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Platz 1: Taha Oun (12 Jahre)

Operation Birthday

Hello, my name’s Juan. Yesterday was my 12th birthday, but it wasn't an ordinary birthday. The week before my birthday wasn't ordinary too. Instead, I went from being just a normal kid to a full-on professional detective. “I'm going for a walk in the park. Please do not enter my room. Think about it like hell." My sister told me. "Are you done now?" I just wanted to relax after a long, exhausting school day. "No, I'm not. Just so you know, you really don't want to know what's going to happen if you enter my room. JUST. DONT. DO. IT. I'll sue you if you enter my room. Did we understand us?" "Yes, yes now please get out of here." Then she went to the park. But it was really weird. Why didn't she let me enter her room? Normally, she wouldn't mind me being in her room. There was definitely something weird going on. It felt like she was hiding something from me. I decided I was going to enter her room anyways. She can't sue me, I'm 11, remember? Amber is 11 too, but her brain is still 6 for some reason. Anyways, I entered her room and at first glance, there wasn't anything suspicious. But then, I took a look at her desk, and what did I see: A paper. A very suspicious paper. There was written: 'OPERATION: JUAN ELIMINATION - TOP SECRET' What?! I was completely shocked. Amanda wanted to eliminate me?! I decided to be a detective until my birthday and find out what was going on here. Step 1: I needed more information. I only had that paper. Luckily, I took a photo of it with my smartphone. Unfortunately, I wasn't able to find more information in Amanda's room. But I didn't want to give up. A cold shiver ran down my spine when I suddenly heard the doorbell. I ran as quick as I could into my room, and thank god, she noticed nothing. A while after Amanda entered her room, I heard her talking to a friend on her phone. Maybe, I thought, I could get more information. But, when I put my ears on her room's door, Amanda wasn't really talking. She just mixed random letters, so I couldn't understand anything. But then, something came into my mind. It could be encryption! So I started recording the conversation and it actually took me 3 full hours to decrypt that. She only has time for the operation till my birthday, and she's gonna begin the operation tomorrow. And they'll get a big reward if they complete the operation. Next day, Amanda was somehow super nice and kind to me. She helped me with my homework, gave me her sweets, asked me how school was, etc. This was very unusual, but I was sure it was all fake and had to do with the operation. Then I got another conversation with her friend in her room. She said that the operation didn't work, and she had to use 'it' to complete the operation. I knew 'it' was even more 'TOP SECRET' than the whole operation, so it would be hard to find out what 'it' was. And it was only two days till my birthday. On those two days, Amanda was acting nice to me. I didn't hear anything from her, and I still didn't know what 'it' was, so waking up at my birthday was even scarier. So, I woke up, and went to the living room quietly. But, for some reason, the living room was empty. Where was 'it'? I just made my breakfast and watched TV, and at some point, Amanda straight-up jumped onto me, screaming "HAPPY BIRTHDAY, JUAN!" She scared me so much, I thought she was 'it’. And then, everything exploded out of me. "I know about the operation! I have evidence! You don't have to fake it! And what's 'it'?" "Oh that. If you want an answer, go into my room" she told me calmly. I went into her room, and guess what I found: My old football shirt! But with a photo on it: I'm on the photo, when I was shocked and first found out about the operation! I took it and went to the living room, and the first thing I have to see there is Amanda, rolling on the floor laughing. Hahaha. So funny, sister. So funny. It was all just a prank Amanda played on me, and me idiot actually believed it. I'm going to get revenge! And I already have an idea...