

Character survives encounter with creature

As a fist is thrown into the air, signifying to hold, the Elite Ghosts kneel down as their leader codename: BDB scouts the area. They stand on a nice calm prairie, with a nice lake that transforms into a waterfall a ways down. The sun is an hour from setting and the Ghosts need to get back to their base. One of the members whispers to BDB saying that it's time to head back. No, something is not right; they were being watched.

"SPLIT" yells BDB. His troops roll and split away from each other as a huge silky black looking fish with bird feet, beak and wings smash into the ground. The ground is torn apart from under them and the Elite men are shot farther apart, some landing in the lake. 'The Thing' stands up and screeches its call. "What the hell" says BDB.

The fish bird flaps its wings and eats of the Ghosts hole, bringing the squad of six down to five. The two other members in the lake fire all their clips at the scales of the fish but are ineffective. When 'The Thing' rises to the surface BDB runs straight at him firing his Desert Eagle straight into the creature's eyes. Only hitting the left eye making him blind, the creature roars in agony.

'The Thing' opens its wings and takes flight with another member still struggling to get off, finally doing so but 50 feet in the air, falls to his death 2 feet in front of BDB. Anger now flows through BDB, never has he caused a paper cut to one of his men, now two lay dead on the grass. This 'Thing' will pay. "Knife!" exclaims BDB at his nearest member.

The creature is coming back for another pass, beak wide open ready to swallow BDB like the prior Ghost. BDB catches the knife and the three other Elite Ghosts shoot the wings of 'The Thing'. BDB jumps toward the monstrosity knife out forward. He cuts off the tongue of the bird/fish and the wings fall off with lots of blood dripping from where the wings once were. Unfortunately for BDB, 'The Thing' managed to close his mouth with BDB still inside, blood gushing inside the beak from the cut off tongue.

Panicking as BDB has no weapon, not sure what to do, he thinks of MLS and how his day could've been different had spent the day at the Marines. Then it comes to him, he pulls out his commanders cell phone and texts her for help with the location and to hurry. Then a sudden lift from 'The Thing' sends the phone out of his hands and into the blood breaking the phone. "Shit, if I survive this, I'll die either way now." BDB says with a chuckle and a smile on his face.

Then before BDB knew he was back on the ground covered in blood. The creature had been resurrected, with his wings back and now white scales to its body. The bird may have died and been reborn, but it knows exactly what is going on, and who to kill. The beast jumped up and landed knocking over the unimportant Ghosts, then turns to BDB, who is reading. 'The Thing' starts running at him, his stance in a ready to get busy position. Beak still closed on the creature, wings tucked in until the last second then flaps his wings because BDB dropped to the ground thinking the beast would outrun him. The force of the wings caused BDB to fly off the ground then land again.

"Boss!" all the Ghosts yell, still getting to their feet. "Stay back, he" coughs up blood "he only wants me!" The remaining Ghosts halt and watch the fight. Just as BDB gets to his feet 'The Thing' uses his beak to launches him into the air, flipping and spinning toward the lake. Landing with a hard splash BDB starts to swim toward the waterfall as 'The Thing' crashes into the water.

The force of the impact sends BDB off down the waterfall landing in the lower lake with a small island that BDB made his way to. Panting "How, the hell am I still alive?!?!?" The beast slowly rose from the water. Half of its body still underwater, then its water breath hole breathed. "That's it" BDB whispers.

Leaping onto 'The Thing' it then dives underwater. BDB cooks a grenade then sticking it in the air hole of fish/bird. Letting go, the beast opens his wings ready to respond but it was too late. The grenade explodes killing the creature's second life and only remaining life.

As BDB reaches the surface he slowly swims to the island then lays on his back exhaling. Looking up he sees this troops yelling “are you okay?” but BDB can’t hear then, temporarily deaf from the explosion. He thinks about what MLS would think about this and if this could get her to finally choose him over DAC. He chuckles at the thought “that will never happen”, on the other hand this might get him the promotion he always wanted. Not sure what to say to them or if he could even find the strength to say anything he says in a weak soft voice “just another exciting shitty day at work.”