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The Woods

Jerry laughed at something Tom said he was on a camping trip with his college friends. Freetho said it was the right time to hit the hay. I'd say everybody else murmured in agreement then the roar came from the forest gosh! Said Jerimiah that was a weird bear but Tanzel face was pale he was a paleontologist. What's wrong? If Jerry tho-o-se sounds exactly like Utharaptor, how are you sure it's not just a bear, asked Freetho? No, I'm positive he grabbed the rifle on the other log. Come on Tanzel, this is stupid. Then they heard it again but closer and multiple PUT OUT ThE FIRE! Screamed Tanzel ok ok said Jerry he dumped their bucket of sand on the fire it was smothered with the orange glow was gone they saw 6 pairs of green dots What the...? Said Freetho the the Animal lunged its feathered tail whipped Tanzel in the face as it leapt on top of Jermiah they scattered but Tanzel stayed with Jerry we need to run away from everybody else why said Jerry because their gonna go for the easier target get to your truck he kept running then stopped when they saw a Grizzly bear it starred in the flashlight beam they starred then a raptor tackled it down they ran past they saw another in the distance Tanzel aimed his rifle and fired but instead of the recoil he expected or the loud boom it made a faint click sound oh shoot said Tanzel Jerry grabbed a stick and took a match out of his pack he lit it and the lit the stick it gleamed this should catch their feathers he said ok whispered Tanzel then Tanzel screamed he saw one it snapped its head towards the Jerry didn't think he threw his hunting knife it hit it the creature shrieked and ran oh sh.. But Jerry covered his mouth It was Jermiah Laying on the ground A slash across his Stomach then Jerry remembered oh yeah! Jeremiah's phone they reached into his pocket. Thankfully the phone was intact he opened the GPS app he typed in his car code 2 miles away. Come on Tanzel he whispered then a soft beating noise like a car starting up. Then The animal leapt from the forest its scar visible down face the animal growled Jerry swung his torch it hit the animals feathers and caught fire the animal shrieked and clawed at the fire they sprinted a street light loomed in the distance they leapt into his truck Tanzel in the back looking for his Cattle Prod FOUND IT he yelled he turned it on and it crackled haha were alive he was about to get out when a raptor it rammed the door of his truck bent the passenger side door inward go go go screamed Tanzel the raptors gave chase 1 leapt into the truck bed buck Tanzel shocked it rolled as another hopped over Jerry shifted gears the car screamed at 45 MPH the raptors gave up were alive shrieked Tanzel.