

Pegasus: The Lost Paradise Elysium

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From The Land Beyond, Beyond, From The Place Where Time Begins

For You Comes Dreams and Fantasy - Elysium - Forever Again

“With the Faith to Believe in Love - Life Becomes Magic”

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STARTS WITH VISUAL OF A BOOK OPENING; 2 DIMENSIONAL?

In the Beginning - Prologue: In the beginning, long, long ago, the paradise Elysium co-existed with the lands of all that was. Nowhere was Elysium as beautiful as in Shasta valley below the towering twin peaks of the ancient volcano Shasta, where the mighty Rintrah stood guard. It was here, on the night of the full blue moon, where the all-powerful Presence of God came to visit His most cherished creations; the mystical Pegasus and the magical Unicorn. He was so touched by their love that he blessed them with a gift, their beautiful daughter Unisus. But, there is a great evil and it came to the world known only as Rathvar.

ACT I: *ZOOM INTO THE PAGE, FROM 2D TO 3D

***OPENING SCENE: AFTER THE VOICE OVER “STORY BOOK” INTRO**

Opening Image after Prologue: It is springtime in the beautiful lush “Shasta Valley” and the ancient volcano Shasta towers high in the skyline above. But, this is NOT the amazing “Fantasy” that once co-existed with Elysium before the Great Battle, but Shasta Valley is a beautiful reality, that is still a very special place, as it was when Elysium coexisted here. Its late afternoon in Shasta Valley, where on a small ranch near the base of the ancient volcano Shasta where the Bennett family lives: George, Ruth, Johnny and Becky. We see a small house and a typical red barn with a white wash fence.

There is a large pasture behind the barn with a creek running through it into a small pond. At the edge of the pond was a little one room shack where the age old Amostis lived. In the pasture atop a small hill stood a mighty old oak tree which has stood longer than anyone can remember. It is late afternoon and the sun is low in the sky causing the majestic snowcapped East peak and the ominous West crater of Mt. Shasta to glow in the setting sunlight.

Set-Up: Springs new life also brought fate, as Becky finds a little runt piglet abandoned near the barn. She’s not allowed to keep the “little Piggy”, which was near death. Her father, George, won't let her, so that evening Becky led the entire family, including their pet rabbit, Snuggle Bunny, out to the pasture and tearfully left the dying baby pig with old Clem to “let nature take its course”.

Pegasus - Special Moment: Becky shares a very special prayer with us all, including the Presence, who has come to listen to the innocent love a little girls childlike faith as she shares with us all her desire to save a little runt pig.

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Pigasus - Theme Innocence Stated: "With the Faith to Believe in Love, Life becomes Magic."

1st Catalyst: Just when we think all is lost, Pigasus is miraculously saved by Unicorn & Pegasus, and they magically fly off towards the towering Mt. Shasta taking the piglet back to Elysium, as both Unisus with tears of wonderment and old Clem Clopper, who only moments before couldn't bear to watch the little pig die and turned away with tears in his eyes, now both watch in awe and amazement.

Special Moment: As foretold so long ago, the Full Blue Moon rose high above Shasta's peak with the brilliant lights of Elysium filling the night sky. Becky's prayers are answered, when just as the little piggy was on his final breath, Unicorn & Pegasus land beside him as the Light of the Presence appears in the ancient oak tree.

Special Moment: Unisus had come to Shasta valley to 'See the Special One', knowing it's that rarest of nights as foretold, but NOT knowing it is the runt piglet. As she watched Unicorn and Pegasus save the dying runt piglet and magically take him back to Elysium, she is confused.

Debate: We know that Unisus had come to Shasta valley to 'See the Special One', knowing it's that rarest of nights as foretold, but NOT knowing it is the runt piglet. After she watches Unicorn and Pegasus save the dying runt piglet and magically take him back to Elysium, she is confused. Unisus walks to the spot beneath the ancient oak talking to herself. "It can't be? A pig is the special one? He can't save us from the evil Rathvar. As Unisus bolts into the sky, she says "He can't even fly?" and we see Clem Clopper has been watching the entire time in disbelief.

2nd Catalyst: Now in Elysium, we see Unicorn & Pegasus flying again with the full blue moon of Elysium behind them centered between the towering twin peaks of the ancient volcano "Shasta". As they gracefully land at the base of the ancient oak, we see this is identical to Shasta Valley only clearly this is Elysium. Pegasus gently slides the runt pig down his wing into the lush grass. We then see the Presence come to ancient oak. Unicorn & Pegasus watch as Pigasus gets his wings.

Now Set in Elysium

Special Moment: This is our first introduction of "Pigasus". The Presence gives him his wings, Pigasus's eyes turn to Blue and the Presence gives him his name "---To be known as Pigasus, adopted son of Unicorn and Pegasus." It's important to note that he now knows he is "Special", but does not yet know he is the "Special One" who's fate it's to confront evil and save the world by winning the Battle for Evermore".

END of DAY #1 - Now Set Back in Shasta Valley

Break into Two: This sets up our Family in the "Real World Reality", focused on all aspects of family relationships. This allows our audience to identify with our characters and become emotionally invested in our story. Back in Shasta Valley, life continues as usual for the Bennett's. George and Ruth teach their children about faith, hope, love, family, forgiveness and lessons about right, wrong and the ways of the world via various chores and day to day family

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life. Although all seems swell for the family, as foretold, the impending evil brews in the depths of Shasta's dark crater: RATHVAR, nemesis to all love and light, begins his return.

Special Moment - Song: Kneeling beneath the tree, Ruth sings the chorus of "I Love You Two" to Becky & Mawdy, comforting her tea

Special Moment - Song: Music Box plays "Everything to Me" – Verse & Chorus.

END of DAY #2 - TIME PASSES

****END SCENE: PAN BACK FOR ENTIRE VIEW OF SHASTA VALLEY, THE BENNETT'S RANCH AND ANCIENT VOLCANO, MT. SHASTA.***

****TIME PASSES: SPRING TURNS TO SUMMER & SUMMER TO FALL IN SHASTA VALLEY MARKED BY VERY LITTLE SNOW ON MT. SHASTA & FALL COLORS:***

Special Moment: Pigasus returns as his full grown lovable but awkward self-trying to balance himself on the back of Pegasus, clearly struggling to land gracefully in front of the ancient oak. As Pegasus lands, Pigasus tumbles off and bounces to the ground sprawled out on all fours – clearly a Rolly Polly Pig with an innocent smile on his face as Unicorn smiles and Pegasus tries not to.

B Love Story (Family Love): *(Note: Before Fun & Games on Purpose!)* Reality meets Fantasy as The Presence has returned from Elysium to Shasta valley to proclaim his Love for Unicorn, Pegasus, Unisus and Pigasus. Also, we see the commitment to family love between Unicorn, Pegasus, Unisus & Pigasus as they all share their love for the Presence.

Special Moment: Unicorn & Pegasus speak to Pigasus and tells him he is the Special One. That it is his fate to challenge the Evil Rathvar in the battle for evermore.

2nd Debate is Self-Doubt: But as it was foretold; somewhere, something evil brews and from the depths of the ancient volcano Shasta, where the Blackness of the Darkness had been cast out 10 millenniums ago, the evil Rathvar begins his return. Also, Pigasus now knows he is somehow "Special & Loved", but for the first time in his life he confused, scared and alone.

ACT II

New Day in Shasta Valley

Fun & Games: *(Note: After B Love Story on Purpose!)* The next morning, Pigasus wakes up on to the Bennett farm. He doesn't recognize or remember anything about being here before, but somehow feels like home. Clem Clopper awoke to see Snuggle Bunny investigating the strange new arrival and as he pulled up on Pigasus's eyelid to see if he was dead, Pigasus abruptly woke up and jumped to his feet scarring the carrots out of Snuggle Bunny, which made Clem break out in laughter. Pigasus ran in circles, then tried to use his wings then he tumbled & rolled skidding right back to Snuggle Bunny's feet. Nose in the dirt & looking upwards he proudly shared, "Hi, I'm Pigasus!" They all quickly became the best of friends and even though Pigasus didn't remember, both Snuggle Bunny and Clem knew this was the same runt piglet that vanished from the pasture back in the springtime.

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Pigasus - Special Song: “Rainbows & Roses Lullaby” Ruth shares the melody only as she sweetly serenades Johnny, Becky, Mawdy & Snuggle Bunny.

Midpoint: Later that night Unisus returns to see Pigasus, who was lying beneath the ancient Oak with Clem already fast asleep nearby. Unisus has come to have a heart to heart talk with Pigasus. She starts by reminding him of Elysium, Unicorn & Pegasus and their love for him. Then with a very serious tone reminded him of his fate. That soon he must confront the evil Rathvar. But as she spoke, she again began debating with herself his quest, his abilities and how could he possibly meet his fate, to complete his “Coming of Age” becoming our Hero.

End’s This Day & Begins New Day in Shasta Valley

Bad Guys Close: This section begins the return of Rathvar to the valley Shasta and foreshadows the action packed drama to come. It also begins to send Pigasus towards his fateful confrontation with Rathvar. Snuggle Bunny and Pigasus decide to explore Shasta. Rathvar rocks the cave they're in and traps them. They're scared but escape eventually, because Pigasus flies for the first time. Then after Pigasus does a “Pigstop” into old Clem; Johnny, Becky, Mawdy and even Dawg come running to see what all the excitement was. Little did they know the evil Rathvar had arrived and the strange stories they would hear.

Pigasus - Special Song: “Rainbows & Roses Lullaby” This magical moment shows Unisus bringing Mawdy to life to sing a very special song to calm her fears and bring to our viewers what I believe will be a tear filled moment of Magical Love, when Reality & Fantasy join as one

Story C Hope & Love Story - The Presence Speaks (Intentionally added due to complexity of our story): This section finalizes the definition of Pigasus’s quest, his destiny to confront the evil Rathvar, that he is the special one. Pigasus himself is debating this reality. It brings back to our story the full transition of Elysium, Unicorn, Pegasus and the Presence back to the Valley Shasta. It sets the final stage for the Evil Rathvar’s actual return to the world and the Battle for Evermore and most important the Love of the Presence.

ACT III:

New Day in Shasta Valley

All is Lost: The darkness grows. Rathvar's storm gets worse. There is a terrible rain on the Bennett farm. Everyone is scared. Pigasus feels he's not good enough to help fight Rathvar and save his loved ones. Pigasus tells Unisus he can’t be do it, he can’t confront Rathvar and gives up saying, “I’m not special, only a pig.”

Breaking into Three: Rathvar’s return brings the rage of Rintrah, defender of Elysium. With a mighty Roar, a great aerial battle begins above the ancient volcano Shasta. Unisus realizes that Pigasus surely can’t be the “Special One” to defeat Rathvar so Unisus flies up the mountain to protect Pigasus and help Rintrah defeat the blackness of the darkness, only to be struck down and held hostage by Rathvar. Then old Clem Clopper courageously charges up the mountain

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to rescue Unisus and to protect the frightened Pigasus & Snuggle Bunny. They both watch Clem bravely gallop up the mountain, like the trusty steed he once was, only to be met by the wrath of Rathvar. A bolt of “Black Lightning” strikes Clem Copper and kills him, as they helplessly watched him vanish into the darkness.

Special Moment: Clem Clopper’s death, as devastating to our viewers as Mufasa’s death in the Lion King, sets up a huge emotional conflict and sets up our big finale and “Emotional Payoff” by both restating our theme in action, as Pigasus must remember to “Keep the Faith” and this is reinforced when the Presence brings back to the world old Clem Clopper, which again provides a final confirmation to both “Keep the Faith” and that “With the Faith to Believe in Love – Life becomes Magic!”

FINALE

Pigasus - Finale: The climax! Don's big aerial chase. Pigasus will defeat Rathvar with the help of the Presence, after calling on faith for assistance. The bliss of the aftermath - Clem is alive in Elysium.

Pigasus - Special Moment: George finds his faith to believe that “With the Faith to Believe in Love – Life becomes Magic”. As when the Presence listened to Becky’s Special Prayer, appears in the same place in the children’s bedroom and listen’s to George’s prayer. Resulting in the Presence “Answering his Prayer” and “Touching his Heart”, saving his children by the Grace of God touching their hearts.

Special Moment: By Pigasus remembering the death of Old Clem Clopper sets up a huge emotional conflict and sets up our big finale and “Emotional Payoff” by both restating our theme in action, as Pigasus must remember to “Keep the Faith” and this is reinforced when the Presence brings back to the world old Clem Clopper, which again provides a final confirmation to both “Keep the Faith” and that “With the Faith to Believe in Love – Life becomes Magic!”

Final Image: The final scene we see the entire Shasta Valley with everyone in front of the light of the Presence still in the ancient Oak. The sun is shining brightly as a double rainbow arches across the brilliantly blue sky above the magical Mt. Shasta. Written across the Rainbow is the moral of our story;

“With the Faith to Believe in Love - Life becomes Magic!”

THE NEW BEGINNING

BACK TO 2D: *ENDS WITH BOOK CLOSING*:

Very fairytale like to close, overlooking the valley after Clem’s Return.

I Believe! Do You Believe?