

"GOLDEN GODS"

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THE DEPARTURE

John receives a message. Leaves his house in a hurry.

SETTING UP CAMP

John finds a clearing in a forest. Moves his baggage there. Sets up camp. Unpacks a gold panning kit.

FIRST ATTEMPTS

John goes to a creek and pans for gold. Bad luck haunts him.

GENE

An odd character joins John. Offers to help.

TOUGH LOVE GOLD

Gene teaches John how to look for gold. His harsh methods result in John quickly finding his first gold.

BACK TO CAMP

John takes Gene to camp and shows off his fancy gadgets.

THE BET

John makes a foolish bet. Loses all the gold. Gene becomes his new neighbor.

THE METAL DETECTOR

With the help of a metal detector, John and Gene find a large gold nugget.

ON MY OWN

John tells Gene it is time they part ways.

THE BOX

John goes to a box embedded in the forest floor. Puts his gold inside and receives a small metallic sphere in return.

THE HIKERS

John meets a couple of hikers waiting at the clearing. They spent the night at camp. Gene tells the story of him riding a pig as a child. Takes magic mushrooms for the first time.

THE MORNING AFTER

Gene discovers he's been robbed of his gold. Loses his cool.

BACK TOGETHER

In light of recent events, John invites Gene to look for gold together. While Gene is in a creek basking in the sun, John finds a gold vein and conceals it. Gene gets injured.

FISHERMEN

On the way back to camp, Gene and John encounter a man and a child heading on a fishing trip.

THE MOTHERLOAD

While Gene stays in camp to heal, John goes to the gold vein by himself.

THE SPHERES

John is at the box, putting gold in and taking spheres out. While John collects the last metallic sphere, Gene appears. It becomes clear that both men are in the same predicament.

THE FINALE

John goes to a hill. There, he finds a metal plate hidden in the grass. John puts the spheres on the plate in the correct places. The spheres begin to rotate and orbit, depicting our solar system. Bright lights appear. John's wife and child come back to him.