

079 OLAF

I promise. Thank you, my wife.

THE GENTLE KUNLING RESUMES

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EXT. THE SHRINE OF THOR IN THE GUDBRAND VALLEY - NIGHT

BONE CHILLING MUSIC, HARSH, STRANGE, PREDATORY  
(ADDENDUM 3-B)

**START >>>**

080 GUDBRAND

What brings you to this sacred  
shrine Jarl Thorir Hund? There is  
no greater shrine to Thor in all of  
Norway!

081 THORIR HUND

Hearken to me Jarl Gudbrand! The  
King and his army of priests and  
warriors are on their way to this  
shrine at this very moment! They  
plan to wreck this blessed place,  
destroy the statue, and force all  
of you to convert!

082 GUDBRAND

By the blood of my fathers, that  
shall not happen! The Statue of  
Thor has stood here before my  
father's father could scarce stand!  
As tall as the trees that make him,  
he will stand until the very  
trumpets of Ragnarök sound!

CLANGING OF WEAPONS (ADDENDUM 3-C)

083 THORIR HUND

I should have put a stop to this  
upstart Prince when he first came  
back to our shores! These last six  
years have seen the destruction of  
our temples and the baptism of  
thousands of our people. They  
choose this weak carpenter over the  
might of Valhalla! No more!

VIKING SOUNDS (ADDENDUM 3-D)

084 GUDBRAND

I swear to you, Thorir! We will not  
let this false king desecrate  
Thor's sacred ground and statue!

085 THORIR HUND

Good man! I ride to meet with other  
Jarls loyal to the old ways. Stay  
strong Gudbrand. Farewell!

086 **GUDBRAND**

Farewell!

A HORSE GALLOPING AWAY

087 VIKING 1

Jarl Gudbrand! King Olaf and his  
men are approaching!

088 **GUDBRAND**

To arms men! Amass at the front of  
the great statue! Thor will watch  
over us as we defeat these  
Christian maligners!

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OLAF APPROACHES SWIFTLY -

089 OLAF

(calling out)

Jarl Gudbrand! It has been many  
years! How is your son?

090 GUDBRAND

Spare me the talk King Olaf! We  
know why you are here! We will not  
yield!

091 BJORN

Are you looking to fight, Gudbrand?  
You will either accept my King's  
Christ as your God or draw your  
sword!

092 GUDBRAND

My sword is out Bjorn Frodisson!

VIKING SOUNDS (ADDENDUM 3-E)

093 OLAF

EVERYONE HOLD!

( Silence )

Gudbrand. What if we agree to a  
wager? That will spare the lives of  
many good men, yes?

094 GUDBRAND

What do you have in mind?