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Treasure Island

My name's Farid Abadi, and I'm 27, plus I hate my job. I work for GoMobil Corp as a technology tester, and just sit in a box office all day. Which is almost the boringest thing I can think of, other than taking tests. But one day it will all change! And it turned out, that day was closer than I thought. That day was July 13th 2018.

"Farid, could you please go down to the supply closet and bring me some of the old circuit boards." said my boss, Sami.

"Yes sir." I responded.

"Thank you." So I head down to the supply closet as instructed. I get there and begin to search for the old circuit boards, while doing so I accidentally stumble onto some old boxes. I see something inside shining in the light, so I pull it out of the box. *What is this?* There's a lock on it so I decide it must be none of my business and just leave it there, and go bring my boss the circuit boards he asked for. I give him the boards as he asked and go sit back down at my desk. *What was in that box? Why would they lock it unless something important is in there?* I can't get that little silver box off my mind, but I continue to work anyway. I keep working for a couple hours and there's only 2 hours left now until I get off, and with that little box still on my mind I decide to go take a closer look, but no one can know.

"I'm gonna take a quick bathroom break Sami."

"Sounds good." I head back down to the supply closet to figure out what's in that box! I reach the room again and search for a key. I search and search, but still no key. I keep looking

and while doing so I find a hair pin. “Perfect!” So, I pick up the box, and try to unlock it. Luckily I learned how to pick a lot in engineering school! CLICK. I hear as the lock opens up. I push the top forward so now I can see what lies within, it’s an old piece of paper. *What!? Just an old piece of paper! That can't be right.* I take the paper out of the box and unroll it, it looks like a map? *Why is there an old crusty map locked up in this little box?* I take a closer look and see there’s a dark red X on South Korea. *What could possibly be hidden in South Korea?* I flip the map onto its back to make sure there’s nothing there, but there was! It says “What you seek may not be what you truly want, but where you seek is where you need to be.” *That’s weird, what does that even mean?* It also has some coordinates on it, 39.9078 N, 127.7669 E. *This is not how I expected my day to go.*

I put the map in my pocket and head on back to my office. I know I can’t let anyone see this or they may call me a thief, or try to come with me, so I keep it hidden. Heading back to my office think about what could be in South Korea, but either way I want it.I can not withhold the suspense of figuring out what is in South Korea. “Can I take a vacation Sami?” I quickly ask.

“Ummm, I guess so. After you finish today's work.” he responds.

“Thank you sir.” I finish out the day's work and immediately go home to pack my bags to see what is hidden in South Korea! I look at the map again trying to think of the quickest route to get there. So, I’m in Algeria, I could go to Morocco, then cross the border to Spain… no, no that won’t work. How about sailing up to France, then going to Germany… no, I don’t want to get on

France's bad side. Oooo I got it, I'll sail from here, Algeria, on the medditeranean sea up to Iskenderun, in Turkey, then I shall take a train, buses, and other methods of transportation until I reach South Korea! I'll just mark that on the map so I'll remember. Well, now that I know how I'm gonna get there, I better get on my way.

First things first, I need to make it to Algiers to ask the chief of seaport if I can leave the country. "Hello sir, I'm Farid Abadi and I'd like to take a trip!"

"Where to?" he responds.

"I want to end my destination in South Korea, but first I will stop in Turkey."

"Okay, that's fine. Do you have your passport?"

"Yes sir."

"Alright you can find yourself a boat then get on your way!"

"Thank you!" Now I must make it to Annaba Port, where I will set sail. I sure am gonna miss this country, I've never left before, but I'll be back! I finally made it to Annaba Port and can find the boat that will start my adventure! "Hello, I'd like to rent a boat." I say to the owner of the boat shop.

"Okay, what's your name?"he responds

"Farid Abadi."

"Alright, let me see if we have anything available right now… yup, looks like there's 1 left, you're in luck! That'll be 350 DZD." he responds.

"Alright, here you go," I say as handing him the money.

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"Thank you, I'll get your boat ready for you and then you can set to sea!" It's a good thing I just got paid yesterday because otherwise I would not have enough money for this trip. I brought 25,000 DZD so now I have 24,650 DZD left. Hopefully I have enough money for the whole trip. "Your boat is ready for you when you are," the owner says.

"Thank you! See you in a couple weeks!" I responded. Grabbing my bags I hop onto the boat looking forwards at sea, seeing all the adventure that awaits me. Before I leave I look back towards my home thinking of how much this place means to me. *Everyone here speaks the same language as me, Arabic. We all have the same religion, Muslim with over 99%! I also will really miss our special customs, like how we all greet each other with lengthy affairs, oh and how everyone always brings pastries and fruit over when they visit! We also have so many cool topographical places to visit! Like Ahaggar Mountains, and the Ahaggar National Park! Actually, I think I can see the Ahaggar mountains from here! I'm also gonna really miss how inexpensive food is here, oooo and my favorite trail, Skikda provonice. There really is a lot to love here! Well, I guess I better get on my way!*

I'm not really sure how to control a boat, I've never been on one before! But, I think I'll get the hang of it. I wave back to shop owner as my boat leaves the dock, and follow the stream of the medditeranean sea. I sure am glad that I'm on the medditeranean and not some other sea because there are like no waves! Oooo, this boat has an autopilot! Looks like I'll just sit back and relax for a little! I've heard pretty good things about Turkey, like there mostly Islam which is cool. Oh, and they have one of the worlds biggest malls, which I'm definitely gonna have to

visit! I've also heard that Santa Claus is from Turkey, so I have to meet him of course! "OH MY!" Sorry for my language, but that boat was coming right at me! Thankfully they swerved out of the way before we crashed! Oh look! I can see Turkey! The guy standing on the dock is waving at me to pull the boat into where he is, so I do.

"Hello, I'm Ali and I'll be taking you to the port! What's your name?" the guy says to me as we begin to walk.

"I'm Farid, Farid Abadi. Thank you so much for having me!"

"It's no problem we love having people come visit. In fact, stay as long as you want! Well, not more than 60 days. Unless you have your passport?"

"I have it right here in my bag actually!"

"That's good, without it you can only stay 60 days!"

"Oh… well, thank you for leading me to the port!"

"It's no problem, hope you enjoy your time in our beautiful Turkey!"

"Hello, I'm here to drop my boat off. I came from Turkey." I say to the women at the front desk.

"Sounds good, we'll take care of that for you! Do you have your passport? She responds.

"Yeah, here you go," I say as I hand my passport to her.

"Looks good! Stay as long as you'd like!" Now that I've made it to turkey I need to get some money in their currency, so I must go to the capital, Ankara. I start walking around looking for the train station, but still can't find it. So I ask around for help.

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"Hey, I'm visiting here and I was wondering if you happened to know where the train station is?" I ask the nearest person I see.

"Yeah actually, it's right over there, to the left, then down a couple streets, then it'll be there on your left," she says while pointing around.

"Thank you so much, almost was lost there for a second," I say jokingly.

"Haha, glad to help." Walking to the station I look around and see all of these beautiful rugs and ceiling throughout most of the buildings. All of these amazing wall arts, but it's so hot! Making it close to the train station now and I see a train just stop in. *Oh no, I better hurry or I'm gonna miss the next departure!* So I quickly rushed inside to get my ticket!

"I'd like to buy a train ticket to Ankara please." I ramble to the receptionist.

"Okay, we just had one come in that is heading that way. It's about a 4 hour ride there… so that'll be TL40," she exclaims.

"I'm actually going to the capital right now to get some TL. Is it okay if I give you some DZD currency for now?"

"Umm… I guess so, but next time you come back here you better have some Turkish lira. So in Algerian dinar that'll be 824.29 DZD please."

"Holy! That's a lot of money!"

"Welp, that's what you get for going 378.1 miles across the country!"

"I guess so… here's the money."

"Thank you, here is the ticket."

"Thank you, I better get going before they leave without. Bye." *That's a lot of money spent on one trip to get across the country. At least I still have, hmm, 23,000, no, 23,825.71 Arabic dinar left!* I double check to make sure I have my ticket and sprint to the train to make sure they don't leave without me.

"Last call, last call for anyone who wants on this train. Alright…" one of the train crew members yells.

"Wait! I have a ticket!" I scream across the boarding deck.

"We got one more!" he shouts to the front, "Where's your ticket?"

"Here you go."

"Looks good… ALL ABOARD!" CHOO CHOO! The horn toots and the wheels begin to spin, CHUGA CHUGA CHUGA CHUGA! *I can't believe I get to go to the capital of Turkey, and I might even get to go to the Istanbul Cevahir Mall, which is 3.47million square feet!* I haven't eaten in forever, I wonder if there's any food on this train?

"Do you know if they give us any free food?" I asked the person next to me.

"Umm, I'm not sure if it's free but I'm sure they have some you can buy. I usually just bring some food from home," he responded.

"Ahh, smart! I would have but I just got here, I'm from Algeria."

"Oh cool! I was born and raised in Turkey. Since you're new here I doubt you've tried any of our food, have you?"

"No actually, I haven't."

"Wanna try some of my leftover iskender kebab?"

"Yeah sure, thank you!" I say as he hands me some of the meat.

"No problem, so what's your name?"

"I'm Farid, what's your name?"

"I'm Berk, nice to meet you!"

"Same to you! This stuff is really good by the way! What's in it?"

"It's sliced lamb with warm tomato sauce over bread, and topped with yogurt and butter. Everyone in my family is obsessed with it! I'm surprised there were any leftovers!"

"Haha, it is *really* good, it was really filling too! Just wondering, have you ever been to the Istanbul cevahir mall? I've heard it's amazing!"

"I actually never had, maybe if you're in town very long we could go together!"

"That'd be awesome!" After we finished talking I dozed off from the long day of work. And when I woke up the train had stopped, I had made it to Ankara! But it's 12am and I don't have any money still, and I don't know how long the capital is open. *I bet Berk knows!* "Hey Berk, do you know if Algiers is still open?" I question.

"I'm pretty sure the president's out right now so it's closed. Sorry." He responds.

"Ah it's fine I just need to find somewhere to get some money."

"Well you're in luck! There's a bank right next to Algiers!"

"Thank you! Well I better get on my way, hopefully we meet again one day!" Berk and I exchange our goodbyes and phone numbers then head our separate directions. The capital's

actually pretty close to where I am now so I'm just gonna save some money and walk. While walking I notice the perfect hotel to stay the night at! A marriott! Then across the street from it I see some weirdly named bank that I don't recognize, but it'll do! I walk into the bank and no one is there. *That's weird, where is everybody. There's only ATM's in here!* They must not have many workers to only have ATM's. Oh well, I put 125.71 of my money and in return it gives me 7 in return! I hate turkish dinar! I GUESS I'll put in 700 more and it gives me 34.01, so now I have 41.01 Turkish lira and 23,000 DZD! You know what, it's better safe than sorry. I put in 1000 more and get 48.59 back. So now I have 82.6 turkish lira.

Now I can finally go to that hotel and get some sleep. "Hello I'm Farid and I'd like a one room hotel." I tell the receptionist.

"Okay let me see if we have any open, aaannnddd, yup! There's one available on the 2nd floor room 212. Will that work for you?" She responds.

"That's fine."

"Okay, that'll be €56."

"Of course," I say under my breath while handing her the money. She gives me my key and I go up to my room. And the first thing I do is plop on the bed! *What a day! I better get some sleep for all the travel that awaits me tomorrow!* I set an alarm for 6am, and before I knew it, I was out.

BZZ! BZZ! BZZ! "Just a couple more minutes," I whisper to myself. BZZ! BZZ! *Fine, fine I'm getting up.* "Yawwwnnn." *Ew I smell disgusting! I'm gonna take a quick shower.* I get in

the shower and use the soap they have in there… and I took it just in case I needed it later. But they want you to do that. Now that I smell like christmas cookies I can leave Turkey and start heading to Iran. I've heard there's a major road that runs right into Iran so I'll try to take that there. It sure is a good thing I'm not going to Syria because they have a really strict border patrol over there! I think there's a really good car rental place near the airport that I can take and drive up to Iran. I'll head that way now. *The airport is only a couple blocks away so once I get there I can go to expedia, and then rent a car for 2 days because it'll take about 26 hours to get there!* According to their website I can rent one of their cars for $25 a day. And I'll figure out how much that is in Turkish lira/ Algerian dinar once I get there.

I arrive at the airport and look around, I immediately see expedia in the corner directly to my left. "Hello I'm wanting to rent a car for 2 days." I tell the guy at the front desk.

"Uhh, okay, we have one that you can rent for $91 US dollars a day." He explains.

"How about one for $25?"

"Let me check," click click click click, " Yeah, we have you for $25. Do you have any US dollars on you?"

"No sorry, but I have some turkish lira, and algerian dinar."

"Okay well… that'll be 5,973.83 in algerian dinar."

"Oh my goodness that's a lot. Anyway, here you go."

"Thanks, your car will be ready for you out back in about 5 minutes."

"Okay, thanks." *Holy that was a lot of money. I only have 16,026.17 algerian dinar which*

is apparently not as much as you'd think! I guess that's what I get though for only bringing about 1/100 of my salary, but it'll all be worth it in the end once I find this treasure! At least I hope so.

"Here's your car sir."the worker says

"Okay, thanks," I respond. *Looks pretty good. But, it better work good for all that money I paid just to rent this!* I plop down into the seat, put the key in, and twist it. VRROOM. The engine roars as I begin to press on the gas and head to Iran, one country closer to my treasure! Turkey was amazing though while I was here, everyone was so nice, there were beautiful structures around every corner, and the food was to die for! Goodbye Turkey and hello Iran!

I've been on the road now for a couple hours and start to get hungry, so I get off at the next exit on the highway to find something to eat. I look at the name of the first restaurant I see and it's called Seyed Salehi Restaurant. *Am I already in Iran? I didn't notice any signs or anything? Well, I guess I am. So far so good.* Since I'm already starving I just eat at this place. I ate some chicken kebab and it was actually pretty good! Not much of my style though. I asked if they had any american fast food places and he said "Yeah, but they're named different and stuff because it's a law here that we can't." I thought that was pretty weird. Now that I'm done eating and feel all better I get back on the road with only 12 more hours left to go!

I've been driving for about 5 more hours and I feel dead. Luckily there's a rest stop ahead that I'm just gonna stop at and sleep in the car. It's been 17 hours on the road so far, so I only have about 9 hours left to go in the morning. I keep the same timer I used from last night so I wake up with enough time to drive to the airport in Iran and it'll only be 3:00pm! Before I go to

sleep in my car I check the gas and it is almost out. But, luckily there is a gas station at this rest stop that I can use! It says it's gonna be… 54.48 algerian dinar. *Not bad.* So I have 15,971.69 DZD left! Now, I can finally sleep!

BZZ! BZZ! BZZ! Time to get up and have an amazing day of travel! Today I want to go through Iran to Pakistan or India before tonight! Time to hit the road… again! But first I go into the rest shop to buy a couple donuts for breakfast to hold me over until I stop again.

It's been a very long morning but now the drive is over. I finally made it to Tehran, Iran. So far I haven't really needed to use much other currencies. Seems like normally they'll just take algerian dinar as well. So hopefully I don't need any other currencies here. Anyway, now that I've made it to Iran I'm going to try to make my way to the ticket gate, which is very close! Oh wait, I almost forgot. I need to go drop my rental car back off at expedia. "Hello I'm Farid, I came from Turkey with this rental car… I'm here to drop it off." I explain to the guy at the desk.

"Alright, ah there you are. Farid Abadi?" He replies

"Correct."

"Okay, you can just leave it in the parking lot and we'll take that right off your hands for you! Oh, before you leave could you please fill out this survey before you leave?"

"Sure." *How many miles did you drive, about 1,300. Did you refill the gas recently, yes. Did you get into any accidents or cause any dents, no. Was it a smooth ride, sure. Did you feel the price was fair, not really. How was your overall experience, good.* "Here's your paper back."

"Thank you, have a nice time in the beautiful persia." *He was pretty nice.* I haven't ever really heard much about Iran except for the fact that they speak persian, their main religion is Shi'ism, they have a pretty cool park called Golestan National park. Oh, and they use Iranian rial as their currency. Now that I think of it that's a pretty good amount! Now I just need to get my plane ticket so I can fly to China. That's the booth now!

"Hi, I'd like to buy a coach plane ticket to the Beijing Capital in China." I tell the lady selling tickets.

"Okay that'll be $300 US dollars." She replies

"How much is that in Algerian dinar?"

"35,845.5 DZD."

"I don't have enough with me for that!"

"We could take it out of your bank account."

"Okay, that's fine, I guess." *There better be something good in South Korea because there go all of my savings!*

"Alright, here's your ticket and we'll take that right out of your account!"

"Thanks." Well now I'm all bummed out but at least I still have hope that the treasure in South Korea *is* gonna be worth it! I go through all of the gates and all of the metal detectors until I make it to the plane. I get on and sit in my assigned seat, 13F. I try to relax and get settled in for 7 hour flight but then some guy comes up and sits right next to me, but he kind of looks like someone I met earlier.

"Berk?" I question.

"Yeah, that's me, who are…" he says while turning around. "Farid! So good to see you! Where are you heading?"

"I'm on my way to China. Where are you heading?"

"I'm on my way to South Korea!"

"Oh cool! I'm on my way there too, I just don't have enough money for a plane ticket so I have to get a little creative!"

"That's cool, maybe we'll see each other there too. Who knows?"

"Maybe… I haven't told anyone this yet but I'm actually going to South Korea to find some hidden treasure there!"

"No way!"

"Yeah look!" I say while pulling the map out of my bag, "See there's a big red X on South Korea and I'm trying to figure out what it is!"

"Sounds awesome! Where'd you find that?"

"Funny story actually, I found it in the storage closet of my work back in Algeria!"

"Wow!"

"I know right! Well, I'm going to try to get a little sleep while we fly, talk to you soon!"

"Same." We both lay our heads down and doze off…

"Next stop, China!" the flight attendant says over the intercom.

"Looks like this is my stop Berk!" I whisper/

"Alright dude, good luck getting to South Korea!" He mutters.

"Thanks, safe travels to you too!"

"Thanks!" Looks like I made it to China, and without a scratch! Dang! I can see China's capital from here! Beijing here I come! But first, I need some food! So I stopped at the first chinese restaurant. "Ni Hao" I say to the cashier.

"Ni hao," he replies.

"Could I please get some orange chicken with a side of rice and sweet peas?"

"Yes, I'll make that right up for you!"

"Thank you." I learned a little mandarin before I came! *Pretty good if I do say so myself.* I go to take my seat and then…

"Order up." the cashier says. *Man that was fast!* I walk up to the counter, grab my food, and walk back to the table I was sitting at before. Then I munch down all the food there until there's not a crumb left!

"Hey, do you know what that big mountain is over there?" I ask while pointing to the big mountain.

"Yeah that's Mount Emei. It's the tallest mountain here! A very fun experience to climb, but also very dangerous. So watch out if you ever think about climbing it!" He answers.

"Alright, thanks for the tip!"

"Anytime!" I love all of the decorations here! There's so many lanterns, and dragons. And I never knew this but apparently I'm born in the year of the rooster! It's a very colorful

country! But I still need to make it to South Korea and fast! So, let's find this subway that can take me to North Korea! I need to take a taxi to Shanghai and there I can take a train up to Pyongyang, China.

"Taxi! Taxi!" I shout to the road. "Taxi!" I scream while pointing out my thumb to indicate I'm waiting for a taxi. *Finally a taxi notices me!* The taxi pulls up and when it stops I open up the trunk and put my stuff in.

"Where to?" He asks.

"Shanghai." I reply.

"That's gonna be 460 DZD."

"Okay, here you go."

"Alright let's get going!" We begin to drive towards Shanghai Station so they can take me to North Korea. *And once I get through North Korea I'll be in South Korea and I can search for the treasure!* "This is your stop," he says.

"Thank you!" I quickly run inside to buy my ticket knowing I need to get on this train as fast as I can before it leaves. I get in there and buy my ticket, but there's a 30 minute wait until the next train gets here. So, I sit down and take a quick nap. When I wake up it's dark outside! *What happened!? What time is it!? Did I miss my train!?* I can't believe it! I missed my train and now I have to wait even longer until the next train gets here to take me to North Korea. This time I won't make the same mistake, I sit down with my eyes wide open, the whole time, until the

train gets here. Thankfully the train wasn't too far so I didn't have to last very long! Now I'm on the train and ready to go!

Of course, like always, I took a little nap on the train. But that doesn't matter, because now we are in North Korea! And… It looks like a military camp all around me! I do not want to stay here for very long! I'm already at the capital Pyongyang, so I'm gonna ask if they know the best way to South Korea.

"Hello, do you know the best way to get to South Korea?" I ask, a random person walking around.

"I suggest a ferry or a train sir!" He responds.

"Thank you, you can just call me Farid by the way." That was kinda weird but whatever. *What language do they speak here? Oh wait, I'm stupid. Obviously Korean.* Before I leave to take a ferry to South Korea I'm gonna try and find some food.

This cuisine looks really good! Some cold noodles, tofu, rice, and porridge. I just ate that faster than I think I've ever eaten anything! *I wonder where their food came from? Oh well.*

"Just wondering, what religion are you?" I question the cashier.

"Well, I'm Korean Shamanism, but everyone else here is Buddist.," he says.

"Oh cool, well I have to get going. Thank you for the food though, it was amazing!" So now I walk over to where the ferry will depart and get ready to leave. Oh wait, I need to get a ticket.

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"I'd like to get a ticket for the next available ferry ride to South Korea." I tell the receptionist.

"Okay, one second…" she replies.

"Hello, I'm still here…"

"Oh yeah, sorry. Here's your ticket, that'll be 13,142.99 DZD."

"Here you go." Now I have 2828.7 algerian dinar left, but I'm gonna be in South Korea with this much left!

TOOT! TOOT! The ferry horns blair and I run to the ferry as fast I can before the detach from the dock, luckily I made it in time. And we're off!

After a long 16 hours on that ferry I finally made it! This is South Korea! It's even better than I thought. I know my mission here and I'm sticking to it! First, I need to go to the capital and ask if they know where the coordinates on the back of this map are. So I begin to walk my way to Seoul. After a couple minutes I reach the capital and go inside.

"Excuse me, do any of you know where these coordinates are?" I ask the man at the counter, while covering the red X on South Korea.

"Actually yeah that's on Geojedo, which is an island south of us right now," he says.

"Thank you so much!" Now I know where it is I just need to get there! "Taxi, Taxi!" I yell as one pulls up.

"Where to?" the taxi driver asks.

"As close as you can get me to Geojedo!"

"Alright! You're in luck, they just added a bridge to get over to Geojedo a couple years ago!"

"I'm just having a really lucky week! Here's 200 algerian dinar for driving me here! I've been trying to get here for a week now and I've finally made it! Thanks to you!"

"It's no problem, it's what I do! Well, here's your stop! Enjoy your stay!"

"I will, thank you!" I get out of the taxi and run to the end of the island! *What is gonna be here? What if it's nothing? What if this whole thing was a waste of time? It's really beautiful here though!* All there is here is some lawn chairs lawing in the grass and a little hill going down to the water. I walk over to the edge to look and…

"Farid!?" Someone yells out to me.

"Huh," I say as I turn around, "Berk! I can't believe you're here!" I yell back. *Wait, is Berk the treasure the map was talking about? Or is this island the treasure, and this is where I'm supposed to be?! Eh, I don't know.*

"I can't believe you made it here so fast!"

"Haha I couldn't wait to find this thing! But I can't seem to find anything right now!'

"I'll help you look!"

"Thanks!" I walk over to the edge of the hill and look down trying to see if I can see anything down there and… "AHHHHH!"

"Farid! Where are you!"

"I don't know I fell through some vines and I can't see anything!" CLICK! I turn my flashlight on and begin to look around. Out of the corner of my eye I see something sparkle in the light just like the little box did when I first found it! I walk a little closer and, and, it's a treasure box! I can't believe it! This was all worth it! Every single bit of it! All worth it! But wait! I don't even know what's in the box, what if it's nothing! Well, there's only one way to find out. I take the end of my flashlight and slam it against the lock on the chest and, CLICK, the lock snaps open. I slowly push the top forward so I can begin to see what's hidden inside! It's shiny! It's bright! It's gold! I found gold! "Berk! It's gold! We're gonna be rich!" I grab as much gold as I can hold and get Berk to help me climb out of the hole. "See Berk it's gold!"

"I can't believe it! You really found gold!"

"I have to take this to an appraiser store right now!"

"Hello, I found some gold I'd like you to look at!" I tell the appraiser.

"Well boys, it looks like you're gonna be rich!

So in the end I stayed in Geojedo, as you know, and grew up in this amazing country called South Korea. Your uncle Berk and I have always been friends since! And this country is where I met your amazing mom Kim Lee. And we lived happily ever after! That's the story of how we came to be today Berk jr. and Farid jr. Did you like it?

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