

# Naruto One-shots

## Various Pairings

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### Kapitel 9: Gehenna

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**What?** My interpretation of my imagination of what could happen in the last-ultimate-mega-battle between Naruto and Sasuke No. 2

*Gehenna: The Jewish version of Hell, named after the Hinnom valley outside of Jerusalem*

#### Gehenna

Show me your heart, Naruto. Can you really take on all my hatred? Are you strong enough?

A snort.

I am insane, Naruto. Can you compete with this? Can you? I will crush you, Naruto. My hatred will. It will destroy you.

Konoha is what made me into this. It's what drives me, what drove to this. We all are just the sum of everything we experienced.

And I will bring judgment, Naruto. I will end it. I am judgment. Konoha ridiculed my family long enough. It will be perfect. I can already smell their blood and the scent of their burning bodies. I can hear their cries. Every time I close my eyes I see their beautiful village burning and crumbling, their smile peeling from their face when the heats melts it all. Their screams of pain and agony are the most beautiful sounds I have ever heard, Naruto. I am going to crush them.

They will suffer, just like Itachi did. And so much more. I can hear their cries, Naruto. Can you save them? Can you save them and me and yourself? Can you really save everyone? I already told you – I am insane. Because everything comes at a price – the power of the Sharingan destroys the one holding it. Just as Konoha sacrificed a whole clan and made my brother the villain and betrayed me. Just for a little peace.

So, tell me, Naruto. Can you take it all onto yourself? My hatred, their hatred, everything? And can you really save me from my fate?

I don't think you, Naruto. You don't have it in you. You don't have what it takes to kill someone you claim to consider a brother in cold blood like I did. And it's the only way I will stop, Naruto. Because I am insane. Naruto, tell me, can you stop me? Can you k--

He felt the pain a few seconds too late. It was overwhelming, taking over his whole being and burning his skin, burning, burning, white-hot pain.

You're wrong, Sasuke. I can. Because this is the only way to save you.

And Sasuke smiled.