Sonic Christmas Exploit

Chapter One

It was Christmas Eve. Sonic was lying in bed. When he woke up, he looked out the window and saw a lot of snow outside. He smiles as he watches the snowfall.

Sonic: Wow! Look at all the snow!

(Sonic jumps out of bed and went to get his winter outfit on)

Sonic: Looks like I got everything I need. I think I'll go for a walk.

Sonic opens the front door and walks outside. He walks through town as the snowflakes fell. As he is walking, he saw Cream and Vanilla building a snowman together. He also noticed the Chaotix having a snowball fight with Silver, Blaze and Marine. Sonic then passed by a cafe when he heard a familiar voice.

Voice: Hey, Sonic! Over here!

Sonic looks behind him and smiles. He saw Amy Rose walking towards the cafe. He then gave her a hug.

Sonic: I see you're in a good mood.

Amy: You bet. Look at all this snow!

Sonic: It sure is lovely.

Amy: Want to head inside the cafe? I was thinking about getting something to drink.

Sonic: Sure, I'm in.

When they walked inside the cafe, they saw Knuckles and Tails over by one of the tables. They also noticed Tangle, Whisper and Jewel having a conversation by another table. Big was over by the counter, serving coffee and donuts to some of the customers when he noticed Sonic and Amy.

Big: Welcome, Sonic and Amy.

Sonic: Hi, Big.

Big: What would you like?

Amy: Coffee, please.

Big: Coming up.

(Sonic and Amy walked over to Knuckles and Tails who were having some donuts)

Sonic: What's up, guys?

(Knuckles and Tails looked behind them)

Both: Hey, Sonic.

Sonic and Amy took their seats next to Knuckles and Tails. After Big gave Sonic and Amy their coffee, Knuckles and Tails offered some of the donuts they received to them, and they began chatting about their plans for when Christmas comes.

Amy: So, any news today?

Knuckles: Now that you mention it, I heard Shadow came to town the other day.

Amy: I wonder why he's here.

Tails looks at the clock and remembers something.

Tails: Hey, guys. I remembered something.

Sonic: What is it, Tails?

(Tails took a quick sip of coffee)

Tails: There is going to be a town meeting in five or so minutes.

Sonic: Well, in that case...

(Sonic takes one last sip of his coffee before setting it down)

Sonic: We better go!

(The others agreed and left the cafe)

Five minutes later, a lot of people arrived for the town meeting. Sonic and a lot of his friends noticed Sally Acorn along with Bunnie, Antoine, Mina, Rotor and Julie-Su on a large stage.

Sally: I have regret to inform all of you that Station Square doesn't have enough money to pay for this year's Christmas festival.

Vanilla: Does that mean that the festival will be cancelled?

Sally: No. Fortunately, these people have volunteered to run the festival.

Chris turns to five silhouette figures. They walked onto the stage, revealing themselves to be Shadow, Rouge and the Babylon Rogues.

Tails: It's Shadow and Rouge!

Amy: And the Babylon Rogues are with them, too.

(Shadow clears his throat)

Shadow: Now that we're in charge, there will be lots of changes around here. There will be more rules and the punishments will be more severe.

(Rouge and Wave walked off)

Jet: To show you all that we are serious, Rouge and Wave will launch Cream the Rabbit from a catapult.

Rouge and Wave were standing by a catapult with Cream inside of it and they were about to launch her from it. The entire crowd gasped at what they saw. Vanilla shocked by seeing her daughter in this current situation, climbed onto the stage. She then got in front of the catapult and held out her arms, hoping to stop them.

Vanilla: I won't let you hurt my daughter! Let her go!

(Rouge and Wave looked at each other and smiled)

Suddenly, Vanilla was on a catapult with Cream.

Cream: Well, you tried, mom.

Vanilla: I know, Cream.

Wave: Now, Rouge and I are going to launch these two rabbits into the sun.

Storm: Uh... I hate to say this, but I don't think the catapult has that far of range.

(Jet sighs in annoyance)

Jet: Just launch them wherever, then!

Wave: As you wish.

Rouge: Enjoy the flight, girls.

Rouge and Wave fired the catapult, sending Cream and Vanilla flying out of the city and through the snowstorm.

(Shadow turns to the rest of the crowd)

Shadow: This meeting is over!

Miles away from Station Square, Cream and Vanilla were sent flying in the air by the catapult. Suddenly, they landed in a pile of snow. Vanilla managed to pull herself out of the snow when she noticed Cream was still stuck in it.

Vanilla: Cream, are you okay, dear?

Cream: Define "Okay".

(Vanilla grabs Cream's legs and pulls her out of the snow)

Cream: Thank you for that.

Vanilla: You're welcome.

Cream and looked around, but all they saw was snow.

Vanilla: Where are we?

Cream: Far away from Station Square from the looks of it.

Vanilla: So, what do we do now?

Cream: Find a way home.

Vanilla: In that case, let's go, Cream.

Cream: Right behind you.

Cream and Vanilla started walking through the snow, hoping to find their way home.

Chapter Two

Shadow and Rouge were walking through Station Square. Charmy was talking to Vector and Espio. He was holding a letter in his hand.

Vector: What's that you got there, Charmy?

Charmy: I have written a letter to Chris Thorndyke. Perhaps he can help get Sally Acorn and the rest of the Freedom Fighters of Knothole back.

Espio: You're a genius sometimes, Charmy.

Vector: Let's head for the post office. Hopefully, it's still open.

Little did they know, Shadow heard the conversation.

Shadow: I beg to differ,

(Shadow took out a Chaos Emerald and uses Chaos Control)

Suddenly, Shadow took the letter out of Charmy's hands. And to make things more humiliating, he pulled his pants down to his ankles. Shadow was then next to Rouge with the letter in his hand before turning to the Chaotix.

Charmy: Huh? Where's the letter? And did it get colder all of the sudden?

(Vector and Espio looked down in surprise)

Both: Uh... Charmy?

Charmy: What?

(They pointed down)

Charmy looked down and was shocked to see his pants were around his ankles and his underwear on full display. He was wearing white briefs with yellow trim and his logo printed on them.

Charmy: Oh, for crying out loud!

(Charmy pulls his pants up)

Charmy: I hope no one saw that.

Shadow tore the letter in half and walks off.

Shadow: All too easy.

Rouge: Nice one, Shadow.

As they walked away, Cosmo walked up to them with flyer before tapping Rouge and Shadow on the shoulders.

Cosmo: Excuse me, can you please donate medicine to the orphanage? There's a lot of humans and mobians in need.

(Shadow and Rouge stopped for a moment before turning to Cosmo)

Rouge: Maybe if you got a job, you could buy it yourself.

(Cosmo held her head down sadly when she heard this)

Shadow: Lazy kids.

Sonic, Amy, Knuckles and Tails were watching as Shadow and Rouge were walking by.

Sonic: We have to get Sally and the others back!

Amy: Agreed! Shadow, Rouge and the Babylon Rogues have been causing trouble since they took over.

Tails: I think I have a plan!

Knuckles: You do?

Tails: Come by my workshop and I'll explain it there.

Later that evening, Sonic, Knuckles and Amy have met up with Tails at his workshop. They began discussing the plan.

Sonic: Is everyone here?

Knuckles: Yes.

Tails: Since it's Christmas Eve, we should do this during the night when everyone will be indoors.

Amy: Okay. So, what's the plan?

Tails took out some blueprints and showed them the plan.

Tails: We will have to split up into two teams. Amy and Knuckles will sneak into the G.U.N. Base. Meanwhile, Sonic and I will sneak into the sewers.

Amy: Knuckles and I will sneak inside to steal the Chaos Emeralds, but according to Tails, the door to the chamber that the Chaos Emeralds are in is electronically locked.

Sonic: So, Tails and I are going to sneak into the sewer to shut off the power?

Tails: Yes. According to the blueprints, that's where the generator is hidden.

Amy: You'll need explosives.

Tails: Not to worry, I made a bomb out of some parts of Eggman's old robots, just in case.

Sonic: Okay. Good plan, Tails.

(The others agreed)

Amy: Wait, after we get the Chaos Emeralds, how will we pay for the festival?

Knuckles: I don't know.

Tails: Maybe we can ask some of our friends to help raise money for the festival at Station Square. Some of them must want to help us!

Sonic: We can worry about that later. For now, let's focus on the plan to get the Chaos Emeralds from the G.U.N. Base.

All: Okay.

Little did the group know, Rouge was looking through the window, hearing the conversation.

Rouge: So, Sonic and the others are planning on sneaking in the G.U.N. Base to steal the Chaos Emeralds. Not for long. I better tell the others. (Quietly) Man, if I had a ring for every time that I ironically said that.

Rouge flew off to the G.U.N. Base. When she arrived, she noticed Shadow was in his office, talking to the Babylon Rogues. They all noticed her walking in and closing the door.

Rouge: Shadow! Sonic and the others are planning on stealing the Chaos Emeralds!

Shadow: Don't worry, Rouge. We can stop them.

Wave: Thanks for the info, Rouge. When they come, we'll be ready for them.

Jet: Agreed. Let's get ready for when they arrive.

(Storm cracks his knuckles)

Storm: I'll guard the sewer.

Meanwhile, miles away from Station Square, Cream and Vanilla were still walking through the snow.

Cream: Hey, mom. How long have we been walking?

(Vanilla looks at her watch only to see that it was frozen solid)

Vanilla: I don't know, Cream. My watch is frozen.

Cream: Best guess?

Vanilla: I'd say about three hours.

(Cream thought for a moment)

Cream: Feel like four.

(Vanilla shrugs)

Vanilla: Could be.

As the two rabbits kept walking, they saw a house up ahead through the snow.

Vanilla: Hold the phone. Is that a house over there?

Cream: It is! Maybe someone inside can help us.

Cream and Vanilla ran towards the house. When they got there, Cream knocked on the door. Suddenly, the door opened. When they looked, Cream and Vanilla couldn't believe who was standing at the doorway. It was Santa Claus.

Both: Santa!

Santa: Hello, Cream and Vanilla.

Vanilla: Can you please help me, and my daughter get home? We've been wandering in the snow for a while.

Santa: Why, certainly. I just finished getting the sleigh ready. What happened, may I ask?

Cream: It's a long story. We'll explain on the way home.

Santa: Very well. Come with me.

Cream and Vanilla walked inside. After Santa offered them some hot chocolate along with some candy canes and gingerbread cookies, he brought them to his sleigh. Before long, they were all onboard the sleigh and it flew off into the snowy night. Cream and Vanilla explained to Santa about what was going on in Station Square, ending with them being launched from a catapult. Santa was shocked upon hearing all of it.

Santa: Don't worry you two. I know what to do.

Chapter Three

Later that night, Shadow was asleep in his bed. He was dreaming about an old friend from Space Colony ARK. Not just any old friend, it was Maria Robotnik. One night, Maria was talking to Shadow about Christmas, saying that it was a joyous time for celebration and that it brought peace to everyone on Earth. Shadow smiles, thinking about how much fun Christmas sounds, but all that changed when G.U.N. came to Space Colony ARK.

Shadow suddenly woke up, remembering what happened to Maria. He sighs before looking out the window, watching the snowflakes fall down. He gets up and walked towards the fireplace before sitting down in a big red chair. As he leans back into the chair, he watches the fire, thinking about Space Colony ARK. When his last thought was about Maria, he held his head down and gave a sad sigh.

Shadow: I'm sorry, Maria.

Later that night, Sonic, Tails, Amy and Knuckles have arrived at the G.U.N. Base. Remembering the plan, Sonic and Tails walked towards a nearby manhole cover and after opening it, they snuck into the sewers. Meanwhile, Knuckles and Amy snuck into the G.U.N. Base through the front door. When they made it inside however, the lights turned on and revealed Rouge along with Jet and Wave.

Amy: It's Jet, Wave and Rouge!

(Amy takes out her hammer and Knuckles narrows his eyes while cracking his fists)

Wave: Rouge told us about your plan to steal the Chaos Emeralds.

Jet: We won't let the three of you pass!

Knuckles: Well, it's a good thing we came prepared.

Amy: Right.

Suddenly, the door opens, and Silver and Blaze walked in.

Rouge: Silver and Blaze? Wait, I thought you two were having a Christmas party back at your dimension.

Silver: We were, until Sonic called us and told us what happened in Station Square.

(Rouge looks at Amy and Knuckles in surprise)

Amy: Funny story.

(Flashback)

Earlier that evening, Sonic and the others were about to get ready for the plan. However, Amy had a thought.

Amy: Hey, guys, I just thought of something.

Knuckles: What is it?

Amy: What if the others find out about our plan?

Knuckles: You mean, they might set up a trap for us?

Tails: Knowing Rouge, Shadow and the Babylon Rogues, I wouldn't be surprised.

(Sonic snaps his fingers)

Sonic: I have an idea.

Amy: What is it?

Sonic: I'll call Silver and Blaze. I'm sure they can help even up the odds.

Tails: Good thinking. We'll need all the help we can get.

(Sonic took out his cell phone and calls Silver and Blaze)

Meanwhile, Silver and Blaze were getting ready for a Christmas party. Silver had just finished getting the house decorated while Blaze was setting up food around the table.

Silver: So far, so good. Looks like the house is almost ready for the party.

Blaze: Indeed. By the way, where's Marine? She's usually not one to miss a party.

Silver: Oh, I haven't seen her since she went out to deliver some gifts around town.

Suddenly, they hear the phone ringing.

Blaze: Now, who could that be?

Silver: I'll get it.

(Silver uses his telepathy to pick up the phone and answers it)

Silver: Hello?

Sonic: Hey, Silver.

Silver: Hey, Sonic. What's up?

Sonic: We have a plan to bring Christmas back to Station Square and we need your help.

Silver: Really? How so?

Sonic: First of all, is Blaze with you?

Silver: Yeah, why?

Sonic: She might want to hear this as well.

Silver: Okay. Hang on.

(Silver turns to Blaze)

Silver: Hey, Blaze!

Blaze: Yes?

Silver: Sonic wants to talk to us.

Blaze: What's it about?

Silver: Something about bringing Christmas back to Station Square.

(Blaze walked towards him)

Blaze: Well, let's hear it.

Sonic begins explaining the plan to Silver and Blaze, starting with what happened to Cream and Vanilla. He told them that their plan was to sneak into the G.U.N. Base and steal the Chaos Emeralds. However, Sonic believed they could have a trap waiting for them. When he was finished explaining, Silver and Blaze were silent for a moment.

Sonic: Are you guys alright?

Blaze: I'll turn their bones into... ashes!

Blaze suddenly transformed into her super form, startling Silver.

Blaze: I'll feel their hearts burn in my hands!

Silver: Blaze, calm down! It's not worth it! Especially on Christmas!

(Blaze sighs)

Blaze: You're right, Silver.

Blaze returns back to normal before picking up the phone.

Blaze: Sorry about that, Sonic. Cream and Vanilla were two of my closest friends, next to Silver, Marine, Tails and you. We'll be right over.

Sonic: Okay, see you soon.

(Sonic hangs up)

Sonic They'll be right over.

Amy: That's great, Sonic!

Tails: I guess we should get ready for tonight.

Knuckles Might as well.

The group then went their separate ways, getting ready for the mission.

(End flashback)

Amy: We figured you guys might try something, so we called them.

Wave: Doesn't matter, we'll still stop you.

(Blaze held out her hands and flames appeared in her palms)

Blaze: Try us.

Wave took out her wrench and Jet took out his war fans. They start charging at them. Rouge swings a kick at Amy, but she blocks it with her hammer. Meanwhile, Sonic and Tails made it into the sewer and were heading towards the generator.

Sonic: How close are we, Tails?

(Tails looks at his radar)

Tails: Well, according to the radar, the generator should be close by.

Little did they know, Storm was waiting for them by the generator.

Storm: Here they come.

Before long, Sonic and Tails reached the generator.

Tails: Here it is. Now, to set the bomb.

Tails opens his bag and takes out the bomb. But before he could set the timer, Storm jumps out from the shadows.

Storm: Not tonight, you two!

Storm throws a punch, but Sonic jumps over him, dodging it. Tails looks back at the fight.

Sonic: Tails, get the bomb ready! I'll hold off Storm!

Tails: You got it!

(Tails gets the bomb ready)

Back at the G.U.N. Base, Jet was swinging his war fans at Knuckles, but he quickly dodges them. Wave swings her wrench at Amy who was blocking it with her hammer. Blaze was throwing fireballs at Rouge who was flying passed them without getting hit by even one of them. Silver was using his telepathy to help his friends by throwing items and debris at the others, but to no avail.

Silver: This is not good! We have to get those Chaos Emeralds!

Amy: Well, I hope that Sonic and Tails are doing better than us!

Back in the sewer, Storm grabs a rock and throws it at Sonic. Although he manages to dodge it in the nick of time, the rock was getting straight towards Tails who was almost finished with the bomb.

Sonic: Tails, look out!

Tails: Huh?

Tails looked, but before he had time to react, the rock knocked the bomb out of his hands. It went flying in the air.

Tails: Oh, no! The bomb!

Tails flew up to try and grab it, but Storm grabbed him by one of his legs. Sonic noticed this and ran to help his best friend. Seeing that the bomb was still in the air, he had to think quick. That's when he had an idea. He jumped over Tails and Storm and was headed straight for the bomb.

Sonic: Tails, get down!

(Sonic kicks the bomb)

Tails saw what Sonic was doing and not wasting time, he quickly ducked. Storm didn't have time to react as the bomb flew towards him and exploded, knocking him into the water. Tails got up with a sigh of relief. Sonic lands in front of him.

Sonic: Are you okay, Tails?

Tails: Yeah, I'm fine. But we lost the bomb. How can we complete the mission without it now?

(Sonic and Tails looked down sadly)

Sonic: We might as well leave.

Sonic and Tails walked towards the sewer entrance and climbed out. After they left the sewer, they decided to start walking home. Little did they know, there was something flying in the air behind them. Just when Sonic and Tails were about to leave the G.U.N. Base, they saw a group of reindeer and a sleigh heading towards them. To their surprise, it was Santa Claus and sitting in his sleigh were Cream and Vanilla.

Tails: Santa!

Sonic: And he brought Cream and Vanilla with him!

Santa: Hello, Sonic and Tails.

Sonic looks at Cream and Vanilla who were smiling at him.

Sonic: How did you two meet Santa

Vanilla: Long story short, Cream and I were walking through the snow, hoping to find our way home when we found Santa's house.

Cream: He was getting ready to deliver presents, so he decided to give us a lift home.

Sonic: Wow.

Santa: They told me you were planning on bringing the Christmas spirit back to Station Square.

Tails: That's the plan, although things didn't go well.

Santa: Well, you're in luck. I have something for you.

Santa takes out a present and gives it to Tails. When he opened it, he was surprised at what he saw. It was another bomb.

Tails: A new bomb!

Sonic noticed a note attached to the bomb. It said, "Bring the Christmas spirit back to Station Square".

Sonic: How did you know about this?

Santa: Cream and Vanilla told me what was going on and I thought you could use some help.

Sonic: Well, thank you, Santa.

Tails: And thank you, Cream and Vanilla.

Vanilla: You're very welcome, dear. By the way, Santa, Cream and I never expected you to have a bomb with you.

Santa: Well, it's just for emergencies. You never know one day.

Vanilla: I'll take your word for it.

(Cream yawns)

Cream: Mom, I think we should head for home. I could really use a good night sleep tonight.

Vanilla: You and me both, Cream. Santa, can you take me and my daughter home?

Santa: As you wish.

(Santa looks at Sonic and Tails)

Santa: Have a Merry Christmas!

And then, Santa flew off in his sleigh, taking Cream and Vanilla with him. Sonic and Tails waved goodbye before looking at each other.

Tails: Now that Santa gave us this new bomb, we can finish the mission.

Sonic: Let’s go! Hopefully, we’re not too late to help the rest.

Sonic and Tails ran back into the sewers, hoping they weren't too late to help the rest of their friends. Meanwhile, as Sonic and Tails were inside the sewers, Knuckles knocked back Jet with an uppercut. Silver noticed this and used his telepathy to throw Jet at Wave, knocking them both out. Amy catches Wave's wrench and seeing that Rouge distracted by Blaze. she throws the wrench at her. Rouge manages to dodge one more fireball until she noticed the wrench and catches it.

Back in the sewers, Tails was setting up the bomb. He sets the timer for two minutes and placed it in front of the generator.

Tails: There, the bomb's ready.

Sonic: Excellent work, Tails! Now, let's move! The others might need our help.

Tails: You don't have to tell me more than once!

(They start running as the timer starts counting down)

Rouge landed in front of Amy, holding the wrench in her hands. The others were about to surround her, but Amy and Knuckles told Silver and Blaze to stay back.

Rouge: Even if you beat me, you won't get the Chaos Emeralds.

Amy: Want to bet?

(Amy charges at Rouge with her hammer)

Back outside, Sonic and Tails made it out of the sewer. They grabbed the manhole cover and closed the sewer.

Tails: Made it out just in time. The bomb will go off any minute.

Sonic: Let's join the others. They've probably found the Emeralds by now.

Tails: Okay.

(Sonic and Tails ran off)

Meanwhile, the bomb was counting down and the second it hit zero, it exploded, taking out the generator. There was a huge explosion in the sewer and the manhole cover was sent flying. Back inside the G.U.N. Base, Rouge was fighting Knuckles and Amy when she heard the explosion. When she looked outside, Knuckles punched her in the stomach and Amy whacked her in the head with her hammer, knocking her out cold. Jet heard the explosion as well, but when he started getting up, the manhole cover came crashing through the ceiling and landed on Jet's head, knocking him out cold.

Knuckles: I guess the others destroyed the generator.

Amy: Now we can get the Chaos Emeralds!

Before long, Sonic and Tails made it inside the G.U.N. Base, seeing that their friends won the fight.

Sonic: Looks like the others got into a big fight while we were busy.

Tails: Lucky thing you called Silver and Blaze when you did.

Amy: Sonic and Tails, what happened in the sewers?

Sonic: We’ll explain later. For now, let’s get the Chaos Emeralds.

They all walked into the next room and found the Chaos Emeralds sitting on a pedestal.

Blaze: There’s the Chaos Emeralds on that pedestal over there.

(They walked towards it)

Blaze: Let’s hurry and grab them before Shadow comes!

Amy: Agreed.

Knuckles grabs the Chaos Emeralds and puts them into a bag. Afterwards, the group left the G.U.N. Base, taking the Chaos Emeralds with them. Meanwhile, as Sonic and his friends left with the Chaos Emeralds, Shadow was sitting alone in his chair when he heard a door open.

(Shadow looks back)

Shadow: Who's there?

Shadow got up to see where the noise was coming from. However, all he saw was a present. Curious, Shadow opened the present. Suddenly, to his surprise, it was a photo of Maria and Gerald Robotnik.

Shadow: A photo of Maria and Gerald Robotnik?

He then noticed a small note attached to the back of the picture. Shadow took the note and read it. The note said, "Merry Christmas, Shadow the Hedgehog". He then noticed a disc that was also attached to the back of the picture. When Shadow took the disc and played, he saw Maria and Gerald Robotnik leaving a recorded message for him.

Gerald: Shadow, if you're hearing this message, Maria and I have something to tell you.

Maria: It's about Christmas, Shadow. It's a special holiday on Earth for friends and family to get together and have some holiday fun.

Gerald: Wish we could take you to Earth so you can see it firsthand, but... well, you'll know when the time comes.

Maria: Also, Shadow, it's not about the gifts, it's about spending time with the people who care about you.

(Shadow had a tear in his eyes as he watches the recording)

Maria and Gerald Robotnik explained everything they knew about Christmas. Before the message came to an end, these were the final words they said.

Both: Merry Christmas, Shadow the Hedgehog.

And then, the recording came to an end. Afterwards, Shadow thought about what they said. Christmas is a time to spend the holidays with the people you care about. He smiles and stands up from his chair.

Shadow: I know what I must do. I just hope that I'm not too late.

Shadow runs off to make amends. Little did he know, Santa Claus was watching him from the window.

Santa: Now that’s what I call a happy ending. There’s always time to make amends during Christmas. Well, time to head home. Christmas is coming.

(Santa hops on his sleigh and flew off)

Meanwhile, Chris Thorndyke was at home, walking to his bedroom when he noticed a present on his bed. Raising an eyebrow, Chris opened the present and saw an envelope. Surprisingly, it was the note Charmy was going to send to him, but got torn in half. However, it was repaired with tape. Chris opened the envelope and when he saw the letter that was inside it, he read it with a heavy heart, hearing about what was happening in Station Square.

Chris: Sonic and the others need help. Now to worry, my family and I will pay for the festival! I better call my parents.

The next day, it was now Christmas Day. After Sonic and his friends retrieved the Chaos Emeralds, Chris was able to pay for the Christmas festival and the Chaos Emeralds were given to Sally Acorn and the Freedom Fighters. Rouge told everyone in Station Square about Shadow’s actions and has now seen the error of his ways, seeing that he was now making amends for his past mistakes. Later that day, Shadow and Rouge stopped by the orphanage.

(Rouge knocks on the door and Cosmo opens it)

Cosmo: Shadow and Rouge? Why are you here?

Rouge: Shadow has a special gift for the orphanage.

Cosmo: Really? What is it?

Rouge: I’ll show you. Shadow, bring it in!

Suddenly, Shadow walks into the orphanage with a box full of medicine, candy canes and Christmas cards. This surprised Cosmo and everyone in the orphanage.

Shadow: Free candy and medicine for everyone!

(Everyone in the orphanage cheered)

Cosmo: Thank you, Shadow!

Later that day, everyone was celebrating at the Christmas festival. Everyone was having a great time celebrating Christmas Day together. As for Sonic and Shadow, they were standing at the tallest building in Station Square with the Chaos Emeralds. They could see all of their friends were having a lot of fun. As they looked at each other, all they could do is smile.

Sonic: So, Shadow, what made you see the error of your ways?

Shadow: Well, Sonic, let’s just say I had help… from some very special friends.

(Sonic smiles, knowing what he meant by that)

Sonic: Merry Christmas, Shadow.

Shadow: Merry Christmas, Sonic.

Suddenly, the Chaos Emeralds started surrounding them and then, Sonic and Shadow transformed into their super forms. With a smile on their faces, the two hedgehogs flew over Station Square, catching the attention of all of their friends. Little did they know, J.C. the Hybrid and Suki the Wolf were watching them fly by as they were narrating the rest of the story.

J.C.: After bringing the Christmas spirit back to Station Square, Sonic and Shadow transformed into their super forms and flew off into the sky.

Suki: However, they told their friends that they promise to return to them if they are ever needed again.

Both: Some humans and mobians heard them say as they flew out of sight…

(Sonic and Shadow waved as they flew through the sky)

Sonic and Shadow: Merry Christmas to all, and to all a good night!