Frisco Eddie's Revenge: The Return

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Darlene had some things she had to take care of, but she told Eddie she'd meet up with them either in Downey or Long Beach. She gave them her Cell Phone number so they could be in touch. They both hugged her and thanked her for putting them up so nice, and then hit the road.

It was Thursday when they left her place. Jack had beat all of the competition they had faced so far, including Eldon Childers. Eddie cautioned Jack about the higher caliber of players he'd be going up against from here on out. (Naturally, Jack felt like he could beat anyone right then!)

They discussed their strategy on the drive out. They had WAY more than they needed time-wise. This was due to the bumper-to-bumper traffic on the tangled up Freeways.

As they were passing through one area enroute to Long Beach, Eddie mentioned to Jack that there used to be a really great spot for shuffleboard nearby. He said it was called the Dixie Bell, and it had four boards. He said that many of the top new players, as well as many living legends had made history in there. He said he still didn't know why the Club had to be shut down. Jack commented, "I really wish I could have been there to see some of that man".

Now the plan was for Jack to go this one alone. Eddie had written down the number of a Card place that he'd be at, and when Jack was ready, he would call, and Eddie would pick him up outside the place. He warned him that if he found himself getting in over his head — to just "hang it up" and make the call. He let him off a couple of doors ahead of the entrance of the place and said: "Now when you call, I'll pick you up right here ok". Jack replied: "Ok 'bro' I'm a rarein' to go!"

In about 3 hours, Eddie got the call to go pickup Jack. It took him about 25 minutes to get there, and Jack was waiting out side, just as they had planned. After they got underway, Eddie said: "well now, I made me about \$400 – what happened with you?"

He said: "I did pretty good - around \$300 when I made the call." He then commenced to explain all the action he had gotten into, along with the names and all, and how everything went.

After all of that he said: "Oh, and I almost forgot to tell something that might interest you – I don't know. Anyway, after I called you, this Knockout gal came up to me and said "Hello Jack, where's your partner Frisco Eddie?"

Eddie almost hollered back: "Well for God's sake man, what was her name?" Jack replied with: "Well now, I'm not entirely sure, but I think that – maybe it was....

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Late Addition to "Upcoming Events" from Canada...

The Canadian Shuffleboard Championships are being held in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Oct. 7th - 12th, 2002 at the Radisson Hotel Calgary Airport, 2120-16th Avenue NE. Hosted by the Southern Alberta Shuffleboard Association (SASA). The top players from Vancouver Island & British Columbia, Southern & Northern Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba & 2 charters in Ontario compete in the following 5 events: Mixed Doubles, Men's & Ladies Singles, & Men's & Ladies Doubles. We are looking for unique items for door prizes and hoping that you may consider donating such an item. We are looking for donations such as your club's &/or bar T-shirts, hats, etc. The participant's would be surprised to receive a door prize from your part of the world. Our sponsors will be posted at the tournament as well as on our website. For more information on the Southern Alberta

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