



A shocking return to NXT

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NXT had been a very eventful show with Stephanie Vaquer defending the NXT Women's Championship against Jaida Parker to open the show and then defending the NXT Women's North American Championship in the main event against Fallon Henley, who had attacked her alongside Fatal Influence following her match against Jaida but she even managed to overcome those odds and retain her championship once again! The referee handed her both of the championships as she held them up above her head only to be interrupted by **A Real Life** by **Greek Fire** playing throughout the arena as Ariya Strife walked out from the back with a mic in hand, sarcastically clapping towards the champion before stopping in the middle of the ramp to speak.

“Oh good job, Stephanie.~ You beat two losers on the same night. I can't believe it! I can't wait to see everyone in WWE ride you for another week because “Oh my gawsh! I can't believe she won two matches against people who never stood a chance against her!” The headlines are gonna read Stephanie Vaquer first woman in history to defend two belts in the same night, but it should read that Stephanie Vaquer is scared to give Ariya Strife her rematch.”

“You beat me for the Women's North American Title, you were the better woman on that night but since then I have been chasing my rematch and for weeks I have been getting pushed further and further down the line... But not anymore! Whoever else is in this line is gonna have to wait because I'm jumping to the front. But... There is something I have learned from watching Fallon. This whole getting ahead thing is way easier with a friend, and for those in the know, every Strife needs a Lockhart.”

Following those words? The crowd suddenly rose in shock as Stephanie was struck from behind with a Kendo Stick by a woman in a hoodie! Once she had been joined in the ring by Ariya, she pulled the hood down to reveal former NXT Women's Champion, Jill Lockhart! She quickly picked Stephanie up and held her in the ripcord position when she pushed her out?

Ariya had bounced off the ropes, and the duo nailed a brutal combination of their signature moves as Strife nailed her with the Beatrush Spear while Lockhart dropped her with the Decisive Strike Lariat!

Following that? Lockhart walked over to both championships, picking them up before she handed the NXT Women's Championship to Ariya while she held onto the North American Championship and this weeks edition of NXT ended with the duo stood tall over the double champion, raising her championships above their heads.