

# E254 - The Super Secret S-Rank Mission

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**[00:07]** ---

Lost sight of my target.

**[00:10]** ---

That spy pulled one over me.

Should have figured out their intent...

**[00:23]** ---

Are you all right, Guy Sensei?

**[00:26]** ---

I'll help you out!

**[00:30]** ---

Hey! Do not touch Guy right now!

**[00:33]** ---

He'll be experiencing the after-effects  
of the Eight Inner Gates soon.

**[00:35]** ---

Even the slightest touch will cause him  
intense pain all over his body!

**[00:38]** ---

What? Really?

**[00:42]** ---

I'm sorry, ya know!

**[00:45]** ---

Quietly, quietly!

**[00:47]** ---

Because of the Water Prison Jutsu,

**[00:49]** ---

I wasn't able to send a message  
about the intel leak.

**[00:53]** ---

I think we can conclude that  
the enemy knows about this location.

**[00:57]** ---

Which means we must act quickly  
to relocate Bee and Naruto!

**[01:02]** ---

The enemy will figure that out too  
and take immediate action!

**[01:06]** ---

I understand, but...

**[01:11]** ---

We will relocate them, but not by ship.

**[01:13]** ---

They will remain on this island.

**[01:15]** ---

What?

**[01:16]** ---

Leave him alone!

**[01:17]** ---

Bee! How did it go?

**[01:19]** ---

Not good!

**[01:20]** ---

Fool, ya fool.

**[01:23]** ---

What do you mean when  
you say you'll relocate them,

**[01:25]** ---

but they'll remain on this island?

**[01:28]** ---

You can't even find this island  
on a map.

**[01:30]** ---

Even if they try to find it,  
it won't be that simple.

**[01:35]** ---

The reason is because  
this island...

**[01:41]** ---

Y-You're huge!

**[01:44]** ---

But I am still a very,  
very small turtle.

**[01:49]** ---

Impossible!

**[01:50]** ---

I've never seen nor heard of  
any turtle larger than you!

**[02:02]** ---

What did you say?!

**[02:04]** ---

Yes, a mobile stronghold,  
an island that can move.

**[02:09]** ---

This is a colossal turtle reared  
by the Hidden Cloud since ancient times.

**[02:17]** ---

Ouch!

**[02:19]** ---

We can say for sure that  
the enemy knows about this.

**[02:22]** ---

However, this island is much safer

**[02:25]** ---

than returning to the Hidden Cloud  
Village by ship.

**[02:28]** ---

Besides, hasn't Naruto been told  
that he's here on this island

**[02:31]** ---

for a top-secret ecological  
survey mission?

**[02:34]** ---

He'll get suspicious if  
we tell him we're already leaving.

**[02:36]** ---

It seriously hurts!

**[04:13]** ---

*The Super Secret S-Rank Mission*

**[04:23]** ---

The Five Great Nations face  
an extremely critical situation.

**[04:26]** ---

And as they prepare for  
the Fourth Great Ninja War,

**[04:29]** ---

there is concern that the shinobi and  
samurai units will not be sufficient.

**[04:32]** ---

Hence, a third military unit,  
made up of animals will be formed.

**[04:37]** ---

To this end, it has been decided  
that a Jinchuriki

**[04:39]** ---

who is able to communicate with  
and understand animals...

**[04:42]** ---

One who loves animals  
like Naruto Uzumaki will be given

**[04:45] ---**

the task of selecting and  
organizing this animal unit.

**[04:50] ---**

He will start by analyzing  
the biology of the animals,

**[04:54] ---**

- Can we pass off...  
- then ascertain their strengths...

**[04:56] ---**

- such a childish trick?  
- and categorize them...

**[04:58] ---**

- We have to.  
- by gender and physical attributes.

**[05:00] ---**

This is a top-secret S-rank mission!

**[05:03] ---**

Work diligently.

**[05:06] ---**

Fifth Hokage Tsunade of  
the Hidden Leaf Village.

**[05:18] ---**

This...

**[05:19] ---**

- This?!  
- This?!

**[05:21] ---**

This is the kind of brainy mission  
I've been waiting for!

**[05:25] ---**

It's kind of like the ones  
that Shikamaru always gets...

**[05:27] ---**

where you coordinate people!

**[05:29] ---**

We're talking animals.

**[05:31] ---**

Leave it to Naruto...  
He didn't notice.

**[05:34] ---**

They say that Jinchuriki are odd people.

**[05:38] ---**

And that's putting it mildly.

**[05:42] ---**

Granny Lady Tsunade understands!

**[05:44] ---**

She wants to test  
my leadership skills!

**[05:47]** ---

All right! I'm raring to go  
on this mission!

**[05:50]** ---

While you're doing that,  
I'll work on a new rap.

**[05:54]** ---

I don't owe you anything anymore,  
not even a scrap! Yeah!

**[05:57]** ---

Don't "yeah" me!  
You have to help me!

**[06:01]** ---

You know all about the animals  
on this island, don't you?

**[06:03]** ---

Ask King!

**[06:05]** ---

He's the boss of this island!

**[06:08]** ---

King?

**[06:13]** ---

Hey! Can you help me out here?

**[06:15]** ---

I'm looking for the strongest ones  
on this island!

**[06:21]** ---

I really can't understand  
a thing you're saying!

**[06:24]** ---

Master King is saying to show him  
your proof of loyalty.

**[06:28]** ---

Proof of loyalty?

**[06:30]** ---

Hey! That voice!

**[06:33]** ---

Condor the Ninja Ostrich?!

**[06:35]** ---

Did you run away again?!

**[06:40]** ---

Actually, I stowed away on your ship.

**[06:46]** ---

Now I'm free!

**[06:49]** ---

Freedom!

**[06:52]** ---

Unfortunately for you,

**[06:54]** ---

the animals on this island  
are going to serve in an animal unit.

**[06:59]** ---

Looking forward to working with you!

**[07:03]** ---

You've got to be kidding!

**[07:04]** ---

I don't want to go to war!

**[07:06]** ---

Really? Then listen up...

**[07:10]** ---

If you serve as my animal translator,  
I'll let you go.

**[07:15]** ---

Damn it...

**[07:25]** ---

This is his proof...his kiss of love.

**[07:29]** ---

Come on! Give me a break!

**[07:39]** ---

Master King says he understands.

**[07:42]** ---

Besides him, the strong ones  
on this island are...

**[07:51]** ---

Don the giant koala.

**[07:53]** ---

DON THE KOALA

**[08:00]** ---

Chuji the giant penguin.

**[08:02]** ---

CHUJI THE PENGUIN

**[08:06]** ---

And the giant lame-o...

I mean hippo, Hippo Boss.

**[08:11]** ---

HIPPO BOSS

**[08:15]** ---

Keep them apart!

**[08:17]** ---

He says if they come face to face,  
they'll destroy the island.

**[08:23]** ---

They're scary animals...

**[08:46]** ---

Yikes! They're already  
confronting each other!

**[09:05]** ---

King is totally the fiercest!

**[09:13]** ---

What are they saying?

**[09:17]** ---

This seems to be a four-way  
love affair involving one female.

**[09:21]** ---

What did you say?!

**[09:24]** ---

Each one is claiming their affections  
for her and won't budge.

**[09:31]** ---

Master King is demanding that  
she be brought here...

**[09:35]** ---

to choose among them.

**[09:38]** ---

Are you sure about this?

**[09:47]** ---

What's that?

**[10:03]** ---

Huh? What the—?

**[10:10]** ---

This is mayhem.

**[10:13]** ---

What? What's going on?

**[10:18]** ---

He's saying, "Armadiko is my girl!"

**[10:21]** ---

Huh?!

**[10:28]** ---

"Stop fighting!"

**[10:29]** ---

"Don't fight over me," she says.

**[10:34]** ---

"I am not your commodity," she says.

**[10:41]** ---

"I belong to this one," she says!

**[10:45]** ---

Huh?!

**[10:50]** ---

They said they're going to

beat you to death!

**[11:02]** ---

This is perfect!

**[11:04]** ---

Now's my chance to slip away.

**[11:06]** ---

No way am I going to war! I'm free!

**[11:13]** ---

Freedom!

**[11:24]** ---

Wait...

**[11:25]** ---

I will go to the Eight and  
Nine Tails' location.

**[11:31]** ---

What are you up to?

**[11:33]** ---

It's a good chance to build trust  
and solidify our relationship.

**[11:38]** ---

Furthermore, Naruto,  
the Nine Tails,

**[11:41]** ---

always has someone close by  
in the form of Yamato,

**[11:43]** ---

the copy of the First Hokage.

**[11:46]** ---

I want him for my experiments.

**[11:50]** ---

If I can't go,  
I'd settle for Zetsu's body.

**[11:55]** ---

If you'd let me have some of him.

**[11:59]** ---

Also, the revival of the Ten Tails  
isn't far off, is it?

**[12:04]** ---

You seem to be very well informed.

**[12:08]** ---

I knew Orochimaru was secretly  
checking around, but...

**[12:14]** ---

According to intel that Kisame sent,

**[12:17]** ---

the Allied Shinobi Force  
is 80,000 strong.

**[12:20]** ---

We also know what  
their military formation is like.

**[12:22]** ---

But the key military power for  
this side is Zetsu here, right?

**[12:27]** ---

Just how much do you know?!

**[12:30]** ---

With the data I have gathered  
and my knowledge,

**[12:33]** ---

I can maximize Zetsu's strength.

**[12:36]** ---

On the condition that  
you take me there.

**[12:42]** ---

What are you going to do, Tobi?

**[12:45]** ---

Will you trust a guy like him?

**[12:54]** ---

If you bring me the Nine Tails,  
I will give you one of Zetsu.

**[12:59]** ---

Follow me.

**[13:10]** ---

This is...

**[13:14]** ---

the Gedo Statue.

**[13:23]** ---

It's down here.

**[13:47]** ---

This is...

**[13:48]** ---

Yes, he's alive.

**[13:53]** ---

That's Hashirama Senju,  
the First Hokage.

**[13:58]** ---

Well, he was merely cultivated  
from living cells

**[14:02]** ---

harvested from Senju  
during *that* battle.

**[14:06]** ---

He's not conscious.

**[14:08]** ---

But what you're interested in is down below.

**[14:15]** ---

This is amazing. Since when?

**[14:18]** ---

However, there's a risk.

**[14:21]** ---

I used a considerable amount of chakra

**[14:23]** ---

from the Tailed Beasts inside the Gedo Statue to create this.

**[14:27]** ---

I want to preserve it as much as possible.

**[14:29]** ---

If the revival of the Ten Tails is delayed,

**[14:31]** ---

it means my plans are delayed as well.

**[14:34]** ---

How many are here?

**[14:48]** ---

Roughly 100,000.

**[15:00]** ---

To arrive here to find that intel has been leaked...

**[15:02]** ---

We'll have to rethink our strategy.

**[15:06]** ---

But as long as they know that

**[15:07]** ---

the Allied Shinobi Forces are aware of the leak,

**[15:10]** ---

they will watch the situation.

**[15:13]** ---

Perhaps it will be easier to lay some traps.

**[15:16]** ---

What about the island?

**[15:18]** ---

Even if it's mobile, we can't let our guard down.

**[15:21]** ---

Those two are their targets.

**[15:23]** ---

They are sure to come  
in search of them.

**[15:26]** ---

I established an escape route  
just for situations like this.

**[15:31]** ---

In addition, the clouds hide it.

**[15:33]** ---

The enemy will not be able  
to find it.

**[15:36]** ---

If they come searching,

**[15:37]** ---

the enemy will probably  
send a small reconnaissance team first.

**[15:41]** ---

They won't infiltrate and try  
to divide our troops, will they?

**[15:46]** ---

There's no doubt Kisame put  
the coordinates of the island on the map.

**[15:50]** ---

Even if we move,  
they will search the area thoroughly.

**[15:54]** ---

We can't lose focus.

**[15:56]** ---

In any case, send reinforcements.

**[15:58]** ---

But it will be meaningless

**[16:00]** ---

if the enemy spots us  
mobilizing large groups.

**[16:03]** ---

Send a few of the elite.

**[16:07]** ---

I will go!

**[16:08]** ---

Lord Tsuchikage!

**[16:11]** ---

Old Ohnoki?

Then I have no complaints.

**[16:14]** ---

Same here.

**[16:15]** ---

Someone who can fly through

the air will move swiftly.

**[16:19]** ---

Is it really all right?

**[16:21]** ---

Don't worry, Kazekage!

**[16:23]** ---

I am the Tsuchikage,

**[16:25]** ---

feared as the Fence Sitter  
of the Hidden Stone!

**[16:31]** ---

My back!

**[16:32]** ---

I will go, after all.

**[16:34]** ---

I can ride my sand and  
be there in no time...

**[16:35]** ---

Fool! I said I would go.

**[16:45]** ---

Well, you guys relax.

**[16:49]** ---

We're off.

**[16:56]** ---

It's the ocean from here on out.

**[16:58]** ---

We'll have to fly.

**[17:00]** ---

Yay! It's been so long since I flew!

**[17:03]** ---

This is going to be fun!

**[17:05]** ---

Don't get so excited, Akatsuchi!

**[17:07]** ---

We could be entering into a battle!

**[17:12]** ---

Yay!

**[17:13]** ---

I said to quit playing around,  
you brat!

**[17:15]** ---

You're so embarrassing!

**[17:16]** ---

*Damn it! It does look like fun!*

**[17:19]** ---

*But I can't get excited right now.*

**[17:22]** ---

*Damn that Akatsuchi!*

**[17:23]** ---

You're up next Kurotsuchi.

**[17:27]** ---

Guess I have no choice...

**[17:31]** ---

Looks like you're awake at last.

**[17:35]** ---

It's a different seal from  
Lord Orochimaru's.

**[17:38]** ---

I won't bind you completely...Deidara.

**[17:43]** ---

I don't know anything about art.

**[17:46]** ---

And I know little about you.

**[17:48]** ---

Well, my ninjutsu art isn't easy  
to understand... Hmm!

**[17:57]** ---

But I'm grateful to you.

I once perfected the ultimate art.

**[18:02]** ---

So now I can even go even further...

**[18:05]** ---

Speaking of which,  
that last explosion of yours...

**[18:09]** ---

It really didn't create a lot of buzz.

**[18:13]** ---

I just told you!

**[18:14]** ---

My art is not easy to understand!

**[18:16]** ---

These things take time... Hmm...

**[18:23]** ---

I said to line up straight!

**[18:26]** ---

Hurry and get into the tunnel!

**[18:29]** ---

Listen up! The ecological survey  
will start once you're inside.

**[18:34]** ---

Cut it out!

**[18:36]** ---

You want to fight again?

**[18:41]** ---

Damn it! It's tough moving  
all these animals.

**[18:48]** ---

I win again! Rock, Scissors, Paper!

**[18:51]** ---

And I'm going to win again  
forever and ever!

**[18:53]** ---

Hey you there, octopus and crab!

**[18:55]** ---

Line up! Hey!

**[18:58]** ---

As long as there is a risk of  
the Akatsuki coming,

**[19:01]** ---

taking refuge inside  
the giant turtle shell is a wise move.

**[19:05]** ---

Plus, Naruto is really taking  
this mission seriously.

**[19:10]** ---

It will be disastrous if  
Naruto finds out about the war.

**[19:15]** ---

He won't take the news quietly,  
he'd rush to the battlefield instead.

**[19:18]** ---

We must prevent that at all cost.

**[19:21]** ---

After all, this is a war to protect Naruto.

**[19:27]** ---

Based on Kisame's intel,  
these are the coordinates.

**[19:32]** ---

But they've already moved out.

**[19:42]** ---

That was a light punch.

**[19:44]** ---

*I'm certain this person is...*

**[19:46]** ---

Of all the people to ambush me,

**[19:48]** ---

it's none other than  
the Tsuchikage himself.

**[19:49]** ---

I was just testing you out.

**[19:51]** ---

Judging from your response,  
you're a clone!

**[19:55]** ---

*It wasn't Madara, after all.*

**[19:59]** ---

And...

**[20:00]** ---

What's going on with bird and Deidara?

**[20:03]** ---

Let's just say, they're almost real.

**[20:07]** ---

However, you are...

**[20:11]** ---

a clay clone.

**[20:13]** ---

Hey, Old Man Ohnoki.

**[20:16]** ---

Long time no see!

**[20:18]** ---

You too, huh?

**[22:07]** ---

So what's going on with  
that Turtle Island?!

**[22:09]** ---

The Eight Tails and Nine Tails  
are there.

**[22:12]** ---

The Eight and Nine Tails?

**[22:13]** ---

So that means that  
damn Naruto is there! Hmm!

**[22:17]** ---

Isn't he the perfect opponent  
to "exhibit" your art to?

**[22:20]** ---

First, stop the Turtle Island's movements.

**[22:23]** ---

Deidara, make me a big one.

**[22:26]** ---

Next time on Naruto Shippuden:  
"The Artist Returns"

**[22:30]** ---

Let's make this one flashy! Hmm!  
THE ARTIST RETURNS

**[22:33]** ---

THE ARTIST RETURNS

**[22:35]** ---

ROCK LEE'S SILLY CHRONICLES  
PART 3

**[22:40]** ---

Guy Sensei!

**[22:41]** ---

Lee!

**[22:42]** ---

When it's necessary to use  
the Drunken Fist...

**[22:45]** ---

Eat this! A Chocolate Bomb that  
only good children can eat.

**[22:51]** ---

Yes, Guy Sensei!

**[22:54]** ---

Down the hatch!

**[22:56]** ---

That's so weird...

**[22:57]** ---

What's the matter?

**[22:58]** ---

I had a bomb right here, but...

**[23:05]** ---

Tune in again!