

E77 - Climbing Silver

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[00:55] ---

They haven't been here yet.

[01:10] ---

Not yet, huh?

[01:12] ---

We'll monitor the area here
until there's movement!

[02:04] ---

I-I don't know...

No way would I tell you even if I did.

[02:08] ---

That's what he says.

Should we kill him?

[02:12] ---

We should leave the torture to Ibiki.

[02:15] ---

No signs of the Akatsuki, after all.

[02:18] ---

Same here.

[02:20] ---

It doesn't look like anyone's been
through here for several days...

[02:23] ---

I think it's certain

they haven't been here yet.

[02:26] ---

What's the plan, Aoba?

[02:30] ---

There are still no requests for backup

[02:32] ---

from the units that went to
the other four Collection Offices.

[02:36] ---

Which means there's still been
no contact with the Akatsuki, huh?

[02:39] ---

Well, I don't know about that.

[02:41] ---

They might already be in
the middle of a fight right now.

[02:45] ---

Don't worry.

[02:46] ---

It'd be reassuring if Asuma's unit

[02:49] ---

were to make contact with the Akatsuki.

[02:50] ---

You guys know of his strength
better than anyone, right?

[02:55] ---

That's right.

[02:56] ---

Yeah, and Shikamaru's with him, too.

[02:59] ---

All right! Let's head out and
work out another strategy.

[03:08] ---

Let's go!

[03:18] ---

Let's sort out all the information
we have right now.

[03:22] ---

The Akatsuki have headed for
one of the five Collection Offices.

[03:26] ---

There have been no requests
for backup from the other four.

[03:29] ---

And they haven't been to
this Collection Office, yet.

[03:32] ---

That means...

[03:34] ---

Right.

[03:35] ---

There's a chance

[03:37] ---

they might still be heading for
this Collection Office.

[03:40] ---

That's about the size of it.
We'll lie in wait and grab them.

[04:22] ---

These are all the possible patterns of action for the enemy at this stage.

[04:26] ---

All of you take up positions and wait as devised earlier!

[04:29] ---

Yes, sir!

[04:32] ---

Where'd the Akatsuki go?

[07:30] ---

Climbing Silver

[07:43] ---

Took you long enough, Kakuzu!

[08:05] ---

Too slow.

[08:09] ---

We got one to start.

[08:22] ---

That hurts...

What's with you jerks?

[08:28] ---

What's the meaning of this?

We pierced his vital spots.

[08:31] ---

Don't push it in deeper like that!

[08:33] ---

Hey, that hurts!

[08:35] ---

Is this guy...immortal?

[08:37] ---

Isn't it obvious?

So...who're you guys?

[08:48] ---

That mark.

[08:50] ---

If I remember correctly, it's from the Guardian Shinobi or something...

[08:53] ---

Are you kidding me?

[08:54] ---

Do I have to go back inside that smelly Collection Office again?

[08:58] ---

Chiriku...

[09:06] ---

We're Hidden Leaf Shinobi.

[09:09] ---

We've been ordered to either
capture or eliminate you Akatsuki.

[09:13] ---

Akatsuki operate in teams of two.

[09:16] ---

Our intention was to take down
one of you first

[09:19] ---

and then capture the other.

[09:22] ---

But you're pretty tough,
as was expected.

[09:25] ---

*So this is the Akatsuki, huh?
What insane ability.

[09:29] ---

My Shadow Sewing probably won't...

[09:33] ---

You jerks went after us
in the wrong order.

[09:38] ---

Where's the other one?

[09:45] ---

The Jutsu's broken!

[09:50] ---

Kotetsu, Izumo, get back!

[09:55] ---

Sure enough, the guy in the middle...

[09:58] ---

This is a first, you being interested
in money, Hidan.

[10:03] ---

Kakuzu...

[10:04] ---

You stay out of this.

[10:06] ---

I'm going to use these guys for my ritual.

[10:08] ---

I'll give you the money.

[10:10] ---

Kakuzu...and Hidan, huh?

[10:13] ---

Very well... But don't get careless.
You'll die.

[10:19] ---

I told you.

Don't give me that.

[10:26] ---

If they *could* kill me,
I'd want them to.

[10:32] ---

Well... I guess it's impossible, huh?!

[10:35] ---

*What's he going to do
with that diagram?

[10:38] ---

I'll charge him.

[10:39] ---

Shikamaru, exploit an opening

[10:41] ---

and restrain the immortal guy
with your Shadow Sewing.

[10:43] ---

It doesn't have to be for long.

[10:45] ---

I'll cut his head off immediately
and stop his movements.

[10:47] ---

That's too risky.
This isn't like you.

[10:52] ---

I should go with you.

[10:53] ---

Don't you get it?!

[10:55] ---

That's the best thing we can do right now!

[10:57] ---

*I've never seen Asuma
look like this before.

[11:01] ---

These guys are way
stronger than me.

[11:04] ---

Izumo, Kotetsu,
you guys back up Shikamaru

[11:07] ---

while keeping an eye on
the other Akatsuki guy.

[11:10] ---

If we know what they're capable of,
then all the more reason

[11:12] ---

we should pull out for now

and plan a strategy.

[11:16] ---

They won't let us get away
that easily.

[11:22] ---

If we try to escape
without putting up a fight,

[11:23] ---

we'll be completely wiped out...

[11:25] ---

If that happens,
the Hidden Leaf

[11:27] ---

will be in even greater danger.

[11:28] ---

It's like sending in an advance unit
to break through enemy lines.

[11:31] ---

Sometimes you have to be able
to make a move like that.

[11:37] ---

*I thought you didn't like moves like that.
Just like me...

[11:42] ---

*Sacrifice is required in order
to protect the king

[11:45] ---

*when your opponent
is extremely skilled.

[11:47] ---

*Don't tell me he's going
to sacrifice himself.

[11:52] ---

*One of them has great physical strength
with unknown abilities.

[11:54] ---

One of them is immortal.

[11:56] ---

*Indeed, we don't
stand much of a chance.

[11:59] ---

*Even so, I can't believe Asuma would
use himself as a sacrificial piece.

[12:04] ---

Shogi?
What a pain...

[12:07] ---

I know you're lazy.

[12:11] ---

And I also know
that you're good at

[12:12] ---

planning strategies
for avoiding trouble.

[12:17] ---

In Shogi, you can create
a variety of situations

[12:22] ---

by utilizing the individual characteristics
of the various pieces.

[12:26] ---

It's the perfect game
for a person like you

[12:28] ---

who's good at
coming up with strategies.

[12:31] ---

You should be able to
figure out

[12:32] ---

most of the rules
if you read this book.

[12:35] ---

The rest you'll pick up as you play.

[12:37] ---

It's a pain, but I should have it
down in ten minutes.

[12:46] ---

I-I lost...

[12:49] ---

You don't have to go easy on me...
Seriously.

[12:52] ---

But I can't believe you'd go
with the Climbing Silver.

[12:54] ---

It was in this book.

[12:57] ---

It said to use an advance unit
to break through enemy lines.

[13:02] ---

Are you that upset you lost?

[13:05] ---

No. Using advance units

as sacrificial pieces

[13:07] ---

to break through enemy lines, huh?

[13:10] ---

It seems like the rational kind of idea
you would come up with...

[13:13] ---

But I don't really like it.

[13:17] ---

It's just a game.

[13:18] ---

I guess.

But the Climbing Silver piece,

[13:21] ---

while inflicting a lot of damage
and undermining the enemy line,

[13:23] ---

ends up becoming a sacrificial piece.

[13:26] ---

Certainly taking each other's pieces
is a natural part of the game.

[13:28] ---

But to consider throwing away
your pieces to be by-the-book...

[13:32] ---

I guess

I'm not quite satisfied with that.

[13:40] ---

I'm not as rational
as you say I am.

[13:46] ---

Shall we play again?

[13:47] ---

This time I'll take it nice and slow,

[13:49] ---

and I won't use the Climbing Silver.

[13:53] ---

Breaking through enemy lines...

[13:55] ---

*Which means these enemies
are so powerful,

[13:57] ---

*he thinks using sacrificial pieces
is inevitable, huh?

[14:00] ---

*Indeed, we Chunin
would not be pieces

[14:03] ---

*that could put pressure
on these guys.

[14:08] ---

*Furthermore, Asuma would be
at an overwhelming disadvantage

[14:11] ---

if he had to fight while protecting us.

[14:14] ---

*We could very well be completely
wiped out as Asuma said.

[14:18] ---

What's the best move?

[14:21] ---

*They are major pieces,
no doubt about it.

[14:23] ---

*Bait is necessary to
capture a major piece.

[14:26] ---

*We need bait that's big enough
to make them think

[14:29] ---

*it's an unavoidable price to pay
for the capture of a major piece.

[14:33] ---

*We're not good enough...
to be bait.

[14:37] ---

*If we have to fight with the pieces
we have available to us now...

[14:41] ---

The Climbing Silver doesn't suit you.

[14:45] ---

I won't be a mere sacrificial piece.
I've got you with me, after all.

[14:50] ---

How pathetic...

[14:51] ---

*I can't be the bait and I can't put
pressure on the enemy.

[14:54] ---

*But I'll divert the major pieces
like crazy.

[14:57] ---

Are you done with
your little strategy session?

[15:02] ---

Getting cut up like that
hurts like heck, you jerks.

[15:07] ---

Divine justice will be handed down
to you jerks

[15:10] ---

who know nothing of the pain of others.

[16:03] ---

You've got a nice weapon there!

[16:12] ---

Asuma!

[16:21] ---

Damn it! Reach!

[16:24] ---

I'm finished if I get hit by that.

[16:28] ---

I'll break you over and over again.

[16:42] ---

Shikamaru... That's fine.

[16:45] ---

*He has to fight while watching out
for your Shadow Sewing.

[16:49] ---

I have the advantage.

[16:51] ---

Damn it!

[16:53] ---

*Indeed, my Shadow Sewing attack
is creating

[16:56] ---

an advantageous battle for Asuma.

[16:59] ---

Essentially, we're not mistaken...

[17:01] ---

*But there's no point to
having an advantage in this fight.

[17:06] ---

He's immortal,

[17:07] ---

*and we have a limit to
our Chakra and our lives.

[17:10] ---

*The real battle won't begin
until I grab him.

[17:15] ---

I don't have the time to think now.

[17:18] ---

I don't think so!

[17:21] ---

Oh no!

[17:27] ---

That stance!

[17:41] ---

How's Chiriku's Jutsu?

[17:43] ---

Naturally, Chiriku's is much more impressive than mine, though.

[17:46] ---

Damn it!

[17:48] ---

Hidan! Don't underestimate them.

[17:50] ---

Keep quiet!

[17:52] ---

Just shut up and watch, Kakuzu.

[17:58] ---

Nice!

[18:00] ---

**As one would expect,
the two of them are in synch.*

[18:05] ---

**It appears he really is going
to stay out of this.*

[18:09] ---

Even so, we can't trust him to do that.

[18:16] ---

You almost got him just now, Shikamaru.

[18:18] ---

More importantly...

[18:20] ---

Could you back me up?

[18:33] ---

You guys are too desperate.

[18:35] ---

Atheists always try to escape death with the most efficient approach.

[18:39] ---

It's totally obvious!

[18:41] ---

**You play around too much
when you fight.*

[18:45] ---

Now!

[18:49] ---

This time you've got nowhere to run.

[18:51] ---

Then I won't dodge!

[18:55] ---

Immortal jerk!

[18:57] ---

I guess I'll take care of the small fries first.

[19:03] ---

Oh no!

[19:07] ---

I'm your opponent!

[19:13] ---

Captain Asuma!

[19:28] ---

If combo and pinpoint attacks won't hit...

[19:34] ---

Burning Ash!

[19:46] ---

He stopped his movements?

[21:39] ---

What's happening?

[21:41] ---

He's the one who was nailed by the Jutsu?

[21:43] ---

Why's the captain...?!

[21:45] ---

Don't tell me...this is...!

[21:47] ---

Hey, did you figure something out, Shikamaru?

[21:49] ---

I don't know what kind of approach
he used.

[21:51] ---

But his and Asuma's body
might be connected

[21:53] ---

with some kind of mechanism.

[21:55] ---

Say what?!

[21:56] ---

Connected? What does that mean?!

[22:00] ---

Next time:

"The Judgment"

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