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3:37 - Maurice uses two racial terms: he says the "m" word, then says the "n" word.

"...Other folks call me a m_____. Person of mixed race. Some people call me a n____. But, I prefer you just call me Maurice. Yup, ever since I could remember I wanted to be a musician. I would be that kid at church waiting for the choir hymns to be called out. I knew them all by heart. (Plays a guitar lick)"

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21:33 - Percy, another miner, almost calls Maurice the "n" word.

"You're the same as us, I figure. Never knew a nig... A coloured boy before I met you. You're a good worker boyo. And don't mind us callin you boyo or nothin neither. Don't no one mean nuthin' by it. Just up there, we don't eat together. Mind you, I ain't never been invited to the bosses table neither. Yup. Down here. We're all miners. We're all the same colour. If you really thought about it. A miner's job ain't fit for no man."

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- 25:08 Explosion with sound and lighting effects followed by ambulance sirens.
- 27:25 Sound effect of men screaming in pain and fear. Sound effect lasts for
- 29:40 Description of a miner stuck after the explosion.

"Percy was hanging from the wall. His arm, wedged between a timbre pack and a wall of coal. His feet were dangling above the ground. I tried to pry his arm out from behind the rock. Percy screamed in agony. To hear this deep scream from a grown man was gut wrenching. Not a good sound. I tried to tuck myself under Percy's body, try to keep him raised. Relieve some of his body weight. Everyone started talking at once. (To the men) Calm down! Quiet boys. We're louder than Percy. Garnie, go look for a jack out on the timbre road. Pep and Frank; go look for another exit. No, Frank. We're not going to cut his arm off. Watch your battery pack, Dougie.. Make sure you have enough light Currie. (To Percy) Now Percy, I need you to breathe babe. We're going to get you out of this. Take some water. Slowly now. There now. (Aside) Percy kept on squirming. Like one of them possums trapped in a cage. Frantic and all. (He begins to sing)"

33:04 - A miner talks about his brother-in-law, who has died and is laying at his feet.

Maurice - Frank had gone deaf. (*To Frank*) Just sit quietly, Frank. (*Aside*) I noticed Pep in the corner. His arms wrapped around his legs, rocking back and forth. (*To Pep*) Pep, are you okay? (*Aside*) He just gestured towards his feet as I crawled closer. It was his brother in law. (*Beat*) Laying there. Silent and still.

Pep - We used to go fishing together, Maurice. Ain't no way I know how to tell my sister his husband is gone. That's my brother in law there Maurice. That's my brother in law...