

RAYMOND IN LEGOLAND

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Chapter 1



Raymond The Engineer

Raymond is his name. He lives in China in Wenzhou with his parents. What Raymond loves to do is to make things with his Legos. Mostly he makes things from Star Wars. Darth Vader is his favorite character. He can sound just like him.

He creates new things from his Legos that are not part of the instructions. He makes guns, rockets, and robots. He likes to make new fighters using parts that would usually make an A Wing, X_Wing, Y Wing, TIE Fighter, and the hardest, the Imperial Star Destroyer. From the parts he collected, he designs his own fighters.

One day, while he was working on a new craft, he heard a voice. It was deep and dark.

“Raymond! What are you doing?” the voice asked.

“Huh? Who’s there?” Raymond looked around.

“Why are you making a new fighter?” the voice asked.

“Huh? Who are you?” Raymond asked.

“I’m Darth Vader. We need you to make a new fighter to help us defeat the

Resistance. Will you help us?” Darth Vader’s voice filled the room.

In the corner of his room, on a shelf, Raymond saw his Lego Darth Vader. It was talking to him.



Lego Darth Vader

“What the How are you talking to me?” Raymond asked.

“I’m going to turn you into a Lego man and then you will help us make a new fighter. Do you want to come with me?” Lego Darth Vader asked.

“I guess so. What do I need to do?” Raymond responded.

Just then Raymond looked at his hands. They were Lego hands. He was very small and was standing on the shelf next to Lego Darth Vader.

“What happened to me!” Raymond exclaimed.

“You are now a Lego man. You will help us build our new Star Fighter. We will call it the Ray Wing Fighter, you know, the Raymond Wing,” Darth Vader explained, trying to make Raymond excited.

“What am I supposed to do?” Raymond asked.

“JUMP!” Darth Vader yelled as he jumped off the shelf into the box of Legos sitting on the floor.

Raymond looked down. It was a long way to the box.

Darth Vader waved at Raymond to join him. Raymond jumped.

“IEEEEEEEE!” he screamed as he fell farther and farther.

‘THUNK’, he hit the box, but he was OK.

“You need to find the pieces for the new fighter. You have only two days to build the perfect ship. If you fail, you will remain a Lego man forever,” Darth Vader explained. “You will return to your normal self after you are finished. Darth Sidious

turned me into a Lego man. If you fail I will remain like this forever as well. You cannot fail!”

“But what if I don’t want to help you? What if I want to help the Resistance?” Raymond asked.

“Then you will die!!” Darth Vader answered.

“I need help. I can’t do this by myself, especially now that I am a Lego man,” Raymond said.

“No problem. We have many Lego men in this box who can help you build your ship. Just tell them what they need to do,” Darth Vader explained.

“But most of my best pieces are in my other Lego box, on my desk, and on my shelf. How can I get them?” Raymond asked.

“I can give you my lightsaber. You can cut a hole in the box and get what you need,” Darth Vader answered. “When you are finished, the hole in the box will disappear. Then you will have everything you need, OK?”



Pile of Legos

Raymond looked around. The Lego blocks began to move and out from under them appeared more and more Lego men and Lego women who were coming to help.

“I don’t remember having so many Lego men in my box,” Raymond said. “Where did they all come from?”

“We recruited new Lego people to help you from the kids in your class at school. They will stay here until you finish,” Darth Vader answered.

Raymond looked at the other Lego people and saw that they were his classmates. Raymond recognized them. His best friends Tony and Paul were

there. They were very happy to see Raymond.



Tony and Paul

Tony and Paul said together, “Darth Vader turned us into Lego men. Can you help us?”

“Darth Vader has told me that we must build a new fighter and we only have two days to finish. Do you think we can do this?” Raymond asked his friends.

“What are we supposed to do?” they asked Raymond.

“We have to build the Ray Wing Fighter before we can become normal again. Darth Vader told me this. We have to work hard, or we will be like this forever!” Raymond informed them.

“Where do we start?” they asked.

“Use this lightsaber to cut a hole in the side of the box. Take some of our friends with you and select the best pieces you can find and bring them here. Also, I have started a new fighter on my desk. I will need that, so we can build a better one,” Raymond gave instructions to Tony and Paul.

Tony cut the hole, and his team followed him across the floor to the other box.

Raymond worked with his friends to sort the blocks. The girls sorted them by color while the boys sorted by size and type of piece.

Then Raymond came up with a new plan.

“When we finish the first fighter we can put the design on my computer and use the 3-D printer to make more Ray Wing Fighters.”

Then he said to himself, thinking out loud, “I want to add a bomb onto each fighter.”

The workers were very helpful, and it didn't take long for Raymond to have all the pieces he needed to build the new Ray Wing Fighter.

He gave directions to everyone and they worked hard to make the Ray Wing Fighter the best design ever.



Ray Wing Fighter

The first fighter was ready in only twelve hours. Now it was time to send the design to the computer. This was going to be harder than normal because they were so small and only had Lego hands. One person was on each key. When Raymond used the force, they jumped into the air and pushed the keys, while he made sure the right information was on the monitor. When the plans were finished. One of the Lego people jumped on the enter key and then the 3-D printer began to work. Each Ray Wing fighter took about one minute to print. After twenty Ray Wing fighters were made, they stopped.

“How did you learn to use the force?” Tony asked.

“I don't have time to tell you that right now. I'll explain it to you later,” Raymond answered.

The Ray Wing fighters were lined up on Raymond's desk. There were blue ones, red ones, orange ones, purple ones, green ones and a black one just for Darth Vader.

Raymond said, “You guys must be tired. You've worked really hard. It's time sleep now. Darth Vader will be here in the morning to check on our work. Get some rest, you need it.”

They made Lego beds and then fell asleep. Everyone went to sleep except for Tony, Paul and Raymond.



Lego bed

Raymond whispered to them, “Guys, can you trust me? I have a secret to tell you. We will use the lightsaber against Darth Vader. If my plan works, we will turn back into humans. I will let you know what that is later. For now, we must finish these fighters for Darth Vader,” Raymond explained.

“What about our classmates?” Tony asked.

“Our classmates will return to normal too. The thing is, I don’t want Darth Vader to use our Ray Wing Fighters against the Resistance. Do you remember the explosion balls?”

“Yeah, we remember,” they answered.

“I made them so that they will explode immediately. That way when they are released from the Ray Wing fighter and they will blow up,” Raymond confided in his friends.

“That is so garious!” Paul said. “I wish we had thought of that.”

“OK, you will work with me while we put the explosion balls on the Ray Wing fighters. Our classmates can’t know. One of them might tell Darth Vader about our plan,” Raymond said, “and that would ruin everything.”

Then, taking the lightsaber Darth Vader had given him, he asked, “Can you guys work with me to remove the Kyber Crystal from the lightsaber? I want to make a special lightsaber for us. Darth Vader won’t know that we have our own lightsaber. It will be our protection, especially if we’re not turned back to normal again,” Raymond said to his friends.



Lightsabers

“Wow, that’s garious. What a great idea. I think we can make it work,” Tony was excited.

Paul worked on the lightsaber while Raymond and Tony put the explosion balls onto the Ray Wing Fighters. It took a long time.

When they were finished they met Paul.

“So, how did it go? Were you able to make a new lightsaber?” Tony asked.

“Yep, and it’s pretty garious if you ask me,” responded Paul.

He then handed it to Raymond.

“Can I try it out?” Raymond asked.

“Sure, just don’t point it at me,” Paul laughed.

Raymond pointed the lightsaber at the side of the box and ‘**Boom**’ a hole appeared.

“That works great!” Raymond exclaimed. “It’s better than I dreamed it would be. What about the old lightsaber?”

“It doesn’t work anymore, so we don’t have to be afraid of Darth Vader using it on us.” Paul responded.

“I think it’s time for us to get some rest. Darth Vader will be here in a few hours,” Raymond suggested.

They made Lego beds for themselves and fell asleep.

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VAROOM! A loud noise woke them up. It was Darth Vader and he had started the engines on the black Ray Wing Fighter.

“Uh Oh!” yelled out Raymond. “When did he get here?”

“We don’t know,” said Tony as he looked over at Paul, who shrugged his shoulders.

Raymond looked for the new lightsaber, but it was missing.

In a loud whisper, Raymond said, “Who took the lightsaber?”

Again, Tony and Paul had no idea.

“This’s not good, but I do have a plan ‘B’,” Raymond whispered again.

“What is that?” Paul questioned.

“I still have part of the Kyber Crystal here, so Paul can make another lightsaber quickly,” Raymond showed them the Kyber Crystal he had in his backpack.



Kyber Crystal

“It took me two hours the last time. What do you mean quickly?” Paul asked.

“We’ll help you. Since we know how the other one was built, we should be able to finish it in just two minutes,” Raymond answered.

“Are you crazy?” Paul stated.

“Nope, we can do this. Darth Vader’s real lightsaber is still here, we can put the Kyber Crystal in it and then use the 3-D printer to make as many lightsabers as we want,” Raymond suggested.

“Now, that’s a great idea! But how do we do this without Darth Vader finding out?” Tony asked.

“We can go into the door on the desk and then climb up the back. He will never see us. Besides, he is already playing with his new black Ray Wing fighter, so he’s distracted. He’ll never see us,” Raymond described his plan.

The three Lego men took the lightsaber and the Kyber Crystal with them as they began the journey to the computer. Along the way they recruited more of their friends to help them push the keys on the keyboard. It was becoming exciting, like a military mission.



Military Mission

“How many lightsabers are we going to make?” Tony asked.

“As many as we can before he finds out, but at least fifteen,” Raymond responded.

On the way Raymond explained his plan to his classmates, and they agreed that they needed to follow Raymond’s idea if they were ever going to become normal again.

Thirty minutes later they reached the computer. The Lego people got onto the keys and Raymond used the force once again to make them jump on the keys to program the 3-D printer to make the lightsabers.

They managed to make twenty lightsabers, when all of a sudden there was swooshing sound. Darth Vader’s black Ray Wing Fighter flew past them. He had figured out how to fly it.

“Do you think he knows what we are doing here,” asked Tony.

“I don’t think so. He is having too much fun flying the black Ray Wing Fighter and we are hidden in the desk, but we need to get back as quickly as we can. If he drops the explosion ball he may kill us all, as well as himself,” Raymond explained as he helped to pick up the new lightsabers to go back to the table where the Ray Wings were waiting.



Explosion Ball

“Why did we make twenty lightsabers? None of us know how to use them. If we try, we will be killed!” Tony added.

“You worry too much. We made them so we can scare Darth Vader. He doesn’t know that our classmates don’t know how to use them,” Raymond answered, a bit annoyed at Tony.

“But what about the force? Can lightsabers defeat the force?” Paul brought up an important fact.

“Yes, my lightsaber can, but his can’t. Remember we took out the Kyber Crystal,” Raymond answered.

“He has the one we made. He can use that one, right?” Tony questioned.

“Don’t worry, I have everything under control,” Raymond tried to reassure him.

“But that is not what I asked. What about the force? No one in the universe is stronger with the force than Darth Vader, everyone knows that,” Paul persisted.

“No, he isn’t. I have been training with my lightsaber every day. I have also been learning how to use the force. I’m sure that I can defeat him!” Raymond said very confidently.

“You’re crazy. No one is better with the force than Darth Vader. You’re going to be in big trouble if you try to challenge his use of the force,” Paul said directly at Raymond.

“We’ll see,” Raymond said pretty much ignoring Paul. “I’m sure I can win. I’ll challenge him, then you’ll understand.”

Then they heard another large VAROOM! It was Darth Vader returning from his test flight.

When he got out, he walked up to Raymond.

“This is the best craft I have ever flown! You have done an amazing job. And to top it off, you made twenty of them. We’ll have no problems with the Resistance. I’m going to recruit you and your friends to fly a mission against the Resistance,

and we will defeat them. After that you'll return to normal," Darth Vader explained his new plan.

"That was not part of the deal. You said if we made the planes you would make us normal again," Raymond was upset.

"I never said that. If you do this, then I will make you normal and I will make sure that you are rewarded for your bravery," Darth Vader said.

"OK, why not!" thinking that it might help them destroy the Empire, Raymond agreed. "We have included a special bomb on your ship. It is powerful enough to destroy an entire planet. There is a blue button on your console to release it when you are ready, but be careful, you need to be many kilometers away from your target or you will be destroyed as well."

Darth Vader turned to return to his ship, when Raymond yelled out, "One more thing Darth Vader. We need to have a lightsaber duel to see who will lead the ships into battle. I challenge you!"

"What? You want to challenge *me*?" Darth Vader said very surprised.

"Yes, I'm tired of listening to you. You think you are so great. Well, it's time for you to know who you really are. I'll prove to you that I'm better than you!"

Raymond tossed the lightsaber to Darth Vader. Raymond's lit up a bright blue, but when Darth Vader turned his on; nothing happened.

"What have you done? Why doesn't my lightsaber work?" Darth Vader was visibly surprised.

"No problem," Darth Vader commented, and then he used the force to turn on his lightsaber. "Now, you will die, you insolent young man!"

Darth Vader lunged at Raymond, but he just jumped out of the way and then hit Darth Vader on his back with the lightsaber sending sparks flying in all directions.

Darth Vader fell to the floor, surprised that Raymond had been able to hit him.

“How did you do that?” Darth Vader asked looking up at Raymond.

“I’ve been practicing. Can’t you tell?” he responded.

“Who trained you? Obi Wan Kenobi?” He asked.

“No, Master Yoda. He has been training me for a long time,” Raymond said proudly.



Yoda

“No wonder you were able to avoid my lightsaber, but you were lucky. Next time You will not be so smart. I know Master Yoda and I know his strategies,” Darth Vader informed Raymond.

“Not everything!” Raymond said as he spun in the air and delivered another blow to Darth Vader’s hand, cutting it off.

“OUCH!” yelled out Darth Vader. “Now you have really made me mad!”

Darth Vader jumped up and pointed his lightsaber at Raymond with his remaining hand.

“You know that I am a Lego man and that I can get another hand easily,” Darth Vader laughed.

“OK, your turn. You can now attack me. I will just stand here and wait,” Raymond taunted Darth Vader.

Darth Vader got upset.



Lightsaber Battle

“Do you think you are going to defeat me? How silly of a boy can you be?”
Darth Vader said with a grin in his voice.

“Come on man. I’m waiting for you,” Raymond answered calmly.

Paul and Tony were watching the battle.

Paul asked Tony, “Do you think Raymond can beat Darth Vader?”

Tony answered, “I think so. Or should I say I hope so. If he doesn’t, we will remain Lego men for the rest of our lives.”

Paul responded, “I don’t want that to happen!”

Just then, Raymond’s classmates woke up.

“What is going on?” they asked.

Paul told them, “Raymond is fighting Darth Vader!”

“Oh no! He will lose and then we will be Lego men forever! He can’t beat Darth Vader. Darth Vader is with the Dark Side, no one can beat him!” one of his classmates yelled out.

“Watch and see!” said Raymond.

Then he came up with a plan.

He jumped high into the air, spun in a circle, and swung his lightsaber at Darth Vader. Darth Vader blocked it, but he fell off the table down onto the floor. When he dropped to the ground, his other arm fell off, so he could no longer hold his lightsaber. When he hit the ground he became unconscious.

Raymond whispered over to his classmates, “That was my plan. I had promised to defeat Darth Vader and then we will turn back to normal.”

“That makes no sense,” Tony spoke up. “Only Darth Vader can do that.”

“Are you sure? I defeated Darth Vader when no one thought I could. Remember, I have the force. I can turn us back into humans!” Raymond answered.

He turned to the Lego blocks, using the force, he made two big circles, one blue and one orange. His classmates had no idea what they were for.

“These are the transportation portals that will take you back to where you

were before Darth Vader changed you into Lego people. Jump into the blue circle and you find yourselves at your homes.

The classmates began to jump one by one into the blue circle and they disappeared.

Then only Raymond, Paul and Tony were left.

“We need to destroy the Ray Wing Fighters before Darth Vader can use them against the Resistance,” Tony said.

“No problem,” Raymond responded confidently. “Do you remember the explosion bombs we put on them? As soon as they drop those bombs, ‘BOOM’ they will be destroyed and will never hurt the Resistance.”

“That’s so garious!” Tony and Paul said at the same time.

Raymond pointed to the other orange hole.

“See there is another circle over there? We can go out and return back to normal. Darth Vader can never turn us back into Lego men. We can create more fighters for the Rebels, but we can do it faster when we aren’t Lego men. We need to get back to normal first,” Raymond gave his plan. “But first I need to take care of Darth Vader, so he can’t hurt anyone again, especially the Resistance.”

“That’s even better, it’s a garious plan!” Tony said.

Raymond and his friends walked through the orange hole, but to their big surprise, they were still Lego men. They saw their classmates in a prison on the ceiling of his room. They were still Lego people too.

“What happened? I used the force. It should have worked,” Raymond said very confused.

Behind them they heard a familiar voice. (YuRan)

“Do you really think your force is better than *mine*?” the eerie voice of Darth Vader echoed in the room.

“Oops, I may have made a big mistake,” Raymond said as he turned to face Darth Vader again.

“You have just made me stronger. Your energy is now my energy. Thank you for that!” Darth Vader laughed.

“Gulp! Oh no! Alright, you can kill me now and then I will be stronger than you can ever imagine!” Raymond said calmly.

All of his classmates gasped, “How is Raymond going to win? Darth Vader has come back stronger than before.”

“I won’t kill you. I’ll only make you wish you were dead,” Darth Vader said as he moved closer to Raymond.

Raymond pulled out his lightsaber and turned it on. He stood with his legs firmly on the ground facing the approaching Darth Vader.

“No! If you make a wish you will make *me* stronger. You can try to kill me, but you will see what will happen,” Raymond said.

He turned off his lightsaber and faced Darth Vader with his eyes closed waiting for the blow of the red lightsaber, but then he opened his eyes, and smiled at Darth Vader.

Darth Vader hit him across Raymond’s waist expecting to cut Raymond in half, but to his surprise, the lightsaber went through Raymond, but did not hurt him.

A voice came from behind Darth Vader. Darth Vader turned around and saw Raymond standing behind him.

“Now it’s my turn!” Raymond yelled as he turned on his lightsaber and attacked the unsuspecting enemy.

With two swings of the lightsaber, Darth Vader lay on the table in three parts.

“I will come back! You have not seen the last of me!” Darth Vader yelled out from inside his helmet lying beside his body.

“We’ll see about that,” Raymond said as he stared into his black mask.

Using the force, he built a Lego prison to keep Darth Vader from coming back.

Chapter 2

The Resistance



Raymond The Pilot

Paul got excited, and came up with an idea, “Why don’t we fly the Ray Wing Fighters to the Resistance. They are the best pilots in the universe. If they had these fighters, they would make the battle more even. They will probably win!”

“What a great idea!” yelled everyone.

Tony and Paul opened the cage that was holding their classmates and then they ran to the Ray Wing Fighters and prepared for the fight.

“Wait a minute! We have to remove the explosion bombs, or we will blow ourselves up!” Tony yelled over to everyone.

“Thanks for reminding us!” Raymond said.

He explained to his classmates what the explosion bombs were and showed them how to take them off.

Once the explosion bombs were removed, the fighters took off. The headquarters for the Resistance was under the sofa on the other side of the room. Raymond had finished it a week earlier, never thinking that he would be helping them this way.

“Ray Wing commander to all crafts. Follow me to the Resistance’ fortress,” Raymond’s voice could be heard over the headsets of the pilots.

The Ray Wing Fighters took off and flew across the room to where Raymond had built the secret fortress. As they approached, fighters flew out from under the sofa to protect the base.

“Resistance fighters, this is Raymond. We are bringing you new fighters to help you in the battle against the Empire. We come in peace!” Raymond used his radio to communicate on the radio frequency used by the Resistance.

From under the sofa, flew out many more Resistance ships to make sure that what Raymond was saying was true.

“This is Commander Poe Dameron. What is your purpose here?” a voice came over Raymond’s headset.



Commander Poe Demaron

“We are bringing you 20 new fighters. They are the fastest and the best in the universe. They are called Ray Wing Fighters. May we have permission to enter your fortress?” Raymond requested.

“By what authority to you think you can fly into our base?” Commander Poe Dameron asked.

“Actually, I built your fortress, and I built you as well because I am really a human. Lego Darth Vader turned me into a Lego man,” Raymond answered.

“That’s absurd.... That does not make any sense,” Commander Poe Dameron responded.

“OK, I will explain. One day I bought an X-Wing Fighter, and you were in it. You were in nine pieces when I got you. I put you together and then one year ago I built your fortress. Since then I added more and more to your fortress,” Raymond informed him. “We are here to help you. Do you want our help?”



Resistance Base

“Maybe, but let me see your fighter first and let me fly it. Then I will tell you if we need your help,” Commander Poe Dameron said.

The X-Wing Fighters escorted the Ray Wing Fighters to the secret headquarters. When they landed, everyone came to see the new fighters. So many colors glowed in the light of the hangar. It was very impressive.

Commander Poe Dameron walked over to Raymond’s ship and asked permission to fly it. Raymond gave him his helmet and said, “I hope you enjoy your test flight.”

Several Resistance pilots climbed into other ships and then took off into air in the room.

“WOW! This is better than I could have imagined. You are right. These are the best ships ever!” Commander Poe Dameron could be heard over the speakers in the hangar.

Just then there was confusion in the hangar.

“There is a black Ray Wing fighter approaching and it appears to want a fight. What do you know about this ship?” Commander Poe Dameron’s voice came over

the speaker loud and clear.

“OH MY That would be Darth Vader!” (Sedar) Raymond screamed.
“How did he get out of my prison?”

“Maybe it was the force?” Paul answered.

“I have to get into a Ray Wing Fighter and go fight him!” Raymond offered.

He climbed into a grey Ray Wing Fighter, started the engine and then flew out to confront his enemy in the sky.

“Darth Vader, this is Raymond. It is time we finished our war with each other. It is time for me to finish you off!” Raymond spoke over his headset.

“Ah Ha! I could only have hoped it would be you Raymond,” Darth Vader responded.

Raymond got the black Ray Wing Fighter in his sights. Darth Vader saw him too. Off they went flying in maneuvers that only the Ray Wing Fighter could do. Raymond was luring him into Empire airspace away from the Resistance.

Then Raymond stopped in the air when he was on the edge of the Empire, waiting for Darth Vader to shoot him. Raymond’s classmates followed to see what was going to happen.

Darth Vader shot at Raymond’s grey Ray Wing Fighter.

Raymond’s classmates screamed, “He going to die!”

The laser went through Raymond’s fighter, but to everyone’s surprise nothing happened.

“OK, I have a better idea. One of your classmates told me about the explosion bomb, I’m going to use it on you!” Darth Vader said with a mean voice.

“No problem!” Raymond answered.

He then turned and flew directly at the black Ray Wing fighter.

“Give it your best shot!” Raymond taunted Darth Vader.

Before Darth Vader could react, Raymond flew past him toward his classmates.

“Get out of here NOW!” Raymond yelled.

Darth Vader swung a big arc to face the Ray Wing Fighters as they retreated to the base.

“OK, here it comes. You asked for it and now all of you will pay the price!” Darth Vader laughed.

He pushed the blue button on his console and then ‘**BOOM**’. The explosion bomb blew up Darth Vader and also the Empire’s death star.

“WOO HOO!” yelled the pilots as they returned to the Resistance base with the good news that Darth Vader was gone.

The Ray Wing Fighters returned to the Resistance base and landed. Everyone there cheered for the victory.

Then Raymond heard a voice. It was Kylo Ren.

“You may have won this battle, but the war is not over,” Kylo Ren’s voice rang out over the speaker in the hanger.

“Now what do we do?” asked Tony. “He’s right behind you.”

Raymond spun around to see hologram of Kylo Ren.



Kylo Ren

“I’m not afraid of you. I will defeat you the same as I defeated Darth Vader!” Raymond said to the image in front of him.

“We are not finished with you Raymond. You are a traitor. Do you know what we do with traitors?” Kylo Ren said in response to Raymond’s words.

Raymond shot back, “Do you know what we do to the First Order?”

He climbed back into his grey Ray Wing Fighter and took off, much to the surprise of everyone in the hanger.

“Where is he going?” asked Paul.

No one had an answer.

“Let’s follow him and see if we can help,” suggested Martin, a classmate.

“Great idea! Let’s go!” said Commander Poe Dameron.

They followed him and saw Kylo Ren in a Ray Wing Fighter.

“How did he get a Ray Wing Fighter?” asked Commander Poe Dameron.

One of the classmates suggested, “Maybe he was at the computer and made one for himself from the plans.”

They flew out of the hanger and headed toward where Kylo Ren was waiting.

Kylo Ren approached the classmates and other Resistance fighters, ready to attack, but he hadn’t expected so many ships. He thought he would be fighting only Raymond, not all of the Resistance Fighters, but he didn’t care. He was ready for the fight.

Raymond was upset. He wanted to fight Kylo Ren alone. His grey Ray Wing Fighter flew over his classmates and Resistance pilots.

“I’m going to fight him alone!” Raymond said. “Let me do this.”

Raymond flew straight toward Kylo Ren, challenging him to a fight.

Kylo Ren fired his laser canon and Raymond’s grey Ray Wing Fighter exploded into many pieces. However, Raymond was not in it. It was a diversion so that Raymond could sneak up behind Kylo Ren.

“Ha ha ha! I’m not dead,” Raymond said. “I made a ghost Ray Wing Fighter to fool you.”

Now Raymond was standing on Kylo Ren’s Ray Wing Fighter’s wing, but Kylo Ren didn’t see him. He put an explosion bomb under his ship.

Then Raymond jumped down from the fighter into his grey Ray Wing Fighter that had been following behind. When Kylo Ren saw Raymond, he turned to chase him, and when he was far enough away from the Resistance base, Raymond detonated the explosion bomb on Kylo Ren’s fighter, blowing Kylo Ren into millions

of pieces.

“YA HOO!” Raymond’s classmates exclaimed.

Commander Poe Demaron smiled.

They flew back to the Resistance base, and they drank soda pop and blue milk. They had a big celebration.

“I will turn back to normal with my classmates, but I will turn back into a Lego man to see you again someday,” Raymond said to Commander Poe Demaron.

“How?” his classmates questioned.

“Do you remember the circles I built? The blue one and the orange one?” Raymond asked. “If I want to turn back into a Lego man all I have to do is put my finger into the hole and then I will be a Lego man again.”

Then Raymond and his classmates said goodbye to the members of the Resistance, including Commander Poe Demaron.

Raymond used the force to create two circles again. One blue and one orange.

“OK everybody, jump through the orange circle,” Raymond gave them instructions.

“Paul and Tony, listen to me. Jump into the blue circle with me,” Raymond said.

They watched their classmates as they jumped into the orange circle and then Paul, Tony and Raymond followed by going into the blue circle.

The three friends found themselves back to normal in Raymond’s room.

“Where did our classmates go?” Tony asked.

“They are at their homes,” Raymond explained.

Then going over to the shelf in his room, he showed them another ship he had built.

He said to them, “I want to show you something,”

He showed them a huge Star Cruiser he had built before Darth Vader turned

him into a Lego man.



Raymond and the Star Cruiser

“WOW! That’s so garious!” Tony and Paul said together. “What are you going to do with it?”

“I’m going to turn back into a Lego man and fly this to the Resistance. Do you want to come with me?” he asked.

“Sure, that sounds garious!” they said.

They put a finger into the blue circle and turned back into Lego men.

“Let’s go!” Raymond said.

They climbed into the Star Cruiser and then took off to the Resistance headquarters under the sofa on the other side of the room.

“This is Raymond. Do you hear me Commander Poe Dameron? We have a new cruiser we are bringing to you. Do we have permission to land?” Raymond said over his headset.

“Sure, we will be waiting for you,” responded Commander Poe Demaron, very surprised that Raymond was returning so soon.

Commander Poe Demaron flew out to meet Raymond to see what it looked like.

On the way to the base, a new voice was heard over the speakers in the Star Cruiser.

“Do you think you have won the war? You have to be kidding. You are just a kid. Do you think you have me beaten? HA HA HA. We’ll see about that!” an evil voice rang out.

“Who is that?” Tony asked.

“I don’t know,” Raymond answered.

“This is Darth Sidious. I have come to get revenge for what you have done to the Empire. You will pay a price. I am going to blow you out of the sky!” Darth Sidious threatened.



Lego Darth Sidious

“Darth Sidious? What is he doing here?” Tony asked himself.

On the screen in front of Raymond he saw hundreds of TIE Fighters coming towards him.

Raymond screamed, “Commander Poe Demaron. We need all the Ray Wing fighters NOW!”

“What’s happening?” he asked.

“Look at your screen! The Empire is striking back. We need all the help we can get. We can beat them. I’m sure of it, but only if we all work together,” Raymond said confidently, as he turned the Star Cruiser to face the oncoming ships.

He opened the Star Cruisers shields and got ready to shoot at the TIE Fighters.

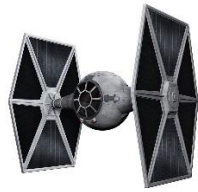
“Where did you get the idea for a shield?” asked Tony.

“Not now! I don’t have time to explain,” Raymond answered. He was focused on what he had to do.

Coming from the Resistance base toward the Star Cruiser, they saw the

many colors of the Ray Wing Fighters.

“This is Commander Poe Demaron. We are ready to attack the TIE Fighters. Let us know when you are ready!” he advised Raymond.



Empire TIE Fighter

He waited until the TIE Fighters were close enough to engage in the fight.

“NOW!” yelled Raymond.

Flashes of color flew past the Star Cruiser. Moving in so many directions it was like a light show of colors across the sky. The TIE Fighters were no match for the Ray Wing Fighters. The Star Cruiser gave support to the Ray Wing fighters as they zipped around the almost helpless TIE Fighters.

The battle was over almost as soon as it had begun. Darth Sidious was not aware of the Ray Wing Fighters and how good they were. Darth Sidious turned and returned to the Empire, leaving the Resistance with a major victory!

Raymond, Tony and Paul landed the Star Cruiser in the Resistance base.

Everyone cheered. It was time for them to go home.

When they got back to the desk, they jumped through the blue circle again and returned to normal, standing in Raymond’s room.

“I think I want to go home. I’m really tired,” Paul spoke up.

“I agree, we’ll see you tomorrow in school,” Tony said as the two friends left to go home.

Raymond’s mother walked into the room.

“What have you been doing in here? I have never seen such a mess. Clean up your room and then come down to dinner,” she said as she looked at the Legos scattered around the room.

It took him a long time to clean his room. He found the pieces of the exploded black Ray Wing Fighter and what was left of the Death Star.

He cleaned off his desk and put all of his Legos back into the boxes. The design of the Ray Wing Fighters was still on his screen.

“That must have been how Kylo Ren was able to get his Ray Wing Fighter!” Raymond exclaimed.

When he was done, he went to eat dinner. It had been a long day.

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A few months later, Raymond turned on his video recorder. He had forgotten that he had turned it on and recorded his room on that day. On the video he saw the entire story.

He invited his friends to come and watch it. They were amazed. They thought it was the best Lego movie ever!

They named the movie ‘Raymond in Legoland’.

The End