

John Phoenix Turnabout Acquittal

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***Chapter 1*: John Phoenix Turnabout Acquittal**

"Wow! It's really London!" said Uncle Phoenix. He excitedly pressed his face against the window of the airplane to see as much of the city as possible.

"Yes, Uncle, it's London. That's where this plane is supposed to take us. If it were Venice, I'd have to sue," said John Phoenix. He rolled his eyes at his uncle's statement of the obvious.

The plane landed and John Phoenix went straight to the city with his uncle. Suddenly, someone got murdered in their apartment block!

"Oh shit, Kathryn Davies is dead!" shouted a neighbor.

"Why would Richard Kingsley do this?" said a man in a yellow shirt and a cow tie.

The police came and arrested the boy named Richard Kingsley. Just then, there was an explosion across the street and a piece of metal landed right next to John Phoenix! John Phoenix stared at the scrap of metal, then slowly looked up towards the source. A university just got blown up and everyone inside was killed!

"This has to be connected," said John Phoenix.

Later that day, Richard was put on trial for the murder of Kathryn Davies.

"So I saw Richard walking down the street at 8 AM," said the man with the cow tie.

"Objection!" shouted the blond lawyer who wore glasses and a blue vest. "It happened at 11!"

"Oh, oops, my bad," said the witness.

"Storm! Mendax must be lying just to confuse us," said the lawyer's mentor.

"You're right, Mr. Lawrence!" said Storm. "Mr. Mendax... you did that!"

"NOOOOOOOO!" Mendax bent his spatula. "I will be back for revenge some day!"

John Phoenix eyed the defense attorney who just won the trial, impressed by his skill. One might even call him the John Phoenix of London. He decided he deserved the honor of meeting the great John Phoenix.

John Phoenix went to the Sente Law Firm and met Storm Sente. With him were his friends Argus Hakan, Richard Kingsley and his mentor, Charlie Lawrence, who was drinking tea.

"Yep, it sure was sad when all my friends died in what has since been referred to as the FemCon Incident," said Storm.

"What's the FemCon Incident?" asked Phoenix.

"Uncle, use common sense," said John Phoenix. "This man is clearly fresh out of university, so his friends were likely also at university. He also said he lost them, implying they're dead. The most likely explanation is that they were killed by that explosion this morning, therefore the FemCon Incident is that."

"Yes," said Storm. "It came without warning... an explosion at my university that left no survivors."

"I'm so sorry 'bout that but at least you're okay, Stormy! Wahahoho!" Lawrence grinned.

Lawrence put down his cup of tea and John Phoenix stared at it, he could make out Lawrence's grubby fingerprints on the handle and they looked very familiar...

That's when John Phoenix remembered.

John Phoenix ran back to the scene of the explosion, the remains of the Femley School of Law, and searched for that scrap of metal that nearly struck him when the academy blew up. Then he found it.

"Just as I thought, this is a part of the bomb!" said John Phoenix. Then he examined it closer and saw Lawrence's

fingerprints were on it!

Just then, Lawrence appeared! He tried to murder John Phoenix and his uncle for being lawyers, but John Phoenix had been aware that he was stalking them the whole time so he was prepared! John Phoenix grabbed the scrap of the bomb and smacked his against Lawrence's face.

"Lawrence! Your fingerprints are on the bomb!" said John Phoenix. "You blew up all the lawyers so your student would become the most famous lawyer in England!"

Charlie Lawrence went to jail with no regrets.

"Thank you for finding the truth behind the deaths of my friends," said Storm Sente.

The two genius defense attorneys became friends then.