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TIMECODE DIALOGUE

START MEASURING 00.00.00 AT FIRST FRAME PICTURE

00.14.28 DANIEL (OS)-"Beware the destroyers." That's what the message said.

00.19.00 DANIEL (CONT)-These are the coordinates the Goa'uld will launch their attack from. It was a warning.

00.23.24 TEAL'C-Or so your vision foretells.

00.25.09 DANIEL-No. It wasn't a vision or a dream or a hallucination. It was... real.

00.30.20 DANIEL (OS CONT)-Now, I know this is hard for you guys to believe, but I swear to you, the entire time you thought I had disappeared on P3R-233...

00.37.25 DANIEL (CONT)-I was experiencing an alternate reality.

00.41.11 O'NEILL-And you were there and you were there, and there's no place like home.

00.45.06 DANIEL-As a matter of fact, you were there...

00.47.11 CARTER-Daniel, it's not that we don't believe you...

00.49.17 DANIEL-So you do?

00.50.13 O'NEILL-No. It's just that... we don't believe you.

00.54.20 DANIEL-Jack, this is very important.

00.56.08 CARTER (OS)-All right.

00.57.04 CARTER (CONT)-Daniel, when you were in this alternate reality, were there differences?

01.00.17 DANIEL (OS)-Yes.

01.01.09 DANIEL (CONT)-Uh, Teal'c was leading the attack on Earth; I wasn't even part of the program; You and Jack were engaged to be married...

01.08.11 O'NEILL-Excuse me?

01.09.05 CARTER-What? (beat) Okay. Uh... Even if you did actually...

01.16.02 CARTER (OS CONT)-experience this alternate reality,...

01.18.16 CARTER (CONT)-doesn't the very fact that there were differences mean that we won't face the same fate?

01.22.12 DANIEL-Yes. But the defining event -- the death of Ra -- took place in both worlds.

01.28.13 TEAL'C-An attack of retribution.

01.29.23 DANIEL-Yes!

01.31.12 DANIEL (OS CONT)-And the same thing is gonna happen...

01.32.11 DANIEL (CONT)-here unless we stop it.

01.34.10 O'NEILL-All right. Wait a minute. Lemme, lemme get something straight here. Engaged...?

01.41.08 CARTER-It is theoretically possible.

01.43.13 O'NEILL-It's against regulations.

01.44.28 CARTER-I'm talking physics, sir... The, the whole concept of alternate...

01.48.09 CARTER (OS CONT)-realities -- entire alternate universes -- was predicted by Einstein a long time ago.

01.53.08 GENERAL HAMMOND (overlapping)-I thought you might all be here. How's our boy?

01.56.08 CARTER-I think he's gonna be just fine, General.

01.58.18 CARTER (OS CONT)-Major Samuels...

02.00.06 SAMUELS-That's, uh, Lieutenant Colonel Samuels now, Captain.

02.03.28 CARTER-I beg your pardon, sir. Congratulations.

02.06.06 SAMUELS-Thank you.

02.07.05 O'NEILL (OS)-You'll always be...

02.07.15 O'NEILL (CONT)-Sparky to me.

02.09.21 CARTER (OS)-I thought you'd been transferred to the
Pentagon, sir.

02.12.03 SAMUELS-I was. Stargate mission analysis. I'm here
today, of course, for the hearing.

02.17.22 O'NEILL-Hearing?

02.20.10 SAMUELS-Senator Kinsey? The Stargate...

02.22.03 SAMUELS (OS CONT)-program? I thought you were gonna
testify.

02.26.00 GENERAL HAMMOND-They will. SG-1 just returned from a
mission...

02.29.13 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-last night. I haven't had the
chance to inform them.

02.32.21 SAMUELS-Well, perhaps I shouldn't say too much more.

02.36.05 O'NEILL-Oh, cut the crap, Samuels. What's going on?

02.40.14 SAMUELS-Senator Kinsey has taken a great deal of interest in the program. Thus far, he hasn't liked what he's seen.

02.48.08 O'NEILL-I'm sorry to hear that.

02.50.12 SAMUELS-As you should be, Colonel. It could mean the end of the Stargate.

02.55.24 SAMUELS (OS CONT)-The hearing is at 1400 hours.

02.59.08 SAMUELS (CONT)-I look forward to seeing you...

03.00.06 SAMUELS (OS CONT)-all there.

03.07.19 FADE TO TITLES.

04.13.12 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS INTO PHONE)-Yes sir, I understand. We'll fight the good fight.

04.20.04 O'NEILL-General, politics isn't my strong suit, but doesn't President outrank Senator?

04.26.09 GENERAL HAMMOND-Senator Kinsey is chairman of the appropriations committee.

04.29.28 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-He's demanded to know what's...

04.30.24 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-behind the line item the Pentagon refers to as Area 52.

- 04.36.00 O'NEILL-That would be the Stargate...
- 04.38.22 GENERAL HAMMOND-An unofficial project that just happens to cost seven point four billion dollars a year to operate.
- 04.45.20 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-The President and the Joint...
- 04.46.18 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-Chiefs thought if they granted the Senator the appropriate clearances -- let him in on the existence of the SGC -- he'd recognize its importance to national security and authorize the expenditure.
- 04.58.02 O'NEILL-I take it he didn't.
- 05.00.11 GENERAL HAMMOND-The idea backfired.
- 05.02.11 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-After reading your mission reports, and being...
- 05.03.27 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-fully briefed by Colonel Samuels, the Senator decided the SGC will receive no further funding from the treasury.
- 05.10.19 O'NEILL-That effectively shuts us down, sir.
- 05.13.01 GENERAL HAMMOND-Very effectively. It costs nearly a billion dollars just to turn the lights on around here.

05.19.21 O'NEILL-How about a bake sale? (beat) Yard sale?
Garage...?

05.26.03 GENERAL HAMMOND-This is what I look like when I'm not
laughing, Colonel.

05.31.02 O'NEILL-Car wash? (beat) I'm sorry, sir. It's just, I,
I don't get it. How does one man get that much
power?

05.39.20 GENERAL HAMMOND-The constitution of these United States.
The issue of our worth could be debated openly in
the Senate, but not without making the Stargate
known to the general public...

05.50.25 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-The President doesn't believe
the time for that has come.

05.53.24 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-I agree with him.

06.06.01 O'NEILL-Well, he's late.

06.09.20 TEAL'C (OS)-You seem more apprehensive...

06.10.11 TEAL'C (CONT)-of this hearing than you are of battle.

06.13.05 O'NEILL-I prefer battle, actually.

06.15.15 DANIEL-I'm sure once we tell him that Earth's future may
be at stake --

06.18.03 O'NEILL-Daniel... Let's just keep the alternate reality
story as our little ace in the hole, shall we?

06.29.20 DANIEL-Why?

06.35.13 O'NEILL-Just because.

06.37.01 KINSEY-Ladies and gentlemen, I apologize. A certain
congressman who will go nameless just does not know
how to take "no" for an answer. Ah. So this is the
infamous SG-1...

06.51.10 O'NEILL-Infamous. Yes, sir. Colonel Jack O'Neill.

06.56.16 KINSEY-Ah. Colonel. I've heard a lot about you.

06.59.24 O'NEILL-Don't believe a word of it, Senator. I'm
actually a nice guy.

07.07.14 KINSEY-And this must be the drain...

07.07.29 KINSEY (OS CONT)-through which the money flows.

07.12.15 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS)-I know you have a...

07.13.02 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-very busy schedule, Senator.

07.15.24 KINSEY-Yes, of course, General Hammond. Please, be seated.

07.28.02 KINSEY (OS CONT)-Let me see:

07.29.19 KINSEY (CONT)-Colonel O'Neill... (beat) Captain Carter... (beat) Dr. Jackson... (beat) Teal'c...

07.39.10 KINSEY (OS CONT)-With an apostrophe, I understand. Let me just say that though...

07.43.13 KINSEY (CONT)-illness robbed me of the chance ever to serve in this country's military, I have the greatest respect...

07.47.19 KINSEY (OS CONT)-for those who do.

07.49.18 KINSEY (CONT)-Especially those who have made service of country their life's work, as I have, in my own way.

07.58.14 KINSEY (OS CONT)-There is no more...

07.59.18 KINSEY (CONT)-honorable vocation.

08.01.20 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS)-Thank you, Senator.

08.02.22 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-I couldn't agree more.

08.03.26 KINSEY (OS)-Having said that,...

08.04.25 KINSEY (CONT)-I want to make one thing abundantly clear. I am by nature suspicious of...

08.08.11 KINSEY (OS CONT)-all things secretive -- be they in the government or inside the military service.

08.15.02 KINSEY (CONT)-I believe that that which grows in shadow
but withers in the light of day, does not belong on
the vine.

08.23.12 KINSEY (OS CONT)-I've read several reports of your...

08.24.25 KINSEY (CONT)-excursions. Colonel Samuels...

08.28.06 KINSEY (OS CONT)-has been kind enough to brief me on the
Stargate. And I have tried to maintain an open
mind.

08.35.00 KINSEY (CONT)-I must admit that I find the very idea of
this facility -- of this command -- offensive.

08.44.00 KINSEY (OS CONT)-It is far too dangerous to be this
secretive. I have found several examples where you
have averted tragedy on a global scale...

08.51.24 KINSEY (CONT)-by the skin of your teeth, and virtually
none...

08.53.29 KINSEY (OS CONT)-where you have brought back anything of
worth.

09.03.07 KINSEY (CONT)-However... Since I have, on occasion been
wrong before... The President of the United States
has asked me to hear you out. So here I am.

09.21.18 O'NEILL-Well, as long as you've got an open mind.

09.28.03 GENERAL HAMMOND-Colonel...

09.29.20 O'NEILL-For crying out loud, Samuels, what'd you tell
this man?

09.32.28 SAMUELS-The truth.

09.34.18 KINSEY-Colonel Samuels was entirely non-partisan.

09.37.04 O'NEILL-Okay. Now that's impossible. He's been against
this program from day one.

09.41.28 SAMUELS-If anything, I voiced my awe and amazement at
what the Stargate is.

09.47.04 SAMUELS (OS CONT)-A technological marvel.

09.49.08 CARTER-It is so much more than that, Senator. The
Stargate represents a giant step in our
understanding of the universe.

09.56.28 CARTER (OS CONT)-We have learned more about astrophysics
in these...

09.59.01 CARTER (CONT)-few months than in the last fifty years!

10.02.15 DANIEL (OS)-It also gives us insights into human cultures
that...

10.04.18 DANIEL (CONT)-are thousands of years old.

- 10.06.28 KINSEY-Dr. Jackson... I'm sure as a scholar of ancient mythology, you are familiar with the story of Pandora.
- 10.14.03 DANIEL-From Greek mythology, of course. (beat) The first woman ever created by Zeus, who, according to legend, gave her a box and warned her never to...
- 10.22.07 DANIEL (OS CONT)-open it.
- 10.22.26 KINSEY (overlapping)-But she did. Out of curiosity. Despite the warning of her god, who was also her father... she did. And from it sprung all the plagues, pestilence and evil that exist now in this world.
- 10.36.05 DANIEL-And keeping in mind that we are talking about a "myth"... She closed it in time to keep "Hope" inside.
- 10.42.02 KINSEY-Then should we not close your gate for the same reason... to keep "Hope" inside?
- 10.47.22 O'NEILL (OS)-Senator...
- 10.48.13 O'NEILL (CONT)-If, if I may jump in here... I'm not as slick as you guys talking in metaphors here...
- 10.56.16 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-I'm a military man.

10.59.02 O'NEILL (CONT)-I prefer facts. And the fact is, the gate
-- i.e., "the box" -- is already open.

11.08.11 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-Now, what's done is done.

11.10.07 O'NEILL (CONT)-We made ourselves an enemy by killing Ra.
But the threat the Gao'ulds now...

11.14.20 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-represent --

11.15.24 KINSEY-Threat?

11.16.22 O'NEILL-Yes, sir. As in... threatening.

11.20.07 KINSEY-The word "threat", Colonel O'Neill, has been used
far too often by this country's military...

11.24.29 KINSEY (OS CONT)-as a justification for...

11.27.02 KINSEY (CONT)-expenditures that we can no longer afford.
Do you know how much this program costs?

11.36.09 O'NEILL-Seven..ish.

11.37.24 KINSEY-Seven billion, four hundred and seven million
dollars.

11.41.26 O'NEILL-Give or take.

11.43.05 KINSEY-Per year.

- 11.44.23 O'NEILL-With all due respect, Senator, the accounting department is up on level three, I believe...
- 11.50.04 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-But if you want to talk about maintaining...
- 11.51.08 O'NEILL (CONT)-the first line of defense against what I believe is...
- 11.54.23 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-the greatest enemy humanity has ever faced...
- 11.57.25 KINSEY-Hyperbole...
- 11.59.04 O'NEILL-See for yourself! General, I suggest we dial up old P4A 771, I believe it was. See how long the good Senator lasts in that world.
- 12.09.28 KINSEY-I have spent a career listening to doomsayers in uniform. Let us build our billion dollar machine and we will save America from the barbarians at the gate! Let me remind you that the cold war is over.
- 12.22.11 O'NEILL-And let me tell you something. This time there really are barbarians. They're called Goa'ulds.
- 12.28.05 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-And they really are at the gate.
- 12.30.07 O'NEILL (CONT)-That one!
- 12.31.04 KINSEY-Then I suggest we close it.

- 12.33.18 DANIEL (OS)-Senator, we have reason to believe that the Goa'uld are...
- 12.35.02 DANIEL (CONT)-about to launch an attack in force in ships.
- 12.40.24 KINSEY-Then I think they'll regret taking on the United States military.
- 12.45.13 O'NEILL-Oh, for God's sake...
- 12.47.00 DANIEL (OS)-Oh, you're right.
- 12.47.18 DANIEL (CONT)-We'll, we'll just upload a computer virus into the mother ship.
- 12.51.10 CARTER (OS)-If they come in ships,...
- 12.52.06 CARTER (CONT)-Senator, we won't be any match for them.
- 12.54.19 CARTER (OS CONT)-At their level of technology, they can wipe us out from orbit.
- 12.57.22 KINSEY-I'm not convinced of that.
- 12.59.20 TEAL'C-They speak the truth.
- 13.01.03 KINSEY-I'm not entirely convinced of that, either.
- 13.03.11 O'NEILL (OS)-General,...

13.03.16 O'NEILL (CONT)-what the hell are we doing here? This man
has made up his mind already.

13.06.14 KINSEY-Sit down, Colonel.

13.08.04 KINSEY (OS CONT)-When I've made up my mind,...

13.09.08 KINSEY (CONT)-you will know it! (beat) I will ask you
once more. Sit down. Please.

13.23.00 GENERAL HAMMOND-Colonel...

13.32.02 KINSEY-I gave the President my word that I would give you
a fair hearing, and I intend to do that.

13.37.15 KINSEY (OS CONT)-He held you and...

13.38.10 KINSEY (CONT)-your team up as a shining example of the
fine work the SGC is doing. Now... Do you stand by
SG-1's record?

13.51.06 O'NEILL-Yes, I do.

13.54.27 KINSEY-Then let's just go through it, shall we?

14.05.15 KINSEY (OS)-Thank you. On February tenth of this year,
you along with a team led by Major Charles Kawalsky
went through the Stargate on a reconnaissance mission

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14.20.01 O'NEILL-Excuse me, Senator... (beat) Samuels, could I
get a copy of that?

14.26.19 KINSEY-Y-you wrote this report, Colonel.

14.29.18 O'NEILL-Just one little reference.

14.33.00 KINSEY-Samuels...

14.36.19 KINSEY (OS CONT)-To repeat: On the tenth of February of
this year, you along with a team led by Major
Charles Kawalsky went through the Stargate on a
reconnaissance mission to rescue both Dr. Jackson's
wife and her brother...

14.48.28 KINSEY (CONT)-and to determine the Goa'uld threat.

14.52.10 O'NEILL-Excuse me. Senator, I sorry. There...

14.54.02 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-should be an apostrophe after the "A",
before the...

14.57.10 O'NEILL (CONT)-"U". It's pronounced...

14.59.24 CARTER-Goa'uld.

15.01.18 KINSEY (OS)-I assume --

15.02.00 KINSEY (CONT)-since shortly after arriving, you were
captured and imprisoned -- that you would
characterize this world as an enemy stronghold.

15.10.08 O'NEILL-I would.

15.14.07 SAMUELS-I read from the personal report of Colonel Jack O'Neill, dated the 23rd of February. (reads)
"Skaara was chosen. I tried to stop them from taking him away, but was struck by an Alien staff weapon. In that moment, Apophis gave the order..."

15.31.03 APOPHIS-Kill the rest.

16.11.28 O'NEILL-I can save...

16.12.22 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-these people!

16.16.14 O'NEILL (CONT)-Help me! (beat) Help me.

16.23.11 TEAL'C-Many have said that. (beat) But you are the first I believe...

16.30.06 TEAL'C (OS CONT)-could do it!

16.53.18 O'NEILL-Get out of the way!

17.08.16 O'NEILL-C'mon, let's move!

17.09.19 CARTER-Come on, come on!

17.12.21 CARTER (OS CONT)-Move! Go! Come on! Come on!

17.15.06 CARTER (CONT)-Go! There you go! Go! Go, go! Come on!

- 17.37.22 KINSEY (OS)-So, even with your team unarmed, at the enemy's mercy, in the palm of their hand, as it were,...
- 17.45.19 KINSEY (CONT)-one of their own was able to set you free.
- 17.49.06 CARTER-I-it wasn't that simple, Senator.
- 17.52.16 KINSEY-Read on, please.
- 17.54.08 SAMUELS (OS)-(reads) "We met heavy resistance..."
- 17.55.15 SAMUELS (CONT)-"...on our return to the Stargate, and became pinned down by enemy aircraft."
- 18.09.27 O'NEILL-Take cover!
- 18.50.08 CARTER-Colonel, we're sitting ducks here!
- 19.10.05 KINSEY-It seems to me that Major Kawalsky made light work of what you referred to in your report as a "Death Glider"...
- 19.17.14 O'NEILL-They were taken by surprise. I wouldn't expect it to be as easy next time.
- 19.23.03 KINSEY-Why not?

- 19.24.15 DANIEL (OS)-Well, for one thing, they weren't used to fighting humans...
- 19.26.17 DANIEL (CONT)-with our level of technology. Now they know what we have.
- 19.29.28 CARTER (OS)-I don't think you understand...
- 19.30.27 CARTER (CONT)-how much more powerful their weapons are.
- 19.34.00 KINSEY-Yet you managed to get away with minimal casualties. Hardly the greatest threat humanity has ever faced. (beat) What's happening?
- 19.50.19 GENERAL HAMMOND-It's just SG-2 returning on schedule, Senator.
- 19.53.26 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-There's nothing to worry about.
- 19.59.13 KINSEY-Oh, I disagree, General. I think it is something to worry about.
- 20.14.04 O'NEILL (VO)-Mr. Kinsey...
- 20.14.21 O'NEILL (CONT)-seems to be under the impression that the Goa'uld are not a military threat.
- 20.19.18 KINSEY-You seem to have defeated them handily at every turn.
- 20.23.22 O'NEILL (OS)-Did you read...

20.24.03 O'NEILL (CONT)-all the reports, sir? (beat) They
actually killed us once.

20.34.00 APOPHIS-(DISTORTED)(something in his language)

21.15.07 APOPHIS-(DISTORTED)(something in his language)

21.28.23 CARTER-COLONEL!!

21.44.26 CARTER-Senator, if Goa'uld technology can generate energy
shields around individuals, they can do the same
thing with whole armies.

21.51.21 DANIEL-And ships.

21.54.03 KINSEY-And have you ever seen one of these "ships"?

21.57.13 O'NEILL-Yes, sir.

22.27.08 TEAL'C (OS)-It is the ship of the Goa'uld Nerti.

22.29.21 TEAL'C (CONT)-An enemy of Apophis.

22.33.23 O'NEILL-Now, what the hell is that?

22.35.28 TEAL'C-We must go.

22.48.09 TEAL'C-We must get to the Stargate!

22.51.04 O'NEILL-No argument from me!

22.53.09 TEAL'C-This Goa'uld Nerti, he once sent an emissary of
 peace to negotiate a treaty concerning a Stargate
 Apophis had taken control of.

23.00.29 TEAL'C (OS CONT)-The negotiation...

23.01.14 TEAL'C (CONT)-was a ploy. The Stargate was destroyed.

23.21.05 O'NEILL-Take your time. No hurry...

23.36.00 KINSEY (OS)-You escaped, Colonel. On foot, I might add.

23.39.23 DANIEL-Just one of these Goa'uld ships was responsible
 for the deaths of SG-7 and the entire local
 population.

23.46.08 DANIEL (OS CONT)-And that's over one thousand people!

23.48.12 CARTER (OS)-The point is,...

23.49.10 CARTER (CONT)-sir... We have seen how the Goa'uld have
 destroyed entire civilizations.

23.59.07 CARTER-Hello?

24.05.13 CRYSTAL CARTER-(distorted) Hello.

- 24.11.23 CARTER-W-what are you?
- 24.13.08 CRYSTAL CARTER-(distorted) Energy. Unity. You would describe me thus.
- 24.17.23 CARTER-You asked for help...
- 24.19.12 CRYSTAL CARTER (OS)-(distorted) If I remain here,...
- 24.20.22 CRYSTAL CARTER (CONT)-(distorted) my energy will disintegrate. I must return.
- 24.24.08 DANIEL-Why did you not speak before?
- 24.26.16 CRYSTAL CARTER (OS)-(distorted) Fear.
- 24.27.20 O'NEILL-Fear of what?
- 24.29.00 CRYSTAL CARTER-(distorted) The Goa'Uld came to our planet long ago. We were not afraid then, and we tried to greet them. One of them touched us as you did, and was destroyed by our energy.
- 25.04.25 DANIEL-The Goa'Ulds must have come through the gate exploring.
- 25.07.00 CARTER-That's why it was afraid. We look just like them.

25.09.18 DANIEL-One of the Goa'Ulds was killed...?

25.11.06 CRYSTAL CARTER-(distorted) They gathered all the unity in one place and ended it.

25.15.11 CARTER (OS)-We confirmed...

25.15.22 CARTER (CONT)-Goa'Uld energy weapons did it.

25.17.15 DANIEL (OS)-Then that pit...

25.18.02 DANIEL (CONT)-wasn't a ceremonial place at all. It was some kind of... mass grave...

25.18.02 O'NEILL-I'd call that a threat.

25.29.14 KINSEY (OS)-Admittedly...

25.30.07 KINSEY (CONT)-these Goa'uld are a dangerous race --

25.33.20 TEAL'C-More dangerous than you could possibly know.

25.36.04 KINSEY-Well, if they're so strong, why did you switch sides, in the first place?

25.41.16 TEAL'C (OS)-Because what is...

25.41.23 TEAL'C (CONT)-right cannot be measured by strength. Your world values freedom.

25.47.17 TEAL'C (OS CONT)-I wish...

- 25.47.26 TEAL'C (CONT)-that very same freedom for my people.
- 25.49.26 KINSEY-I don't wanna appear callous, sir, but I believe
 that's your problem.
- 25.53.26 KINSEY (OS CONT)-Not ours.
- 25.58.21 TEAL'C-It will soon be yours as well, Senator Kinsey.
 For the Goa'uld are as powerful as they are evil.
 The Goa'uld have enslaved a galaxy of worlds --
- 26.08.25 KINSEY (overlapping)-I don't care about other worlds. I
 must place the citizens of this country first.
- 26.14.28 TEAL'C-Then you would be wise to heed our warning,
 Senator Kinsey. For when the Goa'uld finally do
 come in force -- and they will -- your citizens, as
 the strongest, most powerful country of this world,
 will be among the first to die.
- 26.46.01 SAMUELS-On your return from the Chulak mission, Major
 Kawalsky became infested with a Goa'uld parasite,
 correct?
- 26.53.05 O'NEILL-That's correct.
- 26.55.03 KINSEY-He very nearly destroyed this facility.

27.16.23 KAWALSKY (ALIEN VOICE)-Jaffa... kal sha!

27.20.09 TEAL'C-You cannot pass.

27.23.26 O'NEILL-What?

27.24.08 TECHNICIAN (OS)-He set the...

27.24.20 TECHNICIAN (CONT)-coordinates for Chulak!

27.34.19 SCREEN READS:
AUTODESTRUCT IN PROGRESS

27.34.28 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS)-He set the autodestruct sequence on
a failsafe device.

27.37.17 O'NEILL-How'd he have the code?

27.38.20 GENERAL HAMMOND-I don't know, but I need two ranking
officers to override, and you're it!

27.59.11 SCREEN READS:
DESTRUCT
ABORTED

27.59.11 O'NEILL (OS)-All right, that did it.

28.00.06 O'NEILL (CONT)-Open the blast doors!

28.07.03 O'NEILL (INTO MIC FILTERED)-Teal'c!

28.08.19 O'NEILL (OS CONT INTO MIC FILTERED)-Hold him there!

28.13.03 O'NEILL (CONT)-Shut it down! Now!

28.22.23 O'NEILL-We stopped him.

28.24.04 KINSEY (OS)-Yes, you did.

28.25.08 KINSEY (CONT)-On that occasion, with the loss of a fine
officer, you did. (beat) But consider the myriad
plagues you could bring back through the Stargate.

28.34.04 KINSEY (OS CONT)-Reason enough to shut it down forever.

28.37.11 KINSEY (CONT)-Colonel Samuels?

28.41.11 SAMUELS-I quote now from the official report of General
Hammond,...

28.44.25 SAMUELS (OS CONT)-dated March of this year,...

28.46.21 SAMUELS (CONT)-concerning a dangerous disease brought
back by SG-1 from another world:

- 28.51.17 GENERAL HAMMOND (INTO PHONE)-Sir, I'm afraid I have a serious situation here. It appears we've brought a very contagious disease through the Stargate. Yes, sir, that's right. Well, sir, I've ordered the mountain sealed off, but I think you should order in an armored division to set up a second line of defense. Well, sir, my recommendation is that anyone attempting to leave the mountain should be shot on sight, and their body burned.
- 29.28.25 DOCTOR FRASER (OS)-Sorry, Colonel O'Neill, but your private room just became semi-private. We're running out of places to put all the victims. We've used...
- 29.36.18 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-the brigs, we've used the temp quarters, some of the storage rooms...
- 29.42.18 O'NEILL-Good luck, Doc...
- 29.45.28 DOCTOR FRASER-Did you say something?
- 29.48.14 O'NEILL-(garbled) Give more...
- 29.50.23 DOCTOR FRASER (OS)-What? Give...
- 29.51.25 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-more what?

29.54.20 O'NEILL-(grunts)

29.59.20 DOCTOR FRASER-An injection? You, you mean, you want more
sedative? You've already had more than the maximum
safe dosage. Twice as much as anyone else, because
you've been more violent.

30.08.20 O'NEILL-Give...

30.09.18 DOCTOR FRASER-No.

30.10.18 DOCTOR FRASER (OS CONT)-It's not safe.

30.12.05 O'NEILL-GIVE!! Give...

30.17.11 DOCTOR FRASER-Why are you so insistent?

30.52.07 DOCTOR FRASER-Must have been in a lot of pain.

30.59.25 O'NEILL-Doc!!

31.03.16 DOCTOR FRASER-Colonel O'Neill?

31.06.12 O'NEILL-It's... (beat) me...

31.16.13 DOCTOR FRASER-So you are still in there somewhere?

31.19.21 O'NEILL-A dream... A dream... A dream...

31.25.26 DOCTOR FRASER-I'm afraid not, Colonel. It's very real.

31.30.22 DOCTOR FRASER (OS CONT)-This is interesting -- enough
sedative must knock back the primitive mind.

31.35.01 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-Colonel, listen to me. I am not
going to be able to keep you at this level very
long. It is too dangerous. It could cause
permanent brain damage.

31.42.07 O'NEILL-What... What is it...?

31.48.09 DOCTOR FRASER (OS)-It's a parasitic virus.

31.49.27 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-All we can tell is that it seems to
mess with body chemicals. All of them.

31.53.20 DOCTOR FRASER (OS CONT)-Testosterone levels skyrocket --
thus the aggressive behavior. It's a
histaminolytic,...

31.57.22 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-which means it breaks down
histamine. It's --

31.59.00 O'NEILL (OS) (overlapping)-'speriment...

32.01.00 O'NEILL (CONT)-'speriment on me...

32.04.26 DOCTOR FRASER (OS)-Experiment on you?

32.07.07 DOCTOR FRASER (CONT)-No, sir, I can't do that.

32.11.08 O'NEILL- (unintelligible)

32.19.17 O'NEILL-We saved an entire race of people. I'd call that
a success, sir.

32.24.01 KINSEY-But if you hadn't been able to find a cure so
readily... If it had reached the general
population...

32.30.00 KINSEY (OS CONT)-If the effects weren't reversible...
(beat) Colonel O'Neill... You very nearly died on
yet another occasion when infected by uh, uh...

32.42.07 SAMUELS-Nanocytes, sir.

DANIEL-Jack! Carter's coming back! (beat) Jack...

32.47.16

33.18.17 O'NEILL-Welcome back, Captain.

33.21.23 O'NEILL (OS CONT)-So what did you find out?

33.25.07 O'NEILL (CONT)-Come on, now. Don't keep the elderly
waiting. It's rude.

33.28.10 CARTER-Um... It isn't a virus.

33.35.12 O'NEILL-All right. What is it?

33.36.28 CARTER-Well, Doctor Frasier and I came up empty. She's still working on it. But it's gonna take time.

33.41.27 DANIEL (OS)-Time is...

33.42.10 DANIEL (CONT)-something these people don't have, Captain.

33.46.18 O'NEILL-Nor do I.

33.48.06 CARTER (OS)-Colonel, there's something else.

33.50.00 CARTER (CONT)-Your blood sample showed way more organisms, compared to the Argosians.

33.54.11 O'NEILL-How many more?

33.55.11 CARTER (OS)-Maybe on the level of a hundred times more.

33.57.27 CARTER (CONT)-And they are multiplying.

33.59.26 O'NEILL-Cut to it, Captain.

34.04.04 CARTER-At the rate you're changing, by the end of two weeks you'll be the equivalent of one hundred years old.

34.12.16 CARTER (OS)-We've given the nanocyte some live tissue to interact with, but they...

- 34.15.16 CARTER (CONT)-aren't touching it. The only thing they appear to do is make more of themselves. So how are they causing the aging on Argos?
- 34.22.26 DOCTOR FRASIER-Well, maybe there's something on Argos that they need to make them do another task. Something in the air, or, uh, with the food...
- 34.39.02 TEAL'C (filtered)-Is there a problem, Captain Carter?
- 34.40.08 CARTER-I-I don't know!
- 34.41.13 DOCTOR FRASIER (OS)-Well, it's eating...
- 34.41.27 DOCTOR FRASIER (CONT)-through the rubber!
- 34.45.28 CARTER-Oh, God...
- 34.47.18 DOCTOR FRASIER (OS)-What? What is it?
- 34.49.23 CARTER-They're trying to spread.
- 34.57.06 CARTER (OS ON TV FILTERED)-We're working with computer simulations and practical simulations. Realistically, sir... I'm afraid it might take years.

- 35.06.01 DANIEL (OS ON TV FILTERED)-The General says that gate travel to Argos is strictly off limits for the next few, uh, millenia. But we can send objects through, so if you need anything, just call.
- 35.20.28 DANIEL (CONT ON TV FILTERED)-Say something.
- 35.23.23 TEAL'C (ON TV FILTERED)-Colonel... I've learned very much from you. Thank you.
- 35.30.11 CARTER-You know, goodbyes really suck.
- 35.43.06 KINSEY (OS)-As I understand it,...
- 35.44.19 KINSEY (CONT)-you almost lost containment, Captain Carter.
- 35.48.19 CARTER-Yes. They tried to mutate in the lab. But after the incident,...
- 35.52.28 CARTER (OS CONT)-the General ordered all samples of the nanocyte destroyed.
- 35.56.00 KINSEY-And what about next time?
- 35.57.11 CARTER-Well, there won't be a next time. The nanocytes, the transmitter, everything that...
- 36.01.21 CARTER (OS CONT)-tampered with the population of that world has been destroyed.

36.04.17 DANIEL (OS)-In fact, SG-2 just...

36.05.14 DANIEL (CONT)-made contact with Kynthia's planet just a few weeks ago. They're living long, productive lives because of us! Now, I am very proud of what we did there.

36.14.17 O'NEILL-I might even retire there.

36.18.00 KINSEY-You have no fear of it, do you, Colonel? It's like a game to you.

36.21.25 O'NEILL-No, sir. Anything as powerful as the Stargate deserves respect. We know how dangerous it is to do what we do. We also know how important it is.

36.33.01 KINSEY-Colonel O'Neill... You're like reckless...

36.35.21 KINSEY (OS CONT)-children, and you're playing with fire.

36.38.02 O'NEILL-If you shut down this program now, when it's needed most --

36.41.18 KINSEY-For what?

36.42.15 CARTER-To gather technology, weapons...

36.44.22 KINSEY-Not at this price, or this level of competence.

36.48.25 GENERAL HAMMOND-My people are the best out...

36.51.04 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-there, Senator.

36.51.26 KINSEY-I'm sorry, General, but your best is not good
enough.

36.57.04 KINSEY (OS CONT)-I do not approve of nor support this
endeavor.

37.00.21 KINSEY (CONT)-And I have heard nothing here today that
would change my mind. (beat) I intend to shut the
Stargate down.

37.20.04 DANIEL-Senator, please. Listen to me...

37.21.16 SAMUELS-I think he's made up his mind, Dr. Jackson.

37.23.12 DANIEL-You want your one reason, I'll give it to you.
What if I told you I knew that they were coming. In
ships. What if I said that a ship larger than the
great pyramids was gonna land right of this
mountain...

37.31.18 DANIEL (OS CONT)-in a matter of weeks, maybe days?

37.33.18 KINSEY (OS)-Then I would be curious to know why...

37.34.27 KINSEY (CONT)-you waited until this moment before saying
so.

37.39.00 DANIEL-Because I didn't think anyone would believe me.

37.41.19 DANIEL (OS CONT)-And if I didn't live through it
myself,...

37.42.19 DANIEL (CONT)-I'm not sure I would. But it is a fact.

37.44.16 DANIEL (OS CONT)-And if you shut this program down,...

37.46.03 DANIEL (CONT)-you'll have robbed us of our one chance to
stop them before...

37.48.01 DANIEL (OS CONT)-they get here.

37.49.09 KINSEY-Wh-where did you learn this... information?

37.51.28 DANIEL (OS)-On our last mission.

37.53.20 DANIEL (CONT)-We came across a civilization with a level
of technology similar to our own. They had been
wiped out.

37.58.08 DANIEL (OS CONT)-They left behind a warning.

38.00.03 DANIEL (CONT)-"Beware the destroyers."

38.01.23 DANIEL (OS CONT)-Now, along with that warning came...

38.03.12 DANIEL (CONT)-a set of numbers... Coordinates that
indicate where the final Goa'uld attack will be...

38.07.26 DANIEL (OS CONT)-launched from.

38.09.08 KINSEY-A-and did all of you witness...

38.11.14 KINSEY (OS CONT)-this warning?

38.12.08 DANIEL (OS)-No, sir, they didn't. Just me.

38.15.27 CARTER (OS)-Sir... (beat) We think Daniel may have experienced...

38.22.11 CARTER (CONT)-an interdimensional transfer to an alternate reality.

38.27.15 KINSEY-I beg your pardon...?

38.28.25 DANIEL (OS)-The moment I...

38.29.03 DANIEL (CONT)-touched an alien artifact on 233...

38.31.12 DANIEL (OS CONT)-when I was separated from the rest of the team, I...

38.33.07 DANIEL (CONT)-was actually transported to an alternate reality...

38.35.11 DANIEL (OS CONT)-where Earth was already under Goa'uld attack.

38.38.06 DANIEL (CONT)-I got this when I was there.

38.41.25 KINSEY-My heaven. I've heard enough of this...

38.45.00 DANIEL-Senator, the Goa'uld were bombarding our cities from space. We were defenseless against their weapons.

38.49.16 KINSEY-Dr. Jackson, I do not suffer fools gladly!

38.52.16 DANIEL-Nor do I, Senator, and...

- 38.53.09 DANIEL (OS CONT)-I am telling you, when we killed Ra two years ago, we...
- 38.55.26 DANIEL (CONT)-set into motion a chain of events that will eventually lead to an all-out attack on Earth by the Goa'ulds!
- 39.01.19 KINSEY-If this is so, why have they waited?
- 39.03.27 TEAL'C-It would take time for Apophis to assemble the necessary forces.
- 39.06.20 DANIEL-Right. Their society is feudal. It would take time to build an army.
- 39.11.03 DANIEL (OS CONT)-Look, all I know...
- 39.11.17 DANIEL (CONT)-is the location they are going to launch the final...
- 39.13.22 DANIEL (OS CONT)-attack from. If you don't...
- 39.15.22 DANIEL (CONT)-believe me, just let us dial in the coordinates, and let us go there and find out!
- 39.19.24 KINSEY-How many ships, Dr. Jackson?
- 39.21.13 KINSEY (OS CONT)-Has anyone detected their approach?
- 39.23.23 DANIEL-I, I can't be sure of the exact details. I mean, there were,...

- 39.25.13 DANIEL (OS CONT)-there were differences between that reality and, and this one.
- 39.28.11 KINSEY-Oh, of course there were.
- 39.29.10 DANIEL-I am not crazy.
- 39.30.25 KINSEY-Nor am I, Dr. Jackson. Neither am I unused to eleventh hour pleas, though never have I heard...
- 39.36.09 KINSEY (OS CONT)-one so desperate as this.
- 39.38.21 DANIEL-Senator, they are coming.
- 39.40.07 KINSEY-Then I say, let them come!
- 39.43.11 O'NEILL-Where do you get this bureaucratic bull? You're talking suicide!
- 39.49.01 KINSEY-Colonel O'Neill, you underestimate this great nation.
- 39.53.00 TEAL'C (OS)-It is you who underestimates...
- 39.53.16 TEAL'C (CONT)-the enemy. We have challenged Apophis. He will not rest until the people of this world worship him as their god.
- 40.00.15 KINSEY-There is only one God, sir!

40.04.03 KINSEY (OS CONT)-And I do not believe for one moment...

40.05.26 KINSEY (CONT)-that He would allow what you're trying to
tell me to come to pass! We are, after all, one
nation under God.

40.13.14 O'NEILL (OS)-And you think...

40.14.29 O'NEILL (CONT)-God is gonna save us?

40.20.08 TEAL'C (OS)-The Goa'ulds believe they are gods.

40.22.07 TEAL'C (CONT)-And your beliefs will not dissuade them.

40.24.19 KINSEY-If the Goa'uld do come, then we will be able to
tell them that we have buried our gate in the ground
forever, and will never step through it again.

40.32.06 KINSEY (OS CONT)-If they challenge us, we shall prevail.

40.35.00 DANIEL-You're a fool.

40.36.03 KINSEY-And if they do not come, which I think is
infinitely more likely, then at least Pandora's Box
will have finally been closed. Once and for all.
Now, if...

40.48.26 KINSEY (OS CONT)-you will excuse me, I have...

40.50.17 KINSEY (CONT)-business to attend to.

- 40.59.14 SAMUELS-For what it's worth, I'm sorry it had to end like this.
- 41.04.11 GENERAL HAMMOND-Get out of here!
- 41.13.10 TEAL'C (OS)-General Hammond,...
- 41.15.18 TEAL'C (CONT)-I would like permission to return to the Stargate before it's permanently sealed. If this world does not intend to continue its struggle against the Goa'uld, then here I do not belong.
- 41.33.22 O'NEILL-I think I'm going with him.
- 41.36.20 GENERAL HAMMOND-I can't allow that, Colonel. I'm sorry, but you know that. The President has made it perfectly clear that if we were unable to convince the Senator, we would cease operations effective immediately.
- 41.48.26 CARTER-Sir, there are still two SG teams off world.
- 41.51.15 GENERAL HAMMOND-We'll keep the light on 'til they return, but that's all I'm authorized to do.
- 41.56.27 O'NEILL-So... what? That's it?

42.02.08 GENERAL HAMMOND-That's it, Colonel.

42.03.19 CARTER-It can't be.

42.04.21 O'NEILL-With all due respect, sir --

42.05.17 DANIEL (overlapping)-Sir, with all due respect, the good
Senator is an ass --

42.08.06 GENERAL HAMMOND (overlapping)-He is an elected official
of the government we are sworn to serve.

42.12.06 GENERAL HAMMOND (OS CONT)-And whether we agree or
disagree, he's made his decision. Our Commander-in-
Chief has given us our orders accordingly. I expect
you all to carry them out.

42.30.03 GENERAL HAMMOND (CONT)-Dismissed.

43.01.27 FADE TO END CREDITS.