

Runescape: The Greatest Challenge

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Samus and friends have been facing hard times, but it only gets worse when the strongest person in Runescape has Zamorak in him! Read on to see what happens!

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1 - Link! Face Off at Duel Arena!

Runescape 2: Link! Face Off at Duel Arena! Part I

"10gp to enter Al-Khraid," said the border guard of Al-Khraid.

"Okay, okay," moaned Samus. He payed the 10gp and headed through the gates to Duel Arena, located in Al-Khraid itself. Samus heard that Duel Arena is a great place to train and fight others. He and the other four friends, Riku, Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and the new, pretty girl named Gabby, were planning to meet at duel arena for meeting. After all, Gabby was new, and they had to explain more about themselves.

Gabby is a new, strong, and sometimes shy girl who was sometimes afraid to fight stronger monsters, but prepared to fight anything weaker than herself. Samus saved her from a band of theives in Varrock known as the Pheonix Gang. Soon Samus developed a crush on her, and Gabby soon had a crush on Samus, but they both kept it as secret as possible, for now.

"Well, well, well," said Link, Samus's toughest rival, "what do we have here? Samus? What would someone like you be doing here? You're too weak, go away from here."

"Says the one in robes and an, an abyssal whip!?" Samus was shocked at how much tougher Link had gotten.

"Let's fight," said Link. "I'd want to see how much stronger you've gotten."

"Me too," replied Samus, "I humbly accept your duel!"

There was a pause, but everyone, except powerful ones, were startled at what Samus just said.

"Is this guy mad?" said one person.

"Indeed," replied another.

"Let's head on up, I'd want to see what Samus thinks he is up against."

"YEAH!" shouted many voices. The seats were crowded from one side to another. Link and Samus were at center field.

"Ladies and gentlemen," said the announcer, "Link will face off against Samus in a one-on-one match!" There was loud roar and many applauding.

Meanwhile, Gabby, Riku, Usman Mirza, and Usman Ranger, were at the gates paying, and one of the guards said, "You four might want to get seats at Duel Arena while there are any left. Samus is goin' up against Link, 1-on-1."

"Wha!?" exclaimed a shocked Riku.

"Impossible!" exclaimed Usman Ranger.

"Samus, what are you trying to do now?" said Usman Mirza.

Oh Samus, Thought Gabby, Please be careful...

"Prepare yourselves!" shouted the announcer, "The match is in 5 minutes!"

Riku, Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Gabby were settled in their seats, waiting for the match.

"3!" shouts the announcer, "2!" Pressure was on everyone, even tohugh they weren't the ones fighting. "1!" *Please be okay after this Samus, Thought Gabby, Please be okay...*

"FIGHT!" roared the announcer.

"YHAAAAAAAAA!" yelled samus as he ran towards Link with his dragon longsword.

"THIS IS THE END OF THE LINE, SAMUS!" yelled Link, lashing the whip furiously.

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On the next story...

The furious battle between Link and Samus rages on, while Samus's four friends, Gabby, Riku, Usman Mirza, and Usman Ranger, can only sit and watch it all happen. Will Link defeat Samus and possibly, due to deep rivalry, even kill Samus? Or will Samus defeat Link, or perhaps Samus has finally met his match? Until next time...

2 - Link! Face Off at Duel Arena! Part II

Runescape 2: Link! Face Of at Duel Arena!

"YHAAAAAAAAA!" yelled Samus, swinging his sword at Link, but Link began blocking the attacks.

"Samus, it's obvious that I will win this. Just so you know, the whip completely surpasses any type of dragon in speed and power. Give in so I don't kill you."

Usman Mirza was for the first time somewhat afraid at what Link might do to Samus.

"Beat him down, Samus!" cheered Riku.

"Show him dragon is better all the way!" shouted Usman Ranger.

You can do it, Samus, thought Gabby, I know you can...

Now the cheering was turned to silence. Samus and Link both hit each other with a striking blow. Samus's cleave strike sent a glancing blow to Link's left shoulder, while Link's whip nearly corrupted Samus's chest. Everyone was silent to see which one would be knocked down first.

Samus was immediately knocked down. *I feel so, weak...* Samus saw what forced him down. The whip hit his heart, but not impaled in his heart. Samus was coughing blood from the attack. Everyone was gasping.

"I warned you to forfeit," said Link, walking towards the seriously injured Samus. "If you live, next time you'll think twice before fighting me."

"No!" yelled Riku.

"It can't be!" said a shocked Usman Mirza.

"Samus!" yelled Usman Ranger.

Oh no! thought Gabby, Samus!

Tefani, the ER's surgeon General, stopped the fight and examined the injury. "Get all medics in the Emergency Room!" yelled Tefani, "At this condition, he'll have at least 7 hours of his life left!" Everyone was shocked, but mostly, scared of Link now.

He actually intended to kill Samus! thought Usman Mirza.

Samus... Usman Ranger and Riku were thinking the same thought.

Don't die Samus! Gabby was terrified at what might happen to Samus.

The match was over, and Link won. Four hours have passed since that battle, and due to what happened to Samus, Duel Arena was closed. Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, Riku, and Gabby, were waiting in the Waiting Room to hear what happened to Samus. Tefani enters the Waiting Room with the information.

"Samus is alive, but barely, he won't be able to fight for a very long time. Try to keep him from fighting, okay?"

"Okay," said everyone but Gabby. She was silent until she asked one thing.

"Tefani," asked Gabby, "when are there visiting hours for Samus?"

"Just so you know, they are right now." replied Tefani. "Go see him if you want, but don't expect to be there for a long time."

"Thank you," said Gabby, "I won't be long."

Gabby walked down to Samus's room, room 343. She opened it to see Samus sitting up in his bed. "Hi Samus," said Gabby, "are you doing okay?"

"Yeah, thanks for asking," replied Samus. "I'm guessing you saw the match then, right?"

"I did," said Gabby. "Try to get better soon. I want you to be okay."

They both looked at each other. Samus was going to ask something, but at that very moment, two people busted through Samus's room's windows.

"Samus, you die now!" said one of the strangers.

"That's right Samus, you're going to die." said the other.

"Wha!?" said a startled Samus.

"That's right, the order to kill you came straight from Zamorak himself!" said the second stranger. "and what he says goes, so you must die!"

"No!" shouted Gabby, "You're not getting near him!"

"Get out of my way!" yelled the first stranger, and at that moment he knocked Gabby down.

"Gabby!" yelled Samus.

Gabby got back up and swung her sword at the first and second stranger. They staggered back.

"You'll die with Samus too!" said the second, and swung a rune scimitar at Gabby. She fell to the ground, bleeding on her left arm.

"Say goodbye, you stupid girl!" said the first, and pulled a rune dagger from his knife socket. He was about to lunge it into Gabby when Samus burst out of bed, still weak from the attack, and charged at the first stranger, two hands on his sword, and slashed the first stranger's dagger out of his hand. The second attacked, but Samus hit him too. They saw a hint of extreme power coming from the blade, and something from it made them run out of Duel Arena, back to the hideout.

Samus fell again, bleeding from having fought. Gabby was again terrified, and rushed to Samus. "Samus!" said Gabby, "Are you okay?"

"This time, no." replied Samus, weaker than before. "I feel like I, uh... can barely move." Samus tried to ask the question one more time, but fainted before he asked.

Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Riku burst through the door. Tefani was there too.

"What's going on?" asked Tefani.

"Two people burst through the window and tried to kill Samus. I was almost killed, but he jumped out of bed and slashed them both. They ran after that."

"Oh Samus, where are we going to have to put you where it's safe from attacks?" asked Tefani. "We need to move Samus and all his items to a safer room. Come back tomorrow and you can visit again, okay?"

"Okay." said everyone. "Bye."

On the way out, Usman Mirza said one thing.

"Tomorrow, we all go to see Samus, he'll be safe there with all of us, and we need to ask something about those two people. Deal?"

"Deal" said the others.

"So Gabby," asked Riku, "what happened back there?"

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Next time:

Samus is safe now, and his four friends went to see him. After talking about the two strangers, Usman Mirza claims it was none other than Dom and Nite Wake. They will soon go to defeat those two, but Gabby stays, and talks to Samus. Will Samus fight again? Will Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Riku, defeat Nite Wake and Dom, or will they be killed? Until next time!

4 - Runescape 3 Part II : Friends vs. Foes! Gods Collide!

Runescape 3 part 2: Friends vs. Foes! Gods Collide!

"Well, Usman Ranger, Riku, let's go! We've no time to lose!" Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Riku were leaving the Hospital after the visit. Usman Mirza was explaining to Samus that the two people that attacked Samus and Gabby were Dom and Nite Wake, two graduates from Runescape Academy that turned to Zamorak to gain incredible strength. They were heading back to the hideout, hoping that they weren't tracked down. Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Riku had successfully located them, and were ready to attack, aware of the risks they were taking.

"Dom! Dom!" yelled Nite Wake from the tower. "We've been spotted!"

"What!?" replied Dom, shocked. "By who?"

"Samus's friends, Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, and Riku." said Nite Wake.

"Oh, this can't be good... No matter! We have Zamorak's strength. What's there to lose?" asked Dom.

"Our lives, what else do you think?" yelled Nite Wake.

"I said no matter, gear up, let's show those morons that Zamorak is the best in Runescape!" shouted Dom.

"Usman Ranger, fire away, now!" yelled Usman Mirza.

"Roger!" replied Usman Ranger. He lit 3 arrows, and fired them all at the very same time. they struck directly in the weak point of the wooden defences, burning them to the ground. "We're clear to attack! The Defences are down for the count!"

"Perfect! Usman Mirza, I'm ready to attack on your mark!" yelled Riku. "Wait, what's that? It's, It's, oh, INCOMING! ROCKS ARE IN THE AIR!" Usman Mirza and Usman Ranger saw that too, and at that moment they acted fast. Riku sliced through the rocks, Usman Ranger fired magical shots in the center, cracking it in half, and missing Usman Ranger. Usman Mirza used his Protect from Missiles prayer, destroying any range-based attacks that touched the aura of his prayer.

"Charge Riku!" yelled Usman Mirza. "Now's your chance! Usman Ranger, I have an idea, and a job for you."

"What's that?" asked Usman Ranger.

"Burn the Catapults. Right in the weak point, exactly like you did the wooden defences." replied Usman Mirza.

"Got it!" said Usman Ranger. "Hit the heart of the wood!" He lighted his arrows, aimed, and fired, He got the catapults, right in the weak points, just like Usman Mirza asked. Dom and Nite Wake were defenceless now. "Now we can hit them hard without a doubt! Wait, please don't tell me that that is, oh crud, they have Steel Balistas!"

"Steel whats?" asked Usman Mirza.

"Steel Balistas. No wood in those man-made defences. Balistas use large arrows. They are strong enough to bust through stone walls. I could get one point, but I'll be lucky to hit it. The string used to fire the arrows. If I could hit it, the string would snap and they can't fire arrows. To most rangers, the odds of hitting something like that are 1000 to 1, but to me, I'll be lucky to have odds of 75 to 1."

"Why don't you use magical arrows to break through the steel plating in the balista?" asked Usman Mirza.

"If I know Zamorak, he does his best to make his defences magic-resistant. Only the arrow would

hit, then break in two." replied Usman Ranger.

Wow, thought Usman Mirza, *Zamorak is tougher than I expected. If we survive, it'll be some kind of miracle.*

Riku was nearly done breaking the doors of the fortress open. "Usman Mirza, the doors are about to bust! Get ready!"

"Already set!" yelled Usman Mirza. The doors have broken, and Usman Mirza ran for the doors. Steel Balistas were set to hit Usman Mirza, but Usman Ranger fired two arrows at the two balista's strings, but only scratched at the strings. "No!" yelled Usman Ranger. The balistas loaded up, were about to fire, but the strings broke on the arrows. "Yes! Balistas are down!" yelled Usman Ranger. He charged at the fortress with his Dragon Dagger, a master rangers only head-to-head combat weapon. When the three friends entered, they found a surprise for them. Dom and Nite Wake.

"This is as far as your lives get!" said Dom. "Surrender, and die somewhat honorable, unlike your family!" That thought brought rage into Usman Mirza's eyes.

"Don't ever talk about my family like that!" yelled Usman Mirza. Mysterious white power began spiraling around Usman Mirza's body, and his eyes had a strange look them, and Usman Ranger noticed it fast. It wasn't Usman Mirza anymore in that body. Instead, Saradomin, god of life, was in that very body. "Hello, Dom and Nite Wake. Two of Zamorak's most elite workers, I'm guessing?" said Saradomin, his voice combined with Usman Mirza's. "Yes? Well then, working for Zamorak or not, attempting death on Samus has pushed your evil likes, and it's easy to tell that you work for that wretched demon Zamorak! Saradomin Strike! Power was streaming from Saradomin's hands now, and he pushed this power into his entire body. He ran towards Dom and Nite Wake, and disappeared. He was behind them now. and he struck so much power into those two that they both simply vanished into thin air. Saradomin walked towards Usman Ranger and Riku. "Dom and Nite Wake are banished from the face of Runescape, I must go now. And by the way, Usman Mirza saw all of this. Goodbye, my friends." The power disappeared, and Usman Mirza was in full control of his body again.

"That served those two right. Trying to kill Samus, and insulting my family must've summoned my ability to summon Saradomin, but instead of me Saradomin was controlling my body. I've got to master the summoning ability, and I must master total control of this incredible power. Lets go tell Samus about this. Let's hope he didn't get himself hurt again, right guys?"

"Yup," said Riku.

"Yeah, now let's see Zamorak try defeating us again, right?" said Usman Ranger.

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Next time...

Samus's recovery is halfway complete, and he can move around Al-Khraid, and explore with his friends. Zamorak is trying to do what he can to kill Samus to obtain one thing from Samus he doesn't know he has yet, the ability to summon Guthix, the god of balance! What will happen to Samus next time? Until next time!

5 - Runescape 4: Samus's Recovery! D.A. Tournament Begins!

Runescape 5: Samus's Recovery! Duel Arena Tournament Begins!

"Hello everyone," said Tefani. "You here to see Samus?"

"Yes," said Riku

"We are," said Usman Mirza.

"Yeah," said Usman Ranger.

"Yes we are," said Gabby.

"Well I'm pleased to announce that Samus, somehow, has fully recovered!" said Tefani.

"Your kidding!" yelled Riku.

"I don't believe it!" said Usman Mirza, even though he knew what did it.

"Sweet!" said Usman Ranger.

"Yes!" said Gabby.

"Right this way, please," said Tefani. everyone followed Tefani to Samus's room. Usman Mirza knew clearly what happened. *Saradomin, thank you*, thought Usman Mirza. He thought back to the end of the battle, on the way to the hospital.

When you return to the hospital, on a very special day, a suprise for Samus will come, from me. said Saradomin.

So, thought Usman Mirza, *Samus is fully healed now, but what is the special day today?* Usman Mirza was about to ask, but they reached Samus's room, Room 192. They entered to see Samus, in his armor, waiting for his ok to leave.

"Samus!" yelled Riku.

"Your recovered!" yelled Usman Ranger.

"I don't believe it!" said Usman Mirza, "Your healed!"

"Yes!" said Gabby, happier than ever.

"Yea, and I don't even know what happened," said Samus.

"Samus," said Tefani, "you are now ok to leave, and I got something for all of you." She pulled out tickets. "These are passes to the Duel Arena Grand Tournament. They are used for either free registration to the tournament, or reserved seats to watch the tournament. Use them in any way you like, but don't sell these. They truly are wothless, so no one buys them."

"Thank you," said the five friends. They walked to the tournament sign-ups first. Usman Mirza, Samus, and Riku signed in. Usman Ranger and Gabby got the special reserved seats. Usman Ranger and Gabby went to wish the others luck.

"Good luck guys," said Usman Ranger to Usman Mirza. Riku, and Samus. Gabby wished Samus, Riku, and Usman Mirza luck as well.

"Bye Gabby, Bye Usman Ranger!" yelled Usman Mirza, Riku, and Samus. Samus was happy Gabby didn't sign up, for he was afraid of having to face her.

Riku saw the look on his face. "I bet you got a crush on her."

Samus couldn't help blushing. "What!? No I don't! weve only known eachother for a few days! How can I have a crush on her?"

"Isn't it obvious? You and Gabby were in the hospital talking, while me, Usman Mirza, and Usman Ranger were out fighting!"

"What does that point out?" asked Samus.

"I said it before, I'll say it again, you've got a crush on her!"

Usman Mirza was about to blow a fuse. "Knock it off, you two!" he said, hitting Riku and Samus in the head. "You're supposed to be practicing, not fighting over a girl."

"We are not fighting over her!" yelled Riku and Samus. They went to the dummies to train.

"All warriors please go to the battlefield!" yelled the announcer. The entries did as they were told, and headed to the stadium. The amount of people was twice as large as the amount that went to see Samus go against Link. "Welcome to the Duel Arena Grand Tournament! We have ten contestants for this years fights! I am happy to announce the tournament matches for period 1!

Link vs Icecube!

Samus vs Riku!

Usman Mirza vs Zezima!

Diacrs vs Will!

Damiean vs Puredude!

"Me vs Riku!?" said Samus, shocked at the outcome for that.

"I have to fight Zezima?" said Usman Mirza. Now he was scared.

"Oh, Samus returns? This will be better than the last time!" Link was ready to kill off Samus this time.

"Link adn Icecube! step up to begin! Other contestants please go to the Waiting Room and wait your match!"

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Next time...

The tournament rages on. Samus must go against Riku, and find out who's best. After, Usman Mirza must fight Zezima, the legendary "unbeatable" warrior. Who will win those two matches? Find out next time!

6 - Samus vs Riku! Friendship is Tested!

Runescape 5: Samus vs, Riku!?

The first match ended quickly, with Link as the victor. "Link, go to the waiting room, and wait for the 2nd period of battles!" said the announcer. "Now, everyone, for the next match, Samus vs Riku!"

"What!?" said Usman Ranger and Gabby. They were shocked at this.

"Samus and Riku, please step forward for the match! Folks, take your time getting comfortable, the match is in 5 minutes!" yelled the announcer.

"Samus and Riku?" said Usman Ranger, "This won't be good. They have the same weapons, and according to the commorb skillsite, Samus and Riku are equally matched in defence! Well, different by a little, anyways."

"You're right," said Gabby, "Riku and Samus are close friends, and their friendship will probably be broken by whoever wins. I couldn't root for one of them, because then the other one would get discouraged." *But I'm hoping that Samus wins, Thought Gabby. Samus has to win, so he can face against Link, and hopefully, win it. Link tried killing him the first time, but only failed, 'cause Samus lived. Now Link will surely try killing him by impaling the whip, not stabbing it...*

"Riku, we may be friends, and no matter what happens now, we're still friends. That doesn't mean I'm gonna go easy on you."

"I was going to say the same thing." said Riku.

"5, 4, 3, 2, 1, FIGHT!" yelled the announcer. Samus starts with an aggressive strike, but is blocked by Riku's Toz-Ket-Xil (or the Obsidian Shield) Riku tries to aggressively do Samus's exact strike, but Samus managed to dodge it. Samus swung his blade and hit Riku in the arm.

"Not much defence when your wearing chainmail, right?" asked Samus.

Oh no, he's right! thought Riku. *Samus's rune platebody covers his arms, making me harder to hit him, while my chainbody only covers my chest, making my body more effective to hit! This won't be good!*

Samus and Riku hit each other in the shoulder, and everything went to silence. They both staggered back. Riku hit the weak point in the shoulderblades of Samus's armor, hitting Samus directly in the arm, while Samus hit Riku clear in the shoulder, knocking him back as well. The silence turned back into cheering. They ran at each other with true aggressive strength, and green power rose from Samus's blade. Samus hit Riku first, doing major damage to Riku. Riku was down, with no truly major injuries to Riku. Riku got back up. he was exhausted so badly he could barely move. He had enough energy to raise his hand for one thing. "I forfeit the match." he said. Everyone had been silenced by those words. But they cheered, not just for Samus, but for Riku. Samus was also glad he didn't have to hit Riku anymore. Riku walked up the stairs to the reserved seats. Right next to Gabby. "Something in that blade drained my stamina, and I could barely even walk. Samus has the power of Guthix inside him.

"We have a missing contestant, Diacris! He has been automatically disqualified because of this outcome. However, a late entry came, and took Diacris's place, a Novice but ready fighter, Mario San!"

"Mario San?" asked Samus. "I'll see how she does against Will, and maybe she will join my team!"

"Next up, Usman Mirza vs Zezima!"

"This won't be a pretty match, but I'm ready." said Usman Mirza.

"Usman Mirza? Lets see how you can fight, even though you won't win, okay?" said Zezima.

"Don't get cocky, Zezima," said Usman Mirza. "I'm not weak. I trained Samus, and he's powerful. I

didn't teach him everything I know, however, so you're in for a good fight."

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Next time...

Somehow, Usman Mirza lost quick, only because he lost control of his body and fell at the instant slash of Zezima's blade. Mario San vs Will is up next after the battle, so tune in to see! Until next time!

7 - Runescape 6 :Usman Mirza vs Zezima, god on god!

Runescape 6: Usman Mirza vs Zezima! God on God!

"5, 4, 3, 2, 1, FIGHT!" yelled the announcer. The battle putting Zezima vs Usman Mirza began.

"Usman Mirza, look at these eyes." said Zezima. Usman Mirza didn't understand why, but he did it anyway. Zezima's eyes turned to the eyes of Zamorak. Zamorak's powers together are virtually limitless, but the eyes of Zamorak can cause the loss of ones body control. Usman Mirza felt like nothing in his body worked. he was statue still, couldn't even shiver. Zezima drew his blade, the dragon two-handed sword. He ran at Usman Mirza, and slashed Usman Mirza five times, and Usman Mirza regained control. He immediately fell to the ground, and the match ended.

"And the winner is Zezima!" shouted the announcer. The cheering was loud. But Samus, Gabby, Riku, and Usman Ranger were not shouting or cheering. *My brother, what has hapened to you?* Thought Usman Ranger. Usman Mirza was in the infirmary recovering, but unconscious. "Now for our next match!" yelled the announcer. "Mario San vs Will! Please step forward!" Mario San and Will sutied up and walked out to the stage. "Now, lets begin the match, in 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, FIGHT!" yelled the announcer. Mario San weld her weapon, and Will pulls out the adamant halberd. They swung at eachother. Will with his furious attacks, while Mario San defends and strikes Will. Will was an aggressor, making his attacks strong, while Mario San defends, being less effective to being hit. Mario San, weaker than Will, already had a serious edge against Will, because she had already knocked out a lot of Wills stamina. Will hit Mario San with a serious blow of halberd attack, taking much of Mario San's stamina away with that hit. Mario San did one thing that was so powerful, it took out Will, and that was cotinuous slashes. Will was down instantly. "The winner is Mario San!" yelled the announcer. Mario San had much glory ahead of her, and Samus was there to prove it.

"Mario San, I'd like to ask you something." said Samus. Mario San turned and was close to frozen.

"Yes Samus?" asked Mario San.

"I saw your fight," said Samus, "and I was suprised that you could finish off someone twice as powerful as you. Would you like to join my group?"

"I'd love to." Mario San felt her own glory now.

"That settles it," said Samus. "I'll introduce you to the rest of the team after the tournament, okay?"

"Okay." said Mario San.

"Damiean and Puredude have yet to show up, so they've been disqualified. Period two wil begin in 2 weeks, so be prepared!"

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8 - Runescape 7: Training with the Gods!

Runescape 7: Training with the Gods!

Usman Mirza has finally recovered from his past fight with Zezima, which occurred a week ago. Zezima used Eyes of Zamorak to stop Usman Mirza and hit him directly. Samus and Mario San were training. Usman Ranger used his dragon dagger against Samus, and Gabby fought Mario San in their training.

"Trying to keep up, Samus?" asked Usman Ranger. "You got to hit me soon, otherwise this training is useless. Don't be afraid to hit me, I can take any hit wearing my red dragon hide armor."

"We'll see about that!" said Samus. "Cleave strike!" Samus's blade turned red, and the power in the dragon hit was blocked by the dagger, but the attack sent Usman Ranger flying. Usman Ranger landed on his back with a thud in the desert sands. "Who's keeping up with who now?" asked Samus.

"Samus, you are tough, but I'm ready for something like that again!" yelled Usman Ranger, getting back up. Usman Mirza walked into the training area, and Usman Ranger, Samus, Gabby, and Mario San stopped fighting.

"Everyone," said Usman Mirza, "I've found a perfect training grounds for all of us. Follow me." They all followed Usman Mirza to a huge plain. "Welcome to my family's training grounds. No one comes here, and that's because they are afraid that Zamorak will come and attack them with their guard down here. I know what actually happens, and that is nothing. Samus, I need you and me to train. Usman Ranger, you rest. Watch the training, it might interest you."

"Okay," said Usman Ranger.

"Samus, I'm going to teach you about something I have that I didn't know you had, until the fight against Riku. You are going to learn how to summon your family's god, Guthix."

"How will I do that?" asked Samus, surprised at hearing about god summoning.

"Watch closely, I'm going to summon my god, Saradomin. He will teach you how to summon from there." Usman Mirza paused for a moment, and focused. White energy circled the ground around him, and Usman Mirza opened his eyes. He had the eyes of Saradomin in his look, meaning Usman Mirza wasn't Usman Mirza, he was Sardomin. Mario San and Gabby stopped training, and watched.

"Hello, Samus," said Saradomin. "I've been expecting you. Usman Mirza wants me to train you, so I will do so. Try to focus your energy, then try to communicate to Guthix. He will grant your ability to use his powers. You may not be able to use the full extent of Guthix's powers until you practice, but you need to have the power granted to you first."

"You will feel the power if he grants it to you. And you will get two main boosts of power in you. Extreme speed, and the ability to be unaffected by other gods' eye powers. This will be proven the most useful power to fight Zamorak."

"Okay," said Samus. He began to focus his energy into one, then began trying to communicate with Guthix. His mind was in another world now. He knew where he was, he was in Guthix's world. Guthix stood before him. Samus bowed to Guthix at the sight of the great god. "Hello, Guthix. My name is Samus, and-" "There is no point in introducing me, I already know who you are, Samus, and I know why you are here, for the ability to summon my powers."

"Y-Yes sir," said Samus. "I need it for the tournament. Usman Mirza claims that Zamorak's power is inside Zezima's body, and I-"

"Zamorak..." said Guthix. "Zamorak is still alive... I thought he was dead when me and Saradomin

defeated him 14 years ago! Zamorak must die, but I can't go back to Runescape! Samus, my powers are yours to control, but not until you fight Zezima will you get the full extent of my powers, is that okay with you?"

"Yes sir," said Samus. "I will do my very best to defeat Zezima and kill Zamorak by all means necessary!"

"Good," said Guthix. "I can already tell your parents raised you well."

"They have, and Zamorak will pay for their death!" said Samus. Samus got a surge of energy rush in his body, telling him that he has gotten Guthix's powers. He was returned to his world, and he had the power in him still.

"I can sense you have Guthix's power in your body," said Saradomin. "Good. My work here is done." Saradomin closed his eyes, chanted godly words, and when his eyes were opened, Usman Mirza's eyes were there, meaning that Usman Mirza was there again.

"Well, I Guess training is over for now," said Usman Mirza.

"Awww..." moaned Mario San. "I had almost beaten Gabby too..."

"We're coming tommorow, don't worry." said Usman Mirza. "But now, lets get rest. So Samus, how was your meeting with Guthix?"

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Next time...

A week has passed, and the tournament begins again. Mario San is pitted against Zezima, and Link faces off against Samus again, this time the battle will be more ferocious, and Link will do his best to kill Samus! What will happen in the outcome of these two matches? Find out in the next chapter! Runescape 8: Semifinals begin! D.A. Gets Rougher!

9 - Runescape 8: Semifinals Begin! D.A. gets Complicated!

Runescape 8: Semifinals Begin! Duel Arena gets Complicated!

"Welcome back, everyone!" yelled the announcer. "Ready for the Duel Arena Semifinals to begin?" Everyone was cheering. Everyone, that is, except for Usman Ranger, Usman Mirza, Gabby, and Riku. They were waiting for Mario San's and Samus's fighting line-ups. "So far battles were getting really furious, but in this match, we will find the true meaning of fury and fear when I place the line-ups on our newly added mage screen! Lets see...Oh, here it is! The line-ups on the screen are as followed!"

Mario San vs. Zezima!

Link vs. Samus!

The announcer was right, the true meaning of fury and fear was revealed when the mage screen put Samus against Link. *Oh no*, thought Gabby. *Samus is fighting Link again...*

"Well, to start things off, Mario San vs. Zezima! Zezima, Mario San, please step forward!" The announcer had some worry in him, probably because Link was fighting Samus again. "The match will begin in 10 minutes!"

Samus suited up in his armor, his rune kite shield and dragon longsword hoisted on his back. "Well, well, well," said Link, walking towards Samus. "What do we have here? I thought you didn't plan on showing your face in Duel Arena after I nearly killed you. Well, that time I was going to make your death slow and painful, but I am a Fremminik now, and the Fremminik way is the quick and painless way, so this time, my stabs and slashes will be even more dangerous now.

"I plan on killing you easily, Samus, I know you will lose."

Samus had rage in him now. "Well, Link," he said, "we'll just see about that."

"5, 4, 3, 2, 1, FIGHT!" yelled the announcer.

"I don't plan on winning this, Zezima," said Mario San, "but I will try my best!"

"Hmph!" muttered Zezima. Zezima pulled out his dragon 2-handed sword. Mario San used a mithril 2-handed sword. Zezima slashed Mario San's shield arm, forcing Mario San to drop her sword. He finished it by powerstab, an attack that blows anything around the user away, doing serious damage to her. Mario San had fainted. "She got cocky, even though she wasn't showing it." Everyone was cheering for Zezima.

"That was quick," said the announcer. "Anyway, the battle we have been waiting for has finally begun! Link vs. Zezima! Please step forward!" Link and Samus did as they were told.

"You're going to die, Samus!" said Link.

"That's what you think," said Samus. "The gods are on my side, and all you got are the alcohol stained Fremminiks."

"5, 4, 3, 2, 1, FIGHT!" yelled the announcer. Samus was armed, and so was Link. Link started by slashing furiously, Samus blocked most of them, but he was also hit hard, at least 5 times. His wounds ever on his arms, his chest, and his back. Samus stabbed Link in the arm.

Link dropped his shield, and started using stab strikes. Samus dodged all but one, which had once again, hit his heart. Everyone gasped. "Not again!" said Usman Mirza.

"Oh crap!" said Riku.

"This can't be good..." said Usman Ranger.

"Oh no!" said Gabby.

Samus fell to the ground, blood flowing from the wound. "I only have one thing to say, and one thing only, Link," said Samus. "Repth!" a blue aura surrounded him, and his wound in his heart was healed. Samus got back up. "Looks like I'm winning this..." said Samus. He was right, Link was badly injured. Samus muttered words of prayer, and the words he used were Ultimate Strength. "Cleave attack!" yelled Samus. His blade knocked out Link.

"And the winner is, Samus!" yelled the announcer. Everyone, and I mean everyone, was cheering for Samus.

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Next time...

Zezenia, uncaring about the finals, jumped out into the arena, Used the eyes of Zamorak, and used powerstab, this killed many people, in fact, all the audience. All the audience, that is, except for Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, Riku, and Gabby. They all jump down to help Samus, but when Zamorak is at full extent with Zezenia, the battle becomes a memory... Tune in next time to read my 2nd to last chapter, Runescape 8: Zezenia and Zamorak! The Final Battle!

10 - Runescape 9: The Final Battle!

Runescape 9! The Final Battle!

Zezenia walks out to the field and throws Link out into the waiting room. "You have long since served your purpose, weakling..." he said. He must have gotten Zamorak's full extent, because power was fusing with his blade. "POWERSTAB!" he yelled as he stabbed his blade into the ground. An explosion, 10 times the usual power and blast radius, blew the audience's, support stages up, killing them all.

Usman Mirza, Usman Ranger, Gabby, and Riku, however, jumped off the stages in time, and landed on the arena. Samus was forced back with no injuries. "Well, Zezenia," said Usman Mirza, "it seems you have reached the full extent of Zamorak's powers. Samus, let's get into god form!" White power surrounded Usman Mirza, and he was in Saradomin's full extent. Green power surrounded Samus, and he was in Guthix's full extent.

"YHAAAAAA!" yelled Usman Mirza and Samus, charging at Zezenia. Zezenia slashed them both, but so did Usman Mirza and Samus. Zezenia staggered back, and so did Samus and Usman Mirza. Blood flowed quickly from the wounds. The fights continued endlessly, slashing and stabbing, wound and wound.

"I'm getting tired of watching this!" yelled Riku. He charged at Zezenia, blocked his attack, and stabbed Zezenia in his shield arm. Zezenia dropped his shield, and with Flames of Zamorak, sent Riku flying. Usman Mirza saw what he was doing next, and yelled something real loud.

"Everybody, run now!" yelled Usman Mirza. Usman Ranger, and Gabby did as they were told, and hid in the rubble of the support stages. Samus, however, went and tried to get Riku, but Zezenia sent a blow of Zamorak's ultimate power straight at Samus. Samus was about to be hit by it, but Usman Mirza stood in front of the power, taking what felt like the blow of 1,000 of Zamorak's flames. Usman Mirza was on the ground, and blood was all over Usman Mirza's back.

"Usman Mirza!" yelled Samus, and he turned Usman Mirza over, Usman Mirza's eyes were closed, but he opened them half way. "Usman Mirza, don't die!" yelled Samus, tears coming out of his eyes fast, "Don't die! Please don't die, Usman Mirza!"

"Samus," said Usman Mirza, "I can't survive much longer." Usman Mirza started coughing, and blood was coming with the cough. "You must kill Zezenia, because when you do, Zamorak will die, too. You will be the one to rid the world of evil that has tortured us for so long... *cough!* Usman Ranger must be kept safe, otherwise, Runescape will lose the last of the Usman family..." Usman Mirza's eyes closed, and his heartbeat had stopped.

Crying even harder, Samus stood up. *You were like a father I never had, Usman Mirza,* thought Samus, tears coming out of his eyes almost as fast as his blood. *A father that trained me, a father that helped me, a father that loved me... I will kill Zezenia, and I will kill Zamorak!* A green power rushed around Samus's body, beyond measures of Guthix's full extent. Samus has reached the ultimate stage of Guthix's power, the True Guthix. "Zezenia, Zamorak, your death is now!"

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11 - Runescape 10: The True Guthix Unlocked!

Runescape 10: The True Guthix Unlocked!

"What in the world is that!?" exclaimed Gabby. She'd never seen this in Samus's eyes before.

"That," said Usman Ranger, "is the power of the True Guthix. Usman Mirza taught me all about it. When something terrible happens to the heir of a god's power or his or her friends, the true god power is unlocked. I guess that Usman Mirza's death triggered the True Guthix."

"But then," said Mario San, "what's going to happen to Samus now?"

"Now that Samus is in True Guthix, it's going to give Zezima and Zamorak an even better reason to kill Samus. All the same," Usman Ranger paused.

"What?" asked Gabby.

"All the same," said Usman Ranger, "something catastrophic is going to happen to Samus."

"What!?" exclaimed Gabby. She was beginning to get scared.

"When you're in the True power of a god, you are given strength beyond limits. Defence, strength. Those two skills will be power beyond imagination. Like all ultimate powers, though, there's a dropback. Pain, poison, broken parts of your body, and more. The True power is different. The dropback to the powers like that is..." he paused for a long time. "You die..."

Everyone gasped. Gabby was terrified. *He can't die!* though Gabby. *He just can't! All those times he helped me, all those times he saved me, and I never got to return the favor before! If he dies, I'll never be able to return the favor!*

"Alright, Zezima," said Samus. "Zamorak, let's fight!" He went into a strange stance, like he was about to leap at Zezima. When he moved, he disappeared in a flash. Zezima was shocked. He was looking in all directions to find him. He looked behind, and there Samus was. Samus kicked Zezima in the chest, knocking him far into the air. Zezima had powerful reflexes, too. Or he must've, because he landed on the ground on his feet. He charged at Samus with his dragon two-handed sword, and slashed Samus with fury, leaving Samus with a couple of near-open wounds. Samus formed a ball of mystic red magic and threw it at the ground.

"Hmph," said Zezima. "Are you blind, Samus, or is your magic too weak to make it towards me?" He was about to charge at Samus, but something stopped him. Vines from the ground entangled Zezima's feet. The vines began to spread around his chest, next. Samus had the hand he was using to control the magic open. When he closed his hand, thorns came out of the vines, stabbing Zezima in twenty-seven different places. Zezima fell down when the vines disappeared.

"You didn't study enough when you were in god studies, did you?" asked Samus. "If you did, you would've been more careful about my spells. The god studies say that Guthix controls nature. Basically, everything around him. Saradomin controls lighting, and he is also able to conjure storms for his support. Zamorak is master of fire."

"I'm starting to underestimate you, Samus," said Zezima, taking deep breaths.

"You aren't underestimating me, Zezima," said Samus. "You never did. You never underestimated anybody. Zamorak is taking over your body. Slowly, yet quickly."

"You're right, Samus," said Zezima. "He is. When I'm in combat, Zamorak takes me over slightly. In combat with his powers, he takes me over fast. You have to help me, Samus. I never wanted this to happen to me. It never would've happened, if it wasn't for the dreaded curse my father placed upon me."

"Your father!?" exclaimed Samus.

"When i was five years old," said Zezima, "I was already a powerful boy. My father knew I could control a curse at my level of strength. He took me to the altar of chaos, placed me in th middle, and read a curse out of a book. I slowly developed the Zamorak curse on my arm." He pulled up his sleeve to reveal the curse mark. "My father wanted me to destroy Runescape, but I didn't know why. From that day, bad things started to happen to me. Not just me, but others as well. My closest friend died because of my loss of control of the power." Zezima started to cry. "I don't want anything bad to happen to anyone else, so I have a favor to ask of you." He handed the dragon two handed sword to Samus. " I want you to take this sword, and use every inch of its magic, combined with your magic, to do one last thing. Kill me..."

"Wha!?" Samus didn't want to do this to Zezima. He did kill, but he only killed the enemy. Zezima no longer was an enemy. "I don't want to. I hate killing anyone when I haven't a reason to do it... I-"

"Please," said Zezima. "I'll give you the reason right now. If I don't die, Zamorak will soon have taken me over. You have to do this. For the sake of Runescape, for the sake of friends, for the sake of me."

"I still don't understand," said Samus. "What do you mean, 'for the sake of you?'"

"If you kill me, I won't be cursed anymore," said Zezima. "I'll be like everyone else, free to do what they want. Even if I die, I'm sure Saradomin has a place for me..."

Samus fnally understood. "I see," He lifted the blade, put every inch of his power with the blades, and stabbed the ground. A huge explosion rocked the entire place. And Zezima was smack beside it. He was dead, but something strange happened to Samus. He was still alive.

"I don't understand," said Usman Ranger, seeing Samus alive, no longer in the Guthix power.

"Maybe you don't," said Samus, holding the broken-in-half dragon 2-handed sword in his hand, "but I do. A sacrifice like that for Zezima, only to save Runescape, has protected my body from possible death."

"Samus, You're still alive!" cried Gabby. She ran towards Samus, and hugged him hard.

"Of course," said Samus, "why wouldn't I be?"

"Lets head home," said Mario San.

"Ok," said Samus. "Hey, where's Riku?"

"Right here," said Riku, up, but staggering. "Let's get out of here, I need to rest."

The Next Day, at the Lumbridge Cemetary...

It was a dark day, that day, as most funerals go. Many people gathered for Usman Mirza's and Zezima's funeral. Samus, Riku, Mario San, Gabby, and Usman Ranger were there. Usman Mirza's coffin came up first. The people carefully placed his coffin in his grave. As they dug it up, Samus looked at Usman Mirza's grave it read:

Usman Mirza
B.C. 746- B.C. 764

Usman Mirza, the great warrior of Runescape, died due to the cause of sacrifice. He save many people doing this, and will be remembered forever...

Next was Zezima. His grave read:

Zezima
B.C. 745- B.C. 747

Zezima, the most powerful warrior
in Runescape, selflessly sacrificed
himself for the protection of Runescape.
He will never be forgotten for the sacrifice
he made for all of us...

"Let's go," said Samus. "I don't want to stay here any longer..."

The next day, on a long road...

"I never thought I would see the day," said Samus. "Best of friends, parting their ways for great journeys that lie ahead of them. Only two want to stay, Gabby and Usman Ranger."

"I'm sorry, Samus," said Riku. "I've got much training ahead of me at the void knight outpost, and I promised the master void knight I'd come."

"I'm trying to become the best merchant in Runescape," said Mario San. "If I ever want to make my dream of becoming a better merchant than any Fremminik come true, I must follow it."

"I know," said Samus. "I just wish it never had to happen."

"Don't worry," said Mario San. "We'll meet again, I just know it." She headed down the road back to Varrock to begin.

"Yeah," said Riku, "me too. Well, goodbye!" he walked down his road to Port Sarim.

"So," said Usman Ranger, "what are we going to do now?"

"We're going to create a clan," said Samus. "The PKKers. We'll save those in need, and defeat the PKers in the wilderness."

"We're not making any progress just sitting here," said Usman Ranger. "Come on, let's prepare."

A new journey soon awaits Samus and his friends...

The End

I didn't write this story because I was bored. (Okay, maybe a little...) I wrote this story for CoStantleyQueen5. I am terribly sorry about your goldfish... I promise to make more stories as soon as I can. I'll probably do them more often, too. I got a better computer now. Anyway, I hope you enjoy this story, CoStantleyQueen5.