

# Resistenza nei numeri, debolezza nel cuore

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*The second story in my series.*

*It's been a month since Kay and her friends transferred, and lately she has been getting depressed but nobody knows why. Will she be ok in the end?*

*Pairings: Duke x Tiffany Bri x Honda Tori x Yami Bakura*

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# 1 - A Night Without Sleep

**HUZZAH! I'm already inspired. Well. Enjoy it, everyone. The title translates to "Strength in Numbers, Weakness in Heart."**

It was late at night, well past midnight. Everything was still and quiet. Not even a wind was out to shake the leaves in the trees. It was a cool, autumn night. November was drawing to a close. Soon it would be December and winter would freeze Domino.

*Snap!*

Kay stepped on a twig as she walked into the park. Her long hair was braided and she was wearing a black jacket, jeans, and sneakers. She looked around tiredly.

Sleep just would not come to her that night, so she had gone out for a walk. It was really dark outside. Hardly any of the streetlights were on. She went down the path of the park, relishing the stillness and the silence, other than her own footsteps.

The moon was close to being full and the stars twinkled. Kay sat down on a bench and looked up at the sky with a distant expression.

What now? It's been over a month since Adelinda had disappeared. Over a year since her mother and Liz were killed. Kay bit her lip at the memories. She stood up and walked away from the park, shoving her hands into her pocket.

Begin outside in the park made her think of spending hours in the garden with her mother and Liz, planting their roses. Kay walked for a long time, she was not even sure how long it was. But it was far. She went past the school, the fashion company she worked at, Kaib Corp., the arcade, she even walked by the Kaiba mansion only to see a limo driving out of the gate. She ignored it and continued her walk.

When she saw the limo stop to turn, she took off running through an alley and over a fence until she got to another part of town. The limo was nowhere in sight. Kay looked at her watch. It was past four in the morning. She took off running once again to get to her apartment.

By the time she got back, it was close to five. Kay quickly took off her clothes and jumped in the shower. It helped her catch her breath.

She sat on the floor and let the hot water run over her. Hopefully Kaiba had not seen her. She was sure it had been him in the limo. Mokuba told her he sometimes left early in the morning to get to work. She did not want him bothering her during school.

Kay quickly finished her shower and put on her school uniform. The jacket she wore today was green and the longer skirt was forest green. Kay put on her make up and twisted her hair up into a bun then

put on a dark green choker with a light green bead shaped like a star. Kay put on some leggings that matched her skirt and were a little shorter than the skirt, her socks, and her shoes then she grabbed her bag, locked the door to her apartment, and ran off to school.

It was still kind of dark so she hurried and then climbed up the ladder on the side of the school to the roof and sat at the area with the broken fence to let her feet dangle over to side as she watched the sunrise.

After a while, the sun finally peeked over the horizon. Its warm light washed over her and she automatically felt more comfortable than earlier. The orange light caught in her green eyes and made her hair look more gold than it was.

"Kay-Chan?" a voice called.

"Huh?" Kay looked down to see Cat and Jackie looking up. "Hey guys."

"What are you doing up there?" Jackie yelled.

"Watching the sunrise. I'll be right down!" Kay called before jumping to her feet and climbing the ladder down. She ran over to Jackie and Cat. "so, what brings you two here so early?"

"We want to ask Mr. Ryota about the upcoming Physics project." Kay groaned.

"Oh yeah..."

"We're gonna need another person in our group too. But we don't know anyone else in the class except Kaiba, and he always works alone anyway."

"If you had asked Kaiba to be in our group, I would have lost all of my respect for you guys."

"Sorry."

"Right. Come on, let's go."

**Here be chapter one. You can kinda see Kay's problems are remembering her past. Tiffany, you're appearing in the next chapter so be happy. ^^**

## 2 - The Project

Kay, Cat, and Jackie walked down the hall to Mr. Ryota's classroom. He was inside grading some papers.

"Excuse me, Mr. Ryota?" Cat said. He looked up.

"Ah, hello girls. What brings you here so early?"

"Well, we wanted to ask about the Physics project coming up."

Kay waited out in the hall for Jackie and Cat seeing she had quickly lost interest in the topic. Soon, the bell rang and she went to her locker to get her books. Kay put the headphones from her MP3 player into her ears and walked to Oral Interp, getting lost in "Romeo and Juliet" by S.o.a.p.

*It's a lot like Romeo and Juliet  
It feels like  
Something's happening to me*

*In the summertime I met a guy  
He was so fine, He blew my mind  
My friends are telling me  
Girl he's a loser  
But they can't see*

*It's a lot like Romeo and Juliet  
It feels like  
Something's happening to me*

*From the first time I saw his eyes  
There was sunshine  
Everytime he walks into the room  
I feel my heart go boom boom boom*

*It's a lot like Romeo and Juliet  
It feels like  
Something's happening to me*

*There was a time, when I was young  
And love it felt so strong  
Now it comes back to me  
What's going on*

*It's a lot like Romeo and Juliet*

*It feels like  
Something's happening to me*

Being so lost in the song, Kay failed to hear someone calling her name. A hand came down on her shoulder and she jumped and removed her headphones only to see Seto scowling at her.

"Yes?" she asked, looking at him. He blinked. Normally her greeting was an insult.

"I need you to babysitt tonight."

"Ok." She put her headphones back in her ears and continued walking. Seto stood there, dumbfounded.

Everyone was dumbfounded by Kay's behavior today. She did not mock Minako or Seto very much today, she did not pass notes in Language arts. All she did was work and listen to her MP3 player. And during lunch she was in the computer lab listening to "Nemo" and typing on the computer.

*This is me for forever  
One of the lost ones  
The one without a name  
Without an honest heart  
as compass*

*This is me for forever  
One without a name  
These lines the last endeavor  
To find the missing lifeline*

*Oh how I wish  
For soothing rain  
All I wish is to dream again  
My loving heart  
Lost in the dark  
For hope I'd give my eveything*

*My flower, withered between  
The pages 2 and 3  
The once and forever bloom  
gone with my sins*

*Walk the dark path  
Sleep with angels  
Call the past for help  
Touch me with your love  
And reveal to me my true name*

*Oh how I wish  
For soothing rain*

*All I wish is to dream again  
My loving heart  
Lost in the dark  
For hope I'd give my everything  
Oh, how I wish  
For soothing rain  
Oh how I wish to dream again  
Once and for all  
And all for once  
Nemo my name forevermore*

*Nemo sailing home  
Nemo letting go*

*Oh, how I wish...*

"Guys, is Kay alright?" Anzu asked.

"She has been acting strange lately," Yugi said, "the only thing I've heard her say all day today is hello."

"Alex, you're her best friend, is something wrong with her?" Khaos asked.

"I think so, but I am not sure what it is."

"This is not good."

"You're telling me."

"She seems depressed..." Jackie said softly.

"But why?" Cat asked.

"Well, we oughtta go and cheer her up!" Jounouchi said. "C'mon." Everyone stood.

"Oh look, it's the dork parade," Seto said as he walked by, "with the mutt leading."

"Grr...WHAT WAS THAT, RICH BOY?" Jounouchi yelled after them.

"Jounouchi, calm down!" Honda said.

"One of these days, Kaiba..." Jounouchi muttered, glaring menacingly after him.

Everyone walked to the computer lab and peeked in. Kay was sitting there, typing. By now the song she was listening to had switched to "Let Me Go." (I'm bored so I'm putting down the lyrics)

*One more kiss could be the best thing  
Or one more lie could be the worst*

*And all these thoughts are never resting  
And your not something I deserve*

### *CHORUS*

*In my head there's only you now  
This world falls on me  
In this world there's real and make believe  
And this seems real to me  
And you love me but you don't know who I am  
I'm torn between this life I lead and where I stand  
And you love me but you don't know who I am  
So let me go, let me go*

*I dream ahead to what I hope for  
And I turn my back on loving you  
How can this love be a good thing  
And I know what I'm going through*

### *CHORUS*

*In my head there's only you now  
This world falls on me  
In this world there's real and make believe  
And this seems real to me  
And you love me but you don't know who I am  
I'm torn between this life I lead and where I stand  
And you love me but you don't know who I am  
So let me go, just let me go, let me go*

*And no matter how hard I try  
I can't escape these things inside  
I know, I know  
But all the pieces fall apart  
You will be the only one who knows, who knows*

*You love me but you don't know who I am  
I'm torn between this life I lead and where I stand  
And you love me but you don't know who I am  
So let me go, just let me go*

*(you don't know)  
You love me but you don't  
You love me but you don't  
(you don't know)  
You love me but you don't know who I am*

*(you don't know)  
You love me but you don't*

*You love me but you don't  
(you don't know)  
You love me but you don't know me*

"HIYA KAY!" Jounouchi said. She looked at him.

"Hi." She looked back to the monitor.

"So what are you up to?"

"Homework."

But it's lunch, you should be stuffing your face with food."

"I'm not hungry is all." Jounouchi gasped.

"NOT HUNGRY?!"

"Pretty much."

"BUT THAT'S INHUMAN!"

"How is not being hungry inhuman?"

"...it...just...IS!!" Everyone else, who was watching them in the hall, sweatdropped.

"Right," Kay said, "whatever you say."

"So you hungry now?"

"...um...no..."

"Are you depressed?" he asked.

"He's...blunt," Kristen said.

"That's Jounouchi for you," Yugi said.

"No, why?" Kay answered.

"You're not smiling or talking much."

"I just don't feel good today."

"Well, you need cheering up. I'll bet I can make you laugh." Jounouchi told Kay a bunch of bad jokes and did stupid impressions. Kay did not seem to care for them. She barely responded. "Hmm...oh, I got it."



"Uh-oh, Jounouchi-" Danielle and Alex tried to warn, but they were too late. Kay punched Jounouchi in the gut and he backed away from her and she kept typing. Everyone's eyes widened.

"Why the heck did she do that?" Cat asked. Alex sighed.

"He tried poking her in the sides to make her laugh, and she does not like it when people tickle her. She hurts them, especially when she is in a bad mood."

"Dang." Jounouchi walked back into the hallway, wheezing a bit.

"...I...think I cheered her up...a bit..." He coughed. "Oh, my liver..."

"Note to self: don't poke Kay in the sides..." Honda said quietly.

The bell rang and Kay printed out her paper and walked out of the computer lab and everyone looked at her. She looked back.

"Um, hi?" she said. "Oh Alex, I'm babysitting Mokuba tonight. Just wanted you to know." Kay walked past them.

"Well, we have science next period with her, we'll see. Come on Jackie."

"Right." The two girls walked away from the girl.

Kay was sitting at her desk, writing in her Science Spiral the instructions for the project on the board.

Jackie and Cat sat in their seats and did the same thing. Cat passed Kay a note.

*Cat: Kay, are you ok. Yo're acting really weird.*

*Kay: What do you mean?*

*Cat: Jounouchi already told you.*

*Kay: I am just feeling a little bit off today.*

*Jackie: But you are acting depressed and anti-social.*

*Kay: You guys are worrying over nothing.*

*Jackie: We're not so sure it's nothing.*

*Cat: Yeah. If something is bugging you, you can always tell us about it.*

*Kay: I appreciate that, but I'm fine.*

"Ok class," Mr. Ryota said, "I want groups of four please."

"We need someone else in our group," Cat said.

"How about her?" Kay asked, pointing to a girl sitting at a desk two rows away. She had shoulder length hair that was brown but had a red tint to it and light brown eyes who was reading a book.

"Why not?" Cat said. She walked over to the girl. "Excuse me, um, would you like to be in our group?" The girl looked up at her.

"Um, ok." Cat smiled.

"Great. Come on over here." The girl picked up her stuff and sat an empty desk near the other girls.

"Hi, I'm Jackie, and this is Cat and Kay. Who are you?" Jackie greeted.

"I'm Tiffany."

"Nice to meet you Tiffany."

"Same here."

"WHAT?! Mr. Ryota, this is an outrage!" The girls looked to see Seto arguing with Mr. Ryota. "I ALWAYS work alone. Why do I have to work with a group NOW?" he yelled.

"Mr. Kaiba, you need to learn to work with others."

"But all of the groups are full."

"I'll just put in one." He looked around and pointed at the girls. "Work with Ms. Tsuru's group."

**(A.N: Tsuru is Cat's last name. I actually looked in her story Eternal Snow for it...by the way, READ ETERNAL SNOW AND COMMENT SO SHE'LL UPDATE!!!)**

"WHAT?! NO WAY!!!" Seto barked.

"Mr. Kaiba, if you do not cooperate, I will fail you for this assignment and give you detention for a week." This shut Seto up.

"Wow, this sucks..." Cat muttered. "Right, Kay?"

"Yeah. Kaiba is gonna make this project hell on Earth."

"There's the hold Kay for us." Tiffany blinked. Seto sat down, grumbling to himself.

"Hi Kaiba."

"...hey..." he said icily.

Kay pulled out a spiral and started doodling.

"Great, she's acting weird again."

"No more weird than usual," Kay told Cat coolly.

"Touché." Kay shrugged and continued drawing. Tiffany revealed herself to be extremely intelligent. She came up with the idea for their project. (since I'm not in Physics yet, I have no details yet)

The group discussed it, except for Kay and Seto, who were pretty quiet. But by the end of class, even Seto thought Kay was being weird. Instead of her cheerful cross between a walk and skip, Kay walked rather stiffly out of the room. This was weird. Normally she would walk out in her silly little way to celebrate class ending.

"Not that I care, but what's wrong with her?" Seto asked, looking kinda confused.

"We wish we knew."

"Something is wrong with her?" Tiffany asked.

"Yeah. Kay is normally talkative and cheerful. But today she's all quiet. We think it's depression."

"That could be it. When did it start?"

"Today."

"and does she tell you she's fine?"

"She said she's not feeling good."

"Hm...well, she could be a bit under the weather. Wait a few days."

"Tiffany." Tiffany looked and beamed.

"Hey Duke! I'll see you guys tomorrow." Tiffany hurried to the door and hugged a boy with black hair in a ponytail, green eyes, a dice earring, and a mark under one eye.

"Come on, we should go." Jackie nodded and walked out of the room with Cat. Alex was waiting for them outside.

"Anything?"

"No. We asked Tiffany if she thought it was depression. She said Kay might be feeling sick and we should wait a few days."

"I guess that's our best bet for now. Thanks guys."

"No problem."

**Phew, that was long. Yay, Tiffany x Duke. All hail the update.**

### 3 - Babysitting

Kay waited outside the school. Seto walked up to her.

"Ready to go?" he asked, cold as ever. She nodded.

"Mmm-hmm." He walked her to his limo and they sat in silence. She just looked out the window while Seto sat typing on his laptop.

This was probably their most awkward drive to his house. Usually Kay tried to start up a conversation with him every few seconds, but today she was dead quiet. He almost wanted to try to start conversation and snap her back to normal. Her being quiet was freaking him out.

"Mr. Kaiba, we're here." Roland opened the door for Kay.

"Thank you," she said politely before slipping out of the limo and walked to the door, which was left unlocked for her. Seto stared after her.

Something was seriously wrong with her.

"KAY!" Mokuba yelled and he ran up to her and hugged her. She gave a small smile and patted him on the head.

"Hey Mokey-kun."

"Wanna play a video game?"

"I have some homework today. Did you already finish yours?"

"Yes."

"Ok. Then why not watch a movie."

"OK!!!" Mokuba said. He ran to the TV in the living and popped in a DVD then jumped on the couch and started watching. Kay sat down on a chair and pulled out her math book and started working.

Mokuba looked at her and frowned a bit.

"You alright, Kay-Chan?"

"Yes, I'm fine." He frowned. She had not even looked up at him.

The clock soon chimed six. Mokuba was playing his video games. Kay went into the kitchen and started cooking for Mokuba. She made spaghetti and salad.

"Dinnertime, Mokuba." Mokuba perked and ran into the dining room. Kay placed his plate in front of him and offered him the bottle of ranch dressing. He was about to pour it onto his salad but gasped.

"Kay!"

"What?"

"There's celery in my salad!"

"Huh? Oh yeah, I forgot you don't like celery. Just pick it out, ok?"

"Kay, what's wrong? You never forget stuff like this."

"I'm just a little off today, Mokuba. I'll be fine. Just eat, ok?" Kay twirled her fork into her spaghetti. Mokuba sighed and stuck his fork in his spaghetti.

The cluck chimed nine. Kay took Mokuba upstairs and tucked him into his bed, kissed his forehead, said good night, and turned out the light. Then she walked downstairs and sat on the chair and started reading a book.

Seto was back at ten til nine.

"Ok, I guess I'll head home." Kay started walking to the door.

"Hey, wait a sec." She stopped and looked at ihm.

"Yeah?"

"Alright, Kay, there is something seriously wrong with you. You never forget pay day."

"Oh...right."

"What in God's name is wrong with you."

"Nothing, Kaiba. God, what's with you all thinking something is wrong with me? I'm fine. Just back off."

"No, we won't back off. It's weirding us out that you're being so strange."

"So I want to be quiet for once in my life. Is that a crime?"

"It's not you."

"You don't even know me."

"I've known you long enough to know that you being so quiet isn't normal."

"ONCE IN A WHILE IT IS!"

"WILL YOU CUT THE CRAP AND TELL ME WHAT IS GOING ON?"

"NOTHING IS GOING ON! JUST LEAVE ME ALONE!!"

"WHY DON'T YOU MAKE ME!"

"YOU ARE SUCH A STUPID, STUBBORN, INCONSIDERATE JERK!"

"AND YOU ARE AN ANNOYING, BIG-MOUTHED, IDIOTIC WENCH!"

SMACK!

Kay had just slapped Seto right across the face, angry tears in her eyes.

"I HATE YOU!" she yelled before grabbing her bag and running out the door, slamming it behind her. Seto touched the red spot on his face and winced.

That girl could slap friggin hard. Mokuba had been watching the whole thing from upstairs. Their shouting had woken him up.

"Seto?" he whispered in a timid voice. Seto looked up at him. "Is....Kay-Chan coming back?" Mokuba asked.

"...I don't know. Go back too bed, Mokuba. Forget about tonight." Mokuba nodded sadly and went back to his room.

Kay ran down the sidewalk, tears streaming down her face. She stopped for breath when she was far enough from the mansion.

"That stupid, annoying little...I hate him so much. Why in God's name can't everyone just leave me alone?" she growled before continuing on her way. She was soon home and it was nine thirty by this time.

She collapsed into her bed and punched her pillow.

"I hate him, I hate him, I HATE HIM!" she screeched with each punch. Then she buried her face in the pillow and cried into it until she fell asleep.

**WOW! Major emotional issues...now I can't wait for me to update so I can know what I am gonna do next.**

## 4 - Kay's GONE?!

Alex walked to school, alone. Normally she went with Kay, but when she had gone to her partment, she was not there. Alex assumed Kay had left already and had gone too.

Cat and Jackie were outside the school talking with Tiffany and Duke.

"Hey guys, who's this?" Alex asked.

"Oh, this is Tiffany, Honda's sister, and her boyfriend Duke Devlin. He invented the game Dungeon Dice Monsters!" Jackie explained in a remotely excited way. Alex blinked, having absolutely no idea what in the world Dungeon Dice Monsters is.

"Wow, cool..." She said, trying to sound like she meant it and actually knew what they were talking about. Jackie seemed to buy it, because she simply introduced Alex to Duke and Tiffany.

"Nice to meet you," Tiffany said with a nice smile.

"Same here."

At this moment, Danielle, Maria, and Kristen ran up to them.

"Hi guys!" they greeted in unison.

"Hey!" Jackie, Cat, and Alex said. They looked at Tiffany and Duke.

"Who are they?" Maria asked.

"This is Tiffany Taylor, Honda's sister, and her boyfriend, Duke Devlin," Cat said.

"Nice to meet you, I'm Kristen."

"I'm Maria."

"And I'm Danielle."

"Hi," Duke and and Tiffany said in unison.

"Is Kay not with you?" Alex asked. They all blinked.

"No, isn't she supposed to be with you?" Danielle asked.

"I went to her apartment, she wasn't there. I thought she left early."



"Do you think she spent the night at Kaiba's? She was babysitting Mokuba last night, right?" Kristen asked.

"That could be it. Let's go find Kaiba." The group walked around the school grounds and bumped into Honda and Yugi.

"Hey, have you guys seen Kaiba?" Alex asked.

"Yeah, he's-"

"Here." Seto walked up to them.

"Kaiba, what happened to your face?" Cat asked. There was a small bruise on his cheek. **(God DANG, Kay slapped him hard...I'm so proud. ^^)** Seto frowned.

"Your stupid little friend slapped me."

"Wait, you mean she isn't with you?"

"Hell no." Alex's eyes widened.

"If she's not with you...WHERE IS SHE?!" Alex shrieked. Everyone stared at her, eyes widened too.

"She's gotta be somewhere around here. Maybe she is in one of her classes!" Maria said.

"Yeah, let's split up."

"I'll go to Oral Interp!" Cat said.

"I'll go to Physics!" Jackie said. Soon, Maria, Alex, Cat, Kristen, Danielle, Jackie, Yugi, and Honda took off to the classrooms. Seto stood there, wondering why they were making such a big deal over the blonde.

Soon, the bell rang, and Kay was nowhere to be found. Cat hoped she would show up in Oral Interp, but she did not. This was very troubling.

Soon, lunch came and nobody had seen Kay. Now they were seriously worried. Alex had tried her home phone and cell phone, but nothing.

"Guys, this is weird. Kay would not ditch school like this."

"I know."

"Hey, still no sign of her?" Anzu asked.

"No. Do you guys want to look for her after school?" Alex asked. They all nodded.

"Why do you think she isn't here?" Khaos asked. Alex shrugged.

"She apparently slapped Kaiba last night. Maybe she felt bad about it and wanted to avoid him."

"You sure?" Cat asked.

"Pfft, no."

"Ok..."

"You dweebs are so pathetic to worry about that little wench."

"Kaiba, put a sock in it. Just because YOU don't have any friends doesn't mean-"

"I'm not interested in friends. It's a waste of time and energy." Alex glared.

"YOU KNOW WHAT? I can understand why Kay slapped you. You're a rude, inconsiderate, jerk."

"Tell me something I haven't heard."

"Why you little..."

"Alex!" Kristen shrieked, grabbing her arm before she socked Seto in the jaw. "Mr. Kaiba, I'm sorry about her. But...maybe you can help us..."

"Why would I help YOU?" he sneered.

"Because...um...if we can't find Kay...you'll be out of a babysitter."

"I can hire a new one."

"Mokuba will be upset." Seto frowned.

"I see Kay told you how to blackmail me." Kristen gave a small smile and nodded. He frowned. "Fine, what do you want me to do?"

"Track Kay down."

"Does she have a cell phone?"

"We're not sure if it's with her."

"Anything else I can use to track her?" Seto asked, a slightly annoyed expression on his face.

"Her MP3 player!" Alex said. "She never leaves home without it."

"Fine, come with me to my company after school and I'll find her for you."

**HUZZAH! Kay's gone missing...wait, that's not good. Uh, ok. Wait for the update.**



read them. "The pharaoh faced his greatest opponent, the sorcerer was his own cousin and one of his priests." Kay looked up at the sorcerer and her eyes widened again. "Kaiba?! Oh my God...and that's the Blue Eyes White Dragon." She backed up. "This is freaky." Kay straightened and spun to see a woman in a white dress with jet black hair and green eyes approaching her. "Who are you?"

"I see you have sharp senses."

"I heard your footsteps. Now, who are you?"

"I am Ishizu Ishtar, Miss Simms."

"Oh yes, I remember you. My uncle gave you the God Cards he developed."

"That is correct. And you have discovered the pharaoh's tablets. But there is more than this. I have some new tablets that may interest you."

"Well, I don't have anything better to do."

"Follow me." Ishizu walked down a hall and Kay followed. "Miss Simms, do you believe in reincarnation?"

"Yes, I do."

"And do you also believe in destiny?"

"In a sense. But I do not think fate is carved in stone. I believe we can control some of our destiny."

"Really?"

"Yes. I also believe fate can be misinterpreted. One may believe you are destined to do something and try to avoid it but it occurs in a different and unexpected way. Destiny is not stone, but elastic. It can bend, but not be completely changed."

"That is an interesting and clever thought."

"Thank you. I have written things like this into novels, Miss Ishtar." They entered another large room and Ishizu hit the lights.

"Here." There were four tablets in this room. Kay walked up to one. She stared in shock. There were four people on this tablet and four duel monster cards: Dark Magician, Dark Magician Girl, the Blue Eyes White dragon, and Hyozonryu.

"Incredible."

"It is foretold that these three duel monsters were actually real people in the Ancient Egypt and when they died, their ka became these monsters who served for the pharaoh. But not all of the mysteries have been explained, like who they were and-

"Kisara."

"What?"

"The girl there." Kay pointed to the girl under the Blue Eyes white dragon. "Her name is Kisara. She was a poor girl who was mistreated because she had white skin and blue hair, but then she met Priest Seto. He was kind to her. They fell in love, and she died protecting him. Her spirit is eternally loyal to him." Ishizu stared at her, shock decorating her face.

"Go on."

"The next person." She pointed to the man under the Dark Magician. "His name was Mahaado. He was the pharaoh's best friend and a magician. He died trying to stop a thief from taking the millennium items. And the girl next to him." She pointed to the girl under the Dark Magician Girl. "Her name was Mana. She was Mahaado's apprentice. She was a close friend to the pharaoh and had some feelings for him, but she also had feelings for her master and she swore to become a great magician after Mahaado died."

"And the last person?"

Kay looked at the last person and stared.

"She...looks just like me..." Kay whispered. She tried to think, but knew nothing of her. She looked at the hieroglyphs. "The only thing I can read here is her name; Khephera."

"That is so strange you know so much about those three. Nobody I know can read those hieroglyphs."

"I don't know how I know, Ishizu. I honestly don't know."

"Well, here is the next tablet." They walked to the right and looked at the next one. There was another duel monster, Magician's Valkerya. And there was also the millennium puzzle and two people; Yugi (the pharaoh) and a girl.

"That's Cat! No, Luna."

"You know about her too?"

"Yes. Luna was the pharaoh's love. They were going to get married but she died and her ka was Magician's Valkerya. The pharaoh grew darker and more evil, and he did save the world, but was willing to destroy it too with his newfound power, that is why he was dueling Priest Seth. The pharaoh's soul was sealed into the millennium puzzle after he lost. And...today, he is Yami..." Kay's eyes widened. "I gave dating advice to the pharaoh?!" she exclaimed.

"Huh?" Ishizu asked, but Kay did not hear her.

"Now I know why Yami likes Cat, she was his past love."

"The pharaoh likes a girl?"

"Yeah, my friend Cat. She is Luna's reincarnation."

"Really?"

"Yes. It's fate, I suppose."

"Indeed it is."

"Wow...I came here to hide out from being found, but I learned things I never dreamed would be real."

"And there are two more tablets, the final one is what you must see before you go." They walked to the next stone tablet. "We believe this one is a future prophecy. Can you read it, Miss Simms?"

"Hmm." She squinted a bit. "As sure as Ra will rise and the stars will shine, the three gods of destruction will open the gate. The great ruler who is our god will return to us, and relive these moments to his end again. And at his side stand a group of heroes, who may change fate together. And darkness will not rain upon the world, in both the past and the future ahead."

"Do you understand what it means?"

"I can't be completely sure, to be honest."

"Well, don't think on it too much. And now, the final table-"

"There!" They both turned to see Kaiba, Alex, Cat, Jackie, and...everyone else who was looking for Kay, standing there.

"Kay-Chan!" Kristen exclaimed. "Where have you been?" Kay growled a bit.

"I cannot believe you guys found me here."

"What is that supposed to mean?! We were worried sick! I thought the same thing happened to you as it did to-"

"Alex, say one more thing and you won't be able to say another word for as long as you live. I'm here on business now, so you all can leave. How did you even find me?!" Kay demanded, now very angry at them.

"What the hell is wrong with you, Simms?" Seto snapped. She glared at him.

"Keep your rich @\$\$ out of this, pretty boy. This is none of your business."

"You don't have the right to speak to your boss that way."

"I'LL SPEAK HOWEVER I WANT! I'm sick of you thinking you're superior to everyone. Newsflash, YOU'RE NOT! You are just a pathetic excuse for a human being who got lucky and became rich."

"WATCH YOUR MOUTH! I was the one who tracked oyu down for your dweeby little friends."

"THAT MAKES YOU SOUND LIKE A DAMN STALKER!"

"WANT TO SAY THAT AGAIN? I swear, if you make one more false move, I will report you and your friend to the school about your jobs and make sure you are expelled."

"I DON'T GIVE A CRAP ANYMORE! I'VE HAD ENOUGH TO HEAR WITH YOU! If oyu want me expelled, FINE! The minute I can, I'm moving out of this rat hole town for good."

"GOOD!"

"Kay-Chan..." Jackie whispered hesitantly.

"Stay out of this!" she snarled, causing Jackie to back up in fear.

"Miss Simms," Ishizu said calmly, "try and calm down."

"I WILL WHEN HE LEAVES!" Kay yelled, pointing at Kaiba. "Better yet, I'LL go." Kay pushed past everyone and ran up the stairs.

"Oh THAT IS IT!" Seto followed her. Because he was taller and took longer steps, he was able to catch up to her. He grabbed her wrist. "Listen up, you little witch. You are becoming a real pain."

"Then WHY the hell do you keep putting up with me, Kaiba?" she snapped. "I want to be left alone, why is that so hard to get? Are you deaf or stupiud or what?"

"Watch your mouth."

"WHY DON'T YOU MAKE ME."

"What in God's name is wrong with you?! Are you on your period or what? You're acting like a first class dog." She balled up her fist and tried to punch him, but he was ready and grabbed her fist and gripped hold her hand tightly.

He noticed her skin felt very soft against his and her hand was suprisingly delicate, it felt like she actually had sensitive skin and bones in her hands. Not something he expected.

She felt her heart stop for a second when her took hold of her hand. Her fingers were uncurled and her hand was motionless in his. Why did she feel so weird??? She should hit him with her other fist.

So, she tried, but her grabbed that hand too. Darn it!

"I'll take it yes, you are?" he asked, his voice jsut a bit softer than before. She glared.



"No!" she snapped.

"Then why are you being this way?"

"None of your business, Kaiba."

"I think it is. You work for me. Mokuba is also worried about you."

"Then let Mokuba ask me. He cares, you don't. Now let go of me."

"what if I don't?"

"I'll kick you. You can't restrain my legs."

"I could, but we're in public."

"Wha-? Oh my God, you're sick!"

"Hey, I know you slap hard, I'll bet you kick harder. I'm not gonna stand here and just let you assault me. That doesn't mean I'm a pervert."

"The position you brought to mind makes you a pervert."

"You're the one who thought about it."

"You're the one who hinted at it."

"You're the one wishing I would do it."

"What?! Hell no! That is disgusting."

"Admit it. You were thinking about it fondly."

"EW! You're disgusting, Kaiba! I'm not one of your slutty little fangirls."

"How do I know you don't have a secret shrine to me in the back of your closet?"

"You narcissist FREAK! Who would do something freaky like that?"

"I have a list somewhere." Kay shook her head.

"Have I ever told you how much I hate you?"

"No, you haven't."

"Well, I-"



## 6 - I don't mean to be like this...

Kay and Mokuba drove to her apartment. She paid the taxi driver and they went to her place.

"Wow, nice apartment, Kay-Chan."

"Thank you. Well, take a seat on the couch." Mokuba did so and Kay took off her trench coat and her hat then sat next to him.

"So, what's the matter?"

"Promise me you won't tell anyone?"

"Cross my heart."

"Ok, only Alex and Uncle know this. About a year ago, my mom and my big sister were killed." Mokuba's eyes widened.

"By who? Do you know?" Kay nodded, a sick feeling at the pit of her stomach as she recalled.

"My father." His eyes widened.

"You have to be kidding."

"I wish I was. My father was terrible to me. He beat me, abused me, and tried to do worse to me when I was a little girl. He burned this scar on my forehead with a cigarette." Kay fingered her forehead. "My mom didn't know about this. He would hurt me until I couldn't move or scream, and he was also cunning. He only hit me where nobody could see. He said he'd kill me and Liz if I told mom."

"Who's Liz?"

"My big sister."

"Oh."

"Well, one day, I was trying to get dressed and my mom came in saw bruises on me from the night before."

"And you told her?"

"I had to. Then my dad walked in. He was smoking. They screamed at each other and he looked at me with so much hate in his eyes I thought I would die in that moment. Then he ground the cigarette against my forehead until the skin was raw. Mom kicked him out and sued him. He got arrested and we moved to Japan."

"And then?" Kay took a deep breath.

"A few years went by. Mom and Liz had a dentist appointment one day and so they asked me to pick Adelinda up from school, so I did. We walked home by ourselves. Then, when I opened the door, they were on the ground, bleeding and there was a knife on the ground and a note that said, 'I'll get you next, Kay.'" She trembled. "And his name was signed at the bottom. The police have looked for him, but they can't find him."

Mokuba hugged Kay, crying a little bit. "I'm so sorry." She hugged him back. "What about Adelinda?"

"That's what I'm upset about. One month ago, she disappeared."

"Disappeared?" Kay nodded.

"I don't know if she's even still alive. But it was here in Domino. That's the only reason why I'm living here, so I can find her."

"And that's why you're so upset?" She nodded again.

"I keep thinking about it and I'm starting to lose hope. And I try to bottle up my feelings and now..." She shook her head and covered her face with her hands. "I just don't know anymore, Mokuba."

"Kay, you can't give up. I'll help you, if I can." She looked up at him, tears in her eyes, and smiled a bit.

"Thank you, Mokuba. You don't know how much that means to me." He nodded.

"Of course, Kay-Chan. And don't hide your feelings anymore."

"I know, I know. It just seems like, lately, everything is spinning out of control. I'm working two jobs, trying to manage Maria's band, dealing with school work, designing cards for uncle, it's just starting to overwhelm me."

"And you're dealing with some mean girls at school and my brother?"

"How did you know that?"

"Alex told me." Kay shook her head and smiled a bit.

"That girl...she just doesn't know how to keep her mouth shut." Kay laughed weakly and dried her eyes. "But what can you do?"

"See? You're smiling. That's the Kay we all know and love." She laughed again and hugged him. "You're the best, Mokie." He hugged her back.

"You too, Kay. You too."



"With Kay-Chan." Seto's eye twitched.

"Why?"

"To see what was wrong with her."

"Don't tell me she's here." Mokuba smiled a bit and nodded.

"She's cleaning up in the kitchen."

"Why?"

"She made dinner. Your favorite, actually. Beef filet with foi gras sauce. There's some left over for you."

"She probably poisoned it."

"Seto, she would not poison anything."

"Yeah, we'll see." Seto walked into the kitchen to see Kay drying off a plate, wearing a white apron over clothes, and humming softly to herself. She looked pretty serene at the moment and lost in her thoughts. "What are you doing here?" he asked, annoyed. She looked at him.

"Oh, hello Kaiba. I'm sorry, I'm sure you don't want me here. But Mokuba came with me to my house and made me feel better so I brought him home and cooked him some dinner. I also wanted to apologize."

"Oh yeah, I'm sure you did. You think you can waltz in, take my little brother without even callin-wait, did you say you want to apologize?!" he asked. She laughed and nodded.

"Yes. I'm really sorry about how I acted and what I said. I understand if you want to fire me." Seto growled. The way she looked and the way she said that was convincing him NOT to fire her. WHY DID SHE HAVE THAT WEIRD EFFECT?!

"Eh, how can I? Mokuba loves you and I don't want to search for another babysitter. B-but don't think it's because I WANT you to stay, it's just that-" He was interrupted when she ran over to him and hugged him.

"Thank you thank you thank you!" she cried before letting him go and looking up at him brightly. "You won't regret it, Mr. Kaiba. I can't wait to tell Mokuba. Mokie-kun!" she cried, running out of the kitchen. Seto stood there, dumbfounded. Ok, the other day she had smacked him, today she hugged him.

"...that girl is just plain weird..." he said to himself before walking out to the living room. Mokuba squealed happily and hugged Kay.

"YAY! You're staying!" he cried. "Thank you, big brother! Now I have a big brother and a big sister."

"What?" Seto asked, giving Mokuba a weirded out look. Kay blushed a bit when she heard that.

"Ah, Mokie. You made that sound like Kaiba and I just got married."

"Oops, sorry. That has not happened."

"Nor will it EVER happen!" Seto snapped, a small rouge appearing on his face. Kay giggled in embarrassment.

"Amazing at how easilly something can be misinterpreted." She took off her apron and put it back in the kitchen then walked back out. "Well, I should go. I have a whole mob of people to call and apologize to." She hugged Mokuba. "Thaks so much for your help, sweetie."

"Anytime, Kay." She kissed him on the forehead and walked to the door.

"Arivadetchi." She winked before walked outside.

"Bye Kay-Chan." Seto stared at the door for a moment, then looked at Mokuba.

"So what was wrong with her anyway?"

"Just some personal problems. Why, do you care or something?" mokuba asked slyly.

"Pfft, heck no. But she was going ballistic. It was frightening. I'm going to my office." Seto walked away and started typing on his computer. Mokuba shook his head a bit and smiled.

"Big brother will never change."

**HUZZAH! Two updates for the price of one today. Tori-kun, you're coming up in the next chapter so PLEASE don't ask me again.**

## 7 - Two More Exchange Students

Kay walked to school with Alex again the next morning. Everyone was thrilled to see her being her bubbly self again.

"Morning you two!" Cat greeted.

"Morning, Cat-Chan."

"So, did you and Kaiba ever work things out?" Anzu asked. Kay smiled.

"Yes. I apologized and he didn't fire me. I'm happy about that."

"ooh, really?" Alex asked, smirking.

"ALEX! I don't like him like that!"

"Oh, like that? Then, in what way DO you like him?" she asked.

"The way an employee likes her boss."

"The employee who is crushing on her boss way?"

"NO!"

"So you say."

"QUIT BEING STUPID!!!"

"Kay and Kaiba sitting in a- HEY! I just realized something. Kay, Kaiba, KK. Simms Seto, SS. KS and SK. YOU GUYS HAVE SIMILAR INITIALS!" **(This is the truth, and I find that very funny)** It's group sweatdrop time.

"And...how is that important?"

"It means you're destined for each o-"

"NO!"

"Yes."

"No."

"Yes."



"NO!"

"YES!"

"Are you freaking out again, Simms?" a familiar cold voice asked.

"Oh no, Alex is just being ANNOYING!"

Just admit you like him."

"I DON'T LIKE HIM!"

"Yeah you do."

"No I don't."

"Then explain why you two were holding hands."

"WE WERE NOT HOLDING HANDS!!!!"

"Yes you were."

"We were NOT!"

"Were too."

"I'M GONNA HURT YOU!"

"What are they talking about?" Seto asked. Cat giggled.

"I'm not sure you should know. Kay may kill me if I let you know." Kristen walked over with Yugi.

"Hey guys...why are Kay and Alex fighting?"

"I'm not allowed to say."

"Um, excuse me?" an Asian girl with long black hair and brown eyes asked.

"Ye-" Kay stared at her and she was grinning. "TORI!"

"KAY!" The two girls screaming excitedly and hugged each other.

"Oh my God, I have not seen you for months! How have you been?"

"I'm great, how about you."

"Awesome, on top of the world, what else is new?" Tori laughed.

"Good, you haven't changed."

"But have you?"

"Pfft, heck no."

"Judging by the uniform, I take it you're here to stay?"

"Yup."

"YAY!"

"Hey, what's going on?" Tori and Kay looked to see Khaos and Ryou standing there, looking at them in a confused way.

"Oh, everyone, this is one of my dear old friends, Tori. Tori, this is Khaos, Cat, Ryou, Yugi, Kaiba, Anzu, and Jackie."

"Nice to meet you. Oh, Kay, look at what I brought to celebrate me moving here." Tori reached into her lunch bag and pulled something out. "PIE!"

The millennium ring around Ryou's neck shone and he changed into a man with wilder hair and a crazed gleam in his eye. Kay looked at him and jumped.

"Whoa! Who the heck are you? And what have you done with Ryou?!" she asked. Tori looked at him and stared then smirked, finding this new Bakura rather attractive.

"Oh, Kay-Chan, you know how I have Yami in my puzzle?" Yugi asked.

"Ryou has the same thing only with that ring thing?"

"Pretty much, except his Yami is evil and pie obsessed, my Yami...isn't."

"Gotcha. Speaking of your Yami, how did last night with Cat go?"

"Well, she passed out but after we woke her up, things went rather smoothly." Kay sweatdropped.

"Um...great."

"MY PIE!

"NO, MY PIE!"

"Tori, um...Bakura, why not SPLIT the pie?" Kay asked.

"...I'm game if he is."

"Fine. Half a pie is better than no pie."

"I hear you."

"I just can't do things tonight." **(Forgive the sick joke. THIS GOES OUT TO YOU, KRISTEN. Her idea, I just spread it to corrupt your innocence because I'm cruel.)**

"EW!" Kay shrieked. "You're sick, Bakura."

"What? I love pie."

"He's married it before..." Anzu sighed. Kay stared.

"Isn't that illegal?"

"Shh, tell no one..." Bakura whispered. Kay sweatdropped.

"Well today wins the prize for freakiness..." Honda and Jounouchi walked over at this moment.

"Sup...ew, Kaiba. What are you doing out in public?" Jounouchi asked.

"Mutt, why are you off your leash? You might bite someone and make them rabid like you."

"Why you-"

"Don't get too close to me. I don't want fleas." Kay laughed.

"Jounouchi, I didn't know you had a dog nickname. That's funny."

"You think so?" Jounouchi asked, raising an eyebrow.

"Yeah! It makes you seem so feeble and pathetic." ^^ He fell over.

"Not...the image I was going for."

"Yeah...now that I look at him, he really is a mutt..." Kay said.

"DON'T BECOME A MINI KAIBA!"

"EXCUSE ME?"

"Uh oh..."

"Um, pardon me?"

"WHAT?!" The girl backed away. She was a little shorter than Kay, with long, glossy black hair, dark eyes, and tanned skin.

"U-um, I'm new here. M-my name is Brianna."

"Oh, I'm so sorry. My name is Kay. Tori, I should show you and Brianna around school anyway. Again, very sorry. Come with me."

"I'll come too!" Honda said. He smiled kindly at Brianna and she smiled back.

"Let the tour begin!" Kay said before leading them into the school. Everyone else blinked. Today was off to a random start.

**Ummm...I guess I'll end this story here. I might not. It depends on how I feel tomorrow. If I decide to make a third story tomorrow instead of thinking of another chappie then that is what I will do. Soo...yeah. Comment please! ^^**

## 8 - Dance Your Heart Out (DDR)

*BRIIIING!*

The final bell rang and Kay zoomed out of her classroom. She was really excited because today she was going to the arcade with Mokuba. What could be more fun than that? Of course, Kaiba did not know which only made her smile. She loved keeping secrets behind Kaiba's back.

It has been a week since the incident and everything was back to normal. How great is that? Bri and Kay had become good friends and Bri revealed herself to be from Spain. Kay thought that was freakishly awesome.

Tori and Yami Bakura definately seemed to have a thing for each other. He came out a lot more. It was...interesting. ^^

Kay waved to Yugi and Kristen as she ran by and soon got outside then waited on the sidewalk for Seto. She took out her headphones and started listening to "Best Friends."

She was a little more than half way through the song, when she felt something touch her shoulder. Kay jumped a bit and spun, slapping the person who had startled her. Then she realized she had hit Seto...oops...

Kay froze up and then slowly took the headphones out of her ears. Seto stared at her. His mouth twitched a little in the corner, almost like he didn't know whether to yell, laugh, or do nothing.

"I-I'm sorry....you just scared me. I swear I didn't mean to hit y-" He held up a hand to shut her up.

"Just...don't worry about it."

"Did I hurt you?" she asked meekly.

"No." She sighed in relief.

"That's good." The limo pulled up and Roland opened the door for Kay. She smiled and said thank you then slid in. Seto sat next to her and the door closed. He started to pull out his lapop but she grabbed his hand and shook her head firmly. "Come on, you work 24/7. Can't you just sit and have a conversation with me this one time?" she asked.

"Why? We have nothing to discuss."

"Au contraire."

"Then what shall we talk about?"

"Well, how was your day today, Kaiba-kun?" He blinked at the new nickname.

"Um...fine."

"Ok...can you be a little bit more specific?"

"Well...um..." He pursed his lips a bit. Kay looked at him and tilted her head slightly.

*"Aw, he actually looks kinda cute liek that...WAIT! What in God's name am I thinking?!"* He looked at her and her eyebrows and nose were wrinkled slightly and she looked dismayed and perplexed.

"...something wrong?" he asked.

"Nah. Just thinking about...very...odd...stuff...ooh! There's Tiffany and Duke!" Kay leaned over Seto to wave out the window. "Hey guys!"

"Hi Kay!" Tiffany called. She and Duke both waved at her.

"Aw, they were holding hands, how cute."

"Um...er..." Seto felt rather awkward. Kay noticed this and quickly leaned back.

"Sorry about that. I get excited easilly, but I'm sure that was obvious. No need for a smart, sarcastic remark."

"Well you're just prepared for everything, aren't you?"

"I SAID NO SARCASTIC REMARK!!!" she snapped. >.< This made him chuckle.

"Too bad."

"You are so mean!"

"Took you long enough to figure that out, Simms." She frowned a bit. "What now?"

"Can you not call me by my last name? Can't you call me Kay? It sounds so harsh when you call me 'Simms.'" He blinked.

"Kay?"

"Yeah!" she said, beaming. "I like it so much more. Don't you?"

"I...guess..."

"If you prefer 'Kay-Chan' or 'Kay-Kun' then that's fine. Tis what my friends call me."

"Uh...I think I'll just stick with Kay." She shrugged and smiled.

"Whateve-" She was cut off when the limo suddenly braked and she fell off her seat along with Seto and the bumped heads.

"OW!" both of them said together. The limo started moving as they started getting up, than it braked again and Seto fell on top of Kay.

"Ouch!" she cried.

"Sorry..." he mumbled, trying to get off of her, but only making it uncomfortable for both of them. They were, at this point, kind of tangled up. "Roland!" Seto snapped.

"I'm sorry, Sir. There's a car in front of us who continues hitting the brakes." Seto growled.

"Um...Kaiba?" He looked at at Kay to see the poor thing totally being crushed underneath him.

"Oh my God." He tried and to get them untangled and then succeeded after about five minutes and they both sat in their seats again. Kay smoothed her hair and Seto smoothed his clothes.

"Here we are, sir." Roland opened the door and Seto slid out then Kay followed. Mokuba ran outside before they had even walked up the steps to the mansion.

"Nii-Sama! Kay-Chan!" he cried excitedly. Mokuba hugged Seto who smiled at him and ruffled his hair affectionatly.

"Hi Mokuba." Mokuba smiled up at Seto then he went to hug Kay, who hugged him back.

"Hey Mokie-kun!" she greeted. They walked into the mansion. Seto went to his room to change clothes. This was odd. Kay had never seen him in anything other than his school uniform and his trench coat, which she was in love with.

And he never changed out of his school uniform at home, he always changed at work. Oh well. She went in the kitchen with Mokuba and prepared him a snack and also made one for herself. Onigiri for herself, chocolate parfait for Mokuba.

Seto walked into the kitchen in a white suit, light blue shirt, and blue tie. "Ok, I'm going now." Kay stared, he looked REALLY good. She quickly looked away when he started looking at her, but Mokuba noticed and smirked when he saw her blushing, despite the fact that she tried to hide it with her hand.

"Have a good day!" was all she said, without even looking at her. Mokuba smiled and nodded.

"Yes, Nii-Sama." Seto nodded.

"Kay, don't corrupt my brother."

"I doubt I can corrupt him more than you have."

"What?"

"Nothing." She smiled innocently at him.

"That smile is so fake."

"No it isn't." He rolled his eyes and walked away. They soon heard the front door open and close then the limo drive away.

"Kay, do you like my brother?" Mokuba asked. Kay's face turned bright red.

"No way!" she said, shaking her head. "That'd be so weird. He and I are too different."

"Well, you know opposites attract."

"I don't think that applies in this case, Mokie."

"Hmm...are you sure?"

"Why?" Mokuba shrugged.

"You were just blushing when you saw him in that suit." Kay shrugged uncomfortably.

"Well...I admit your brother is pretty good looking, but that doesn't mean I want to date him. It'd be way too strange."

"Ah ha, so you DO like him."

"NO! I just think sometimes he's kinda good looking. That's it."

"You're blushing even more."

"Be quiet and go change or we won't go to the arcade!"

"Ok." Mokuba ran up to his room. Kay went into the bathroom and changed out of her uniform into a lavender, silk tank top, black jeans, and boots. Then she put her hair up into a ponytail and applied some matching make up and perfume.

Mokuba was waiting for her in the living room, in jeans and a navy blue T-shirt with the Japanese symbol for "power" in yellow on the front.. Kay went outside with him and locked the door to the mansion and Roland drove up. They went to the arcade and Kay took him to the DDR machine.

Nobody was there, shockingly enough, so they went on it.

Kay showed Mokuba how to play. He wound up getting pretty good and having a good time. That is, until...



"Oh, is he supposed to be dancing?" a voice asked. Kay turned to see Minako smirking at her. "I thought he was killing a bug. And Simms, what are you wearing metal boots? You're stomping around like a gorilla." Kay glared and Mokuba hung his head sadly.

"You stupid little slut. Let's see you beat me. If I win, you will apologize to Mokuba and give us money for an entire day at the arcade."

"And if I win, Seto Kaiba goes on a date with me."

"Um, you're asking for the impossible."

"The little brat makes him go out with me." Kay snarled.

"How dare you talk about Mokuba like that! I'm going to get you, Minako."

"Kay, don't." Mokuba took her wrist. "It's ok. Just beat her in DDR."

"Fine. Get up here, Minako." Mokuba walked off the stage and Minako smirked and stepped up.

"This will be easy."

"You think so?" Kay asked, glaring. Mokuba stood as far as he could from Minako and her group and friends and as close as he could to Kay. They chose the difficulty level "Flash" and the song "Sandstorm."

"Dancers, are you ready? And...BEGIN!" the announcer yelled.

The music started and the first arrows started showing up. Kay and Minako started dancing.

"Hey, check them out!" a boy yelled. In no time, there was a crowd of people around the DDR machine. Mokuba felt himself get pushed around and then he bumped into a solid figure.

"Sorry-Seto?!" he exclaimed, looking up at the figure.

"Mokuba, what are you doing here? Where's Kay?"

"Up there." He pointed to the DDR platform. "She's dancing against a mean lady who was making fun of me." Seto looked up. He automatically recognized Minako and groaned. Kay looked different to him. Probably because he was not used to seeing her in those clothes or dancing. She seemed a bit older to him. "Oh, and if Kay loses, you have to go on a date with the mean lady."

"What?!" Seto growled.

"D-don't worry, I'm sure Kay will win."

"For her sake, you'd better be right." The song was halfway through, and Minako was starting to fall back. She was getting less perfects. Kay was getting nothing but perfect.

"You won't win!" Minako growled, pushing Kay who slammed against the railing of her stage painfully. She kept one eye open, the other closed from her wince, and kept her feet moving and straightened slowly, quickly moving back into the music.

"You little cheater!" she hissed. Minako simply smirked and Kay saw she was going to try and trip her so she decided to give the audience a show and quite literally danced out of Minako's way, with little spins.

"Wow, look at her go."

"She's creaming that other one."

Think I can get their numbers?"

Boys in the audience were saying stuff like this. Seto and Mokuba stared in shock.

"Whoa..." they both said. The song soon ended and Minako got an A, Kay got a AA.

"Looks like I win, fork over the money." Minako growled but kept her side of the deal and emptied out her wallet. Kay counted the bills. "Hardly enough, but it will due." Minako stomped off with her friends and Kay laughed at her while getting off her stage. "Pathetic."

"Kay-Chan!" Mokuba cried, running over to her. "You were amazing."

"Thank you."

"And you'll never guess, I bumped into Se-" Mokuba spn but saw nobody was there. Kay blinked.

"Who?"

"He's gone?" Mokuba said. "Um...ok?"

"Well, whatever, let's go and play some games."

"YEAH!"

## 9 - Dance Your Heart Out (Tango)

Kay and Mokuba ran around the entire arcade and played every single good game they could find for the next two hours. Then the money Minako had given them was gone.

"Wow! That was fun!" Mokuba exclaimed. Kay smiled and nodded.

"Yeah." She looked at her watch. "Well, time to head back and make dinner. Come on." They went out of the arcade and called Roland who came quickly to take them back to the mansion.

Kay put on an apron and started cooking their dinner, meatloaf, mashed potatoes, and peas with a special creamy gravy. (Oh, we make that and I swear I die and go to heaven) Mokuba chowed down and he loved it.

After Kay cleaned up and prepared a plate for Seto when he got home, they went out to the living room and watched some movies until ten.

"Time for bed, Mokie."

"Aw, can't I stay up a little longer?" Kay shook her head.

"I let you stay up later than usual already. I don't want your brother walking through the door and biting my head off." Mokuba sighed.

"Ok..." Kay led him upstairs and tucked him into bed, gave him a kiss goodnight, and turned out the light. Then, she went downstairs and changed from her clothes to a pair of sweatpants and a T-shirt that had been cut so it showed her stomach. She took her laptop and a CD and went to the larest, emptiest room in the mansion and plugged in her laptop and connected it to the internet and attached a camera to it and logged online.

"Hi Uncle." Pegasus appeared on the screen.

"Hello Kay."

"I have been working on my Tango."

"Really now? Well you must show me." Kay nodded.

"Ja." She opened up Musicmatch Jukebox and went to one of her playlists and doubled clicked on a song. "I have to dance solo, but you'll see the basic idea," She hit play and stood up and walked away from the laptop. "Can you see alright?"

"Yeah. Go for it."

"Ok."

Kay sighed and started falling into the hiphop tango beat. She turned, spun, kicked. Tango basic, front ocho, back ocho, media luna, then another front ocho, back ocho with parada, the barrida, and sandwich, then the cambio de frente. All of these steps and more.

The song lyrics danced in her head along with her feet.

*Follow me into my world  
Let your worries fade with every  
step you take  
Baby whatcha' waiting for  
Let the tango take control  
Feel the music inside your soul (Oh)  
My hand is out, just grab a hold*

*Watch time fade away  
My arms will keep you safe  
It's just you and me  
Dancing in this dream*

*Whatever you do, don't wake me up  
The feeling's real won't let it  
stop, no*

*Don't be afraid, take my hand  
Forget the world  
Will you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente  
Trust in me, take a chance  
Feel the Tango  
When you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente*

*Now I have you next to me  
Everything is how it should be (ooh yeah)  
Baby, don't fight the feeling  
We're floating on the clouds  
If I could, I'd never come back down (no no)  
Baby just keep on groovin' groovin'*

*As time fades away  
My arms will keep you safe  
It's just you and me  
Dancing in this dream*

*WHatever you do, don't wake me up*

*The feeling's real, won't let it  
stop, no*

*Don't be afraid, take my hand  
Forget the world  
Will you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente  
Trust in me, take a chance  
Feel the Tango  
When you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente*

*Dance with me  
(I'm dancing with you)  
For this moment in time  
(My dreams have come true)  
My darling just dance with me  
If only one night*

*Don't be afraid, take my hand  
Forget the world  
Will you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente  
Trust in me, take a chance  
Feel the Tango  
When you dance, dance with me  
Podemos bailar eternamente*

She finished with a spin and posed.

"Ta da?" she asked, panting a little. Pegasus clapped.

"Marvelous!" She straightened and bowed.

"That's good to know."

"Aw, I swear. You are going to be a star at that dinner. You still have a little over two months. By then you'll probably figure out how to fly or something crazy like that." This made her laugh.

"An interesting idea, Uncle. Well, I just wanted to show that to you. I still need a partner. I e-mailed you the steps if you wish to try and audition some people."

"Ok, I'll read over them tonight." Kay nodded.

"Talk to you later."

"Yes, bye Kay." She smiled and nodded then closed out of the program and disconnected her laptop

and walked out of the room and right into Seto.

"There you are. I was looking all over to mansion for you."

"Oh, I'm sorry Kaiba-kun."

"What were you doing?"

"Just chatting with uncle Pegasus!" ^^

"And why can't you do that in the living room?" he asked coldly. She simply shrugged.

"I'm weird like that. And by the way, young man, you're late. Your dinner is on the counter waiting to be heated up, and I won't have you not eating again. Now come along now, and tuck in your shirt. You look like a hoodlum." Seto stared at her. She had just done one heck of an impersonation of an older aunt or mother nagging their son or nephew.

He watched as she packed her stuff away.

"Well, I'm off."

"Wait a second, you're WALKING to your house? Dressed like that?" he asked, pointing at her. She looked down.

"Yeah, and?"

"You're going to be jumped by some perverts for sure."

"Oh, come on. It only shows my stomach."

"So? That's more than enough skin, Miss Kay. Roland is going to drive you home, whether you like it or not?"

"Aw, are you worried about me, Kaiba-kun?" she said in the most annoying way.

"NO!" he yelled, fighting off the rouge that was starting to seep into his pale face. She giggled.

"I think you are."

"No damn way!"

"Then you won't mind if I walk home and take a shortcut through the dark alleyways?"

"Don't you dare."

"Ah HA, so you are worried."

"NO I'M NOT!"

"Whatever you say."

"It's like I said before, I don't want to have to go on a wild goosehunt for a new babysitter. Now you wait here while I call Roland. And if you move an inch, you are going to WISH a pervert had jumped you instead."

"Why would I wish that?"

"...you can be such an idiot, Kay."

"And you can be such an annoying dweeb, but we're both going to have to deal with it." He growled and walked away.

*"Why the hell am I even bothering? I should let that little wench walk home and get jumped. Eh, who am I kidding? What kind of desperate wacko would jump HER?!"* He called for Roland who was outside in a couple of minutes.

Kay went outside, gave Roland her usual smile and thank you then slid into the limo. Seto watched them drive off. He had seen her two times that evening: at the arcade whipping Minako at DDR, and in his mansion showing her solo tango to her uncle.

It intrigued him, and he did not like it.

**WHEE!!! ANOTHER CHAPPIE, and not just any chappie, THE LAST ONE!!!**

**Here's the link to the sequel.**

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