

INT. CRANE GAME

Buzz climbs over the partition that divides the deposit slot from the prize toys and leaps into a pile of...

SQUEEZE TOY ALIENS

There are hundreds of them, all identical and way too cute.

ALIEN #1

(excited)

A stranger!

ALIEN #2

From the outside!

ALIENS

Oo-o-o-o-o-o...

BUZZ

Greetings! I am Buzz Lightyear! I come in peace!

ALIENS

Tell us! What is it like outside?

The squeeze toys rush Buzz like JABBERING excited children.

EXT. CRANE GAME

With the kids gone, Woody crosses the aisle to the crane game and dives through the prize slot.

INT. CRANE GAME - CONTINUOUS

Woody clambers up the side of the deposit slot.

BUZZ (O.S.)

This is an intergalactic emergency!
I need to commandeer your vessel to
Sector 12!

Woody peeks over the partition to witness Buzz surrounded by the cute alien toys.

BUZZ

(continued; to
the aliens)

Who's in charge here?

All the aliens point upward.

ALIENS

The cla-a-a-a-a-a-a-a-w!!

Woody and Buzz look up.

ANGLE: CRANE GAME CLAW

It dangles directly above the toys.

ALIEN #1

The claw is our master.

ALIEN #2

The claw chooses who will go and who will stay.

WOODY

(to himself)

This is ludicrous.

SID (O.S.)

(laughter)

Woody GASPS at the recognition of Sid's voice. He turns to see Sid heading straight for the crane game.

WOODY

Oh, no! Sid!!!

Woody leaps off the partition and tackles Buzz, pushing the two of them deep into the pile of aliens.

WOODY

Get down!!

Sid approaches the crane game and fishes quarters out of his pants pocket.

BUZZ

(loud whisper)

What's gotten into you, Sheriff? I was --

WOODY

(loud whisper)

YOU are the one that decided to climb into this --

ALIEN #4

(loud whisper)

Sh-h-h-h-h-h. The claw. It moves.

ANGLE: CRANE

It moves into position and hovers directly above the area where Woody and Buzz are hiding.

The crane drops and grabs hold of the alien toy that is right on top of Buzz.

ALIEN #3
(whispering excitedly)
I have been chosen!!

Positioned with his back to Sid, the alien is lifted up by the claw.

ALIEN #3
(continued)
Farewell, my friends! I go on to a better place.

SID
Gotcha!

With the alien gone, Buzz's upper torso becomes exposed, forcing the space ranger to freeze. Sid suddenly spots Buzz.

SID
A Buzz Lightyear! No way!

Woody, still hidden, frantically looks around for some way to escape. Behind him, through the aliens, he eyes...

A SMALL REPAIR DOOR

Woody swims through the alien squeeze toys toward the door. He grabs hold of the locking latch and, after a few attempts, is able to pry the door open.

The shadow of the crane lines up over Buzz, lowers, and grabs his head.

SID
Yes!

The claw begins to lift Buzz up.

WOODY
(GASP) Buzz, NO!

Woody grabs hold of Buzz's feet.

Woody and the claw begin to have a tug-of-war with Buzz.

Woody pulls down hard, forcing Buzz to sink into the pile of aliens, out of Sid's view.

SID
(slamming his
fist against the
glass)
Wha -- ? Hey!!

Still tugging against the crane, Woody is almost out the door with Buzz. Just then, the aliens at the bottom of the pile pull Buzz and Woody back inside.

ALIEN #4
He has been chosen.

WOODY
Hey! What are you doing?

ALIEN #5
He must go.

WOODY
Stop it, you -- ! Stop it, you zealots!

ALIENS
He must go! Do not fight the claw!
Do not anger the claw! He has been
chosen.

Woody and Buzz are pushed up to the surface and into the air, dangling lifelessly in front of Sid.

SID
Alright! Double prizes!

Woody and Buzz are dropped into the prize slot and snatched up by Sid.

SID
(looking at his
two new toys)
Let's go home and...play. Ha-ha-ha.

ANGLE: CLOSEUP OF SKULL ON SID'S T-SHIRT

MATCH DISSOLVE TO:

EXT. SID'S HOUSE - LATER THAT NIGHT

From out of the darkness appears Sid on his skateboard. He is HUMMING to rock music from his walkman while carrying his backpack in his hand.

Sid leaps off the skateboard and walks up the front path towards the front door.

Through the open zipper, Buzz peeks out of the backpack to see Sid's house. He recognizes Andy's house next door.

INT. BACKPACK - CONTINUOUS

Buzz, Woody and a squeeze toy alien are scrunched up in the backpack.

BUZZ

Sheriff! I can see your dwelling
from here! You're almost home.

ALIEN

Nirvana is coming! The mystic
portal awaits!

WOODY

(to Alien)

Will you be quiet?!!

(to both)

You guys don't get it, do you? Once
we go into Sid's house, we won't be
coming out.

ANGLE: TOYS' POV FROM OUT BACKPACK

The front door opens to reveal Scud. The dog lunges straight for the backpack, BARKING.

SID

Whoa, Scud! Hey, boy. Sit! Good
boy!

The dog begrudgingly obeys.

SID

Hey, I got somethin' for ya, boy.

Sid's hand reaches into the backpack.

WOODY

(loud whisper)

FREEZE!!!

The toys go still. Sid's hand grabs the alien out of the backpack. The alien is then placed sideways along Scud's snout.

SID
Ready, set, NOW.

In one quick motion, Scud flips the alien up, catches it in his mouth, and rabidly shakes it back and forth.

Buzz and Woody react in horror.

SID
Hannah! Hey, Hannah!!!

Woody and Buzz glance up to see HANNAH, Sid's frail little sister, carrying her Janie Doll.

HANNAH
What?

SID
Did I get my package in the mail?

HANNAH
I dunno.

SID
Whaddaya mean, you don't know?

HANNAH
(insistent)
I don't know!

SID
(mock concern)
Oh no, Hannah!

HANNAH
What?

SID
Look! Janie!

He grabs the doll.

HANNAH
Hey!!

SID
She's sick!