Exercise Three – Stuffing more Characters into the Cannon

In this exercise, look back at the cast you created in 'create characters' and choose two supporting characters. These should be friends of the main character, not foes. Their job is to support your main character as he struggles to make his dreams come true. Write the names of these characters down and then answer the questions for each of them.

Supporting Character 1: _____

In which ways will this character help the protagonist overcome the mountain of obstacles in store for him?

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What does this supporting character want more than anything else?

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What setbacks will block this character from getting what he wants?

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Supporting Character 2: _____

In which ways will this character help the protagonist overcome the mountain of obstacles in store for him?

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What does this supporting character want more than anything else?

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What setbacks will block this character from getting what he wants?

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