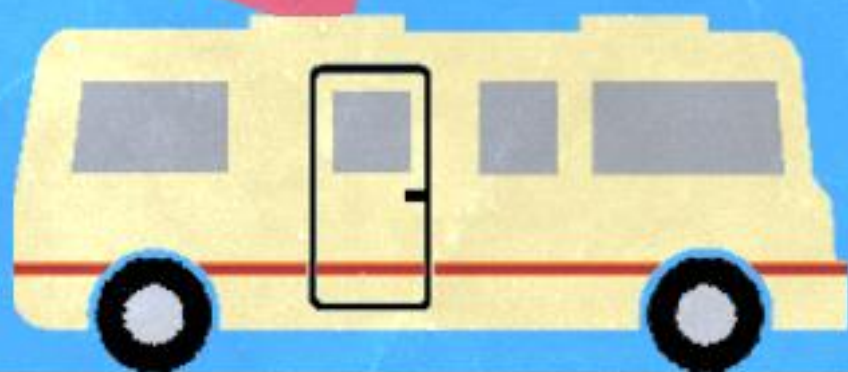
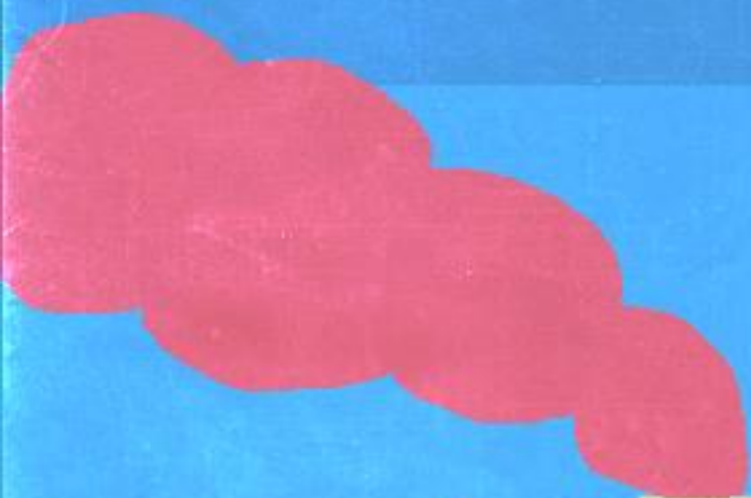


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A FIASCO PLAYSET
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BLUE SKY

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BOILERPLATE

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THE SCORE

TREAD LIGHTLY

Welcome to Salamanca, New Mexico. It's a fine city to raise a family in. Suburban sprawl meets sunshine and easy living. But, hiding behind the sunny exterior, there is a seedy underbelly.

Salamanca is the meth capital of New Mexico, and a new "brand" of meth has recently hit the streets with a blue tint and a kick like none other. Rumor has it there's a ruthless cook behind it who is not afraid to bring everything crumbling down around them. But rumor also has it that this new cook is just some schlub who has gotten lucky.

If you're not already involved in the drug game, you're going to find yourself pulled into it. If you're already in it, you're going to find rival dealers, hitmen, and DEA agents at every turn. And there's one thing everyone wants to know: who is Ozymandias?

TV NIGHT

Breaking Bad, The Wire, Better Call Saul, early seasons of Weeds

RELATIONSHIPS...

1 FAMILY

- Parent and child
- Cousins
- Siblings
- In-laws
- Uncle/aunt and niece/nephew
- Blood brothers

2 WORK

- Supervisor / worker
- ASAC and field agent
- Prostitute and client
- Hitman and target
- DEA agent and criminal
- Teacher and student

3 THE PAST

- High school classmates
- Went through rehab together
- A shared secret
- Former colleagues turned rivals
- Two families at war
- "I want out."

4 CRIME

- Politician and business owner
- Lawyer and client
- Street-level dealers or enforcers
- ▣ Cartel boss and lieutenant
- ▣ Hitman and employer
- ▣ Drug dealer and cook

5 ROMANCE

- Current spouses
- Former spouses
- Former lovers
- ▣ Illicit/indiscretion
- ▣ Ulterior motive
- ▣ Affair

6 VALUES

- Two old players in a young man's game
- One wants to be rich, the other wants respect
- Professional rivals who follow a strict code of conduct
- ▣ Manipulative and easy to fool
- ▣ Raised on the streets, raised in the 'burbs
- ▣ The selfish and the selfless

...IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

NEEDS...

1 TO GET RID OF

- ...the body
- ...a drug addiction
- ...a nosy DEA agent
- ...someone who doesn't deserve to die
- ...a pile of drug money that's gotten too big
- ...the owner of a local Clucky's

2 TO GET THE BAD GUYS

- ...because they threatened your family
- ...because they took something that is rightfully yours
- ...so everyone will know you're a big hero
- ...so you can finally stop running
- ...because the law is the law, no matter what it takes
- ...because they sullied your reputation

3 TO GET RICH

- ...to provide for your family
- ...with a major drug deal
- ...by pulling a fast one on a seasoned professional
- ...with a shady real-estate sale
- ...by pulling off one last job
- ...by exploiting a loved one

4 TO GET RESPECT FROM

- ...your family, who thinks you're a loser
- ...you co-workers, who push you around
- ...your boss, who has given you one last chance to prove yourself
- ...a rival, who thinks they're better than you
- ...your mentor, to show that you've mastered the skills they taught you
- ...the cartel, so you can take Don Jacinto's place

5 TO GET THE TRUTH

- ...about who robbed you
- ...about who the drug cook "Ozymandias" really is
- ...about the owner of Clucky's
- ...about who's talking to the DEA
- ...about a loved one's infidelity
- ...about where your spouse really disappeared to

6 TO GET EVEN

- ...with a former partner
- ...with Don Jacinto
- ...with law enforcement
- ...with your boss
- ...with a co-worker
- ...with a family member

...IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

LOCATIONS...

1 JUST OFF MAIN STREET

- ◻ Strip-mall adjacent law offices of a criminal lawyer
- ◻ Clucky's Drive-thru Chicken
- ◻ Hot Dog Hut, 24/7 dime bags and hot dogs
- ◻ El Tigre \$1 Movie Theater
- ◻ Quik-Serv "Vacuum Repair"
- ◻ Hoggsbreath biker bar

2 BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS

- ◻ 221 Avenida Del Rey, 3BR 2BA suburban ranch-style home
- ◻ Empty swimming pool
- ◻ Golden Acres Retirement Community
- ◻ Don Jacinto's sprawling limestone villa in the hills north of town
- ◻ 355 San Pedro #6B, a trashy apartment
- ◻ Crawlspace

3 DOWNTOWN

- ◻ Poorly guarded evidence lockup
- ◻ Schrader Memorial Hospital
- ◻ Men's bathroom at city hall
- ◻ On a stakeout
- ◻ DEA field office, crawling with agents
- ◻ Isla Nueva Café

4 LOCAL BUSINESS

- G2G Car Wash on 5th Street
- El Gatito Mexican Restaurant
- Ultrazone Bowling and Lazer Tag Arena
- ▣ Pump 'n' Go Truck Stop, just off the interstate
- ▣ Salamanca County Credit Union
- ▣ Insectos Muertos Pest Control

5 CRIMINAL

- Underground state-of-the-art superlab
- Rolling Heights, a dirt road trailer park
- ▣ Local drug kingpin's headquarters
- ▣ Lugo's junkyard and impound
- ▣ The Pink Lady Motel
- ▣ Site of a recent shootout

6 OUTSKIRTS OF TOWN

- Shooting range, at night
- Chicken farm owned by the cartel
- ▣ The back of a refrigerated freezer truck
- ▣ Freshly dug grave in the early hours of morning
- ▣ U-Stor-We-Lok public storage facility
- ▣ Salamanca Municipal Airport

...IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

OBJECTS...

1 INFORMATION

- Troubling photographs
- GPS coordinates
- Client list
- DVD-recorded confession
- Where the body is hidden
- Evidence in a criminal case against Don Jacinto

2 VALUABLE

- Phone call at exactly the right moment
- Lottery ticket with something scribbled on the back
- Two million dollars stuffed in a pink backpack
- Full bottle of Sangre Azul tequila, \$500 a shot
- Pound of blue meth
- Pregnant woman

3 DANGEROUS

- Phone call at exactly the wrong moment
- A knock on the door late at night
- Beige and brown RV that never starts on the first try
- Oranges
- Somebody's real name
- Thirty-foot drop

4 IT'S ABOUT THE CHEMISTRY

- 55 gallon barrel of hydrofluoric acid
- Ricin capsule, easy to misplace
- Fulminated mercury crystal
- Hazmat suit and ventilator mask
- 5000 ml round bottom boiling flask
- Secret recipe

5 WEAPONRY

- Neon yellow bike lock
- Box cutter with dried blood on the handle
- Turquoise mailbox
- Homemade pipe bomb
- Recently purchased fire axe
- Garrote wire

6 ODDBALL

- Pink teddy bear missing an eye
- Book of classic poetry
- Handgun full of blanks
- Stolen ATM
- Pair of tighty-whities
- Vintage Oriental rug

...IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

A BLUE SKY INSTA SETUP

RELATIONSHIPS IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

For three players...

- * Family: In-laws
- * Work: DEA agent and criminal
- * Crime: Drug dealer and cook

For four players, add...

- * Values: Manipulative and easy to fool

For five players, add...

- * The Past: Former colleagues turned rivals

NEEDS IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

For three players...

- * ...about who the drug cook “Ozymandias” really is

For four or five players, add...

- * To get the bad guys because they threatened your family

LOCATIONS IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

For three or four players...

- * Criminal: Underground state-of-the-art superlab

For five players, add...

- * Outskirts of Town: Freshly dug grave in the early hours of morning

OBJECTS IN IN A NEW MEXICAN TOWN

For any number of players...

- * Valuable: Two million dollars stuffed in a pink backpack