### Character Biographies

**Please Step Outside**

**Disaster At Ceres 2**

**Who Should Survive?**

**Zhou Jiankui**  
**Horticulturist**  
Jiankui designed and runs the Ceres 2 greenhouse which now grows herbs and vegetables. The greenhouse was damaged in the explosion but no one knows yet how badly.

**Silvia Bernadez**  
**Air Quality Technician**  
Silvia’s skull was fractured in the explosion; she is in and out of consciousness and her prognosis is unknown. She is five months pregnant. A scan of the unborn baby reveals the boy to be unharmed.

**Dr Paul Haughey**  
**Surgeon**  
Paul is a skilled plastic surgeon who left his lucrative private practice on Earth with an intention to capitalise upon his fame gained by serving on Ceres 2. Time here has revealed his previously hidden alcohol dependency.

**Yumi Hamada**  
**Engineer**  
Although his specialty is servicing the remote controlled exploration vehicles, Yumi has good skills in hydraulics and zero-atmosphere welding. His lung cancer, from years of smoking, is in remission.

**Suresh Prajusha**  
**Chemist**  
Suresh has degrees in biology and pharmacology, and was here investigating new minerals for drugs. Suresh was unsuccessfully tried for fraud five years ago – his case on Earth has been reopened while he was on Ceres 2.

**Dr Anne Coster**  
**Psychologist**  
Anne specialises in two areas of care: trauma management and relationship counselling. She is also an excellent cook, despite losing the use of one arm in a boating accident as a child.

**Marija Vranes**  
**Head Scientist**  
Marija was head of the science team at Ceres 2 and was effectively second in command after now deceased Base Captain Dogan. She has excellent knowledge of the experiments conducted over the last 24 months.

**Tahar Manai**  
**Pilot**  
Tahar was pilot of the short-range lander, used for exploration hops around the moon. This ship remains intact. He has the skills to pilot larger craft. He is also a gifted musician and singer, and his guitar is with him.

**Joshua Arkell**  
**Chaplain**  
Joshua’s role at Ceres 2 was threefold: offering spiritual guidance, running the chapel/library, and acting as physical health instructor (he studied human movement before the seminary).

**Clement Davaux**  
**Nurse**  
Clement ran the dispensary and worked with the station’s now deceased general specialty doctors treating minor wounds, checking for signs of radiation sickness, etc. Clement’s wife, the station chef, died in the blast.

**Dimitrios Gousis**  
**Plumber**  
Dimitrios has great skill with hydraulics: he was on the team responsible for the main base’s water generation and septic systems. Dimitrios has Multiple Sclerosis but this doesn’t seem to affect his ability to work.

**Eko Subakir**  
**Minerologist**  
Eko has unique knowledge about a previously unknown mineral recently discovered on the moon. This mineral could become an important element in sustainable fuel production for Earth’s citizens.