# **Universal Lords**

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As a Universal Lord you must protect the universe from **ANY** outside threat.

They better not screw up.

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## 1 - Chapter One

#### Chapter One[br]

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It had been three days since Red was wondering through a forest which he referred as a "wasteland." He was starving, and became very defensive. Red began to believe that he was going in a big circle. The bad thing was he did not even remember how he got here or what happened to Purple in the first place.[br]

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Suddenly he heard something moving, whatever it was began moving pretty fast. All Red could think about was if it came near him he would kill it. The noise stopped and silence had returned to this dark forest. Red began to continue his possible long walk toward nowhere. Something stopped him, He thought it was nothing until he looked down. It was an alien being that might have turned to stone.[br] [br]

"What is this?" Red thought.[br]

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"This is what becomes of those who dare to battle the Scorthicol." A deep feminine voice said [br] [br]

"You take one step near me and you won't even see the light of day ever again. !" Red shouted.[br] [br]

"Don't even think about it," the female replied stepping towards him "Besides why would you think I was going to hurt you?"[br]

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The female clearly resembled a human female with long black hair, she wore a black eye patch on her left eye. Her clothing was a white robe with violet seams and a long purple wrap that kept the robe in place.[br]

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"Wait a minute that was you running?" Red asked.[br]

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"Yes, I was actually out here to find anyone stranded and bring them to safety," The female said calmly. "It's very dangerous to be out here, this is when the Scorthicol comes out to feed."

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Both had stopped talking to hear a large noise, the noise in fact sounded like a faint monstrous cry. [br] [br]

"So what did you have in mind?" Red asked.[br]

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"I have a camp set not to far from here." The female replied in fearsome tone.[br]

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So both had ran of while they had the chance. They came across a tunnel door and went in. The female was telling the truth that this is where her camp was.[br]

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"This is the safest place to be when that awful creature comes out." She explained, "Its vision is based movement."[br]

"You did not tell me that this place was filthy." Red said.[br]

"I know and I apologize for that," the female replied. "By the way I am Zelda, the ruler of Planet Survora and you are?"[br]

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"Almighty Tallest Red from Planet Irk," he replied mocking her accent "I've heard about that planet, your people are advance in medical technology and you look like humans."[br]

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"Those Humans, well most of them are arrogant and some are even unintelligent." Said Zelda sadly. "I know I went to Earth as exploration trip."[br]

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"How long have you been here?" Red suddenly asked.[br]

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Zelda quickly replied "For a week now and I don't remember how I ended up here come to think of it." [br]

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"I've been out here for three days." Red said.[br]

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It had hit Zelda for a moment, she had remembered something.[br]

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"I saw another that kinda looked like you," Zelda pointed out. "Except he was wearing a different colored robe. I tried to offer him help and he ran off on me like if I was a threat."[br]

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"Do you know where he ran?" Red asked.[br]

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"He ran north, he mention his name was Purple and he was trying to find a way out this forest." Zelda said. "Just a few days ago I saw a Vortian out here, he too was trying to leave. So he stayed here for a couple of days and left earlier today.[br]

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"What is the Scorthicol?" Red asked, changing the subject.[br]

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"He is a creature that is taller than the both of us with his vision based on movement and is deaf," Zelda explained and she continued. "Its claws are deadly, if you are scratched by it then you will turn to stone and he will consume you from the inside. I hope the two that are still out there are okay"[br]

[br] They continued their conversation until the morning and set off north to save the other two whom had ran.[br] [br] [br] [br] [br] [br] [br] [br]

## 2 - Chapter Two

Chapter Two[br]

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Red and Zelda's journey took longer than they thought, they had walked north for more than eighteen hours. It was one afternoon when they stopped under a tree to find shade now that it was getting bright and had pulled out from Zelda's supply something to eat. Suddenly a rock fell on Red's head, and he looked up and to his moment of shock. It was Purple, sitting on a branch with a pile of rocks on his lap. He had another one in his hand ready to throw it at someone. Purple had the look as if he was stranded for years, Zelda knew that he was aiming the rock at her and she dodged it.[br]

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"You're not hallucinations, are you?" Purple asked in a frightened tone.[br]

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"Well if I was a hallucination, I would not have dodged your rock tossing now would I?" Zelda replied.[br]

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"Purple get out of the tree." Red told Purple.[br]

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"I am not coming down." Purple said childishly[br]

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"Please come down." Zelda asked nicely[br]

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"I am still not coming down from here!" Purple snapped at Zelda[br]

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This went on for over an hour, and Zelda started to become annoyed. Finally she got some sense to climb up the tree, Purple began throwing rocks at her until he had no more rocks to throw at Zelda.[br] [br]

"Ha! Looks like you're out of rocks my friend." Zelda said as she finally reached the top.[br]

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Zelda began her plan to get him down from the tree only to have ended with her falling the ground.[br] [br]

"Now what genius?" Red asked sarcastically.[br]

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"I'm thinking here!" Zelda replied in the same tone.[br]

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It dawned on Red that there was some food in Zelda's supply, so he pulled out a sandwich and began to wave in Purple's face.[br]

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"Oh look what I've got," Red bragged as he was continuing to wave the sandwich. "Looks good does it not?"[br]

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Purple began to look puppy eyed at the sandwich and tried to snatch it from Red. [br]

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Red moved back and said "You can't have this sandwich unless you come down."[br]

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"No!" Purple shouted.[br]

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"Wow it's shame that one acts childish over a sandwich." A certain voice said.[br]

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Red and Zelda turned around and saw that it was Lard Nar, who was pretty much watching the whole thing. Red didn't have the thought beating up Lard Nar due to his comment, but was ready to if he had chance and Zelda thought of something and acted fast, she grabbed the sandwich.[br]

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"Too bad this is gonna go to waste," Zelda said in fake actor tone "Oh well." [br]

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Zelda was about to throw it on the ground when Purple jumped out the tree and snatched the sandwich from her, he was eating it like a rat would eat a piece of cheese.[br]

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"So have you had any luck?" Zelda asked Lard Nar.[br]

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"No." Lard Nar quickly replied.[br]

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"Okay this is becoming weird," Purple said when he finished his sandwich. "All four of us have ended up her and don't even remember how we got here."[br]

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Red had felt something in his pocket, and he pulled it out to see that he had a map this whole time.[br]

"How did I get this?" he asked them with a blank stare.[br]

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Soon all four of them looked at the map that was marked at an unknown palace, now knowing that they were going the right way to the mysterious place and continued their journey. While on their long journey they began argue.[br]

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Chapter Three[br]

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"You're saying this is all my fault," Zelda bitterly shouted. "How can you be blaming me for something none of us did do?"[br]

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"She's right, earlier you said: We don't remember how we got here in the first place." Lard Nar[br] Said.

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"Look," Red said frustrated. "I have the map here we are fine and plus Zelda has enough supplies to last the whole way there."[br]

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"Hmpf, easy for you to say." Lard Nar snapped.[br]

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Red just glared at him with a murderous look.[br]

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"We are gonna die out here with your stupid Survoran survival instincts!" Purple yelled at Zelda.[br]

Zelda stopped; she became very silent and put her supply bag down.[br]

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"Here," she growled. "You are on your own!" [br]

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Zelda ran further very fast. All of them just stared with a blank look and kept on walking this time carrying the bag with them. Meanwhile Zelda stopped near a creek and she lied down under a tree. She felt that it was useless to have argued with them, Zelda had guilt that she ran out on them in that manner. However she decided to go find them again in the morning and fell asleep. An hour had passed and sounds of growling could be heard, Zelda opened her only functioning eye and stood there in great fear for the Scorthicol was standing in front of her.[br]

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Zelda began to slowly move back, the Scorthicol turned around to look for something and she began to run. The Scorthicol felt moving footsteps, it began to roar and go after Zelda. All Zelda could do, was not to look back and stop when she saw that the others we okay. She was terrified.[br]

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"Zelda, are you okay?" Purple asked. [br]

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"Stand still and don't move!" Zelda shouted.[br]

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The Scorthicol stopped and all four had frozen in fear. The creature alone stood almost fifty feet. The creature snapped at the bag and ate it leaving behind one flare. Zelda picked up the flare and began to light it.[br]

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"Wait Zelda, what are you doing?" Lard Nar began to question.[br]

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"I'm going to get my sword back." Zelda said briefly and she waved the flare and the Scorthicol came toward Zelda and swallowed Zelda whole.[br]

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"Okay she's dead," Purple panicked. "But we can't be here too long."[br]

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"We know that but we need to figure something out. But how?" Red thought.[br]

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It was at that very moment the Scorthicol began to feel a sharp pain on the inside. Then a blade poked out and cut the creature open and killed it. Soon the dead monster's entrails fell out spilling fluids on everyone. Zelda crawled out of its digestive track fully covered in the gooey mess known as digestive juices.[br]

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"Glad to see you survived Zelda," Red chuckled. "But don't come near me though."[br]

"If you think this gross, try getting spewed with digestive juices." Zelda snapped.[br]

"Okay please don't even mention it." Both Purple and Lard Nar said in disgust.[br]

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#### Chapter Four[br]

Meanwhile on planet Earth one night, sounds of sirens filled the air as paramedics had rushed to a young girl with brown hair and a gray jacket. She was wounded and small pieces of her jacket were torn. When the paramedics had tried to lift her but she got up on her own, everyone around her was terrified. The wounded girl saw a crowd of people staring at her and she began to run. [br] [br]

Now this girl is named Myla and she was on the run from a "clinic" that had tried to "help" her. This clinic had stored people with supernatural powers, but it was not to train them to be heros but to be monsters and use them as military weapons. But when Myla was brought in about seventeen years ago. She was something different, and Myla became the rebel of the clinic and was always punishment for her actions. The Punishment was that she was beaten and locked back in her cell.[br] [br]

She became friends with the youngest child in the clinic who saw her as a mother figure. But when the "Doctors" had experimented on tampering with Myla's emotions they killed the innocent child. Myla lost her mind and began to tear the metal from the walls and wood from tables. Of course no one was suspicions about this. Myla created a weapon and began to kill every single "Doctor" in this evil facility. Only four survived, Myla had escaped being shot six times. [br]

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Now Myla was still bleeding from her gun wounds, and her fingers could feel the holes on her side. She fell to the ground and blacked out, Myla could not move she knew it was over she had thought she could feel Death coming for her. The next morning she was on a bed with bandages on her head and stomach area. Myla woke up noticing her jacket was gone and all she had on was a clean white shirt and her torn up jeans.[br]

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"Where am I and what happened to my jacket?!" she screamed.[br]

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Myla began to walk around the surrounding she was stuck in, she saw photographs of a scientist and a few that seemed to be his children. In fact in the kitchen she found her jacket cleaned from the bloodstains. Nothing looked threatening and she had put some sandwiches in her jacket pockets, so before she left Myla found some paper and wrote with a pen a thank you note and left it on the kitchen table.[br]

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Dib entered his home after skool and walked into the kitchen and saw the bread box was open.[br] [br]

"Maybe Zim's robot might have came and planted some device in the bread box again." He thought. So he began to search the box and found nothing. Eventually Dib found a thank you note.[br]

The note read: "To whom it may concern, [br] I thank you for your hospitality and sorry I could not thank you in person.[br] Maybe I might come back .[br] Thank you so much,[br] Myla."[br] [br] Dib now clearly remembering his dad brought her in since she was found on the doorsteps of the house nearly dead. About a week or so had passed and it was late at night yet again, but this time in the park Zim and Dib were battling for the safety of Earth yet again.[br] [br] "Why won't you just let me take Earth and die?!" Zim smirked.[br] [br] "Oh please I am not that dumb to just kill myself and let you win." Dib replied. Each of them had a weapon in their hands and began to attack. Their fight continued for a long period of time. Until suddenly, a shadowy figure struck Zim and knocked him to the ground.[br] [br] "Um thank you, whoever you are." Dib said trying to see who it was.[br] [br] The figure turned around and it was Myla.[br] [br] "No Problem." She said cheerfully.[br] "Wait I remember you. You were the one with the multiple gun shot wounds." Dib began to recognize. "You're Myla right?"[br] [br] "I am, and you must be the scientist's son." Myla replied.[br] [br] "Enough talking!" Zim shouted rising up. He picked up his weapon and shot Myla in the face. Dib stared cold dead at Myla who appeared to be dead. For a moment she did not move but some thing was wrong. Half of Myla's face was torn off but it had grayish black skin and not open flesh from her face. Myla stood up and started laughing in an evil creature laugh.[br] [br] "What's the matter boys never a seen girl still alive when her face is blown off huh?" Myla hissed.[br] [br] "What are you?" Zim asked. [br] "Why little boy Irken, I am just someone, who is ready to kill!" She laughed.[br] [br] "Myla" had made her first struck and was backed off, Dib and Zim both ran and still "Myla" came toward them. While she was chasing them pieces of her human skin began to fall and she was slowly growing fangs. Zim and Dib hid behind two different trees on two different sides where Myla stood waiting for one of them to come.[br] [br]

"Come Out, come out wherever you are." She laughed and hissed.[br]

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Chapter 5[br] [br] "Myla" began to tear through the trees to find Zim and Dib. She found both of them, "Myla" was completely not human anymore. It seemed at first all hope is lost. Dib began to feel a sharp claw scratch his face.[br] [br] "Not what I came here for," 'Myla' snarled. "Let's see about little boy Irken." Zim now felt the sharp claw against his face.[br] [br] "No!" She screamed. "That's not it either, I guess I'll just kill you both so you won't have a story to tell."[br] [br] "Wait!" Zim cried.[br] "What now?" 'Myla' asked.[br] [br] "What were you looking for?" Dib asked.[br] [br] "I was told to 'find the key look through the blood" 'Myla' said.[br] [br] "That's just stupid!" Zim shouted.[br] [br] "And you won't find it here." A dark masculine voice cried.[br] "Myla" turned around fast and saw it was Death. As traditional his face is never shown.[br] [br] "How dare you steal my daughter, you will be punished for your crimes." Death said.[br] [br] "Wait a minute she's your daughter?" Dib asked confused.[br] [br] "Her real name is Kaya," Death began to explain. "Both Fate and I sent her to Earth in hiding seven hundred years ago. Now that this demon has come, It is my time to take her home."[br] [br] "Well she's mine now bone bags, if you want her back bring me what I came for." The demon commanded.[br] [br]

Death stood there or actually floated, all of a sudden he began to chat in old Latin, which translates in

"Evil Demon, you turned against me and sealed my daughter's soul. Dark wicked creature, now with a

English: [br]

seal of your doom you are sent to where your punishment is your worst nightmare. Now leave and let my daughter go!"[br]

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The Demon could feel something unearthly pull her down. Burning, she screamed and became nothing more than ashes. Among those ashes lied Kaya, well her soul that is Death did not hesitate and carried her. Zim and Dib stared at Kaya.[br]

Death began to vanish into smoke. "She is coming home." [br]

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Well it did not do much to know after that experience and so they went back to their fight. It had been a week since these four began their journey, Zelda was still reeking from the stench of dead flesh. [br]

"It has been one week since we had seen that stupid monster and you still smell like dead meat." Lard Nar yelled at Zelda.[br]

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Zelda was losing her temper. "At least you weren't eaten and plus you too smell of something rotten." [br]

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Purple began to laugh. "You know something for once Zelda is right. Besides Zelda the reason why you were eaten was because you just had to run and get your stupid sword."

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Zelda stayed silent knowing that she was close to blowing a fuse and maybe beating the senses out of Purple or even Lard Nar. But she didn't she just continued to walk.[br]

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"Zelda didn't you say that sword was a royal heirloom?" Red asked.[br]

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Zelda tried to calm herself and replied. "Yes it is and that is why I went to retrieve it and nearly became nothing but waste." [br]

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Finally they had made it to their destination tired and smelly but they got their in one piece.[br] [br]

Chapter Six[br]

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Zelda was becoming very irritated, she was still the laughing stalk of the group and was waiting to attack one of the three; Zelda kept her ground and was trying her very best to not scream and fight, but then something happened. The laughter and teasing ended when they reached the door of the palace the found a sign that read:[br]

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"Ring the bell please."[br]

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The least of the smelly and goo covered which was Purple rang the bell and the door opened. It was dimly lit but was bright enough to see, out of the shadows had come a male ghostly figure. His face was covered and carried a large candle.[br]

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"Welcome dear guest please enter." He said.[br]

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Zelda whispered "I have a strange feeling about this."[br]

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"Zelda, you always get so suspicious!" Red whispered in reply.[br]

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They walked down the narrow halls, looking at swords from all over the universe to include some from Earth and paintings. The entered a room where it was so dark that even the candle the ghost was carrying was just a speck of light. Everyone was pretty much bumping into each other until another door had opened this time it was a room filled with mirrors. As a joke Red pulled out a laser pointer and the little beam was shooting through out the entire room and hit Purple in the eye. Zelda and Lard Nar began to giggle, Purple just shot them a nasty look.[br]

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Finally they were in a room that looked like a bathhouse, they stopped this time. The bathhouse had seperate rooms [br]

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"My masters, leave you to clean yourselves. There are towels in these rooms for you and we will leave you something fresh and clean to wear." The ghost servant said.[br]

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He left the room and all four just stared like if they were confused. Then they went into the individual rooms.[br]

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Red began to talk in one of the rooms. " See Zelda, nothing bad has happened yet."[br]

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"Not yet, that means there is a possiblity." Zelda snapped.[br]

" Okay, Princess Paranoid!"[br] [br]

" I'm not paranoid !!!"[br]

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"Zelda, stop denying." Purple remarked.[br]

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Zelda grownled and went into the warm bath and fell asleep. Almost four hours passed, and there was no sound in Zelda's room. The other three thought she had already left. [br]

Something was different though, they weren't wearing their usuall outfits instead they wore elegant outfits. Lard Nar's was the most elegant in white and cyan . They walked down the hallways again thinking Zelda was ahead of them. Red stopped and found a large book almost heavier than a high school textbook he opended it and saw a small yet extremely large list of names. On the side of the list had the name's birth and/or death day. Red just began to flip the pages and came across his name and noticed he had a death date printed on his name. He was about to look at it until . . .:[br] [br]

"I wouldn't look at that if I were you."[br] [br]