

# Help Inuyasha!

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*During a battle Inuyasha protects Kagome from a poisoned arrow. Now to save his life Kagome and the others must get help from... WHO?!*

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# 1 - The Poisoned Arrow

## Chapter 1. The Poisoned Arrow.

"INUYASHA!!" A 15-year-old girl shouted at the top of her lungs as a boy that looked her age pushed her to the ground. The girl had long dark hair and chocolate brown eyes. She dressed in a pink long sleeved turtleneck, blue jeans and black shoes.

"DAAAAAAAAAAAAAAH!" the one named Inuyasha screamed in agony as an arrow shot through his right shoulder. His golden eyes widened and his dog ears went back against his head as he fell from the injury he received. His long silver hair fell along his back. He was dressed in a red kimono with a white shirt underneath it, along with matching red pants. He was barefoot and had purple prayer beads around his neck with an off white claw over 5 beads. His skin noticeably paled as he tried to get up. Blood was dripping down his right arm.

"Don't try to move, Inuyasha," the teenager said soothingly as she held Inuyasha.

"Hiraikosu!" A girl dressed in a black and pink demon slayer outfit shouted as she threw an enormous boomerang at a demon with black eyes and red skin that had once been in the shape of a male archer. The boomerang hit its target and was taken down. The demon slayer and a monk ran over to Inuyasha.

"Inuyasha!" The monk said kneeling next to the teenage girl that held the wounded Inuyasha.

"Mi--Miroku?" Inuyasha said quietly.

"We need to remove the arrow!" The demon slayer said. "Miroku, Kagome, hold him still."

Miroku and Kagome nodded and did as the demon slayer said.

"Sango, is Inuyasha going to be alright?" a little fox demon with teal eyes and red hair asked.

"I don't know, Shippo," Sango said kneeling next to Inuyasha. She gripped one end of the arrow and broke it off as she gently pulled the other end out. Inuyasha screamed out and shortly passed out from the pain as soon as the arrow was out.

"Inuyasha!" Kagome yelled putting pressure on his wound. "Miroku, get me the first aid kit! The box with red cross on it!"

Miroku ran over to Kagome's large yellow bag and dug around in it until he found what he was looking for. The first aid kit in hand, Miroku ran back over to the others. "Here you are, Kagome."

"Thanks, Miroku," Kagome said taking the first aid kit from the monk. She pulled open the top of his kimono and began to wrap the wound quickly but correctly. She finished and closed Inuyasha's kimono.

"Inuyasha?" Sango asked shaking him gently. *'This can't be good, he's not responding.'* She held up the tip of the arrow and noticed it had a strange hue to it.

"He's not answering!" Kagome said worriedly.

"We need to get him to Granny Kaede's!" Shippo shouted. The others nodded in agreement.

"Kilala!" Sango called to her pet cat demon. The larger form of Kilala approached them. Sango and Miroku helped the wounded Inuyasha on to Kilala's back. Kagome then climbed on holding onto Inuyasha around his waist. Following Kagome Sango got on in front of Inuyasha and Kagome.

"Shippo, Miroku, you two follow on my bike!" Kagome said as Inuyasha's body leaned against hers his head landing her shoulder. *'Just hold on Inuyasha!'* she thought.

"Kilala, let's go!" Sango said. The demon roared and flames started at her two tails and all four of her paws and she took off into the air.

Down on the ground Shippo leapt into the basket and Miroku tied down Kagome's bag, got on the bike and started after the girls and Inuyasha.

"Kagome?" Sango asked when they had been in the air a few minutes.

"Yes?" Kagome answered.

"How is he?" Sango asked looking back at the two of them.

Kagome lifted her on of her hands and put in on Inuyasha's forehead. "He's got fever, but it's not too bad, probably from the wound."

"I don't know about that."

"Huh? What do you mean?"

"The arrow he protected you had some poison on it."

"Oh no!"

"Don't worry, he's a fighter and he's as stubborn as a mule. I also kept the arrow so Kaede can take a look at it."

Kagome could suddenly feel Inuyasha's head moving. "Inuyasha?" She asked looking at him.

"Kagome, don't go," was all Inuyasha said.

"I'm right here, Inuyasha," Kagome said into his ear. "I'm not going to leave you." She kissed the top of his head and held him close.

## 2 - Trip back to Kaede's

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Kilala, Sango, Kagome and the sleeping Inuyasha soared through the air while, Shippo and Miroku followed on Kagome's bike on the ground.

Kagome held Inuyasha tightly so that he wouldn't fall. She looked down at his face and found it starting to sweat and his breathing began to sound shallow.

"Sango, he's getting worse!" Kagome said worry filling her voice. "We have to hurry!"

Sango looked back at Kagome and Inuyasha. *'She's right!'* Sango thought facing forward again. "Kilala, we must hurry!"

"MIROKU!" Kagome shouted.

"YES, WHAT IS IT, KAGOME?" Miroku shouted back.

"INUYASHA'S GETTING WORSE! WE HAVE TO HURRY!!" Kagome yelled.

"HOW DO I MAKE YOUR BIKE GO FASTER?" Miroku asked.

"STAND WHILE PEDDLEING!" Kagome answered.

"RIGHT! YOU LADIES HURRY ON A HEAD SHIPPO AND I WILL CATCH UP!"

Kagome nodded and she wasn't sure if Miroku saw but she felt Kilala speed up. Below them the forest speed past in a blur of green. She saw village after village appear and disappear as Kilala ran in the air past them.

Inuyasha's condition slowly worsened as they made their way to Kaede's. His skin began to get cold and clammy but his cheeks began to redden from his fever.

"THERE IT IS!" Sango exclaimed pointing to a village below them.

"Thank goodness!" Kagome sighed with relief.

"Kilala, let's land and get Inuyasha to Kaede quickly!" Sango ordered.

The cat demon roared and sped towards the ground. She slowed as she neared the ground and Kaede's hut. Kilala landed gracefully outside of Kaede's hut when an old woman in the garb of a priestess stepped out.

"Kagome, Sango, what brings ye back so soon?" The woman asked.

"Kaede, it's Inuyasha, he's been poisoned." Kagome answered as Sango slid from Kilala's back.

"Get him inside, dear child, ye must hurry!" Kaede said walking back into the hut.

Sango took hold of Inuyasha so Kagome could get off of Kilala. Kagome slid down and ran to the other side of Kilala and helped Sango get Inuyasha off of Kilala and carry him inside. Sango carried him by the legs and Kagome carried him from under his arms. After everyone was inside of the hut Kilala shrunk to her small little cat form and followed after them.

### 3 - Kaede's Findings

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Kagome and Sango carried Inuyasha into the hut and laid him down on the wooden floors. Kaede covered his body with a dark blue comforter and put a rectangular pillow under his head. Inuyasha's breathing started sounding better but soon it worsened to its almost wheezing state.

"What could have poisoned Inuyasha this badly?" Kaede asked looking to Kagome then Sango for answers.

"This, Lady Kaede." Sango answered pulling out the arrow tip from her belt. "This arrow is what poisoned Inuyasha."

"I'll go get some water!" Kagome said grabbing a wooden bucket and running out of the hut slipping her shoes on as she ran.

"Where was he shot?" Kaede asked.

"His right shoulder," Sango answered. "I took out the arrow and Kagome bound his wound."

"GRANNY KAEDE!" A young voice shouted as the curtain that acted as a door opened as Shippo leapt inside and towards Sango and Kaede.

"Sango, Lady Kaede," Miroku said humbly as he walked in after Shippo.

"Huh, that's odd, I didn't hear Kagome scream," Sango said playfully towards the perverted monk.

"Sango, now is not the time for things like that," Miroku said kneeling next to her with a smile on his face.

"How's she doing?" Shippo asked.

"I do not know yet, Shippo, I have yet to examine the poison, Sango gave it to me shortly before you two entered," Kaede answered.

"Oh, I heard what Kagome was saying to Miroku and I wanted to ask how he'd gotten worse," Shippo said.

"Well, Shippo, Inuyasha started to get a fever then his skin got cold and his breathing to the state it's in now," Kagome answered entering the hut with the bucket of water.

Shippo walked closer to Inuyasha and put his ear to Inuyasha's chest. *'His breathing sound awful!'*

Kaede held up the arrow tip that Sango had given to her earlier. It had a red and blue hue to it. *'The red*

*must be from Inuyasha's blood, but this blue... I know that I have seen it before!*

**(Flashback)**

***"Kaede, a tall beautiful priestess said looking down at a much younger Kaede. The priestess held in her hand a glass bottle with some blue liquid in it.***

***"What is it, big sister?" Kaede asked.***

***"This poison is very dangerous for Humans and Demons, no matter how strong they are."***

***"What is the poison called, Kikyo?"***

***"The poison is called..."***

**(End Flashback)**

"Yougen!" Kaede exclaimed.

"Yougen?" the others repeated questioningly.

"My sister, Kikyo, told me of this poison along time ago, before we met Inuyasha." Kaede explained. "It is a poison that is just as dangerous to Humans as it is to Demons."

"And Inuyasha is Half and Half!" Kagome said tears in her eyes. She looked down at Inuyasha and saw him starting to wake up.

"Kagome... Don't cry," Inuyasha raspy and weak voice comforted as he opened his empty looking golden eyes. "Kaede, is there a cure?"

"Aye," Kaede answered.

"What is it?" Kagome asked earnestly.

"Human and Demon blood from someone close to the person another related." Kaede said. "It also must be mixed with the poisoned blood, some herbs and boiled in some clear water."

"Well, I'll give him my blood, but the only living relative that Inuyasha has is..." Kagome trailed off.

"Sesshomaru," everyone else finished.

## 4 - Kagome Takes Charge

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"How are we supposed to get blood from Sesshomaru?" Shippo asked.

"I have an idea," Inuyasha said weakly.

"You can't fight him in your condition!" Kagome scolded.

"That's not what I was going to say, Kagome," Inuyasha smiled softly. "I'll offer him Tetsusaiga."

Before anyone could say anything to protest Inuyasha lost consciousness.

Sighing, Kagome spoke up, "We don't have any other choice."

"The only question now is, how do you expect to find Sesshomaru?" Kaede asked.

"Good question,"

"The western...lands," Inuyasha said in his sleep as if he could still hear them.

"That's right!" Miroku said smacking his right fist into his left palm. "Sesshomaru is lord there!"

"Let's get going!" Kagome said.

"What about Inuyasha?" Shippo asked looking at the sick half demon.

"He'll have to stay here," Kagome answered. "He's in no condition to travel."

Everyone nodded and got to their feet. Kagome ran outside and to her bike. She dug around in her bag and pulled out a red sleeping bag. She ran back inside kicking off her shoes as she walked up to Inuyasha. She unrolled the sleeping bag and unzipped it.

"Miroku, help me get Inuyasha into the bag, please," Kagome asked.

Miroku nodded and did as she asked. They threw off the blanket that once covered Inuyasha's body and picked him up and laid him in the sleeping bag. Kagome zipped the bag up and lifted Inuyasha's head to reposition the pillow under his head.

"Thanks Miroku," Kagome smiled. "Kaede, this will help keep him warm, please take care of him."

*'Maybe one of us should stay behind to help,'* Sango thought. "Kagome, do you think that one of us should stay behind to help take care of him?"



"I'll stay!" Shippo volunteered. "I'm really scared of Sesshomaru."

"Okay Shippo, then this changes things," Kagome said. "Sango, do you think Kilala can handle all three of us plus my bag?"

Sango nodded and she and Miroku walked out of the hut. Kagome walked over to Inuyasha's side, knelt down, kissed him on the cheek and whispered in his ear, "Be strong Inuyasha, and I'll be back soon, I promise."

Inuyasha's ear twitched from the warmth and softness of Kagome's voice. She stood up straight and walked out of the hut, slipping her shoes back on as she left.

## 5 - Journey to the Western Lands

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Sango was followed out of Kaede's hut by Miroku and her cat demon, Kilala. She turned to the cat and said, "Kilala, do you think you can carry Miroku, Kagome, Kagome's bag and I?"

Kilala looked up at her master and became surrounded by fire changing her back into her larger able to fly form.

"I'll take that as a yes," Miroku smiled.

"Me, too," Sango said.

Back inside just as Kagome was about to leave she turned around and spoke, "Kaede, do you have any spare bandages for Inuyasha's wound?"

"Aye, I do, now make haste! Ye must hurry to find Sesshomaru!" Kaede answered.

Kagome nodded and left the hut where she was met by Sango, Miroku and Kilala.

"Let's go!" Kagome said grabbing her backpack from off of her bike. Miroku got on Kilala first, after being persuaded by Sango and Kagome, Kagome got on next with her backpack on her back and Sango was the last one on.

"Kilala, to the western lands!" Miroku ordered as Kilala took off into the sky.

They soared through the sky through the night and into the next. They only stopped when Kilala needed a rest. Luckily for them Kilala understood the urgency of the quest and endured. They had been flying for about 3 days when they found a large castle.

"Look! That must be Sesshomaru's!" Kagome said.

"Kilala, let's look for a place to land!" Miroku said.

Kilala roared and flew towards the ground.

Meanwhile back at Kaede's hut. Inuyasha's fever had yet to break and his breathing was getting harder to hear and to see.

"Ka-go-me," Inuyasha cried out from his fever-induced dreams. "Don't leave me, please!"

Kaede placed a cold cloth over Inuyasha's forehead while Shippo patted off the sweat from his face and neck with a clean cloth. Periodically Kaede changed and cleaned Inuyasha's wound.

"GrannyKaede, you said that we needed some herbs for the antidote and some ofInuyasha's blood, right?" Shippo asked.

"Aye,Shippo, that's right, The herbs are near by and we will gather them soonenough, but they need to be fresh in order for the antidote to work, yesee."

Shipponodded.

Atthis time Sango, Kilala, Kagome and Miroku had landed and Kilala had changed intoher little form and leapt onto Kagome's shoulder seeing how Sango was carryingher boomerang one handed it would have been awkward with Kilala there.

Inthe front yard of the castle there stood a tall man with long silver hair,narrow gold eyes and pointed ears. He dressed royally, in a white, red and blueKimono with black shoes, black armor and a white tail wrapped around his rightshoulder. He also only had his right arm.

"That'sSesshomaru!" Kagome said quietly.

"Sowho's going to ask him about helping Inuyasha?" Miroku asked.

"I'llask," Kagome volunteered. "We need to hurry. Don't worry, I'll beback soon!" Kagome smiled to try and reassure them. She walked out of thebushes and was greeted by the ice cold stare of Sesshomaru.

## 6 - Asking Help from a Demon Lord

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Kagome froze in place as Sesshomaru turned to face her. *'Oh my gosh, he's looking at me, what do I do? What do I say? RELAX KAGOME! You're here to ask him to help Inuyasha!'*

"What do you want, human?" Sesshomaru asked in his arrogant tone.

"Lord Sesshomaru," Kagome said. "I know you must remember me, but I don't think you know my name. My name is Kagome."

"Yes, I remember you, you're that human my little brother is always hanging around with. What do you want and give me one good reason not to kill you right now, Kagome."

Kagome swallowed hard, "I have come here to ask your help, your brother has been poisoned,"

"What does this have to do with me?"

"Please, let me finish. Inuyasha was poisoned with a poison called Yougen, have you heard of it?"

"Yougen? Who could have possibly poisoned my brother with that?"

"A demon, that was posing as an archer, shot the arrow at me and Inuyasha protected me. He was shot in the right shoulder almost 4 days ago. For the antidote we need a little bit of your blood."

"And you came to get it?"

"No! I came to ask if you would come to the village near the bone eaters well to help him."

"I will follow you, but, I will decide on whether or not it was really worth my time! If it was not, I will kill you."

Kagome nodded and walked towards him tears glistened in her eyes, "Please follow me." She walked towards the bushes where Sesshomaru heard the sound of a cat demon growling. Sesshomaru followed Kagome.

"Jaken," Sesshomaru said noticing the little imp following him.

"Yes, my lord?" Jaken asked.

"Stay here and watch over Rin, I will be back in a few days," Sesshomaru answered following Kagome once again.

"I understand, lord Sesshomaru," Jaken said walking back to the castle.

Sesshomaru walked into the clearing where Sango, Miroku, Kagome and Kilala were waiting.

"Let's go, Kilala!" Sango commanded and the cat demon took off into the sky.

Sesshomaru stood on the ground as a cloud materialized beneath him and he too was air born.