

## Day 3

[Snowball in news report appears on the screen. Stage is dark.  
President, Agents, Jill, Super Squad enter as report plays.]

Snowball: Breaking news! Dr. Wolf and his minions have been stealing scientific inventions all over Calvaryburg. President Shepherd has ordered all citizens to be on high alert. If you see something suspicious, be sure to report in. We all need to do our part to stop Dr. Wolf!

[President's mansion scene. Stage lights turn.]

President: Agent Bradshaw, have any new robberies been reported?

Agent 1: Sir, we just received word that Dr. Wolf has broken into the city's industrial center and took steel and some maps of the city's underground.

Mighty Man: Steel and maps? What would he want with that?

Agent 2: If only we knew what he was planning, we could do something to try and stop him.

Unbreakable Woman: What do you think, Captain Brainwave?  
What could Wolf do with all the things he's stolen?

Captain Brainwave: I don't know, but whatever it is, we need to stop him before he can complete it.

President: Agreed. Jill, any thoughts?

Jill: Who, me? Well, I, umm...

MM: Sir, we can ask the janitor later if she has any ideas for how to repair the broken light bulb in the kitchen, but let's focus on people who can actually fix the problem.

President: Her name is Jill, and I wish you would stop dismissing her just because she doesn't have any superpowers. We all need to do our part if we want to stop Dr. Wolf, and I care about what she has to say. So Jill, any thoughts?

Jill: No, sir. Mighty Man is right. I can't help with a problem like this.

[Sirens flash. Agent 1 picks up phone.]

Agent 2: The Super Siren! That must mean another break-in!

Agent 1: I'm afraid it's much worse. Dr. Wolf's minions are using freeze rods to turn the people of the city into popsicles.

CB: Is Wolf with his minions?

Agent 1: No one has seen him so far.

UW: If Wolf's not with them, it's probably a trick. He's trying to distract us from his real plan.

CB: I agree with the Unbreakable Woman. We need to ignore these attacks and focus on guarding the spots that Wolf might rob next.

President: These are my people. I must take care of them.

MM: But sir...

President: Super Squad, head downtown to protect the citizens. Those are my orders.

UW: Yes, sir! You heard the President. Super Squad out. [Super Squad exits.]

President: I can't risk the safety of my people, but I fear the Super Squad may be right about Dr. Wolf using this attack as a distraction. I might have an idea of what he's up to. I think he's after the city's Heronium.

Jill: Heronium? What's that?

Agent 2: It's a type of gem our space explorers found on another planet. It's how the Super Squad got their powers, and scientists believe it may be able to give others powers too.

Agent 1: If Dr. Wolf gets his hand on that, who knows what he could do with it? It could be a disaster!

President: I agree, and that's why I'm trusting the three of you to protect it. The Heronium is kept underground in three secret

bunkers throughout the city. I need one of you protecting each of the three locations.

Jill: But sir, I don't have any powers. How am I supposed to stop Wolf or his minions?

President: I will make sure you have everything you need. I only need you to obey my instructions. [He hands out watches.] Each of you will stand outside one of the bunkers where the Heronium is stored. If you see Dr. Wolf or his minions, use these watches to call for the Super Squad. Each bunker has a vault with the Heronium inside. Your watch can open the bunker and the vault, but only if it's on your arm. They are specially designed so that they won't work for anyone else. Watch the doors closely. Make sure you don't let anyone into the bunker, and really, there's no reason for any of you to enter either. The doors shouldn't be opened unless it's an emergency. Those are my directions. Any questions?

Agents and Jill: No sir.

President: Very good. I can't stress enough how important you all are to the plan. We can't let Dr. Wolf get his hands on that Heronium. As long as you obey my orders, we will be fine. I'll watch everything from Mission Control. Now let's go.

[All exit. Vault scene. Jill enters.]

Jill: Who would have thought that I'd be helping the Super Squad?  
The only thing better than this would be to *be in* the Super Squad. I bet it would be so awesome to have superpowers!

[Wolf enters in old man costume.]

Wolf: [To audience] Looks like there's only one guard here.  
Perfect! But I can't spook her, or she'll call the Super Squad.  
I think I know exactly what to do. [He goes over and bumps into Jill. He speaks with an old man voice.] Oh hello there, young lady. I didn't see you there.

Jill: It's ok, sir. But please, be careful. Dr. Wolf is out causing trouble. You should probably find a safe place to hide.

Wolf: Dr. Wolf? I heard that he's the biggest, baddest super villain out there. Very scary!

Jill: That's okay, the Super Squad will protect us.

Wolf: Ah, yes. The Super Squad. I'm glad we have superheroes like you protecting the city.

Jill: Me? No, I'm not part of the Super Squad. I don't have any powers.

Wolf: Well then, it's very courageous of you to be out here, standing up to that Dr. Wolf fellow without any powers. It's a shame, really. If only there was a way for brave people like you to have powers. Then you could help the Super Squad

protect the city. Anyway, you're probably right. I should find a safe place to hide. Maybe one day, they'll find a way to give powers to ordinary people like you and me.

Jill: Wouldn't that be nice.

[Wolf steps out of sight from Jill.]

Jill: You know, maybe that old man had a point. If there was a way for me to have superpowers, I could help the Super Squad. I know the President means well, but I think I have a better plan. What if, instead of guarding the Heronium, I use it to get my own powers? Then I could stop Dr. Wolf myself! [She thinks for a second.] I know it's not what the President said, but I need to do it. He'll understand.

[She opens the door, then uses her watch to open the vault to the Heronium. As he does this, Wolf sneaks behind her. When Jill grabs the Heronium, Wolf uses a shock device to knock Jill out, then takes the Heronium for himself.]

Wolf: Mwahaha! Now that I have the Heronium, nothing can stop me! Now it's time for a little surprise for the Super Squad!

[Wolf exits. Jill gets up.]

Jill: What happened? It feels like I... Oh no! Where's the Heronium? Oh boy, I really messed up. What do I do?

[Jill exits. City streets scene. Mom enters.]

Mom: I sure hope Jill is alright. I haven't heard from her all day.

[Minions enters.]

Minion 1: Oh look, there's another one.

Minion 2: Let's get her!

Mom: Help!

[Minions run after Mom and freeze her. Super Squad enters.]

UW: That's enough of that.

Minion 2: It's the Super Squad.

Minion 1: Run away!

[UW and MM chase after Minions. UW and Minions exit. CB goes over to Mom.]

CB: Unfreeze!

Mom: [Unfreezes] Thank you, you saved me!

MM: No need to thank us. Saving people is our job.

[They head toward the exit. Wolf enters.]

Wolf: Oh hello there, Super Squad. Ready to give up yet?

CB: To you? Not a chance.

MM: Brainwave, take this woman to safety. I can deal with him.  
[CB and Mom exit.] How many times do we have to teach you the same lesson, Wolf? [Wolf throws a chain at MM]  
Another chain made of sturdium? You already know that won't stop me. I just need to... [Wolf activates new device. MM struggles and can't break free of the chains.]

Wolf: What's wrong, Mighty Man? Having some trouble?

MM: My super strength! It's...

Wolf: Gone, thanks to my latest invention. Thanks to the power of Heronium, this device can steal the Super Squad's powers! Now where are my minions? [Minions enter] Why don't we find a nice cell for Mighty Man? He'll want a front row seat to watch me take over the city.

Minion 1: With pleasure, boss.

[Minions go over to MM and cover his mouth.]

Minion 2: Not so tough without your super strength, are you?

[Snowball's voice plays as they bring MM to exit.]

Snowball: Will Mighty Man get his powers back? Will Dr. Wolf take over the city? How will the President feel about Jill's disobedience? Come back tomorrow to find out at VBS!