

Episode Outline: Strong Coffee

1. The News - Dean and Vern find out that their mother's father has been declared dead (didn't find his body) and that they've inherited his cabin.
 - a. The brothers are sitting in their motel room looking over the classifieds trying to find some work.
 - b. The Motel owner tells them they have a call waiting in the office from a lawyer.
 - c. Dean tells Vern that they are going to western NC.
 - d. Road trip from Piedmont to Mountains
 - e. They meet with the lawyer, he reads the will.
 - f. The lawyer takes them to the estate

2. A Strong Brew - The brothers find their grandfathers strength enhancing coffee
 - a. Dean wakes up, starts some coffee brewing that he found in the cupboard and goes outside to split some wood.
 - b. Vern wakes up gets some coffee and notices that Dean is having a hard time splitting a certain log.
 - c. Vern takes some coffee out to Dean. When Dean drinks the coffee and resumes chopping, the log he was having such a hard time splitting shatters in pieces.
 - d. They talk about the incident at the dining room table
 - e. Someone knocks at the door.

3. Friend or Foe - The brothers meet Larry Steinbeck and Mr. Miller
 - a. Mr. Steinbeck introduces himself to the brothers and lets them know that he's sorry for their loss.
 - b. The brothers ask about their grandfather. Mr. Steinbeck tells them a false story about their grandfather. That they were really good friends.
 - c. The brothers don't really believe him and play the fool. They ask him where the nearest grocery store is.
 - d. They go shopping and run into Mr. Miller who is somewhat gruff.
 - e. They introduce themselves as new to the area. Mr. Miller finds out that they are Jensen's grandsons and invites them over for dinner.

4. Family History - The brothers find out from Mr. Miller that their grandfather was a biological scientist that worked on enhancing the natural properties of cash crops.
 - a. They arrive at Mr. Miller's for dinner
 - b. Over dinner the boys tell Mr. Miller a little bit about their life
 - c. Mr. Miller tells them a little bit about himself and their grandfather.
 - d. They also ask him about Mr. Steinbeck. Mr. Miller simply tells them to be careful how much they talk about their own business around certain people.
 - e. He gives them a copy of their grandfather's obituary. They leave.
 - f. At the cabin they discuss having a memorial for their Grandfather.

5. The Memorial - The brothers place a tombstone in their backyard for their grandfather and hold a funeral ceremony with Mr. Miller and Mr. Steinbeck.
 - a. Dean and Vern are hiking through the woods to find a suitable tombstone
 - b. They find a large rock and carry it to a nearby tree. Mr. Steinbeck sees this from his porch.
 - c. They call Mr. Miller and invite him to join them for a memorial service
 - d. Mr. Steinbeck comes over and asks why they were carrying a rock
 - e. They invite him to the memorial service
 - f. All four of them say words about Mr. McKury at the service.

6. Empty Cookie Jar - The brothers run out of money and need to find work.
 - a. The bros have no food in the pantry or fridge
 - b. They look for work in the paper and in town
 - c. Mr. Miller needs some work done on his store and hires them
 - d. Mr. Miller's grand daughter comes to help him with his bookkeeping
 - e. Dean and the granddaughter don't exactly get along

7. We're Not Alone - The brothers have a theft problem and they don't know who it could be.
 - a. The brothers notice that things start going missing around the cabin
 - b. They form some hypothesis about who it could be
 - c. They ask Mr. Miller if he knows of any teenagers that cause problems
 - d. The brothers sit in the cabin and are startled when something knocks over the trashcan outside.
 - e. When they get back inside they discover that someone has stolen the coffee.

8. The Hunt - The brothers try and find the thief that stole their grandfather's coffee.
 - a. The brothers find footprints leading into the woods
 - b. They follow the footprints into the woods and walk until they find a campsite
 - c. They approach the campsite and are surprised by Stewy
 - d. Stewy interrogates them and finds out that they are Jenson's grandsons
 - e. Stewy gives them back the coffee. The brothers invite Stewy over.

9. Mr. Stewy - The brothers invite Mr. Stewy (the hobo) into their cabin to warm-up and get something to eat.
 - a. The brothers ask him where he's from and how long he's been in the woods
 - b. Mr. Stewy asks them who they are and what happened to the old man that used to live there.
 - c. Stewy tells them that he was one of the only people that their grandfather trusted with his secret.
 - d. Stewy asks them if they plan on staying and what they'll do workwise.
 - e. They say they'll do construction like they always do.

10. A New Job - The brothers ask Mr. Steinbeck for work.
 - a. Dean asks Mr. Miller if there are any construction companies in the area that are hiring
 - b. Mr. Miller tells him that the only work like that belongs to Steinbeck Construction
 - c. The brothers visit Mr. Steinbeck and ask him for work and he says yes
 - d. Mr. Steinbeck asks if they would be willing to sell some of their land
 - e. The boys say they haven't thought about it and that they need time.
11. The brothers start a business to cover expenses
12. The brothers help a neighbor get their tractor out of a ditch
13. The brothers meet a homeless man living in the woods behind their house.
14. Larry Steinbeck pays the boys a visit and ask them if they work out a lot. He finds it strange the feats they're able to accomplish and they look like average guys. He makes the comment "you know, your grandfather was mighty strong even in his old age... Must run in the family".
15. The boys ask Mr. Miller to help them fix their drippy faucet.
16. The boys invite the homeless man for dinner
17. The boys find their grandfathers journal and notes about cultivating the coffee beans that grow on their property.

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EPISODES 1-5 TAKE PLACE IN ONE DAY (SATURDAY) 20MIN

SC_Bad Brews_ep1 (4-5min)

The brothers get the news that their grandfather has died and that they've inherited his estate. But when they arrive at his cabin in the woods they find something very disturbing.

SC_Anyone Home_ep2 (4-5min)

The brothers arrive at their grandfather's house to find it totally trashed. It becomes evident that someone was looking for something. They call the police and meet officer Donaldson.

SC_Mr. Steinbeck_ep3 (4-5min)

The brothers go down to the local diner to grab something to eat when they meet Mr. Steinbeck. Dean seems to connect with Mr. Steinbeck but Vern isn't fond of him. Mr. Steinbeck invites them over for dinner.

SC_Over for Dinner_ep4 (4-5min)

The brothers have dinner with Mr. Steinbeck and his daughter Erin at the Steinbeck residence. Mr. Steinbeck asks what the brothers intend to do with their grandfather's property. Vern and Erin part ways indifferent.

SC_Later that Night_ep5 (4-5min)

Dean and Vern come back to the cabin to spend the night. They argue about what to do with the property. Throw some hard hitting remarks about each other back and forth and go to sleep.

EPISODES 6 - 10 TAKE PLACE IN ONE DAY (SUNDAY) 20MIN

SC_Coffee Power_ep6 (4-5min)

Dean wakes up starts some coffee and goes outside to chop some firewood. Vern wakes up drinks the coffee comes outside to help Dean and totally shatters the piece of wood. Both are stunned by thy feat.

SC_History Lesson_ep7 (4-5min)

Vern goes to the Diner to talk to Albert about their Grandfather to find out more about how he died. Albert tells Vern that his grandfather's body was never found and some people believe there was foul play involved - and hints toward Steinbeck.

SC_A Proposition_ep8 (4-5min)

Dean goes to meet Mr. Steinbeck at his house to talk about possibly selling him their Grandfather's property. Dean tells him the conditions in his grandfathers will doesn't allow them to sell. Mr. Steinbeck offers to have his lawyers look at the document to see if they can find any loop holes.

SC_Not Eye to Eye_ep9 (4-5min)

Dean and Vern meet back at the cabin. Dean tells Vern what Steinbeck has offered to do. Vern tells Dean that even if they could sell the property he wouldn't want to and that he doesn't trust Mr. Steinbeck. They fight

SC_Parting Ways_ep10 (4-5min)

Dean packs his bags and goes back to the city. Vern stays at the cabin. They part with unfinished business.

EPISODES 11 - 15 TAKE PLACE IN ONE DAY (MONDAY) 20MIN

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_ep14 (4-5min)

_ep15 (4-5min)