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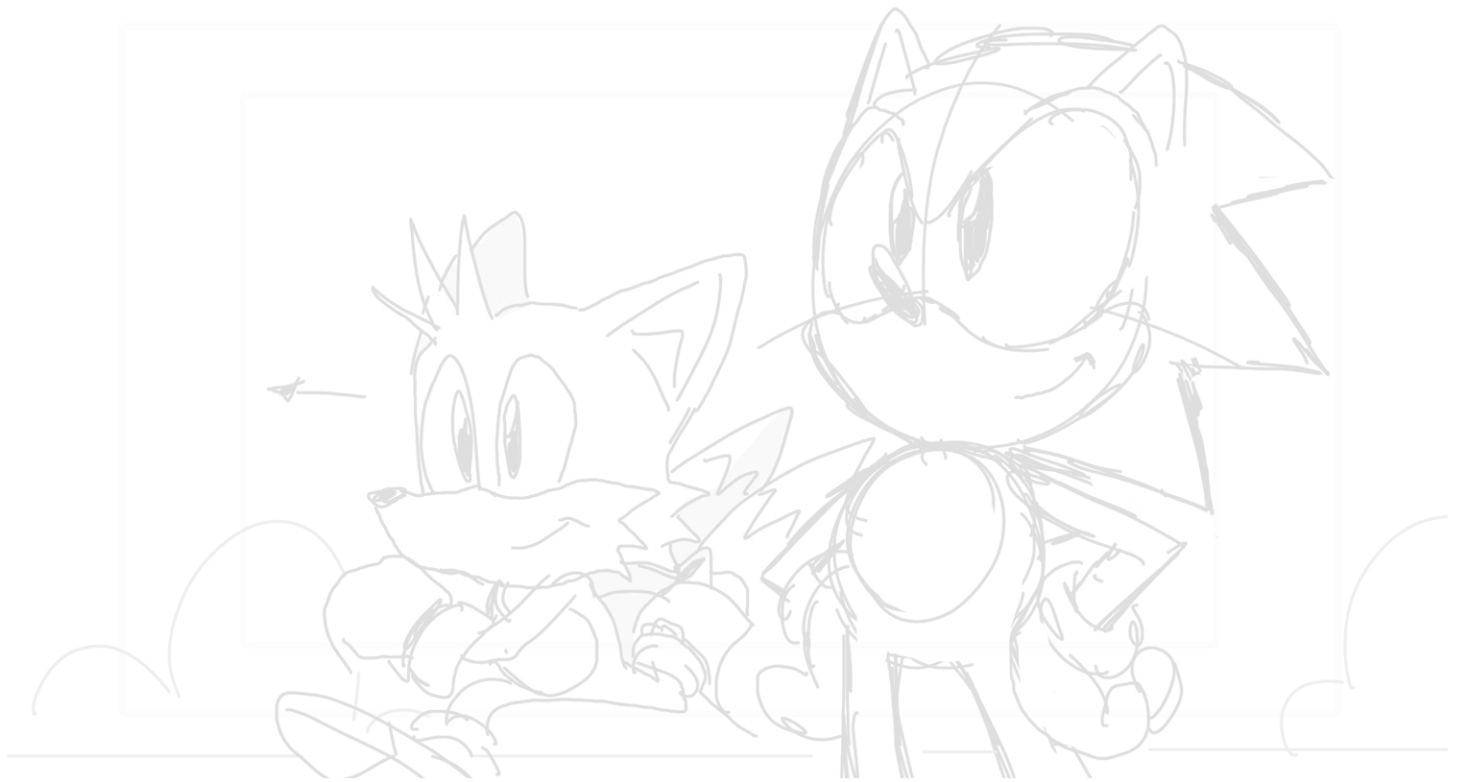
PROLOGUE

O R I G I N A L S C R I P T

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"Sonic the Hedgehog 3"

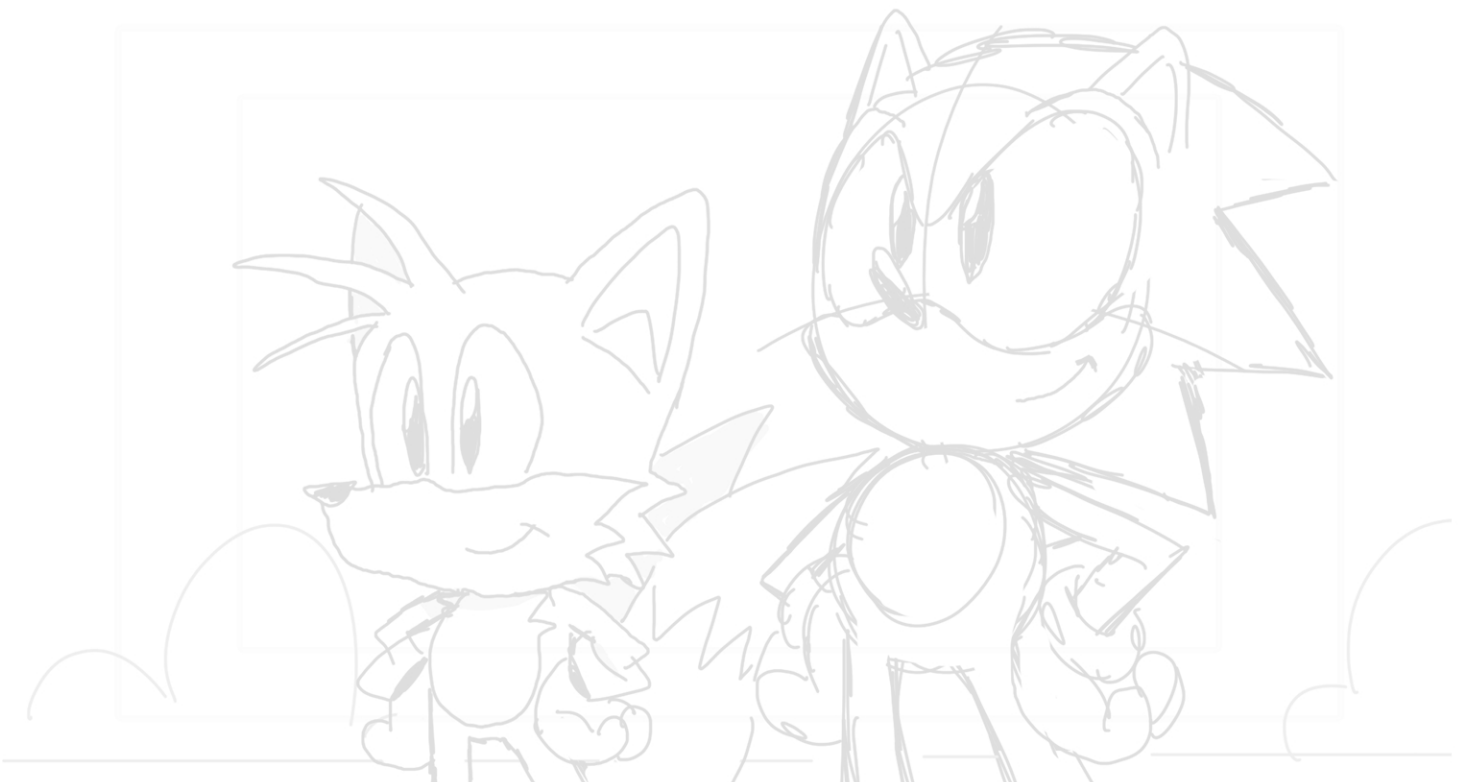
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MY MENTOR. MY PARTNER. MY FRIEND



P R E F A C E

Sonic the Hedgehog fan films are an interesting topic aren't they? I've been involved with the idea of making a Sonic film project for about 5 or 6 years and I've seen many things. But a reoccurring thing that seems to always happen, is that after loads of promises and deadlines decided...

they get canceled.

Limited staff, costs of production, poor management or just a total lack of resources all play a part and as a result, nothing's really ever crafted visually beyond a poster, except for one thing....the script. The script is the blank canvas where our imaginations can run wild, where the entire film in our heads can actually exist regardless if you can draw or not. Unfortunately though, this means that people often find this to be the easiest part of the process, underestimating it greatly, when in truth it's one of the hardest. Doing things like keeping your story under control, creating dialogue that doesn't make you cringe when you say it out loud, representing characters properly and more importantly, just creating

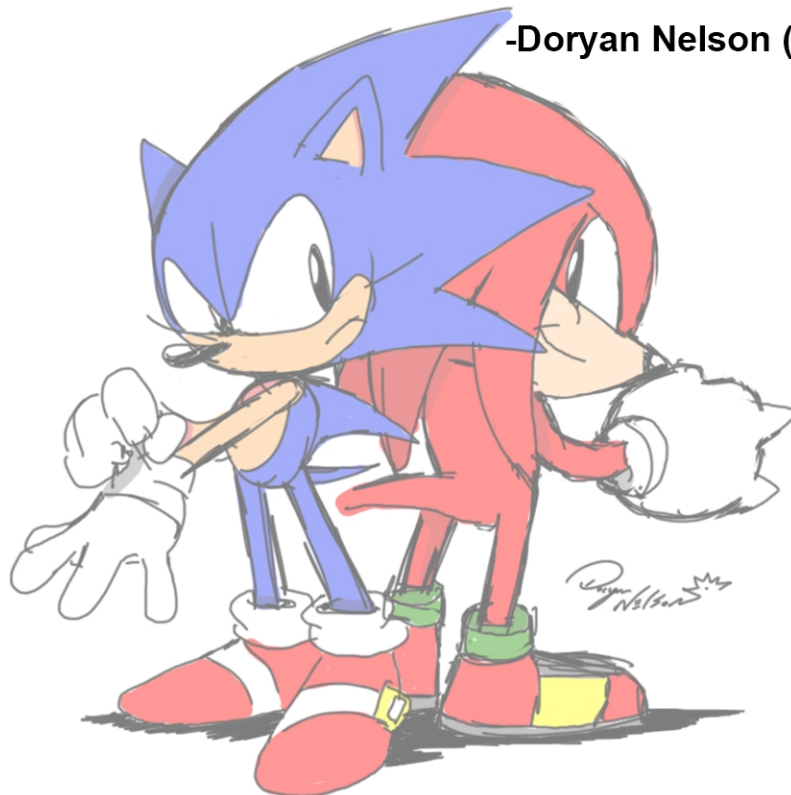
something that you're genuinely proud of. It was the great screenwriter, Max Landis that once said: **"Do not be concerned about what you sell, write only what thrills you, write only what excites you and you will eventually write something good."**and with that being said, after writing multiple scripts for failed projects, a script that I was fortunate enough to see go through the entire process and come to life (Sonic Prologue), I believe I finally wrote my good something...or at least

I'm on my way.

Enjoy the original Sonic Prologue 2 Script guys!

Thanks for reading!

-Doryan Nelson (Writer)



SONIC PROLOGUE 2 SCRIPT

WRITTEN BY DORYAN NELSON

ACT ZERO:

EXT./ESTAB. OUTSKIRTS OF EMERALD HILL ZONE - DAY

The movie begins with a rehash of the ending of the first Sonic Prologue where Sonic and Tails met one another.

NARRATOR:

On an island in the west, history was made when Miles "Tails" Prower, a child fox learned the identity of his newly found hero.

SONIC:

Well what are ya standin' around for? C'mon, we've got work to do!

TAILS:

Wait! Before we go, I need to know. Do you have a name?

SONIC:

Yeah I have a name! My name's Sonic the Hedgehog!

Tails' face lights up and he runs next to Sonic.

SONIC:

Now listen Tails. This Eggman guy is a nasty dude! Those killer robots out there are tough, so you've gotta be tougher! Stay close, do what I do and more importantly, keep up! Got it?

TAILS:

Got it!

SONIC:

Alright then! Let's go!!

Sonic and Tails both jump forward and begin to run.

NARRATOR:

Now partners in heroism, Sonic and Tails begin their quest to topple the evil Dr.Eggman to save the world! But little do they know, ending the mad doctor's current

reign is only the beginning...

SCREEN GOES BLACK

NARRATOR:
...of a greater journey.

OPENING CREDITS BEGIN

The opening credits outline the entirety of Sonic 2 and the film resumes just after Super Sonic escapes the Death Egg as it continuously explodes in space.

ACT ONE:

INT./ESTAB. INSIDE OF THE EXPLODING DEATH EGG - SPACE

The Death Egg Robot is completely destroyed and nothing more than a pile of broken pieces on the floor of the craft. Eggman breaks out of it, coughing and stumbling over the controls.

EGGMAN:
cough Status report!

DEATH EGG A.I.:
Warning. Critical damage
approximately 75% of Death Egg.
Chaos Emerald Power Source
disabled. Critical damage
approximately 83% of Death Egg.
Critical damage approximately 87%
of Death Egg. Evacuation is
strongly advised. Evacuation is
strongly advised.

EGGMAN:
I HATE THAT HEDGEHOG! I HATE him!
You think you've won this time do
you? BAH! It's going to take more
this to defeat me! I am Doctor
Robotnik, the greatest scientific
genius the universe has ever seen!
And when I get out of this and oh
ho ho, I will, I will haunt you
down and gut you like the
disgusting, vile creature that you
are!

While Eggman is ranting in the background, the camera zooms in on a computer that appears to be predicting where the Death Egg is going to crash-land. The arrow points to a silhouette of Angel Island.

EXT./ESTAB. BLUE SKY - DAY

The scene then goes to a blue sky where it looks as if the camera is falling. Suddenly a yellow blur whizzes past and is seen further away traveling downward. Then the yellow blur comes closer to the camera and it appears to be Super Sonic. As he constantly shouts cheers such as: "YES!" "WHOOHOO!" and "AWESOME", he continues to free fall. Suddenly something catches his attention and it appears to be Tails flying the tornado.

TAILS:

SONIC! Hey over here! Sonic!

SUPER SONIC:

Hey Tails!

Super Sonic, flies over to Tails and after a few tricks, he lands on the planes wing.

TAILS:

Sonic! You're alive!

SUPER SONIC:

Was there ever any doubt? That was too easy! Piece-o-cake!

Tails begins to stare at Sonic.

SUPER SONIC:

Uh, Tails? You ok dude? Is there...something on my face?

TAILS:

You're a completely different color and the power radiating from you is overwhelming! What happened to you up there? Did you have a chemical accident?

SUPER SONIC:

No way! Here, check this out!

Sonic then powers down, transforming himself back in his normal state. As he finishes the Chaos Emeralds quickly revolve around him as he explains things to Tails.

TAILS:

WHOA! The Chaos Emeralds!

SONIC:

Yep! It's because of these guys, I was able to take down Eggman! While we fought, I found them in a room where he was keeping them. I absorbed them...

Sonic absorbed the Emeralds.

SUPER SONIC:

...and volia! I power up into like a Super version of myself! Call me Mega Sonic, *grunt* wait no that sucks. Wait, wait how about Hyper Sonic! Nah, that's overdoing it a bit.

As Sonic (super) struggles to find a name for his new form, Tails is still lookeing at him with his jaw dropped.

SUPER SONIC:

I got it! Why didn't I think of this before? Call me Super Sonic! That's a cool pose! Maybe I'll go with one with a little more style. Yeah, like this! Go, Super Sonic!

TAILS:

I always thought the Chaos Emeralds were just a myth! Did you know about them before this?

SUPER SONIC:

Yeah. They're talked about a lot in South Island, my usual hangout spot. I've even collected them over there one time, but there were only 6 instead of 7.

TAILS:

South Island? On Westside Island where I'm from, there's a legend that says that the Chaos Emeralds were sealed away deep within that particular island by the gods. I could never find them, so I thought they weren't real.

SUPER SONIC:

That's weird. How can there be two

versions of the same story in different places? Were these emeralds from West Island or South Island?

TAILS:

I'm not sure.

SUPER SONIC:

Do you remember where you heard that story?

TAILS:

Yeah! It was in the jungles of the island. Not too far from the Mystic Caves, I think. The story was all mapped out and everything. I was only there for a little while so I really didn't get a good look.

SUPER SONIC:

Here's an idea: How about we go back there and get some more intel on these emeralds and the story behind them! Maybe they'll explain where these things came from and how powerful they really are. If they can do this, who knows what they might be really capable of!

TAILS:

That sounds great! This is so exciting! But hey, let's take a detour to my workshop, I've got something I've gotta show ya!

SUPER SONIC:

Cool! Lead the way!

Super Sonic and Tails fly off into the distance together.

Further away the camera zeros in on the Death Egg hurling downward as it's on fire and full of smoke. Eggman is then seen running to an escape pod, dodging and barely escaping the explosions that are occurring around him. As the Death Egg continues to fall, he launches out and flies off camera. The Death Egg then lands on Angel Island, sending it to the ground and causing an extremely large tidal wave. The scene then returns to Super Sonic and Tails traveling to Tails' workshop. As the two land, Super Sonic powers down and the 2 are about to head inside. But then, they're interrupted by the tidal wave wash on the shore as we previously witnessed.

SONIC:

Wow, talk about a high tide! I don't think I've ever seen one that big before.

TAILS:

Hurry Sonic!

SONIC:

Never thought I'd ever hear him say that.

Sonic then runs in after Tails and enters the workshop.

TAILS:

I know it isn't much, but it's only temporary. I plan on building a new workshop in this place called the Mystic Ruins. (Mumbles) I know it somewhere in here. Where is it, where is it?

As Tails scurries around his workshop trying to find what he wants to show Sonic. While he does this Sonic begins to look around.

TAILS:

AH-HA! I found it! Behold, my Jewel Reader machine! I built this a long time ago to find the Chaos Emeralds, but it was a failure. I've always had a theory as to why it failed, but never had the chance to try it out until now! May I use one of the emeralds please?

Sonic releases an emerald and gives it to Tails.

SONIC:

Uh...sure dude. But what is it about the Chaos Emeralds that makes you think you can fix this little doohickey?

TAILS:

If I transfer a reading of the emerald's energy into the device, maybe it will adapt and be able to track down other emeralds, just like I designed!

Tails places that Chaos Emerald into a capsule looking device and hooks it up to an outlet on the Jewel Reader.

SONIC:

Well it's glowing. I guess that's a good thing right?

TAILS:

Yeah, it's a big step in the right direction, but I don't know if it'll work or not.

SONIC:

I'm sure it'll be fine. So, you ready to go? We've got places to be remember?

TAILS:

Oh r-right! Let's head out!

Sonic and Tails run out of the workshop.

TAILS:

I can't wait to see what we find! Hopefully it's not dangerous!

SONIC:

Pssh. Where's the fun in that?

EXT./ESTAB. ANGEL ISLAND - DAY

The scene opens with a close of an unconscious Eggman regaining consciousness.

EGGMAN:

I'm...I'm alive.

He struggles a little bit but eventually stands. He then looks over the cliff he crash landed on and sees the Death Egg with smoke coming out of it.

EGGMAN:

Oh look at this. Sonic has all 7 of the Chaos Emeralds, my Death Egg is ruined and I have no idea where I am. Hmph, no sense in lamenting now. I've got to get down to the Death Egg and run a full diagnosis. It's in pretty bad shape but hopefully the scanners can find something that still works.

Eggman then begins to travel the island, getting closer and closer to the Death Egg. Then suddenly he hears a rustle in

the bushes. He stops and continues to hear more rustling. Eggman then begins to back away slowly.

EGGMAN:

Who's out there? Show yourself!

Eggman then trips over a tree branch, sending him to the ground. When he looks up, he sees a pair of eyes staring at him.

EGGMAN:

Sonic...Sonic is that you?

The eyes continue to stare.

EGGMAN:

That isn't Sonic...

The eyes stare for a moment longer and then quickly spring forward at Eggman! Eggman then runs away scared for his life! As he's running he hears more rustling, indicating he's being followed! He eventually falls into a hole in the ground and is forced to face what's following him!

EGGMAN:

No! Ple..please I beg you! Don't hurt me! I'm just a humble scientist here f-for research!

Jumping into the hole, the thing following Eggman is surrounded by darkness, walking into the light, revealing himself.

EGGMAN (THOUGHTS):

I...I can't believe it. It's Knuckles the Echidna.

ACT TWO:

EXT./ESTAB. JUNGLE AREA -DAY

Sonic and Tails are exploring the area where Tails said he first heard of the legend of the Chaos Emeralds.

SONIC:

This island's huge! I was sure we covered every inch of it when we were fighting Eggman and his robots all over the place.

TAILS:

This island's also rumored to have a palace hidden somewhere filled with legendary treasures and glowing green bridges.

SONIC:
Seriously?

Sonic and Tails continue to walk and then suddenly something grabs Tails' attention.

TAILS:
Here it is! It's all coming back to me now!

Sonic and Tails pass through a tunnel of bushes and other plants. At the end, they find themselves in an oversized cave that has strange symbols all over the walls.

SONIC:
whistle Definitely didn't find anything like this on South Island. What are these drawings on the wall?

TAILS:
They're hieroglyphics.

SONIC:
Hieroglyphics?

TAILS:
It means "sacred writing". I've been studying the ancient civilization for some time now and was able to figure out how to read these. This is how I was able to find out about the Chaos Emeralds.

SONIC:
You're blowin' my mind kid. How old did you say you were again?

TAILS:
I'm about 8 with an IQ level of about 300 last time I checked.

Sonic walks over to Tails, who seems to be growing frustrated.

SONIC:
What's wrong?

TAILS:

I want to read this again to see if
I might've missed anything, but I
can't see a thing.

SONIC:
Gotcha covered.

Sonic then finds a stick and begins to run in a circle so fast that he starts a fire on the grass. He takes the stick, lights the tip on fire and creates a torch for light. He then stomps out the fire and hands the torch to Tails.

SONIC:
Here ya go. Should lighten things
up a bit.

Tails stares in both amazement and confusion for a moment, then begins to read the hieroglyphics.

TAILS:
"In an ancient time, the "mystery island" was part of the main continent. A people with an extraordinary culture inhabited it. That civilization had built a peaceful and happy society using the energy of something they called "The Mighty Stone". But at a certain point, a faction of dark-minded elders tried to steal the energy of the stone, and by accident made that energy explode. The civilization was wiped out in a second, erased from history. Time passed, and a god descended from the sky to the newly created "mystery island". The sky god restored part of the civilization to the island, and threw the "Mighty Stone" into the open sky..."
And that's all it says. It's the same as before. That can't be all! There's gotta be something that explains more!

Sonic then walks further down the cave and begins to feel on the wall of rock that the cave ends on. He knocks on it and kicks it a little bit.

SONIC:
Yo Tails! There's something on the other side of this wall.

Tails runs up to him.

TAILS:

Are you sure? How can you tell?

SONIC:

This wall is weak. There's no way it could support the weight of this cave. There's something being hidden there. Stand back.

Sonic revs in his spindash and breaks through the rock. Now they're in an open area that's particularly circular. It's full of water falls, burning wall torches and even more hieroglyphics.

TAILS:

Wow! Sonic you're a genius!

SONIC:

Go on, go on. I enjoy praise.

TAILS:

What a discovery! I had no idea this was even back here! Now to study the writings and uncover the secrets of Chaos Emerald's mysterious past!

SONIC:

Yeah, let's do it! It's kind of a bummer though. I was hoping to at least fight someth-

Sonic and Tails are interrupted by what appears to be a giant rock monster, that drops down behind them. Before they can even fully turn around, they are knocked across the room and end up under a pile of rocks. The two spin dash out of the rocks and land before the Rock Monster.

TAILS:

Sonic!

SONIC:

Whaaat?!

TAILS:

You jinxed it! Now we gotta fight this....thing!

SONIC:

Aw chill out dude! Where's your sense of adventure?

The Rock Monster walks closer to Sonic and Tails.

SONIC:

Aw yeah! This could be fun!

Sonic and Tails get into their battle stances, the Rock Monster gets into it's battle stance, then springs forward to attack.

EXT./ESTAB. ANGEL ISLAND - DAY

The scene returns where we left off Eggman and Knuckles.

KNUCKLES:

Who are you and what are you doing on my island?

EGGMAN:

Gr-greetings Knuckles. I am Dr. Robotnik.

KNUCKLES:

You know me?

EGGMAN:

Oh I know all kinds of things about you. I-in fact I've been looking for you. There's some important information, I must discuss with you.

KNUCKLES:

Ya don't say.

Knuckles begins to walk closer to Eggman.

EGGMAN:

Y-yes! The very fate of the world may be at stake!

Knuckles looks around Eggman to see if he's a physical threat.

KNUCKLES:

I'm listening.

EGGMAN:

It would be b-better if we explained in my lab. There I can show you physical proof that my information is legitimate.

KNUCKLES:

It wouldn't happen to be that giant metal sphere that I saw crash on my island would it?

EGGMAN:

Unfortunately yes. I was defeated in a chaotic battle that took place in space. I was just on my way down there before I wound up here. If you could help me escape, I'd be more than happy to take you there myself.

KNUCKLES (THOUGHTS):

He seems like he's telling the truth and when he fled, that tells me he's not much of a tough guy, so no threat there. I'll just need to watch my back, the information he has could be important.

KNUCKLES:

Alright Robotnik, you've got my attention. I'll follow you to your "lab", but first I've got to get us out of here.

EGGMAN:

We're surrounded by layers of solid rock, Knuckles. Surely we'll have to think this through and come up with a plan.

KNUCKLES:

Hmph, guess you don't know me as well as you think you do.

Knuckles then throws a single devastating punch, breaking down the layers of rock that trapping them. Eggman was astonished at the power that Knuckles possessed. He could see daylight at the end of the tunnel!

KNUCKLES:

Let's go.

EGGMAN:

Y-yes, of course.

They both begin to walk out of the tunnel.

EGGMAN (THOUGHTS):

Well that's one mystery solved. It

seems that I've landed on Angel Island. This Knuckles character's strength is incredible. He's even more powerful than described in my studies. It's important that I stay on his good side and think of an explanation that'll make us allies. Without any resources to back me up, an enemy is the last thing I want to be of his. Hmph, with that power, he may even be a match of Soni-... hmmm that gives me an idea!

The scene then returns to Sonic and Tails fighting the Rock Monster they encountered earlier. Sonic and Tails constantly attack it, but it doesn't do much and the Rock Monster continuously throws some attacks of it's own! Mostly punches. Eventually Sonic and Tails are at their battle stances again, awaiting the monster's next move.

SONIC:

He's tougher than I thought he was!

TAILS:

pant No *pant* kidding! There's nothing we can *pant* do to this guy! Our attacks are useless!

SONIC:

Perfect!

TAILS:

Wait what?!

SONIC:

You said it yourself! We can't beat em head on with our own power.

TAILS:

Yeah. But how is that a good thing?

SONIC:

Because it gives me the chance to go Super! I've been itchin' to transform ever since we left your workshop! This dude's history!

TAILS:

That IS perfect!

The Chaos Emeralds appear and begin to circle Sonic building

up speed as they spin.

SONIC:

Hey Pebbles! I promise I'll make this as quick and painful as possible! HAaaaaaaAAAAAAAAA! (power up battle cry)

As Sonic powers up, he absorbs the emeralds and....nothing happens.

SONIC:

What...!? Oh, crap baskets.

The Rock Monster then delivers a fast punch in Sonic's face. He then recovers, dodging it's other attacks and then lands in front of Tails.

SONIC:

What happened!? I just transformed earlier, no problem! What's going on!?

As Tails thinks, he then has an epiphany.

TAILS:

Wait Sonic, how many Chaos Emeralds did you say you had?

SONIC:

7! But 6 now because we left one behind so you could fix your machine.

TAILS:

gasp Oh, that probably explains it.

SONIC:

Explains what?

Sonic and Tails then dodge another one of the Rock Monster's attacks.

TAILS:

You couldn't transform because you need all 7 to pull it off! 6 isn't enough.

SONIC:

You couldn't have told me this earlier!?

TAILS:

How was I to know!?

SONIC:

Because you're this genius! Aren't people with IQ's that high suppose to know everything about everything!?

TAILS:

That doesn't make any sense!

As the Rock Monster throws another punch, Sonic grabs Tails and they both dodge the attack and hide behind a rock.

SONIC:

This fight is taking too long!
We've gotta take this guy out now!

TAILS:

sigh Okay, I've figured something out. We might be able to beat it by attacking the joints on it's legs and arms. They're the things that give it mobility and the weakest parts of any body structure! With those out of the way, it's body will reduce into a pile of ro-!

SONIC:

I'm goin' for his head!

TAILS:

Wait what!? No! Go for his joints!

SONIC:

You just said to beat 'em, we gotta take down his mobility. Without a head, he can't move. Problem solved!

TAILS:

But Sonic we need to-!

Sonic launches forward, destroys the the Rock Monster's head and it falls to the ground in defeat.

TAILS:

sigh Why do I even bother?

Tails walks over to Sonic.

SONIC:

Told ya! Leave the fightin' to the experts, Tails!

Tails gives a "whatever" facial expression and walks past Sonic.

EXT./ESTAB. ANGEL ISLAND - DAY

Eggman and Knuckles arrive to the front of the Death Egg.

EGGMAN:

With the damage done, finding the entrance will be a difficult task. Looks like we'll have to make one.

KNUCKLES:

cracks knuckles No problem.

Knuckles punches through a metal wall that leads into the Death Egg. The 2 walk inside.

KNUCKLES:

Okay Doctor, I've taken you to your lab. Now what is this important information you need to tell me?

Eggman lifts up a rolling chair and sits down, looking at the floor with his hands together.

EGGMAN:

Your island is in danger.

KNUCKLES:

What? What are you talking about?

EGGMAN:

I am a freedom fighter that has dedicated my entire life to protecting the world any way I can. My genius, my inventions, all have been used for the betterment of all walks of life. But...my ability to do that has been nearly impossible to say the least.

KNUCKLES:

Why?

EGGMAN:

Are you familiar with the name: "Sonic the Hedgehog"?

KNUCKLES:

Never heard of 'em.

EGGMAN:

Oh dear...I was afraid of that.

KNUCKLES:

What do you mean? Who is this Sonic?

EGGMAN:

A destroyer, to be blunt. Sonic is a tyrant bent on dominating the planet. He takes, damages and just flat destroys anything he wants too just for the fun of it. Powerful yet playful, he is extremely dangerous and unpredictable due to his natural speed, strength and matched skill. With my inventions, I've created scores of mechanical armies to stop Sonic's reign once and for all, but as you can see, I have failed relentlessly.

KNUCKLES:

One guy did all this?

EGGMAN:

Yes and to make matters worse, he's even more powerful now than he was before.

KNUCKLES:

What?!

EGGMAN:

Where you're currently standing is a space fortress I've created. It was designed to be the ultimate weapon to take on Sonic, but it wasn't enough. He cut through my traps, ripped apart my mechs and more importantly stole my power supply: The Chaos Emeralds. And as a result, I ended up here on your floating island. The incredible weight of my fortress must've knocked it down to the planet's surface.

KNUCKLES:

So this "Sonic" has all of the Chaos Emeralds huh. His power must be devastating.

EGGMAN:

Indeed. And that's not all. I'm certain, that in the near future, he will arrive to take your precious Master Emerald.

Knuckles then looks at Eggman in shock as if he's seen a ghost.

The scene then cuts back to Sonic and Tails finding information on the Chaos Emeralds. Sonic is staring at a cave drawing of a giant, green emerald.

TAILS:

Sonic! Come here, look!

Sonic runs over to Tails.

SONIC:

What's up?

TAILS:

Remember how earlier I read that the ancient civilization was completely erased from history?

SONIC:

Yeah. Did you find out what did it?

TAILS:

Not what, who. It says here that the ancient civilization were highly advanced and had a rich culture. But their elders were greedy and made it their mission to conquer all of the other tribes that surrounded them. One day they tried to steal the power of Chaos Emeralds and something called "The Mighty Stone", thus angering the god that protected them. The God then used the power of the emeralds and killed them all. Suddenly a bright light filled the sky and the God vanished. The survivors then dedicated their lives and culture, to protect the emeralds, so they'd never have to go through that again.

SONIC:

Well we have the Chaos Emeralds now. I wonder if we'll ever come face to face with this "god".

TAILS:

Let's hope not. The text calls him: "The God of Destruction", so I'd say it's safe to assume he's no push over. Especially when he can use the powers of the emeralds too. And speaking of which, I found out how the emeralds work too! Listen to this: "The servers are the 7 chaos. Chaos is power...power enriched by the heart. The controller is the one who unifies the chaos."

SONIC:

What's that mean?

TAILS:

Don't you see? It's basically a handbook for how to use the Chaos Emeralds! The thing that gives you the ability to go super with the power of the Chaos Emeralds, is your heart.

SONIC:

My heart? Really?

TAILS:

Yeah! Your will power, your drive to be a hero, merged with the emeralds and unlocked their ultimate power!

SONIC:

Ultimate power...

TAILS:

Since the emeralds are so powerful, Eggman must've been using this to power his Death Egg fortress. Which reminds me that we've gotta go see if my machine works!

SONIC:

Oh right! I guess we can go now. We learned everything we need to about there emeralds and it's time to put it to good use! Maybe with your machine we can find this "mighty stone" they were talkin' about!

TAILS:

It's definitely a possibility! But let's not get our hopes up. That

trick with the Chaos Emerald
probably fell through.

Sonic tosses up and emerald and catches it.

SONIC:

Naah, I've got a feeling it worked!
C'mon let's head back!

Sonic and Tails begin to head back the workshop.

EXT./ESTAB. ANGEL ISLAND - DAY

The scene returns to Eggman and Knuckles in the Death Egg.

KNUCKLES:

How do you know about the Master
Emerald?

EGGMAN:

As I said before, I know a lot
about you. I've spent years
researching your island in my
studies. You are Knuckles the
Echidna, the last of a primal
society that once existed thousands
of years ago. You are also destined
with the sworn duty of guarding the
Master Emerald from all of those
who dare to endanger it.

Knuckles is surprised by all the Eggman knows.

EGGMAN:

But this is why I've brought you
here, Knuckles. I had to tell you
what was going on so that the world
has a fighting chance to survive.
If Sonic unlocks the mysterious
power that the Master Emerald
possesses along with the Chaos
Emeralds, the results could be
catastrophic! Please...for the sake
of the planet, please help me stop
Sonic.

Knuckles looks concerned and remorseful for Eggman. He walks
over to him and puts his hand on his shoulder.

KNUCKLES:

Don't worry. I've been training for
a long time for something like

this. Perhaps this opportunity is a sign that it's time that I proved myself as the guardian of the Master Emerald. I will help you, Doctor Robotnik!

EGGMAN:

Thank you Knuckles! Together we can make a difference!

KNUCKLES:

Agreed!

They both shake hands.

KNUCKLES:

So what do we do first?

EGGMAN:

Well experience has shown that Sonic has a knack for finding me and causing trouble, so I'd say it would be best to prepare for his arrival.

KNUCKLES:

I will ready every trap I've ever invented! He won't know what hit 'em!

EGGMAN:

As much as I'd love to see Sonic fall victim to inescapable traps, we should consider that strategy a back up plan. When Sonic arrives here, it is important that we destroy him right then and there! That's where you come in.

KNUCKLES:

Me?

EGGMAN:

Yes. I'm sure that your natural strength is more than capable of taking him out! All we have to do is develop a plan that catches him by surprise.

KNUCKLES:

Good thinking. If this Sonic is as powerful as you say he is, getting him while he's vulnerable may be the best course of action.

EGGMAN:

Glad you see it my way, Knuckles!
Now let's begin! We will give that
tyrannical hedgehog a warm welcome
he'll never forget!

As Eggman delivers that last bit of dialogue, the scene cuts to Sonic and Tails running back to the workshop.

ACT THREE:

EXT./ESTAB. WEST ISLAND BEACH - DAY

Somewhere on the shot, there's a text that reads: "One week later." Sonic is seen sleeping on the beach. The camera moves to Tails working in his workshop and then goes back to Sonic resting. He turns his head and suddenly a bright light beams in his face.

SONIC:

Agrh! That sun's bright!

When he opens his eyes, Sonic realizes that it's not the sun but something shiny coming from the shore. He gets up and walks over to it. After he picks it up, his eyes widen and then he calls for Tails.

SONIC:

TAILS! Get out here quick!

Tails gets up from his chair, grabs the Jewel Radar and runs outside.

TAILS:

What's up Sonic?

SONIC:

Dude, check this out! I found this
giant ring on the shore! It has
those hyro-watchamacallits on it!

TAILS:

How peculiar. It tells the same
story about the ancient
civilization too!

SONIC:

Where do you think it came from?

TAILS:

I have no idea.

SONIC:

Hmmm...weird. Hey how's your radar coming along? Did you pick up any emeralds?

TAILS:

The power from the Chaos Emerald made it work, but it's not functioning properly. I can't get a single reading! Even here standing in front of you and you've absorbed all 7 of them!

Tails begins to shake it and hit it with his palm.

TAILS:

I don't know what the problem is.

Suddenly the radar starts beeping like crazy.

SONIC:

Seems to be workin' now.

TAILS:

Wow, the scales are off the charts! Wait...what's this...?

Suddenly Tails looks at the screen and notices that it's receiving another signal, a faint one, but a signal nonetheless. Tails points the radar towards the open sea.

TAILS:

There's a signal coming from that direction!

SONIC:

What? Are you serious!?

TAILS:

Yeah! It's not a very strong signal, but there's some chaos energy out there! That ring you're holding more than likely came from over there!

SONIC:

You know what this means right?

TAILS:

OH YEAH!

Sonic and Tails board the Tornado biplane and take off. As

they're flying, Knuckles, in a (seemingly) fixed, more well put together room in the Death Egg spots the Tornado flying towards the island on a radar screen.

KNUCKLES:

Robotnik! Someone's coming!

Eggman jogs over to Knuckles to see for himself.

EGGMAN:

A-HA! He's back! Okay, we haven't got time to waste! Destroy him!

Knuckles walks towards a door, that leads out of the Death Egg.

EGGMAN:

OH and Knuckles! Try not to break him into too many pieces.

KNUCKLES:

No promises.

Knuckles gives a cocky smirk with that last remark and then exits the Death Egg. The scene then cuts to Sonic and Tails flying in the Tornado.

SONIC:

sigh Yo Tails! How much longer until we reach the signal?

TAILS:

The readings are getting stronger and stronger the closer we get. So if I calculate our current velocity along with the strength of the signals from my Jewel Radar and the wind resis--

SONIC:

An educated guess would be nice!

TAILS:

Uh...about 10 minutes.

SONIC:

Yeah, that's way too long. I'm goin' ahead!

TAILS:

What're you gonna do, swim? I thought you were afraid of water.

SONIC:

I'm not scared of anything! I'm just swimmingly challenged!

TAILS:

Then...how're you suppose to go ahe--oh right. That.

SONIC:

Meet cha there, bud!

Sonic jumps off of the plane, transforms into Super Sonic and flies forward.

TAILS:

Hmph, show off. But man, that's the coolest thing I've ever seen!

As Super Sonic flies forward, he sees an island.

SUPER SONIC:

Never seen this island before!
After this emerald business, I think I'll take a vacation here!

As Super Sonic speeds up, he enters the island and flies through the trees, bushes and finally arrives to an open area. As he hovers in the air for a second, he powers down and drops to the ground with the Chaos Emeralds circling him. He then notices the dirt where he's about the land rumbling and then suddenly Knuckles pops out fist first! He punches Sonic square in the face and sends him a few feet away in the distance. As Sonic tumbles, he drops all 7 of the Chaos Emeralds. He recovers briefly, but then begins to lose consciousness from the punch. As Sonic's sight fades away, Knuckles takes all of the Chaos Emeralds, looks at Sonic laughs and runs away. The camera, representing Sonic's sight suddenly fades to black.

TAILS:

Sonic! Sonic are you okay?! Sonic wake up!

The camera, again representing Sonic's vision, fades open where we see Tails shaking Sonic so he regains his consciousness. Sonic then rises, as Tails helps him.

TAILS:

Sonic! You're okay! You're okay right?

SONIC:

Yeah...*grunt* I'm fine.

TAILS:
What happened?

SONIC:
I-I don't know...I....

Sonic then has a vision of Knuckles before he was punched.

SONIC:
OH. NOW I remember!

TAILS:
Well?

SONIC:
The second I flew onto the island,
this red guy just decks me right in
the face and knocks me out!

TAILS:
What!?! What red guy? Do you think
it was a robot?

SONIC:
Doubt it. That was definitely not
one of Eggman's! I've never been
hit that hard before in my life!

TAILS:
This is crazy! Haven't been on this
island for 5 minutes and already
we're being attacked!

SONIC:
It gets worse. He stole all of the
Chaos Emeralds.

TAILS:
facepalm oh boy...

SONIC:
Yeah, I know.

TAILS:
What should we do Sonic?

SONIC:
First I'm gonna track this guy down
and engrave his face on my boot!

TAILS:
Oh...then what?

SONIC:

THEN I'm gonna beat all 7 Chaos
Emeralds out of 'em, go Super and
engrave his face on my other boot!!

Sonic then angrily dashes forward

TAILS:

Sonic! Wait up!

As Sonic and Tails run further into the jungle, they then
stop to see a Saruder. As the Saruder sees them, it pulls
out a coconut to throw at them.

TAILS:

What the HECK is that thing?

SONIC:

Isn't it obvious? Eggman's here.

Then scene then relocates to Eggman working in the Death
Egg. Suddenly Knuckles runs inside.

EGGMAN:

Knuckles, you've returned! Were you
successful in your mission?

KNUCKLES:

Yeah! I gotta say, we probably over
prepared for this. He didn't even
put up a fight. Also I managed to
get these!

Knuckles then reveals all of the Chaos Emeralds to Eggman.

EGGMAN:

Hahahahahahahahaha, yes! Good work
Knuckles! This is exactly what we
need! Place the emeralds over there
on the main generator!

Knuckles walks over and puts away the Emeralds as
instructed.

KNUCKLES:

Why do you need the emeralds?

EGGMAN:

This fortress is highly advanced
and very large, so it requires an
enormous amount of power to
function. The Chaos Emeralds hold
reserves of limitless power, so
it's perfect for a proper power

supply.

KNUCKLES:

Hmmm interesting.

EGGMAN:

Unfortunately, even with the emeralds, it's still going to take some time to repair. The Dea-err Egg Fortress was severely damaged in my last battle with Sonic. Even more so than I anticipated.

DEATH EGG A.I.:

CHECKPOINT ALERT! CHECKPOINT ALERT!
STAR POST NUMBER 2 ACTIVATED!

EGGMAN:

WHAT!?! This better not mean what I think it does! Computer, get me a visual on Star Post 2 seconds before it's activation!

The screen appears and it shows Sonic and Tails running past a camera.

EGGMAN:

It's Sonic!

KNUCKLES:

Unreal! I hit 'em with one of my strongest attacks! Hmph, he's more powerful than I thought.

EGGMAN:

Just when I thought I was finally rid of that hedgehog forever! What is it gonna take!?

KNUCKLES:

You've got an even bigger problem. It'll only be a matter of time before he finds this place and destroys it again!

EGGMAN:

No...NO! NOT this time! Not when I'm so close to winning! Computer, divert all repair settings to autopilot!

DEATH EGG A.I.:

Affirmative. Autopilot enabled.

Eggman begins to walk to a door and types in a code, unleashing his Egg Mobile merged with a mech.

EGGMAN:

We cannot afford for Sonic to make it this far! All of the progress made will go to waste if we do!

Eggman climbs inside of a mech.

KNUCKLES:

What did you have in mind?

EGGMAN:

It's time to initiate our back up plans! While the fortress is repairing itself, we have to slow them down as much as we can! I have more than enough mechs to hold them off.

KNUCKLES:

And with my knowledge of the island, I can use my traps to easily knock them off course! They'll have a tough time trying to make it here before the repairs are complete!

Knuckles begins to walk outside, when Eggman catches his attention.

EGGMAN:

Knuckles. Remember the fate of the entire world rests in our hands. If Sonic destroys this ship...we're done for.

KNUCKLES:

Understood.

Knuckles and Eggman leave the Death Egg.

The scene then cuts to Sonic and Tails fighting badniks. They both then spindash through an underground tunnel and blast through the ground, landing them on the other side of where they were fighting.

SONIC:

Like a million badniks and that red freak's nowhere to be found!

TAILS:

And no Eggman either.

They both start to run forward again. As they're running they notice shadows covering them that seem to be getting bigger. When they look up to see what it is, it turns out to be a series of bombs falling! Sonic and Tails quickly dodge them, barely being blown to bits.

SONIC:

Tails, you ok?

TAILS:

Yeah, I think I'm alright. Where did those come from?

Sonic and Tails then see Eggman flying on the side of them.

SONIC:

Does that answer your question?

Eggman then speeds ahead and Sonic and Tails follow. They both stop on a bridge and look for Eggman. He surprises them by coming out of the water fall near them.

EGGMAN:

Hahahahaha! If it isn't Sonic and Tails!

SONIC:

'Bout time you show'd your ugly mug, Egghead! How's it goin'?

EGGMAN:

Well seeing as though you rendered my moon sized space battle station that took YEARS to develop into a flaming hunk of ruin, I'd say I'm the mood for a smoked hedgehog!

SONIC:

So a rematch is what you want, eh? I can arrange that. Then when I'm done with you, your new friend is next!

EGGMAN:

New friend, you say? I haven't the slightest idea what you're talking about.

TAILS:

You're lying!

EGGMAN:

Well maybe I am, maybe I'm not.

Tell you what, I'll make you a deal. If you can defeat me, I will tell you everything I know. But if you lose, heh heh well, game over!

Sonic and Tails then engage in a fight with Eggman. Eventually he is defeated and tries to fly away.

SONIC:

Should've known he'd try to run.

Sonic jumps forward to attack Eggman.

SONIC:

Aww don't leave now! We were having so much fun!

Suddenly Knuckles appears and attacks Sonic mid air. After a series of quick blows are traded, they land on the ground, face to face.

SONIC:

You!

KNUCKLES:

Me.

Sonic furiously attacks Knuckles, and the two engage in a fight. Tails and Eggman then hover over them both to watch.

KNUCKLES:

I must admit, I'm impressed with your strength! Never thought you'd get up again after I attacked you earlier!

SONIC:

Oh please! You sucker punched me and then ran away! The day I'm beaten by a weak stunt like that, Eggman'll drop a pound!

KNUCKLES:

Are you callin' me a coward?

SONIC:

That word not workin' for ya? How about sneak, wimp, chicken, wuss? Those workin' for ya?

Sonic and Knuckles trade blows once more, eventually knocking each other away. Sonic falls on the bridge below. Tails flies back down with him. Knuckles then walks over the cliff and he and Sonic stare angrily at each other.

EGGMAN:

Hahahahahahahaha! Not quite as easy as you thought, aye Sonic?

SONIC:

What's your name?

KNUCKLES:

I'm Knuckles the Echidna!

SONIC:

Knuckles, huh? Gee, I wonder how you got that name.

TAILS:

Why are you attacking us?

KNUCKLES:

Don't play dumb! I know what you both are up to and I won't rest until you've been defeated!

TAILS:

I think I see what's going on here. Knuckles, listen, what ever Eggman told you about us is a lie! He's the bad guy here, not us!

KNUCKLES:

Do you have any proof?

TAILS:

Well no...but you gotta believe us! Eggman is evil! Just look at 'em!

KNUCKLES:

Sorry, not buyin' it.

SONIC:

Who cares! Doesn't matter if you think Eggman's an angel sent from the heavens that sweats pixie dust! All YOU need to be worried about is me kickin' your sorry butt and taking back the Chaos Emeralds you stole!

KNUCKLES:

Is that right?

SONIC:

Not only is it right, it's a promise!

KNUCKLES:
 Heh heh, we'll see.

Knuckles then presses a button on the grass that destroys the bridge Sonic and Tails were standing on, sending them away. Knuckles walks away but Eggman stays put and looks over the cliff where Sonic and Tails fell. He then delivers an evil laugh. As he does this, the camera takes one last close up of Knuckles as he walks. The scene then goes to Sonic and Tails falling down to Hydro City. As they fall, Tails grabs Sonic's hand, lifting them both to a foothold.

 SONIC:
 Thanks Tails!

 TAILS:
 pant *pant* No problem! About
 time I saved you for once.

 SONIC:
 Never a dull moment huh?

 TAILS:
 No kidding.

Sonic grabs Tails' hand and helps him up.

 SONIC:
 So Eggman's got a new bodyguard who
 thinks we're evil. Guess it was
 bound to happen sooner or later.

 TAILS:
 This isn't good. If Eggman's
 involved in this, who knows what
 he's planning! And this Knuckles
 guy...we have to get him to realize
 that he's being tricked!

 SONIC:
 You're jokin' right?

 TAILS:
 No, we have to help him!

 SONIC:
 Hmph!

Sonic then folds his arms and turns his back to Tails.

 TAILS:
 C'mon Sonic, he's being
 manipulated! It's not his fault.

And who knows, if we can somehow show him the truth, he could join us and the three of us can take down Eggman together!

Sonic still doesn't budge.

TAILS:

Back on West Island, where we met, you became my idol because...you were a hero. Something I've always wanted to be! Someone who's brave, strong and determined to do what's right. Eggman's turned that guy into his puppet and we have to do what's right and save him! It's our duty as heroes.

Sonic slowly turns around and gets on one knee and puts his hand on Tails' head.

SONIC:

Guess you're tougher than I give you credit for. Okay fine, we'll do it your way. But AFTER I pay that Knucklehead back for knocking me out! Cool?

TAILS:

Haha cool!

SONIC:

But before we do that we've gotta get back to the surface and find out what Eggman's up to. I doubt he's here just for kicks. Experience is telling me he knows about the chaos energy that's on the island. And to make matters worse, he's got all 7 Chaos Emeralds again, thanks to short, red and ugly!

Sonic and Tails then start going forward, performing stunts and tricks to pass obstacles in their way.

TAILS:

All the more reason to hurry and get outta here as fast we can! We probably don't have much time!

SONIC:

Are you forgetting who you're with? I'm Sonic the Hedgehog, the fastest thing

alive! Time's always in our favor!
Now let's go get those guys!

As an army of badniks detect Sonic and Tails, they both jump at the camera and strike a pose, ending the movie.

END CREDITS

POST CREDITS SCENE:

EXT./ESTAB. DEATH EGG - DUSK

The scene opens with Knuckles inside of the Death Egg, watching monitors of Sonic and Tails exploring the island as well as his fight with him in an earlier scene.

KNUCKLES:

As long as there is a breath in my body, my island will never fall at the likes of you. It is my life mission to protect the Master Emerald from anything that could harm it. And with Robotnik's help, my island will be safe and at peace once more.

As Knuckles is saying this, Eggman appears, hiding in the shadows by a wall leading into the room Knuckles is in.

EGGMAN:

You're too naive for your own good, you little fool.

END