights: It's unanimous! Let's go!

At the Ideya Palace...

Aaron: Hmmm...That's a very small palace.

Nights: Well this was made a long time ago, during the time when dreams

were even born! We have ONE Ideya!

Kelsea: And four to go!

Ace: That was almost TOO easy!

Nights: Well, we have three dreams left to liberate. It will only get more and more difficult from here. New Nightmaren, new settings, and new suprises await us! Let's move along kids! So many dreams, so little

time.

Aaron: Hey Nights! Thanks for helping us! You were born to be evil and to steal, and to serve that freak, Wizeman the Wicked. But you turned the other way and exercized your freedom to do whatever you

want? You're the only Nightmaren who's been so brave and courageous.... Why'd you do that?

Nights: I dunno. I guess I just didn't wanna serve some spiky haired spaz who has six hands. About 9 years ago, I helped two kids named Elliot and Claris defeat the first Wizeman, but what we didn't know was that Wizeman the second inherited his power from his brother-in-law, Wizeman the Wicked. I was created with the power of free will. The only other Nightmaren with free will is somebody named Reala. Somehow, she doesn't want to exercise those powers. It's probably 'cause she's afraid of Wizeman despite the fact that she overranks him.

Aaron: So is Reala your friend?

Nights: It seems that way. I'm always trying to get everyone convinced that we work together, but deep down, I DESPISE her! And SHE despises ME! It's been that way for as long as I can remember. I wish Reala could just break out of the cold prison cell her mind is trapped in and prove that Wizeman has no power over her, but she seems to think that Wizeman has more power over HER than SHE has over HIM!

Aaron: Maybe we'll run into Reala, Nights.

Nights: That would be nice, but on the other hand it wouldn't be so nice.

Aaron: Why? It seems like you WANT to be friends with Reala!

Nights: Perhaps, but for now, we have things to do, places to go, people to meet, Ideya to claim, and dreams to liberate!

Aaron: RIGHT! Let's go!

### 5 - Soft Museum's Opening NIGHT

Aaron: WOH!

Ace: HA! You tripped! WOAH!

Nick: HA! YOU tripped! WOOOAAH!!

Liza: HA! YOU tripped AGGHHH!!!

Kelsea: HA! YOU tripped! EEK!

Nights: So much tripping. I wonder what's going on!

Aaron: Do you think we're near the next dream?

Nights: I must be one with a bouncy floor.

Ace: Well the floor sure is bouncy! I can barely walk!

Liza: There must be another way to get through this jello mold of a ground!

Nick: Any ideas Nights?

Nights: Don't ask ME! You hedgehogs are the ones who travel by foot. You're on your own with that.

Kelsea: Well what are we supposed to do? HOP?

Aaron: Hop? Hey! That's a great idea! This surface works like a

bungee trampoline! So we HOP!

Ace: A'right! Let's do it!

Nights: Hmm...HEY! I know where we are! Wer're at Soft Museum! I haven't been here in almost 9 years!

Liza: Soft Museum? This confusing gelatin carpeted maze is Soft Museum?

Nights: Hmm...Well as usual, I'll search the sky, the rest, check the ground!

Aaron: YAH! As usual! Ace! This really isn't fair! Nights can fly, and we can't and this soil is bouncy...

Ace: When are you gonna stop complaining about that?

Aaron: When I can actually help Nights! I've seen her in my dreams and I've

wanted to fly WITH her, not miles BELOW her!

Ace: \*sigh\* Just shut up and start looking.

Nights: AGH! OW OW OW! ACK! STOP THAT!

Aaron: It looks like Nights is losing out there!

Ace: Let it go Aaron. You can't fly.

Aaron: But I CAN do the next best thing. \*jump\*

BOING!

Ace: That's one bouncy floor.

Aaron: Nights! (BOING) I'll- (BOING) Save you!

Nights: OWCH! Well, HURRY!

Aaron: Ball mode! Ball mode! (BOING) One sec! (BOING) Just gimme (BOING) a minute to- (BOING) adapt to- (BOING) the new (BOING) trajectory and altitude!

(BOING) 30 more seconds!

Ace: He's hopeless!

Aaron: 3...2...(BOING) 1...

SSSPPPPPPIIIIIINNNNNNNNN.....

WHAM! BOOM!

Nights: Thanks Aaron! You're Midair Spin Dash sure can come in handy!

Aaron: Any ti- (BOING) Any time! (BOING) How many (BOING) blue chips

(BOING) do ya have?

Nights: I found TEN! STOP BOUNCING!

Aaron: Doing!...

Ace: I found one chip!

Nick: I have three!

Liza: I have two!

Kelsea: And with mine, we have all of 'em!

Nights: I'll go grab the Green Ideya, The Ideya of Wisdom! You go on ahead!

Aaron: Let's walk over back to the palace! er....hop over to the palace!

At the Ideya Palace...

Nick: We have TWO Ideya!

Nights: That's two more dreams and three more Ideya!

Wizeman: I'M DISSAPOINTED IN YOU NIGHTS!

Nights: Not you again!

Wizeman: Yes me again! Those Ideya belong to ME! You may have the Ideya of Intelligence and the Ideya of Wisdom, but you STILL don't have the most powerful one of all! The Ideya of Bravery! Once I get the red Ideya, I will use it to turn ALL the dreams into Nightmares! And you hedgehogs (and the chicken) will cower in fear of even going to SLEEP! HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAI!!!

#### ZAAAAPPP!!!

Aaron: OOOAAAAAAAAAAHHHHHHH!!!!!.......

UH! Huh? I'm in my room? What time is it? hmmmm...oh boy! 2 in the morning. Man, I had the worst dream. I wonder if it was real. I'm 'ana go take a walk.

Outside...

Aaron: Ace?

Ace: Oh hi Aaron.

Aaron: What're you doing up so late?

Ace: I could ask that same question.

Aaron: Well I just woke up from this awful dream. The purple girl, her name was Nights, and we tried to save the world. uuugggg... Then Wizeman hit me

with some beam of light and then I woke up.

Ace: Hmm... I had a dream just like that, but YOU were in it, and so was Nick, and Liza, and Kelsea too.

Nick: Hi guys!

Aaron: You couldn't get any sleep either?

Nick: Well I just had this crazy dream.

Liza: Hi everyone.

Kelsea: What's everybody doing HERE?

Aaron: Well, we we woke up from a bad dream. The strange thing is...

Nick: We all had the exact same dream.

Liza: Huh! What a coincidence! Kelsea and I had the same dream as each other too.

Aaron: Well, maybe it really wasn't a dream if all of us remember the same thing....

Meanwhile...

Nights: What have you done to them Wizeman?

Wizeman: I woke them up you fool! First-class Nightmaren like you shouldn't be helping those hideous freedom animals! So it's about time they get a break! You've been claiming too many Ideya! So that will win me 19 hours of stealing dream energy! You shouldn't have betrayed the legion of Nightmaren for we ALWAYS will come out on top in the end! TATA!!

Nights: Oh no! Wizeman the Second got himself 19 hours of free time to keep turning dreams into nightmares! And I can't stop him alone! I'll have to do waht I can to stall him until those five return to Nightopia! Here goes nothing! Look out Wizeguy! Here I come!.........

### 6 - NIGHT as a Feather, Stiff as a Board

At night...

Aaron: Ug...what a day. I STILL can't believe Nick wants me to pay him back for that drum. YAAAAAAAWWWWWWWWNNNNN!!!!! \*goes to sleep\*

In Nightopia...

Aaron: huh? Oh yah! I'm dreaming! So I'm here in Nightopia! This place is definetly a COMPLETE NIGHTMARE!!!!!!

Ace: Aaron! Hi! What's up with Nightopia? It's all creepy and on fire!

Liza: Is this part of our dream?

Nick: Is this how Aaron's conscience pays him back for not paying ME back for that drum set?

Kelsea: Oh shut your mouth Nick!

Nights: RRRR! Ow!

Aaron: Hey look! It's nights!!!!

Liza: Nights are you OK???

Nights: Ow! rrg. I tried...to stop him but...he destroyed me and...took over Nightopia!

Ace: NIGHTS! Are the Ideya safe?

Nights: \*starts gasping\* uh...rrr...yes...they're still...in the palace, Wizeman has two of of them...and the Ideya of Bravery...I don't know...

Ace: ?!

Nights: .....It was never found......

Nick: We need to get those Ideya back! They're in those blue chip capsules right?

Nights: Yah, but...you will have to get them alone.

Kelsea: WHAT!? Why can't YOU come along?

Nights: I need my rest. I got hit very hard, so I cannot fly. You five will have to go to Snowbell Park without me until I can get my strength back...

Aaron: But you're the only one who can fly! Without YOU, can't get all the blue chips!

Nights: Sure you can. I know you can...I believe in you.

Liza: But still, there is no bouncy surface in Snowbell Park right? So how do we get high enough to find the blue chips suspended in the air?

Nights: Yes...rather difficult indeed....Bird?

Ace: Me? Oh call me Ace!

Nights: Yes, Ace. Step forward.

Ace: ? \*steps forward\*

Nights: Come a little closer...

Ace: ...OK

Nights: No...closer.

Ace: um....

Nick: What's Nights doing? Ace is so close to her, she could KISS him!

Nights: \*whispers in Ace's ear\* Ace, you are overwheight, and a little heavy, but that doesn't mean you're not a bird...you can fly. I know you can.

Ace: But-

Nights: But nothing. Fly, bird. You've never flown in your life before, but now we need you...they need you...I need you. Fly ace...do it for them...for the world...for me.

Ace: ...

Kelsea: OK, ya know what? This is kinda dumb!

Aaron: This is a fanfiction, not a Drama! C'mon Ace!

Liza: Ace, don't listen to her. We'll make do without any flight.

Ace: Uh...OK! Coming! \*turns toward Nights\*

Nights: \*smiles\*

At Snowbell Park...

Ace: Don't worry about THAT. We have to hurry! This is the only place left in all of Nightopia that Wizeman hasn't destroyed!

Nick: So let's start lookin' for those blue chips!

5 minutes later...

Aaron: Ace, about what Nights said...you don't believe her...that you can fly. Do you?

Ace: I dunno. I AM a bird, but the flying thing I've never really thought about. All my life I never had to worry about flying until now. And NOW, well I just don't know.

Aaron: Well just forget about all that flying stuff...any minute now, Nights will heal and we won't have to worry about you flying anymore. No worries!

Ace: Uh yah...No worries.

30 minutes later...

Kelsea: I think we got 'em all!

Aaron: YAH! See Ace? We got through this! At you didn't even have to lift a feather!

Ace: Yah! And I bet Nights is already better! But if I tell her that I was just too chicken to try to fly, she'll be so dissapointed.

Nick: Eh...No she won't! You'll be fine pal!

Liza: She prob'ly didn't even mean all that stuff anyway!

Kelsea: She was probably just trying to make you feel better!

Aaron: Uh HUH! So let's grab the Ideya and go back to the Ideya Palace to check

on Nights!

Reala: NIGHTS?

Aaron: HUH? NIGHTS? Is that YOU?

Reala: Heh heh! No! It's not NIGHTS!!!! I'm just her evil Nightmaren counterpart!

Ace: WHAT!?

Aaron: So THAT means you must be-

Reala: REALA! Glad you noticed! And you WON'T be getting away with the Ideya of HOPE!

Kelsea: HOPE? The YELLOW one is the Ideya of HOPE?

Reala: Why is it any of YOUR buisness? That Ideya belongs to Wizeman the Second!

Now hand it over on behalf of my master!!!!

Nick: HA! Why would we wanna do that?

Reala: Because if you don't, you will face the consequences!

ZAAAPPPP

Liza: Lazer Beam: Oh boy! How FUN!!!

Ace: Is that sarcasm?

Reala: Now you have two choices. Hand me the Ideya and live, or I TAKE the Ideya

and you DIE! Choose before I decide FOR you!

Aaron: Uh! (Come on Aaron! Think!) I choose...DIE!

Reala: You wish to die? Exellent choice!

Aaron: Did I choose for ME to die???? Oh silly me! That's not what I meant at all!

Reala: ?

Aaron: I meant YOU DIE!!!!! \*uses Ideya to fire lazer beam\*

Reala: AH! \*dodges\* You put up quite a fight, but I will win!

Aaron: Bring it ON! \*both fight at each other with lazer beams\*

Nick: Well...the bad news is Aaron's gonna get creamed.

Kelsea: The GOOD news is I brought Apricot rolls! Anybody want one? Huh?

Liza: Ooh! YAY! I'm starving!

Ace: Apricot roll? Aaron's in TROUBLE!

Nick: Who cares? It's not like we can just FLY in and rescue him!

Ace: Fly in? Fly IN???? FLY IN!!!!! That's IT!!!!

Ace's memory: Ace, you are overwheight and a little heavy, but that doesn't mean you're not a bird... you can fly. I know you can.

Ace: NO!...NO! Ace, you CAN'T fly! Let Aaron mind his own buisness! I mean SURE! He's gonna get CREAMED, but-

Ace's memory: But nothing! Fly, bird. You've never flown in your life, but now we need you...they need...you...I need you.

Ace: AGH! I know you do, but I CAN'T fly!

Ace's memory: Fly Ace...do it for them...for the world...for ME.

Ace: I can't HEAR you! LALALALALALALALAAAAA!!!!!!

Ace's memory: Are you paying attention kid? For ME!

Ace: Why should I listen to YOU!

Ace's memory: Because I'm a voice calling to you from the depths of your mind!

Ace: I thought you were NIGHTS!

Ace's memory: Well...I AM but...well...I'm your MEMORY of Nights...sorta ....uh...I'm confused...oh shutup! Just fly!!!

Ace: OK!!! Here I go! \*flaps wings\* rrr...RRRRR!!! \*flapping continues\*
Fly Ace! FLY!!!! \*flapping gets louder and louder and LOUDER\* I'm doin' it!
GO ACE!!! FLY! GO SAVE AARON!!!!! \*flapping continues\*

Reala: Any last words you weakling!

Ace: That's funny! I should be asking YOU that same question!

POW!

Reala: AAGGGHHH!!! You fight well, bird. Just not well enough!

Aaron: That IS true since he's heavier than his own house, but does that mean

YOU don't fight well enough either?

ZAAAPPPPP!!!!

Reala: OWWW!!! \*flies off\* You may have seen the last of me, but you haven't

seen the last of Wizeman the second! LONG LIVE WIZEMAN!!!!!

Aaron: Long LIVE? Well he won't be living for long because- ACE CAN FLY!?!?!?!

Ace: You really need to improve on your dialogue, Aaron.

Aaron: But how did you fly? Your heavier than your own house!

Ace: I dunno! Fate? Memories? Nights perhaps?

Aaron: Nights had nothing to do with this! You can FLY now! Who knows what

good we can do for mankind!

Liza: Boy those Apricot rolls are DELICIOUS! Oh! Something happen?

Ace: Oh nothing much.

Aaron: Except that the bird who stands to my right has found the strength to FLY!

Kelsea: Yah! Maybe Nights has recovered!

Ace: And she's gonna be so proud!

Nick: Yah! Won't she be impressed that we finished ALL those Apricot rolls?!

Liza: Shutup Nick!

Nick: WHAT????

### 7 - Are you Afraid of the NIGHT?

Aaron: NIGHTS!!!! NIGHTS!!! Nights, are you here?

Nights: Over here Aaron! \*flying\*

Nick: Nights! You're OK!

Nights: And you?

Kelsea: We, got the Ideya! So you can seal it in the palace!

Liza: That leaves 2 Ideya left!

Nights: What about YOU Ace? You doin' OK?

Ace: Uhhhh...Well let's just say I had a "high-flyin'" good time!

Nights: Oh?

Aaron: YAH! Ace made a real impressive performance back there! He FLEW into a battle I had with that girl you told me about and saved my life!

Nights: AH? ACE! I'M SO PROUD! \*hugs him\* OH ACE! AWESOME JOB! YOU CAN FLY NOW!!!!!

Ace: OW! rrg! I owe it all ta...(ow) you. Ow! You've got a pretty strong grip! (Ow)

Nick: So I GUESS that means you've got your strength back!

Nights: I SURE do!

Kelsea: We already have the Ideya of Hope, Wisdom, and Intelligence! So all that remains is the Ideya of purity, and the rare RED Ideya of Bravery!

Nights: Right!

Liza: So we'll worry about the RED one later! Where would the WHITE one be?

Nights: Only in the sparkling beautiful Metropolis known as Nightopia Central, but after Wizeman turned it into a trash heap and something you would only find in a bad dream, we NOW just call it... THE FINAL NIGHTMARE.

Aaron: That doesn't sound good.

Nights: It ISN'T! We need to get there and capture the white Ideya of purity, then hope that the red one is safe.

Ace: Well c'mon! Let's get to the Final Nightmare before it gets any more Nightmarish!

Nights: You guys can run! I'll fly over there!...and SO will Ace!

Ace: EH? Uh OK! Here I go! \*flaps wings and jumps into the air\* WAHOO! Let's GO-OOMPH! Ow!

Nights: I suppose you need more practice! Very well! You can go on foot, Ace!

Ace: Uh huh...go ahead.

Nights: I'll meet you guys there! It's just ahead! Don't worry! I'll be there when you get there! \*flies off\*

Ace: \*sigh\* I guess I was only born to fly once!

Nick: That is LOW Ace! VERY low!

Ace: Whaddaya mean? er...oh I get it! Yah, I guess I won't be too "high" for a while!

Nick: I mean it Ace! You practically broke the rules of life!

Ace: What??? What rules? Only eat a french fry if it's been dipped in ketchup?

Nick: NO! The OTHER rule! Nights whispered ALL that stuff to you? Encouraging you to fly? She believed in you and she got NOTHING in return!!!!!

Aaron: She prob'ly wasn't expecting anything back, Nick.

Nick: It doesn't matter? Ace, you should've given Nights a kiss!

Ace: WHAAAAAAAAATTTTTTTTTTT!!!! A KISS!!!!!?????

Nick: Yup, it's just the rules of life. girl whispers somn, you kiss girl. It's the rules of life, Ace! I don't make them!

Kelsea: Well...actually you DO.

Nick: Oh yah...well...oh can it! Ace, you gotta kiss Nights!

Ace: Nick, Nights might not even be REAL! This whole thing happening right now might not be real! Nights isn't exactly the girl of my dreams!

Budum Bum!

Aaron and Ace: mmmmmmpp...BAHAHAHAHAAAAAAAAAA!!!!! HAHAHAHAH!!!!

Aaron: Girl of your DREAMS! I get it!!! HAW!

Nick: HEY! I'M SERIOUS!!!!! \*bangs Ace in the head with plank\*

Ace: iiiii....Queso! \*faints\*

Aaron: Do the rules of life include Spanish?

Liza: Do the rules of life include DREAM PUNS?

Kelsea: Do the rules of life include planks?

Nick: OH FOR FOR CRYING OUT LOUD!!! OK, look we're in The Final Nightmare OK? Let's just stop and find that stupid IDEYA!!!!!

Nights: Hello guys, glad you finally made it!

Aaron: Is THIS the Final Nightmare?

Nights: I'm afraid so. With the power of the Ideya, Wizeman turned this happy city into one huge rusty old mansion.

Liza: How sad!

Nights: But by retrieving the Ideya from the capsule, the machine will deactivate, and Nightopia Central will be restored!

Ace: Well let's go in!

Nights: WAIT! It's not as easy as you THINK! You need to be EXTREMELY careful and stay with ME! I've been in that mansion before and it's a terrible place! It's like your worst Nightmare, a Haunted House, your attic, your basement, and SCHOOL put together!

Nick: It's THAT bad!?

Nights: Nope, it's a thousand times WORSE! Don't look into any mirrors or you'll be put under a trance and within minutes you'll look just like your reflection in the mirror...a skeleton.

Kelsea: \*Eyes widen\* Ug!

Nights: Don't open any doors or boxes without standing away from it's opening. Usually all that pops out is a giant jack-in-the-box with bug eyes and three rows of teeth, but some of them might be alive and will eat you or a spear could even shoot out of it and kill you!

Liza: WOH!

Nights: And last of all, don't press ANY buttons or flick any light switches! All the doors will open revealing gargoyles and Nightmaren and booby traps and sometimes the rooms get even darker than they already are, so you can't find your way around, and you may never even come OUT! So...\*cheerfully smiles\* You up for it?

Aaron: Yes!

Ace: Uh uh!

Liza: No way!

Nick: Let's do it!

Kelsea: I'm still thinking!

Nights: Let's ALL go in! We'll be safe if we stay together!

Ace: \*sigh\* Let's get it over with.

Nights: \*opens door\*

Aaron: ACK! No wonder this place is haunted!

Kelsea: EW! Do we HAVE to go in there?

Nights: Hey, the leeches and rats are gonna be the LEAST of our worries when you actually get inside. We have some blue chips to find!

Nick: Here comes a hallway! Let's see where it leads us!

Nights: Careful! Don't look in those mirrors! You got that Aaron?

Aaron: I got that Nights! You got that Ace?

Ace: Sure do Aaron! You got that Nick?

Nick: I hear ya Ace! You got that Kelsea?

Kelsea: You bet I do! You got that Liza?...Liza?...LIZA!

Liza: ICK! I look like a skeleton in this mirror! Who would be hypnotized by THAT?

It's so...ugly...and...uuuuuuuu.....

Aaron: OH NO! Liza'a been hypnotized by the mirror!

Nights: LIZA! LIZA! Liza, you awake? Can you hear me?

Liza: .....yah.....mirror......

Nights: It's happened...She's under the mirror's spell. If she isn't careful, she

may die.

Aaron: Well, WHAT DO WE DO?! We can't just leave her here staring at the MIRROR!!!

Nights: I'm afraid we must. We need to continue moving on.

Kelsea: Poor Liza.

Nights: She'll be fine.

Nick: Well...let's keep moving on.

Kelsea: Alright, HEY! I think we're at the end of the hall! I'll get the door!

PANG!

Kelsea: uuuu?

CLUMP

Nick: KELSEA!!!! What's happened to Kelsea!?

Nights: OH MY GOSH! She activated a booby trap!

Ace: BOOBY TRAP??? We've lost anoher one TOO???

Aaron: Is Kelsea gonna be OK?

Nights: Well...she's fine...but she's been knocked out. This dart will make anybody faint instantly with no hope of waking up 'til Wizeman knows when.

Nick: NO! KELSEA?

Nights: Your friend will be OK. But we need to continue without her.

Nick: BUT WE CAN'T!!!!! I'll stay here with Kelsea to make sure she's OK.

Nights: Are you SURE? You might get assaulted by swarm of Nightmaren. They appear in numbers at the worst of times, and we won't be able to help you.

Nick: I'll be fine. Go on ahead.

Ace: OK. Be good Nick.

Aaron: Well, here's the next room.

Ace: It's really dark in here.

Nights: Well, we'll have to make do with this darkness.

Aaron: Then how do we expect to find any blue chips in here if we can't even SEE?

Nights: We use our OTHER senses!

Ace: Like WHAT? We SMELL for the blue chips?

Nights: I'm not sure. Let's do what we can.

Ace: Oh forget it! I'm turning on the lights.

Nights: NO!

CLICK

Ace: AGGGGG!!

Aaron: What's going ON?

Nights: Ace triggered another booby trap!

Aaron: A booby trap where a giant hand grabs Ace and carries him off to someplace

ELSE?

Nights: He's going to the Nightmare Dungeon. It's the Nightopia underworld.

Ace: HELP! Unless you haven't noticed, I'm being taken away by a giant HAND!

Aaron: Ace, don't panic! We'll get you out of there, and back on land in no time!

Ace: BACK ON LAND? Am I going UNDERGROUND or something?

Nights: Everything's gonna be OK, big guy! There's nothing to worry about!

Ace: I hope SOOOOO!!!!

Aaron: Well...I guess it's just you and me, Nights.

Nights: I guess so. We'd better start looking for those blue chips!

Aaron: RIGHT! Let's go!

About thirty minutes later...

Aaron: This is pretty hard. I only found three blue chips! At THIS rate, Nights and I'll NEVER save Nightopian Central, OR the White Ideya and my friends! NIGHTS! HOW ARE YOU DOING?......hmmm. No answer. Better keep looking.

Nights: EEEEEEEEEEEGGGG!!!!!!!

Aaron: AH! Nights? You're....drooling! Is this normal! What's wrong?

Nights: oooorrrrRRRAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!! ....Aa...ron.

Aaron: NIGHTS?

Nights: It...the...atmosphere...of...the...mansion...

Aaron: ?

Nights: I'm....uuu...being mutated by the....mansion's spell...

Aaron: Nights!

Nights: Help me Aaro....Aar....Aar... RRROOOOOOOOOOOAAAARRRR!!!!!!

Aaron: AAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!!!

Nights: UAHAHAHAAAA!

Aaron: I guess I'm on my own! RRRRRR!!! Nights! I didn't want to do this...

but I have no CHOICE!!!!! It's time to say good NIGHT!!!!!

# 8 - Nighty NIGHT

Aaron: Okay Nights. This is gonna be difficult for me to do.

Nights: URRAAAAAGH!!!!

Aaron: Forgive me for this...but...

\*runs away\*

Nights: Ur?

Aaron: There's gotta be a way to get Nights back to normal. Hmmmmmm...the Ideya! I need to

get the 20 blue chips, get the Ideya. Save my friends, and and the Final Nightmare!

15 minutes later...

Aaron: Well THAT was easy. Now where's that capsule?

rrrrr...

Aaron: HUH? W-WHO'S THERE????

rrrRRRR...

Aaron: A'right...uh...COME OUT!...\*gasping\* SHOW YOURSELF!!!

rrrrRRRRRRRR!!!!!

Nights: RAAAAAAGGGHHH!!!

Aaron: YAAAAAAAAAA!!!! Nights?????

Nights: mmmmmMMMM!!!!!

Aaron: Okay uhhhh...I'll be on my way...

Nights: mmm...

Aaron: to get to the capsule...

Nights: mmmm...

Aaron: And get the Ideya...to save you....

Nights: RAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAARRRRR!!!!!

Aaron: AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!!!!

OW!

Aaron: Huh? Who was that?

Ow! Uh? AAAAAHHHH!!!!!

Aaron: Who said that? Is someone hurt?

Reala: AAAAAAA!!!! OOF! \*hits the floor\*

Aaron: Reala? Is that you?

Reala: The final nightmare...too dangerous...Aaron...uuuuuuu

Aaron: REALA! Reala, are you OK?

Reala: ....

Aaron: Reala!!!!! I think she passed out or something!....Huh? She's got something in her pocket! It looks round. I wonder what it is. \*pulls it out\* It's....a red Ideya?????

Nights: Urrrrr...

Aaron: This is the most powerful Ideya! The one of bravery!

Nights: \*stares at it\*

Aaron: I wonder how to use it? Hmmm...maybe I throw it!...Heads up!

KLONK!

Nights: Owwwwwwwwwwwwww.! Uhhhhh... I had the worst dream...I was a monster and destroyed everybody! ^\_^

Aaron: A'right! I did it!

Nights: \*gasps\* ?! Aaron! Is that what I think it is????

Aaron: ?! AAAHHHH!!!! Your right!....I have a HUGE stain on my shirt! Ick! Hey could you wipe this off? Do you Nightopian types use bleach at all? Do you BATHE?

Nights: NO! Not the STAIN!!!! The Ideya!!!

Aaron: Oh yah that. Reala flew in and had it and blah blah blah blah.

Nights: A long story huh? Well I see you have the blue chips! Let's go!

About half an hour or so later but how should I know? I don't have a watch...

Aaron: Cool! We saved the Final Nightmare AND got Ace, Liza, Nick, and Kelsea out of

Nightopia Central!

Ace: So what now?

Nights: Aaron and I retreived the last Ideya! We managed to be able to find the capsule containing the dream energy of Purity! The one I gave Nick! And Reala luckily flew in holding the red Ideya. Looks like the haunted mansion was too much for her. But what can I say? First class Nightmaren aren't perfect.

Nick: \*whispers\* Then why do they act like it?

Kelsea: NICK!

Liza: So let's go!

At the Palace...

Nights: After we place the last two Ideya into the palace, Nightopia will be saved!

Aaron: Let's do it!

Wizeman: Not so fast!!!!!!! \*snatches Ideya\* HAHAHAHAHAAAAA!!!!!

Ace: AAAAAHHHH!!! He got all five of the Ideya!!!!

Wizeman: I'm now UNBEATABLE and YOU, Nights, are coming with ME! \*grabs Nights\*

BWAHAHAHAHAHAAAAAA!!!!!

Nick: Boy, THAT guy sure likes to hear himself laugh doesn't he?

Nights: AAAAAAAHHHH!!!!!

Kelsea: NIGHTS!!!!!!!

Liza: Don't worry! We'll save you!!!!!

Nights: I'll be OK kids! Just don't give up! Don't back down!!!! It's not...over...yet...

Aaron: ?!

Wizeman: As for YOU worthless little children! GOOD MORNING!!!!!!!

### ZAAAAAPPPPPPPPP!!!!!!

Aaron: Pah! Huh? I'm...awake!...again!.... What time is it???? Huh...6:30...cool. School starts in an hour and a half. Better get ready.

At school....

Aaron: I had the SAME dream as I did last night! Ace, I don't think this is a dream! I think we're REALLY fighting to save the world!

Ace: Uh huh! I agree!

Teacher: So if you take the square root of the Declaration of Independence and multiply it by infinity to the googleth power you get...my Nephew's drivers license which is taped to his butt. Aaron? Ace? Do you have something to share with the class?

Aaron: Uh...no.... except that every time we go to sleep we travel to a giant metropolis ruled by an evil warlock with six hands and befriend a girl in purple armor who looks like a jester and asks us to save the world by retrieving dream energy in the form of multicolored orbs each representing different personalities!

Teacher: Uhhhh....yah. That's a detention for talking in class, Ace and for talking really fast. Aaron.

Aaron: (sigh)

Ace: (groan)

Teacher: Now back to what I was saying...if somebody asks you to multiply 353453 by 1312, then the best thing to do would be to.....

Aaron: This day is gonna go on forEVER...

An hour later:

Teacher: ...eat Chicken Snack Crackers while standing on your basement's toilet.

Ace: 3...2...1....

### RIIIIIIIIING!!!!!

Teacher: OK, everybody is dismissed...

Aaron: \*smiles and gets up\*

Teacher: exCEPT Aaron and Ace!

Aaron: \*sits down\*

Teacher: Alright you worthless children, you will need to write a 12 page report about why urine is yellow to keep yourselves busy.

Ace: Oh that's OK. We have Math homework we can do and-

Teacher: URINE!!! Why is it yellow!!! NOW!!!!

Aaron: EH!!!! \*starts writing\*

Ha! It's me again! Half an hour later...

Aaron: ZZZZZZZ HOOOOOOONK!!!! ZZZZZZZZ SHNOOOOOOOOOOOOOONK!!!!.... Huh? Where am I? A'right! I'm dreaming! A visit here in Nightopia will be SO much better than boring ol' detention! AGGGGG!!!! What's this? The whole city!!!! It's on fire!!!!

Nights: Aaron...

Aaron: NIGHTS!!! Nights, what the heck happened here? Is it Wizeman????

Nights: He hit me...again...I can't do anything....he's finally done it...his scheme....is becoming a reality...

Aaron: SCHEME???? Did he do it? Are we gonna have nightmares forever????

Nights: You can still stop him...he escaped to the real world with the Ideya...you can... stop him Aaron....I...believe in you...

Aaron: But HOW Nights? How can I stop him when he has the Ideya's power?

Nights: You can...do....it.....

Aaron: Nights?

Nights:....\*shuts eyes\*

Aaron: Nights? NIGHTS? NIGHTS!?! NIGHTS!!!!!!!!!!

Nights:....

Aaron: \*stares in fear\* NIIIIIGHTS!!!! \*wakes up\* Uh? Huh? AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!!

Teacher: Aaron, there will be no screaming in THIS school! Now sit and work on your assignment! Until that 12 page report is all finished and turned in, you are NOT by any means necessary, permitted to leave!

# 9 - Endless Days, but no NIGHTS

Aaron: AGGGGGGGG!!!!! \*bangs head on desk\*

Teacher: HEY! I said NO SCREAMING!!!

Aaron: Ace we've GOTTA get out of this! Don't you have some cool gadget that can help us

finish this paper faster???

Ace: hmmmmm...Don't worry Aaron, I've got it covered! (Ahem) Teacher! Oh Teacher!!! I have a

question!

Teacher: OK, but hurry. You dumb kids are never gonna learn anything if you annoy us adults

with your pointless questions.

Ace: Can I go to my backpack for...(ahem) another uh....sheet of paper? Yah!

Teacher:....OK but make it fast!

Ace: OK!

At Ace's backpack...

Ace: Let's see here....Palm Pilot, Netscape Knuckle, Java Joint, Nail Byte, Tendin Tech,

Wrist Webber....aHA!!!! Hand Hacker! I gotta get back to the classroom!

Back in the classroom...

Ace: Uh... I couldn't find any paper so I'll write on this useless...piece of junk...that

can't surf the internet .... at all.

Aaron: What's the plan A-man?

Ace: It's my Portable Hyper Hand Hacker Plus! We surf the internet, find a twelve page report

on urine, and use it's awesome technology to copy and paste it onto our papers!

Aaron: Yudaman Ace! But how are we gonna find a report that long before Wizeman takes over

the world?

Ace: BINGO! Hey Aaron! Guess what? I just found a report that long before Wizeman takes over

the world!

Aaron: Wow, you can get anything off the internet.

Ace: Hey! Wanna go on Fanart Central and see if ANYBODY else has done a picture of me?

Aaron: No time! Copy and paste the reports so we can get out of here!

Ace: Twelve pages, Urine, Copy, PASTE!!!!!!!

BRZAP!!!!!

Aaron: OK, here's our reports! BYEEEEE!!!!

Teacher: OK....wow these are amazing pieces of work. They should be on the internet! My those children are fast writers, and that handwriting is marvelous!, and both of their reports say ....the exact....same...thing. A'RIGHT COME BACK HERE BOYS!!!!!

Aaron: I think we lost the teacher! Come on! We need to find where Wizeman's commensing his destruction!

Ace: Woops! I forgot to drop my Hand Hacker at my backpack! Let's try that way!

In Nightopia...

NiGHTS: O<u>wwwwwwwww...oh</u> I'm hurt pretty bad, but I gotta stay strong for them. I know they can save their home town...like those other two kids saved Twin Seeds...I wish there was something I could do...

Back at Aaron's home town...

Aaron: No matter what, there is absolutely NOTHING that NiGHTS can do!

Ace: What makes you all of a sudden, coincidentally, say that?

Aaron: Lookit THAT!!! Wizeman's recking everything with waves and snaps of his fingers! We've GOTTA stop him!

Nick: Aaron?

Aaron: Nick? Kelsea? Liza? There you are! You've gotta help us! He-

Nick: I KNOW what he's doing. HE'S RECKING EVERYTHING WITH WAVES AND SNAPS OF HIS FINGERS!!!

!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Liza: Wizeman must have found his way into the real world!!!!

Kelsea: Well how do we stop him? He could have us captured, tortured, and hung by our eyelashes in the blink of an eye! We can't fight him!

Aaron: Don't worry! Ace, you know what to do! What are you a man or a CAVEMAN???

Ace: RIGHT! We use techology!!!!

Wizeman: HEH! HEH! I see dead children! HAHAHAHA!!!

Ace: Yah? Well when I'm through with you, the only thing YOU'RE gonna be seeing is little baby chickies flying around your head!

Wizeman: When YOU'RE through with ME??? HAHAHAHAHA!!!! What are you gonna do? Throw your little handheld at me?

Ace: Okay, guys we gotta go someplace where Wizeman can't get us LET'S GO!

At someplace where Wizeman can't get them....

Kelsea: SO? How do we defeat Wizeman Ace?

Ace: The same way Aaron and I solve ALL our problems: finish our science poster, fix our TV, make a pizza, clean our rooms...

Nick: ....

Ace: Think of the problem as a video game!

Liza: We're gonna die. \*slaps herself in the face\*

Ace: Aaron! You know that Sega Saturn game we had a few years ago before Chief took it from us? What was it called again?

Aaron: Chief took a lot of Saturn games from us: Sonic R, Sonic 3d Blast, Sonic Jam, Christmas NiGHTS. NiGHTS Into Dreams...

Ace: Yes! That's IT! NiGHTS Into Dreams! Doesn't this guy Wizeman the Second look a LOT like the final boss from that game...Wizeman the Wicked?

Aaron: Yah...so?

Ace: If he looks the same way, he must ATTACK the same way! We can defeat him if I can download some tips for the final boss on my Hand Hacker.

Liza: Oh yah. Great plan Ace. This isn't a video game though! This is REAL LIFE!!!!

Ace: So? NiGHTS Into Dreams follows the EXACT SAME ADVENTURE as we're following! So we need to follow IT!

Kelsea: OK, but if we die. I'll make sure YOU die TWICE!

Nick: Aw c'mon! Maybe Ace is up to something! Let's follow HIS philosophy...for once.

Ace: OK everybody! Let's get out there on three. Make sure you do exactly what I tell you to do! I didn't make the game, so we'll have to do the best we can with the tools I have with me! 1...2...THREE!!!!!!

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Wizeman: You DARE to challenge ME? HA! I suppose NiGHTS didn't give you the Ideya of Bravery for NOTHING! Perhaps FOOLISHNESS should be an Ideya power TOO!

НАНАНАНАНАНАНАНАААА!!!!!

Prepare to DIE you feeble minded PORCUPINES!!!!

Aaron: ARGH!!! That's HEDGEHOG!!!!!!

Ace: OK, let's see....Google search...NiGHTS Into Dreams...Sega Saturn...hmmmm...lesse...

drat! I hate these search engines!!!!

Aaron: AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHHH!!!!! \*runs around\*

Ace: Dreams, Dreams, Nights, Nights, Nights...

Liza: AAAAAAAAAAAAGGGGGGG!!!!!! \*runs around\*

Ace: Uuuuuhhhh...OOH! It says here if your dreaming of a flood, you have to go to the bathroom! HA! These psychologists are GOOD! No WONDER I kept wetting the bed!

Kelsea: AAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!!! \*runs around\*

Ace: The president kept dreaming about a waterfall for the last MONTH? WOW!

Nick: ACE!!!!! HUURY!!!!! \*runs around\*

Ace: Oh RIGHT! Hmmmm...Wizeman's got 3 bars of health, that's 300 hit points...first attack

phase...GIANT BOULDERS????

Wizeman: HAHAHAHAHAAAA!!! \*throws boulders\*

Nick: Oh crap...

Aaron: GAAAAAHHHH!!!! Ace! How do we dodge them????

Ace: It doesn't say...

Liza: IT DOESN'T SAY????? ACE! You DOOF, WE'RE GONNA GET MAULED!!!!!!!!!!

Aaron: We'd better come up with our OWN strategies! ATTACK! \*rolls into ball\*

ZZZZZZZZZHHHHHH!!!!

WHAM!

Wizeman: Hmmm...that itches....

Aaron: ?! RRG!

ZZZZZZZZZHHHHHHH!!!!!!

WHAM!!!!!!

Wizeman: ....was that supposed to hurt or something?

Ace: I GOT it! Aaron! He's surrounded by a barrier!!! You can't attack him unless a partner can ram into it and break it while you attack!

Nick: Way ahead of you!

ZZZZZZHHHH!!!!

CLASH!

CLASH!

Nick: DUMB BARRIER!!!

CLASH!

CLASH!

CLASH!

CLASH!

Kelsea: Why won't it work?

Liza: It's 'cause Nick and Aaron haven't been working out enough isn't it?

Ace: Nope...only drill attacks can destroy it!

Nick: What the heck is a drill attack? Some NiGHTS Into Dreams lingo that I don't understand?

Ace: The only characters in the video game capable of using these techinques are...Nights and Reala!!!

Aaron: But neither of them are here! And Nick and I don't know how to spin our bodies rapidly and pointing forward shooting straight in a drill type fashion!

Nick: Prove it!

Liza: Our ONLY hope now, is Nights!

Kelsea: What do we DO??? Go to sleep???

Ace: We can't sleep now, Wizeman could attack us in our slumber! We need NiGHTS to come

to US!

Aaron: HOW???

Ace: One of us needs to go back to Nightopia and fetch NiGHTS. After that, the odds of our

triumph are still very slim, but better than if we don't have any help!

Nick: I think Aaron should go!

Aaron: ME???

Kelsea: YAH! You've already made a one-on-one Best Friends Forever tight connection with

NiGHTS. Who better?

Aaron: BUT-

Liza: Don't worry Aaron! Kelsea, Nick, Ace, and I will keep Wizefreak busy. Right Ace?

Ace: Yep! We'll be able to fend off his attacks for about 30 minutes so take this watch with

you!

Aaron: OK, I'll do it! Start the clock NOW!

Nick: Good luck Aaron!

Aaron: Don't worry! I'll be back within half an hour!!!!

Kelsea: I hope he makes it back!

Ace: For now we need to prepare for his second and third phases: more boulders and monstrous

tornadoes...^ ^

Kelsea: ^ ^

Liza: ^ ^

Nick: ^ ^

Ace: ^ ..... RUUUUUUUUNNNNN!!!!!

HHHHHHHHH!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Aaron: OK, I need to sleep...HOW CAN I SLEEP AT A TIME LIKE THIS?????

Television: And now we'll begin our half-hour discussion on Barbie, Bratz, Polly Pockets, Care Bears, and a bunch of stupid little girly stuff! It all started when Barbara Ro-

#### Aaron:

In Nightopia...

Aaron: WOW! For the first time, stupid 4 year old dolls actually HELPED! Now to find Nights...

Nights: .... Aaron...

Aaron: Nights??? There you are! Are you OK? We need your help!

Nights: ....Aaron, I'm too weak to fight...I know you can stop him yourselves...

Aaron: But NiGHTS! Claris and Elliot couldn't stop Wizeman the WICKED without you! And WE definetely can't stop the SECOND Wizeman without you EITHER! Ace's Hand Hacker SAID that either you or Reala can break Wizeman's barrier so we can pop a hard one to that six handed freak.

Nights: Barrier? BARRIER? BARRIER!!!! Oh yah! It can only be stopped with a drill attack!!!! OK Aaron! I can help! Let's go! Wizeman stupidly left the Ideya portal to your world open!

Aaron: Lead the way!

Nights: So tell me, is your hometown similar to Twin Seeds?

Aaron: Twin what? OH! We have 5 minutes left! C'mon Nights! Let's make tracks!

In the real world...

Ace: We can't hold up much longer!!! Aaron where are you???

Aaron: RIGHT HERE ACE!!!

Liza: AARON???

Aaron: And I've brought company!

Nights: Salutations everyone!

Kelsea: NIGHTS!!!!

Nick: Alright! Time to kick butt!

After kicking butt...

Wizeman: uuuuuuurrrr....URRRRRRR!!!!!!

Nights: Well, I THINK we've defeated him!

ZAAAAAAPPPP!!!!

Nights: AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHH!!!!!

Aaron: NIGHTS!!!!

Ace: She got zapped through the portal!!!!

Wizeman: URRRRR!!! HEHEHEH!!!!

Liza: You cold-hearted little...WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO NIGHTS!!!!

Wizeman: Children...you've seen the last of the Wizeman family...the Nightopia Monatchy has come to an end...your lucky...farewell...

BOOM!!!!!!

Kelsea: Is Wizeman....gone?

Nick: Yup! Congratulations all! Time to say so long to the Wizeman Empire!

Aaron: YAH! It's getting pretty late. Let's go to bed!

Ace: OK...it'll sure warm my heart to see Nights' happy face back at Nightopia!

### THE END

### Epilogue:

And so the five went to bed...for the rest of their lives they have never seen Nights appear in their dreams ever again nor had they ever dreamed of Nightopia again...they never knew whether Nights was a figment of their imagination, not even real, or had died in Wizeman's dark blast. All that was true to them, a fact that they could no longer deny, was that Nights....was gone......