The Legend of Fred

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WELCOME TO THE LEGEND OF FRED

WE JOIN MIKE MEK MAN WORKING IN A TRASH CAN IS THERE SOME REASON WE'RE IN HERE?

THIS GARBAGE CAN IS SUPPOSED TO PROTECT ME FROM THE COMPUTER BOMB WHY NOT JUST GO FOR A CRANE TRIP AND GET AWAY FROM IT?

SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO DO SOMETHING YOU KNOW IS STUPID

OH BABY LET'S SET IT!

MEANWHILE, DIRECTLY OVERHEAD:

DO YOU HEAR ANYTHING?

MEANWHILE, A CERTAIN SATELLITE REGISTERS A HIT

MEANWHILE, JOE THE RAT IS OFF ON A CREATIVE EXCURSION

AH... I CAN SEE IT ALL VERY CLEARLY NOW

LATER, JOE IS TALKING WITH HIS NEW BOSS, THE INDUSTRIALIST.

THESE EXPERIMENTS ARE ALL VERY INTERESTING BUT YOU HAVE TO WRITE REPORTS, TOO.

YOU Gotta BREATHE DON'T YOU? THAT'S PRETTY TRIVIAL ISN'T IT?

YOU HAVE TO WORK ON ALL LEVELS IF YOU WANT TO DO SOMETHING USEFUL.

THE MORE WORK YOU DO, THE MORE POWERFUL YOU GET

MEANWHILE, JOE'S FORMER BOSS IS PONDERING OVER DIFFERENT THINGS

NOW CAN WE CON MORE STUDENTS INTO OUR DEPARTMENT?

BUT LET'S GET BACK TO MIKE MEK MAN

WHERE IS THIS?

HA HA HA! THAT'S A GOOD ONE!

WHAT AM I DOING HERE?

YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE EXPANDING AT THE SPEED OF LIGHT

I DON'T UNDERSTAND

WELCOME TO RECIPROCAL SPACE MY FRIEND TO BE CONTINUED