

# **Basketball Dream Team**

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- 1) Keeping up with all my work
- 2) I'm unsure about some work that I have done before
- 3) My benchmark for algebra

## **Introduction**

My plot is going to be about how a basketball team can become a family that is strong with each other. The characters are Cater, Jayden, Kareem, Qadir, and Nydir. Qadir and Nydie are twins. They're all from Philly. They are trying to create a new basketball team for the world. They are bettering themselves from the streets so they don't get in trouble with people they are not supposed to be hanging with. They played ball all their lives and have been able to stay out of the way and chase the dreams they dreamed of. So, they decided to create a new group for themselves and try to make a name in the city and country. The team was going to be called the dreamers because it was a big inspiration to them. They all dreamed of being good at basketball and going to be recognized in the streets of ball. Lots of people don't realize that basketball ain't easy but it's not hard. You have to practice and practice till you get better at something. So they practice and practice until they get better than everybody else. They're trying to find a coach for their team since The other coach quit

## ***Qadir.***

When qadir met his team mates before their coach got fired. He thought the team mates were going to be bad. B turned out to be some of the best players to ever play in their league. So, Qadir took it to himself to practice so he can get just like his teammates. He does this because he doesn't wanna hold up the team and rely on them doing all the work. All of his team mates see this and they all think "he should be team captain" they all said. They all agreed because he has been working and hustling to catch up with the best people in their league. The old coach brought him into the gym where everyone was practicing. Kareem said "we came to the conclusion that you should become our team leader for our basketball team". He was surprised when he heard that because he thought someone else was going to be the captain. He hugged everyone on his team saying "I really appreciate yall for this chance of being team captain." Like this is the best thing I could wish for".

The next day they had school. Qadir and nydir both left to go to school. Nydir and Qadir are both twins born 10 minutes apart. They go to the school called chrystl ray. They got a free scholarship from them because of how good they were. Now it's their sophomore year of high school playing basketball. They have a game in a week or 2. It's their first home game for their school. They have been practicing and practicing for a

week and a half straight. The last 4 days they had to come up with a game plan and how they are going to have the advantage.

## **Nydir**

*Nydir is the other twin of the family. Nydir also plays for the same team as qadir.. His position is a shooting guard. He is really good at making three point shots if his life depends on it. "I'm really the best player of the team" he thinks. He thinks that's because of how many points and rebounds he gets every game he starts and plays. The whole friend group decides to go to the same school because he knows that everyone can make the team first tryout. So while they are on their way to tryouts, these people come and try to get them to play 5 on 5. They played 5v5 because they said they were scared of playing them. When the game was at game point Nydir said " I'm OPEN!! "Pass the ball," Nydir said. He shot the ball towards the rim, and hit the game winning shot of the game at 21. When they were done with the game they all said "good game" they all said to each other.*

*Nydir and his team mates have finally got to the tryout because of the delay from the game they played in the park. They all explained Why they were late to the tryouts. The coach accepted the situation only because they had to play them. They had their*

*tryouts and the coach told them that he will give the results to their homeroom teacher because they have him at the beginning of the day. The next 2 days they finally get their results on who made the team. They read the paper and they all made the team, they were very excited to see they all made it on the team. Nydir and Qadir couldn't wait to tell their mom that they made the team first try on their 3rd day of school. Nydir had to keep his GPA up above 3.0. He has a 2.7 GPA as of the current time. So, for the past couple of days and weeks he has been getting tutored for a better GPA. When he finally had gotten his GPA to a 2.9. His coach noticed that he has been working hard on trying to get grade and GPA up in the amount of time that he needed. Him and his coach had a talk saying "I will allow you to play, only because of how good you have been working" the coach said. Nydir said " Thanks coach, I really appreciate the opportunity". Nydir was really happy because he could finally play ball again.*

## **Jayden**

*Jayden is the forward On the team. He's 16 years old in 10th grade. Jayden has been cool with Nydir, Qadir for about 4 years. He met them through their old school because he transferred to the school they were at before. But one day Jayden brug some friends with him to practice. One of his friends said something under his breath saying "They aren't even all that good" he said under his breath. Nydir heard him say that which caused him to say 'If you're better than me, play me 1 on 1". He replied saying "you're not like that bro, you're just trash". The coach stopped them from arguing with each other. When they all left practice they decided to go to the park so Nydir and Jayden's friend can play him 1 on 1. They started playing and Nydir was already up by 5*

*in the first 2 mins of the game. It made Jayden's friend mad because he was trying his hardest to beat. Jayden's friend finally states his name to Nydir. He said " my name is Jahsir". But on the next play Nydir still has the ball, he tries to hit him with a nasty juke for the game winning. But Jahsir didn't like that so he pushed him to the ground which caused them to fight. Jayden took Jahsir's side which Nydir was surprised by. He said "You really gon take his side after all the things I did for you is sad". They all finally walked away.*

## **Kareem**

*Kareem Perspective of the fight was weird because he chose some people that he just met this year. Nydir and Jayden have been friends for over 5 years. Kareem had a talk with nydir because he was trying to figure out why this happened. Nydir tells Kareem "Jayden has been acting weird lately and has been trying to fight me all the time". This caused them to stop coming to practice because of the incident. Kareem tried to get Nydir to come back to practice. Kareem say's this to him "It's not okay to miss practice and just come to the games only". Weeks later.... Kareem tried to get Nydir and Jayden to come together and talk about it. Nydir said " No, I'm not talking to that snake at all". But jayden said he'll try to talk to him. When it was practice time they all came but nydir camelot because he told the coach that "someone robbed me on the way here to practice". But It turned out to be one of Jayden's friends. So Jayden came over to him and said "sorry for everything, I can get all your stuff back for you" "He hugged him". They finally made up but later on that day he returned his stuff and went back home. The next day Nydir and his team mates had gotten a call from his mother*

*saying "Jayden got shot and lost his life last night. Now the whole team is sad and not wanting to attend the funeral but they had to so they can comfort the mother of Jayden. Everyone had gotten a chance to speak and say how they feel about jayden himself and how he impacted them.*