

SOLO

A STAR WARS STORY™ Part III

A long time ago in a galaxy far, far away. . . .

Young rogue Han Solo had dreams of flying among the stars as a pilot and adventurer alongside his love, Qi'ra.

But fate tore the two apart. Han escaped the slums of Corellia. Qi'ra did not.

After failing to steal a rare shipment of coaxium from the Empire, Han, the Wookiee Chewbacca and outlaw Tobias Beckett are at the mercy of crime lord Dryden Vos, who hired them for the job.

But aboard Dryden's ship, Han Solo has reunited with Qi'ra at last. . . .

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Corellia.
Before.



WELL, THAT'S SETTLED THEN, SARKIN...

...QI'RA IS SOMEONE ELSE'S PROBLEM NOW.

THIS LITTLE ONE IS A TROUBLEMAKER, DRYDEN. BUT I'M SURE YOU'LL MAKE HER A VALUABLE ASSET FOR CRIMSON DAWN.



LEARNING TERÄS KÄSI WILL ONLY GET YOU SO FAR, QI'RA.



"WITH CRIMSON DAWN, IN ORDER TO TRULY EXCEL, YOU HAVE TO LET GO OF PROXIMA'S ANTIQUATED, NARROW-MINDED WAYS.



"YOU MUST LET GO, QI'RA..."





"...OF YOUR PAST."

Dryden Vos' Yacht. Now.

QI'RA...



WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

I WORK HERE. WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE?

MY-- I WAS-- QI'RA, I WAS COMING BACK...



...FOR YOU.

IT'S IN THE PAST, HAN.

I'M HERE DOING A JOB SO I COULD GET BACK TO CORELLIA...

...TO FIND YOU.

NOW YOU DON'T HAVE TO. I'M RIGHT IN FRONT OF YOU.



THAT DAY... SOMETIMES... A LOTTA TIMES... I THINK...

IF YOU'D'VE STAYED, THEY WOULD HAVE KILLED YOU. I'M GLAD YOU GOT OUT.

HOW DID YOU GET OUT?



I DIDN'T.



YOU LOOK GOOD. LITTLE ROUGH AROUND THE EDGES. BUT GOOD.

WHAT SHOULD WE DRINK TO?

YOU TOO.

LET'S DRINK *TWO* AND SEE WHERE IT GOES.



DID YOU EVER GET THAT SHIP WE WERE GONNA FLY AWAY ON?

YES. SORTA. I'M ABOUT TO. THAT'S WHY I'M HERE. WORKING ON A, UH, WORKING ON A VERY BIG DEAL.

HOW BIG?

ENORMOUS.

REALLY? AND WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO CLOSE THE ENORMOUS DEAL?

ANY MINUTE.



I THOUGHT ABOUT YOU A LOT. OFF SOMEWHERE ON SOME ADVENTURE, AND I... I ALWAYS IMAGINED MYSELF WITH YOU. IT ALWAYS MADE ME...

...MADE YOU...?

WHAT DID I SAY?



I TOLD YOU NOT TO TALK TO ANYBODY. WHAT ARE YOU--

BECKETT.

WAIT.

YOU TWO WORK TOGETHER?

TOBIAS.



ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
ARE YOU HURT?

NO, I'M
FINE.

I'M SORRY
TO HEAR ABOUT
VAL.

I
APPRECIATE
THAT, DRYDEN. THERE
WAS NO WAY WE
COULD HAVE--



I DON'T
BELIEVE WE'VE BEEN
INTRODUCED.

THIS
IS HAN SOLO
AND CHEWBACCA.
THEY'RE WITH
ME.

I'M DRYDEN
VOS. I SEE YOU
ALREADY MET MY TOP
LIEUTENANT.



HAN AND I GREW UP TOGETHER.
ON CORELLIA.

OH, A
FELLOW *SCRUMRAT*.
WELL, I ADMIRE ANYONE
WHO CAN CLAW THEIR WAY
OUT OF THE SEWER.
ESPECIALLY A SEWER AS
PUTRID AS CORELLIA.
THE STENCH, AM I
RIGHT?

WELL, IT'S
GOOD TO HAVE YOU. AND
YOU TOO, CHEWBACCA. LET'S EAT
A LITTLE, DRINK A LOT AND
TALK PRIVATELY.



GGRRUUUHGHH?

WE'RE JUST
FRIENDS, ALL
RIGHT?

AAUUR
RUUGUUHHHG?

YOU'RE
TOUCHY.