

STAR  
**BLASTED  
BEHAVIOR**  
WARS

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FADE IN:

Space. An endless field of stars fills the frame.  
The infamous yellow words drifting through space.  
Star Wars - Blasted Behavior

*Peace! How Surprising! Nobody can handle it...*

The camera pulls out to reveal:

INT. ANGER MANAGEMENT GROUP THERAPY ROOM -- DAY

The grand Star Wars theme dissolves into Muzak.

O.S. we here the gravelly voice of YODA speaking.

YODA (O.S.)

Anger and hatred, one are they. Hmph!  
Path to dark side these are. Better  
to rule anger then it to rule you.  
To prevent it, is better yet. Yes.

During Yoda's speech, DARTH VADER, PRINCESS LEIA, LUKE SKYWALKER, HAN SOLO, and CHEWBACCA eye the holo-projected image of Yoda with either distain, boredom or mock-interest...except Luke who is genuinely interested.

YODA (CONT'D)

Question from anyone is there? Hmmm?  
Very well. Turn over session to *Dr. Aldrich*, will I. May the Force be...

ALDRICH

(interrupting with a  
remote control)  
Thank you...Let's give a big round  
of applause to Master Yoda for his  
inspirational speech.

Everyone politely applauds... Luke is a little too enthusiastic.

ALDRICH (CONT'D)

Wasn't that just... inspirational?

VADER

To think I was afraid of him when I  
was a boy. The little toad.

LUKE

What?

VADER

Nothing.

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ALDRICH

All right, Let's go around the room  
and introduce ourselves...

HAN

Aw, c'mon! We all know who we are.

ALDRICH

Play along with the group Mr. Solo.  
And let's tell everyone a little  
something about why we're here.

(reading)

Chewbacca? Is that a first name or a  
last name?

CHEWIE

(Menacing)

ROAR!

ALDRICH

All right, I'll sum it up for you.  
Mr. Vader Superiority complex,  
dictator. Mr. Chewbacca rips the  
arms off opponents if he's losing a  
board game.

CHEWIE

(chuckles)

ALDRICH

Mr. Skywalker here has anger towards  
his father. Ms. Organa has a royalty  
complex and Mr. Solo has had an  
abundance of violent behavior.

HAN

Listen, sister...

ALDRICH

'Sister'? Hmmmm.

(she writes something  
in her notebook)

HAN

...I only resort to violence when  
it's absolutely necessary.

ALDRICH

Let's explore the Greedo incident  
shall we?

HAN

Hey he shot first!

ALDRICH

I beg to differ.

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HAN  
(holds up a Special  
Edition DVD case)  
I have video proof right here.. he  
shot first.

ALDRICH  
(holds up a VHS copy  
of the original)  
I'm afraid I have proof to the  
contrary.

Han reaches for his blaster. His holster is empty. Looks  
over at the table with the weapons and a sign posted: *No  
weapons during anger management session!*

HAN  
Blast!

ALDRICH  
(with relish)  
You seem to have a dependency on  
your gun. Why is that Mr. Solo?

HAN  
In my day a fast ship and a blaster  
was all I needed. Now, people want a  
hero who is flawed... afraid of things  
like...

LEIA  
Snakes

HAN  
Right! Guys who escape elaborate  
booby traps using only a whip or  
something. Pshaw!

CHEWIE  
Roar

HAN  
You said it, Chewie. I'm not violent.

LEIA  
Ha!

HAN  
(points to Leia)  
Which one of us killed Jabba the  
Hutt?

LEIA  
Did you have to bring that up?

ALDRICH  
The gangster?

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LEIA

You should have seen what he made me wear.

HAN

(chuckling)

Oh, yeah! It was a nice outfit she was almost wearing...

LEIA

I thought you said you couldn't see.

HAN

I couldn't... Um... Lando described it to me...

Han nudges Chewbacca to change the subject.

CHEWIE

(with hurt feelings)

Roar

LEIA

Well, you are a walking carpet... and I'm sorry if I offended you.

HAN

How about the time you called me a stuck-up, half-witted, scruffy-looking nerf herder!

ALDRICH

What's a nerf herder? I mean...How did that make you feel?

HAN

Annoyed. I shaved that morning. I'd like an apology.

LEIA

I'm sorry you're a stuck-up, half-witted, scruffy-looking nerf herder! Now, let's get back on track here.

LUKE

Listen sister, you're not in charge here.

ALDRICH

'Sister' again?  
(starts to write)

LUKE

She is my sister.

HAN

And she kissed him... twice!

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LEIA

One was for luck. And the other was  
just to make you mad.

ALDRICH

(with hope)

So you facilitated this move to invoke  
an angered response?

HAN

See? She needs help not me.

LUKE

She just likes to boss everyone  
around.

LEIA

I do not. I command you to take that  
back.

ALDRICH

This is wonderful!

LUKE

No, it isn't! You got the good deal  
here. You were treated like a princess  
while I worked my Tashi off on a  
moisture farm!

LEIA

Well that wasn't my fault.

LUKE

No it was his!  
(pointing to Vader)

VADER

I have only done what I thought was  
best.

LUKE

Dad, you were unreasonable.

ALDRICH

(to Luke)

Mr. Skywalker

DARTH & LUKE

(in unison)

Yes.

LUKE

She meant me. You don't go by that  
name remember?

ALDRICH

So, this is your father?

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HAN

Can't you see the resemblance?

VADER

He cut my hand off.

ALDRICH

(with renewed interest)

You cut your father's hand off?

LUKE

You cut my hand off first! Right before telling me that you were my father.

VADER

Do you think that was easy for me to admit? What have you accomplished with your life?

LUKE

I have a become a Rebel General...

VADER

...And who promoted you? Your sister! When I was your age I had already won an intergalactic pod race, built an artificial life form, fought in the Clone Wars, wiped out all of the Jedi Knights.

HAN

I have a bad feeling about this.

LUKE

You also killed Ben!

VADER

Which one was he?

LUKE

Obi Wan Kenobi. Your mentor.

VADER

Obi Wan betrayed me... turned your mother against me...thank you for bringing up that painful memory!

Vader use the Force to retrieve his lightsabre from a pile of weapons on the table. Luke does the same. They ignite. They fight.

ALDRICH

Yes that's it! Now we're getting somewhere. Let out all your anger.

Chewie roars encouragement as the exciting battle continues.

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Leia notices that Aldrich is enjoying the fight a little too much.

Leia holds out her hands and both lightsabres fly to her hands. They turn off.

LEIA

Stop it you two. Do you not sense something very wrong here?

VADER

The Force is strong with your sister. She is perhaps stronger than you.

LEIA

This is not a competition, dad.

LUKE

There is a disturbance in the Force.

ALDRICH

I can see now that this 'Force' is the root of all the problems.

VADER

The Force is what binds us together.

ALDRICH

My point exactly. It binds... to be tied. Think of the meaning of this word. Force. To drive against one's will. To apply pressure. To coerce another person... all definitions of this word have a negative connotation.

Vader makes a subtle move towards Aldrich.

LEIA

Don't give in, Vader! She wants you to get angry! She feeds on the negative energy!

ALDRICH

You must turn your back on this 'Force' in order to...

Vader turns to her.

LUKE

Father, no!

VADER

The Force is not to be mocked. The Force is what gives life and what takes it away.

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Vader stretches out his hand and uses the force to... tweak her nose.

VADER (CONT'D)

Honk. Got your nose.

Vader holds up his hand. Showing his gloved-covered thumb between his fingers. Everyone laughs.

ALDRICH

No laughter! No laughter!

Aldrich is so disappointed, she twitches and shakes, and begins to simmer. When she reaches the boiling point she explodes!

Everyone looks in horror at the small remnant of what was Dr. Aldrich. Only her shoes remain.

Awkward pause.

HAN

That's someting you don't see every day! Who'd have thought?

Luke and Leia slowly turn and look at Vader for a moment. His expressionless mask betrays nothing.

VADER

Well... I'm famished. I think I will go out for a pizza. Who will join me?

All pause. Then everyone springs up, retrieves their weapons as -

HAN

I'm so hungry I could eat a gundark.

LUKE

They have gundark pizzas?

LEIA

No gundark on mine, thank you very much.

Chewie roars.

LUKE

Aww. You always get to ride shotgun!

Vader uses the Force to flick Luke up the side of the head, from across the room.

FADE OUT: