

Escape the Fate

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This story is about a girl that has 2 problems

1. she found a ring that let out eathrs doom and she has to save man kind

2. when ever shes late for school her teacher does stuff to her and then something she thought shed never do happens

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1 - Lost and Found

Kaina Sukiinu ran through the street, in front of a car, and back to the sidewalk not stopping. She was late for school once more.

" shoot Im late " she whispered out of breath. She dashed up the school doors and into the girls locker room. Quickley oulling off her boot and sliding into the school shoes. She stopped in front of the mirror, fixed her long black hair, made sure her school uniform was straight and that her tie was in place.

She glanced around her till her eyes fell on the clock.

" 30 mintues late and still ticking" she grabbed her bag and ran up the stairs . Two more levels. She ran up the last pair of staris, down the hallway and stopped dead in her tracks outside of the door labeled Mr. Dunni. KAina stood there for a minute catching her breath, fixing her hair again and her clothes. She quietly opened the door and stepped in. Mr. Dunni was writing on the black board with a white piece of chalk. Kaina tip-toed to her desk and sat down. Some of her classmates, also her friends turned in there seats smiling.

" YOUR LATE" Mr. Dunni said loudley without turning. " and why is Miss. Kaina late?" He now turned to face KAin.

Kaina smiled thing of an excuse to tell him " ummm there was a lot of traffic" she gave him a lame excuse. Laughter spread through the room but went quiet fast.

" You walk to school, give me a betrer excuse!" he said getting a little angry with her lies " this is your 5th time this week that you have been late!" He was now walking over to her desk " I want to see you after school is over, in my office!" Mr. Dunni said with a smirk of a smile on his face. Only Kaina saw it.

" Yea yea yea " she said giving him a deadly stare. There was a silence in the class as the 2 were in lock down stare.

Mr. Dunni, his first name Ayton, was a young teacher, maybe 19 or 20, and he liked girls! Yes he enjoyed his job getting to see high school girls in short skirts with brick and white button up t- shirts. That also included a tir. Right no he seemed to be favoring Kaina. She didnt like it one bit.

He fainally turned away " BACK TO CLASS " he shouted waking some kids and making others jump.

Tana turned to face Kaina " you ok?"

" of course Im ok" Kaina said uncomfortable with how Mr. Dunni kept glancing at her and staring.

~~~ END OF SCHOOL ~ KAINAS HEADING TO MR. DUNNIS ROOM ~~~

Kaina walked slowley to Mr. Dunnis office trying to save some time. She wasnt but was scared. She

stopped and out front his door and after a minute walked in.

Mr. Dunni was sitting at his desk and got up when she walked in. " take a seat" Mr. Dunni said walking over to the door and locking it takeing the key and sliding it into his pocket.

" Why did you just lock the door?" KAina asked scared

" KAina now let me know why you are always late?" he said comeing over to her

" Im not telling you shoot!" Kaina yelled backing up from him but he grabbed her arm and pushed her to the ground and held her there. One hand over her mouth. He used his body to hold her down so his other hand was free.

" now just be quiet and pay for being late!" he smiled sliding his hand under her skirt. She tried to scream but his hand muffed it out. SHe tried to twist and turn but he was to strong. No matter how much she tried she was stuck there. She felt his fingers go into her and she felt pleasure go through her body making her close her eyes, but then she snapped back to her senses and tried to get free again.

" Just relax KAina" he whispered, Kaina started to get tired from pushing and turning, and she stopped fighting him for a minute letting the pleasure take over again. She closed her eyes somehow wanting just a little more but then snapped back to her senses once more.

" please " she whispered trying to focus on anything but the pleasure spots he kept hitting making her moan just a tad. AFTer a little while he took his fingers out and smiled at kaina.

" I'll go farther tomorrow if your late agina" he said sitting up letting her go. She jumped up and ran for the door the farthest from him. " that was the first warning and if im not mistaken you liked it a little"

KAina stayed quiet wanting to leave and get as far away from him.

" well just dont be late" he said walking towards the door

" BUT ITS NOT MY FAULT IM LATE!" Kaina cried

" well then I'll just keep having my fun then" he smiled

" I'll tell another teacher or the princlble " Kaina yelled tears rolling down her face.

" Then I'll fail you in the class and hey, who the prinable going to believe? A student who hate a teacher or the teacher who dosnt know what shes talking about?" he smiled " he unlocked the door but stood in front of it " you may leave just dont be late tomorrow" he laughed and opened the door for her. As she walked out he grabbed her arm.

" one more hting" he bent down and kissed her lightly makin git last. Then he let her arm go and she ran, not stopping till she was back in the locker room changiong her shoes. Thats when she noticed the bok on the table that said

## " LOST and FOUND "

She sat up and went over to the box. It was empty except a small ring. It was round and had a nicely sized red ruby on it. She picked it up and slide it onto her finger. Just as she slide it on the lights flickered 3 times giving her the chills. The she thought of Mr. Dumni and if he would want more and come down here looking to see if she was till here so she grabbed her bag and ran out of the school. She forgot the ring was still on her finger.

Still running down the road she hoped to god she wasnt late for work. Work was about to fire her for being late cause of school. She kept running up the staris to a large house and up 5 levels to the bathroom. She quicley changed into her maid uniform and started cleaning, her job. She started in the daughters room which was the messiest! She made the bed. Dusted the windows and mirrors, cleaned the floor of 10 year old toys and straighted the girls dolls. " Bubby first, then its Marky I think..... and then squid and so on" the little girl always wanted them in order. When Kaina cleaned she would forget about her worries. She liked her job. She had to make breakfast and wake the kids up in the morning. HAd to make sure the kids also go tot school on time and safely so she walked them to there elementary school. Just her luck too there school was the oppiste direction of her school by 30 minutes at least. So it was hard for her to get them to school on time and then run to her school before the bell rang. The problem was that her mom was sick and she needed to make money to keep her mom in the hospitle or mom would 99% die. So this job was the only thing keeping her mom alive. She didnt want to lose this job, or be late for school tomorrow. She was scared of tomorrow would bring!

## 2 - Please Dont Make me Late

Kaina was once again running from the elementary school to the high school at top speed. She didn't want to be late. She really didn't want to be late. She was scared.

She had just dropped the girls off at their school and had 10 minutes to get to school or she'd be late. That's when she felt it. The ring tightened around her finger. At first she didn't feel it but then it loosened and then it tightened. She slowed her pace to look down at the ring.

'What's happening?' she asked herself as a bright light flashed for a second. She stopped and tried to pull the ring off, but it wouldn't budge. People were starting to stare at her as she tried to pull it off. She quickly went into a ramen restaurant and into the bathroom. She checked all the stalls making sure no other girls were there. She then looked at the ring again and she stuck her hand out in front of her, as far as she could away from her body. The ring started flashing more and more. Then there was a crack sound and light flooded the bathroom. Kaina let a gasp out and covered her eyes. There was another crack. Then everything went silent, the light was out and the ring looked normal.

Kaina uncovered her eyes and gasped one more. There laying in front of her was 2 girls and 2 boys. They were wearing all black as if they were going to a funeral. The boys had red short hair and tattoos on the back of their necks, that's looked like a moon and a heart fused together. The girls had long red hair that divided in the middle and spread across the floor. The girls had earrings that dangled to their shoulders. The end of the earrings were just like the boys' tattoos. A moon fused into a heart.

'Who are they?' Kaina thought to herself

The boys started to stir and then the girls started to move. They opened their eyes and sat up. They all had their backs to Kaina. Then they turned. Kaina's mouth dropped open. The boys and the one girl had red eyes like blood. It's just the one girl had light pink eyes that were almost white but plain pink. The ones with the red eyes all looked the same age, but the one with pink eyes looked younger, she just didn't fit in with the group.

That's when Kaina thought of Mr. Dunni. She ran past the 4 teens and out the door faster than lightning. She looked at her watch and saw she had 1 minute to get to school, but she was more than 20 minutes from school.

Tears started rolling down her cheeks as she ran, knowing Mr. Dunni was going to have his way with her. It was maybe 30 minutes later when she got into the locker room and changed her boots. Slowly she made her way up the stairs and stopped outside Mr. Dunni's room. She quietly opened the door and walked in. Mr. Dunni was giving a speech and stopped when she entered. She gave a quick bow to say sorry for being late.

"Nice for you to join us, Kaina" he stared at her "and are you going to tell me why you were late?" he asked, walking over to her as she took her seat.

"None of your business" she whispered

"Ok have it your way" he mentioned as he turned and headed back to the front of the room. He began his speech up again, glancing at Kaina now and then. After his speech he handed out papers on what he had just read. When he got to Kaina's desk he said, "Kaina I'd like to see you again after school" and

walked back back to the front of the room. Tara looked over her shoulder at KAina, trying to get her attention.

" Tara, please sit forward" Mr. Dumni announced

The day went byu way to fast for Kaina and she was once again walking slowly to Mr. Dumnis room. She opened the door and walked in. Mr. Dumnin this time was at the door ready, so once she walked in he locked the door and grabbed her arm pulling her into a hug.

" Im sorry if Im scaring you..." he whispered " but I love you" his words hit her like ice. He bent down and kissed her. Tears streaming down her face, she thought about what he had just said. Why was she think about them, why? Did she have some sort of feeling for him?

He broke the kiss and stared at her. She knew he wanted her to get on the ground, but she had no such feelings to obey that. So he went back down into a kiss and nudged her knees, with his hands and they buckled from under her. She fell to her knees before she knew what was happening. He was holding her hands down too .

She didnt fight, but stayed still.

Your not fighting " he whispered

" well maybe because the doors locked, where would I go? I have work to attend before they fire me, and I have to see my .... " she hadnt wanted to say this much.

" see what?" he asked

" my mom in the hospital" she sighed in a whisper.

" Im sorry to hear that.... also never call me Mr. Dumni again, its not my name, its a fake one, and the principle thinks im 25, not 19, names Ayton" he said quickley.

" so you threatened me why? and did what you did yesterday why?" Kaina asked with fury in her voice.

" I only did that because people said you had said no to 5 other boys but yes to one who forced himself on you a little" Ayton whispered.

" Well I see someone listenins to what everyone else says... " she chuckled

He shrugged and sat up.

" Im sorry ..... I got carriend away" he whispered....quietly. He stood up and offered to help Kaina up. She took his hand and stoop up too, brushing dirt off her skirt.

" sorry " he said again sitting on his desk.

" Its ok ..." Kaina said watching him " just dont do it again" she added

Ayton put his hands to his face " Iv messed up again" he shook his head " no girl will ever go out with me, Im to rough and when I have an idea its hard not to finish it, like yesterdy, geez Im the worst"

" I understand" Kaina walked over to him and put her hand on his shoulder " I'll just forget what you did" she whispered

Ayton looked up at her " your so pretty" he whispered. KAina smiled not knowing what to do. Ayton took her hand off his shoulder and held it " please will you go out with me?" Ayton asked with pleadeding eyes.

" what? ummm .... " before she could say anything else he pulled her hand and hugged her.

It took her by suprise, but she didnt pull away. Did she have feelings for him? But what he did yesterday, but then she made up her mind on if she would say yes or no. She wasnt about to share her answer to fast though.

They held the hug for a while and then finally he pulled. He just stared up at her. She tried to stare back but his stare looked so loving. She just looked away. The standing up he bent down and kissed her. This was no simple kiss, they were full on making out. He pulled back and smiled. KAina glanced at the clock.

" shoot Im mega late for work" turning to see the clock fully.

" look I'll drive you there " Ayton( Mr. Dumni) said.

': look, yea I like you but your a teacher and Im your student, it just dosnt sound right, and how old are you again?" Kaina asked giving him a staright stare.

" Im 19, and who cares if im a teacher , I'll quit this stupid job if you'll go out with me, I only got it to see you,.... and Im sorry agina for yesteray, I just hope you say yes" he stared back at Kaina with pleading eyes.

" Look lv had the wierdest morning" she stopped to think " you really going to quit? If I say yes?" she waited for his answer.

" Yes I'll call right now and quit" Ayton came closer and took her hands.

" Something happened this morning, it was weird and scary what happened, everythings coming at me so fast... I dont know.... would you think Im crazy if I told you what happened?" KAina asked, she needed to tell someone who would believe her. Her friends would think she crazy, thats for sure.

" Kaina I would never think you crazy, why what happened?" he looked at her worried " you can tell me" So KAina started telling him as fast as she could about the ring, and the lost and found box. How the ring started tighting and loosening up this morning. Then those teens, she told him everything. She was suprised at how much she was telling him.

Ayton just stood there letting it all sink in. " I believe you" he said " lets get you to work and then I'll pick you up if you call and we can go search for these teens" he looked down at Kaina.

Ayton made his way to the door and unlocked it. " lets go before you later" he walked out, KAina following.

They walked to his car and he opened the door for her. KAina glanced around and saw some of her friends. They waved at her and she smiled back. Then getting into the car there hands went down and smiles gone.

' they probably think Im crazy to get into his car... I guess I'll give him a chance' KAina thought to herself, as she glancd at him. He was good looking with his shoulder lengthed white hair. He had light blue eyes and had an earing in his right ear. It was a plain loop earing. For some reason she never realized these good looks, and how young he did look. HE didnt look close to 25 at all, he looked evn younger then 19. He noticed her staring at him, and smiled. She blushed, turing to look out the window. There was only around 5 miles till they were at the house.

When they arived she got out of the car.

" call me when your done, ok?" he asked

" I dont have a cell phone and Im not a loud to use the phones in the house" KAina said hoding the door open.

" here take this, Its my old cell, my new number is in there, only one there so it isnt hard to find" he explained

KAina nodded taking the phone, before shutting the door she said " oh and my answer is yes byt he way " she smiled shutting the door. She ran up to the house, up to the bathroom, got changed, then started cleaning.

It was about 3 hours later when she slide her time card through the machine thing and walked outside. Pulled the cell phone out, went to contacts and found Aytons name, she was about tohit the call button when the wind picked up. SHe glance around. Down the street was two boys she knew from school. THeY always teased her with noises. They were transfers from America, came around the middle of school year. There names were Chris and RAy, Chris Adams, and RAy WAdas. Dan those kids were annoying. She didnt wasnt them to see her or theyed come over and make her life hell.

The wind felt good on the back of her neck, then the sun was just dissappearing behind the trees in the distance, like a fire dieing under a night of partying.

She hit the call button. The phone wat at her ear and she heard the constan " ring ring ring ring " then a click and " hello?" it was Ayton.

" hey can you come pick me up now?" KAina asked glancing around.... something didnt seem right, the birds stopped chirping,and the boys had dissappeared.

" hey you there, hellllooo? " she heard Ayton ask threw the phone.

" what? what did you say....can you hurry please ..... " then the phone failed the call: out of service.

PACing back and forth she waited.

' maybe I should wait inside' KAina thought to herself as a chilling gust of wind whipped around her. BUT down the road KAina saw bright lights heading towards her. She stopped pacing, as the car slid to a stop beside her. She got in fast and looked at Ayton.

" Well lets start this chase" he smiled driving down the road.

~~~~~ END OF CHAPTER TWO ~~~~~


3 - The Search and Find

They drove through the city of Tokyo, the two had decided to go to the Ramen Restaurant, to see if the workers saw anything. If it was what happened when Kaina was there or if they had seen where the teens had even gone. Ayton told Kaina he had quit his job as a teacher, now that Kaina had said yes, he also added, I really do love you.

They stopped a block from the restaurant and walked the rest. Ayton held Kaina's hand. Kaina at first looked around feeling awkward, but then relaxed a bit, as they turned the corner and into the shop.

" I'm going to go check the bathroom " Kaina said moving away towards the bathroom.

Ayton went over to the cashier, " hey this morning, did anything weird happen?" Ayton asked him " well after 4 teens came out of that bathroom a couple of my workers disappeared.... man stupid kids, boys in the girls bathroom, heh I swear if I ever get a hold of those boys, they just glared at me and said " better watch or your next" and left, turned left, man I didn't know what that meant, but she looked funky with that red hair and markings, the one girl really didn't fit in with the group, I had the bathroom closed cause the kids left weird writing on the door..... also the..." he was cut off from a scream that came from the bathroom.

" KAINA!" he turned towards the bathroom and ran around the corner and down the hall to the door.

Kaina ran out holding her hand over her mouth, gagging.

" what, what happened" he left her side and went in, looking around he didn't see anything, then going to stall and opening he gagged. Inside was a floating head, the water was blood. The body was nowhere to be seen. He gagged again as he looked in the other stalls. All 6 were occupied with bodiless heads. He quickly left the bathroom.

" CALL THE POLICE" he shouted, grabbing Kaina's hand " lets go" the cashier came around " what?"

" I found your workers in there, de.... dea..... deAD" he gagged again remembering the faces of pain in the toilets.

" what?" he ran into the bathroom There was a small shriek and he ran out dialing 911, tears rolling down the young man's face.

" were going" Ayton whispered breezing past him. They ran to his car. It was almost dark out and the street was busy with the rush hour of workers.

" I'm scared if that's what they did, I'm really scared to find them but " Kaina's eyes filled with tears. She was scared, really really scared.

" Kaina it's ok, I wouldn't even let anyone touch you without going through me, but we have to stick to finding them, I have an idea of where they went, the city's church of DEATH" he turned the car on, and drove off.

Kaina was following Ayton inside the church and down its steps, she stayed close, frightened.

" what is this place?" she asked finally.

" an underground city, only people who look like oddballs, misfits, or anything like that come down here.... police don't even know about it. After a while the church was called the Church Of Death, cause people would come in and disappear, but only some people knew what really happened.

" how do you know about it?" Kaina asked as he led her down further in the basement of the church, coming to another trap door leading further down.

" lets say I was one of those misfit teens that got in so much trouble your friends made you stay down here till they thought you learned your lesson. BUT I didn't care, I loved this place..."

" Oh I would have liked to see that" Kaina smiled

Once down 2 more trap doors still going down, they finally came to the under ground citty, and wow was it large.

Kaina looked around, there was all types of people dancing, sleeping, walking, and just having fun. Her mouth dropped open. "woooooowwww" she explained looking around. There was a sign saying: "YOU LAUGH AT US BECAUSE WERE DIFFERENT, WE LAUGH AT YOU BECAUSE YOUR ALL THE SAME!!!!"

Kaina smiled at that. Ayton stood there letting KAina take in the view. He smiled remembering the good days he had here.

"Ok I dont think there here, or these people would be headless" Ayton said looking around "I dont see anyone with red hair that describes what you saw" Ayton whispered still scanning the crowd. So KAina and Ayton walked back to the lively streets of Tokyo.

"GEEZ where could they be?" KAina asked glancing around, searching as if the 4 teens would just be right there.

Ayton grabbed her hand and squeezed it a little to get her attention. KAina looked at him a little confused. "lets drive around" he said tugging her hand as he took a step towards the direction of his car.

"no, they would want to be seen, to weird looking, there in the ally ways" KAina turned looking through the dark strrets.

"or they have black capes and there walking around the streets under the black capes, where no one can see them" Ayton protested still on the fact they were on the streets.

"No, I really have a feeling there in the ally ways, lets go" KAina said, turned, walked, and pulled his hand so he had to follow. She walked into the first alley way and slowed "ok you go first to creepy" she gave him a small smile. In this city, alley roads are like back roads that leads everywhere, an alley way always leads to a new alley way. No one likes using them anymore cause there full of killeres and rapest, drugies too.

Ayton gave in not wanting to make Kaina mad. He finally won her heart, well kind of. KAina b=never really though through what may be back in the alley ways, he thought. Ayton smiled at Kainas bright ways. Ayton took the lead and she kept close behind him holding his shirt. It was darker in the alleyways, no moon light and creepy sounds came from every turn they made.

KAina jumper closer as a black cat ran across there path, with a drunk man running after it yelling "kitttyyyy meeeooowwww kiiitttyyyy mmmeeeeeoowwwwwyyyyy ". then dissappeared into the blackness of an alley way.

"you ok?" Ayton asked turning to hold her shoulders.

"yea of course" she said straightening up with a sigh "just scared me, thats all"

Kaina and Ayton had made rightd and 3 lefts till Ayton found something, laying in a small puddle of red pink water.

A red lock of hair. Kaina picked it up.

"There around here, look at the foot prints, there the only ones around here" Ayton said as Kaina glanced around.

"well then lets hurry up and catch up to them" KAina said walking fast again taking a right and followed the footprints. "haha told you they were in the alley ways" Kaina smiled at Ayton. Ayton smirked and followed her.

Kaina found another lock of red hair. Kaina quickly turned the nest corner and stopped. There sitting was two boys, the two girls laying next to them.

The boys looked up, but the girls seemed to be asleep.

"yo " the one boy said glancing at Kaina and then closed his eyes.

"We have been waiting for you.... Kiana isnt it?" the other boy piped up not even looking at Kaina.

" ummmm why me agina?" Kaina asked

" whos he?" a girl sat up, it was the one who matched the boys appearance. The one with pink eyes still lay there as if she was asleep.

" ummm.... " Kaina thought about that question "hes my boyfriend" it felt wierd saying that when just yesterday she hated his guts.

Ayton understood, he had pushed it all on her in 2 days.

The one boy started laughing so hard.

" YO whats SO FUNNY??!!??? HUH???" Kaina asked taking a step towards him with a fist held up high. He stood up and walked towards her. KAina took a step back, Ayton took a step forward. The boy grabbed Kaina by the neck.

" You'll wish you never picked up that ring!" Kaina grabbed his hand as he whispered those words. Ayton stepped towards him and lifted his hand too punch. The boy turned a glared at Ayton and then as if magic was real he couldnt move his hand.

" Dont even try" the boy glared at Ayton. BUt Ayton did try to break the force, that held his arm.

Kaina taking her chance brung up her leg and slammed it into his balls. The boy yelped in pain but didnt let go, he just squeezed her neck harder. Just now the force holding back Ayton weakend. He jumped forward leaving a punch in the boys face. Then the boy grabbed Ayton. There was a flying of fist and feet as the 2 faught fairly, a little. The other boy and girl started to laugh. But the oddball girl just sat up and turned towards Kaina. She looked so scared, as she didnt want to be alive she was so scared. She kept stareing at Kiana with pleading eye, as if she wanted Kaina to help her.

Thats when Kaina saw the uneven hair chunks. It was her hair they had been finding.

Ayton pushed the kid away from him and grabbed Kainas arm.

" LETS GO!" he shouted, not to loud though. At first Kaina followed running but stopped suddenly, also pulling Ayton to a halt. She was remembering the little girls pleading eyes.

" WHAT ARE YOU DOING???" Ayton shouted glaring back down the alley they had just came from. He had a cut under his eye and a cut on his neck. Kaina felt bad, he had helped her so much and she kept treating him badly.

" look that little girl back there, she wanted help" Kaina whispered turning back towards the way they had just came

" and how the hell do you know???" Ayton asked annoyed

" I saw it in her eyes, Im sorry, Im never good at anything, not even being a girlfriend, youv done me enough help, just go back to your job as a teacher, you deserve a way better girl anyway" Kaina quickley started running down the alley way back towards the group. Ayton followed, a little stunned but he didnt want to lose the girl he had been stalking and his dream girl go.

Kaina ran around the corner and right into the into the other girl. The one that wasnt weird. KAina quickley got moved to the side and they both stared at each other. Then Ayton turned the corner and stopped dead in his tracks, he too started staring at the girl. Kaina looked past her, breaking the stare and saw that now the other girl was st anding now. The boys not there, probably out searching for them.

" Ayton hold her" Kaina said grabbing the girl and pushing her into Ayton. They both took it it by suprise and at first both did nothing. But Ayton soon relized his job and grabbed her by the arms.

Kaina then walked over to the other girl. She didnt run, she didnt move.

" you ok?" Kaina asked?

The girl nodded

" Whats your name?" KAina asked another question.

" MOonheart... " the girl said, " and Im 10 ... my sister, the other girl is Moonspot... the boys are Heartless and Heartley... there not my brothers, Heartless is dating my sister and Heartley is post to marry me but no one like me cause I didnt grow as fast as them and that I dont ahve red hair... and tred

eyes...." she blurted it all out at once.

"wow" Kaina said taking it all in.

" They say I take the eys from my dad, he was human, mom was demon, I take more after my daddy, and so they killed him.... Moonspot is only my half sister though" MOonheartwhispered "and now theres no one to protect me and everyone hated me and hurts me" Moonheart didnt cry, just kept a straight face.

" Well I dont hate you" Kaina said taking her hand, "you want to come with me and my boyfriedn to saftey?" Kaina asked giving her a gentle smile.

Moonheart noded, her straight face went into a bright smile. Kaina bent diwn and picked her up. Kaina turned back towards Ayton who had found rope and tied Moonspot up. Tape also over mouth she was shouting at Moonheart glaring with deadley eyes.

" lets go..." Ayton said taking Kainas hand and pulled her through the alley ways. It was haed for KAina to see where they were going, it had gotten really dark out. After a while Kaina started thinking maybe they were lost but soon they emerged out into the city streets.

Ayton could feel Kainas hand shaking a little. So he took his jacket off and laid it over Moonheart who had fallen asleep some time ago.

Kaina smiled " thanks" she still couldnt believe she was dating, her old.... teacher. Just the fact that he got his job only for her, to meet her. The only thing she didnt like was how he kind of pushed his feeling onto her. He sure was a weird, but nice comfortable guy, and now he had risked his life to search for these teens. Now the search was over.

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## 4 - Friends

### Chapter 4 ~Friends~

Moonheart still didn't wake up when Kaina laid her in the back seat of the car. Ayton got into the driver seat, Kaina got in the passenger seat. Kaina's jaws parted into a yawn as she glanced at the clock.

"Wow, it is late," Kaina whispered as she yawned. Kaina closed her eyes and gradually drifted into a deep sleep.

When Kaina awoke she was in a bed, beside her, also laying, was Moonheart. Scanning her surroundings, she saw a light from outside the door. Her eyes drifted to the clock beside her on the bed table. 3:27 am. She sat up and slide slowly out of bed. Kaina walked to the door and opened it. She peeked out, spotting an open door with a light flooding under the space under the door. She walked over to the door and glanced in. A bedroom was before her, ornamented with Ayton reading a book.

"Typical teacher!" Kaina laughed, careful not to let her voice go to loud. She didn't want to wake up the sleeping Moonheart.

Ayton looked up and a smile tugged at his lips.

"I hope you didn't mind sleeping in the guest room with Moonheart...I kind of didn't know where you lived and I didn't want to wake you." He said all at once.

Kaina laughed once again and wandered into the room and sat on by him on the side of his bed.

"I don't mind. Did Moonheart ever wake up?" Kaina asked.

"Nope, I was surprised you didn't wake up!" He smiled, the arm closest to her embraced her. "There's some clothes in that drawer that you can change into. I didn't want to change your clothes...I didn't think you would like that!"

A soft smile danced upon Kaina's lips.

"You're right, you pushed your limit way to far already with school, but it's hard to not forgive you because you put you're life in danger for me...thank you," Kaina gazed down at him, as he was laying down. "You're a strange guy." Her smile was still on her face.

"And you're a strange girl to actually say yes to a guy who, like, raped you...and I'm sorry for that...I hope you'll forgive me."

"Oh, I forgave you along time ago...lets just forget you did that, okay? It makes me feel weirder...well I think I will take those clothes, and I'm going to take some for Moonheart." Kaina got up and grabbed two

pairs of clothes. "See ya in a couple of hours!" With that, Kaina left the room and slipped back into the guest room.

Moonheart was awake. She sat on the bed with her chin on her knees and her arms wrapped around her knees.

"I got scared...you were gone." She whispered quietly, looking up at Kaina.

Kaina joined Moonheart and gave her a hug.

"I'm sorry, I just wanted to talk with Ayton."

"Oh...it is cold in here." Moonheart's body shivered, grabbing for the blankets. The girl's dress might look fluffy, but it seemed thin.

"Here, these should warm you up." Kaina brought the clothes into view. Moonheart gently took the clothes, looking at them with embarrassed eyes.

"Ummm...can you help me?" She whispered embarrassedly, fiddling with the clothes.

"Oh yeah! Of course!" Kaina started to untie the lace that criss-crossed down her back. She then undid the lacing that crisscrossed on the arms of the dress. After all of the unlacing and unbuttoning, her dress loosened and Kaina slowly pulled it down. Moonheart stepped out of the dress. A light underdress that was black and felt like silk was all that was left. That too laced up her back.

After another ten minutes, Moonheart was dressed in a large long sleeved shirt and sweatpants. Kaina changed into the clothes, wearing the same thing. Moonheart, wearing Ayton's clothes, looked smaller without her puffy dress.

"Here, let me fix your hair." Kaina pulled Moonheart a little closer. Moonheart's hair was pulled into two pig tails that were just above her ears. Then, just on the back of her head, she had two small braids that finished at her collar bone. The rest of her hair that was left fell to the lower part of her back.

Kaina took the braids out, along with the pigtails. Moonheart's hair was straight, apart from the hair that had just been braided. Kaina smiled brilliantly, pulling Moonheart into a hug. "You're so cute! Lets get some sleep." She pulled the blankets over the girl's body and tucked Moonheart in.

"Can you be my new sister?" Moonheart asked quietly, hopefulness tinting her small voice, as Kaina got under the blanket and held Moonheart.

"Yes, I will be your new sister, now get some sleep." Kaina promised, closing her eyes. Once Moonheart was asleep, Kaina followed.

It was morning when Kaina woke up. Moonheart was sitting up, staring at her. She looked so cute in

Ayton's clothes.

"Sorry if I woke you." She whispered, still staring.

"Oh no, it was the light," Kaina sat up in bed, pointing towards the windows. Light shone brightly through the glass panes. Kaina gave Moonheart a hug. "Anyway, I hate being asleep when it's morning. Lets go see what Ayton's doing." Kaina took the small hand.

Moonheart followed, almost obediently, out the door and down the hall. Their feet made small thumping noises as they walked along the hall. They found Ayton in the kitchen. Three plates were set on the table. A cooking Ayton placed some eggs on each plate before returning his attention the sizzling bacon that was on the stove.

Unnoticed by Ayton, Kaina and Moonheart entered the kitchen. Once again, Kaina found herself taking in Ayton's good looks. His white hair, which to anyone other than Kaina would be odd, brushed his ears as he moved about the kitchen. His blueish white eyes flickered slightly as he moved the bacon around.

His wardrobe consisted of shorts with a black t-shirt. His earrings were also changed. Now it was a new red loop with some black small chains hanging off of them. Kaina smiled sheepishly, he was almost two feet taller than Kaina.

That's when it hit her, like a smack in the face. She did want to be in his arms. She was happy when she was with him. He really did care, truthfully, about her. Kaina had only realized him yesterday. Even though he had been her teacher for half of the school year, she had never noticed his look and how nice he always was to her. Moonheart tugged her Kaina's hand.

"Can I go sit?" She asked, surprising Ayton. He spun around, wielding the spatula like a weapon. Kaina nodded at Moonheart's question.

A smile plastered itself to Ayton's face. "Morning," he said, putting the bacon on the plates carefully, two pieces each plate.

"Morning," Kaina smiled brightly back before following Moonheart's lead and sitting at the table. Ayton took Kaina's hand and sat down next to her.

"Wow! You're a teacher AND a cook!" Kaina laughed quietly before Ayton made a face even Moonheart laughed at. Then she exploded into a laughing fit. After calming down almost immediately, Kaina and Ayton started eating the wonderful breakfast. Ayton told jokes that Moonheart laughed at. Kaina was seated next to Ayton, while Moonheart was across from them.

Moonheart had a warm smile that could make a depressed, lonely man smile. Her eyes danced from Kaina to Ayton as she giggled. She kept squirming in her seat as she stared at the food on her plate. None of it had been touched. Ayton finished eating while Kaina was forcing down the last few bites.

"You going to eat?" Ayton asked Moonheart, nodding towards the delicious food.

"Is it safe too?" The girl asked, her laughs ceased and her eyes remained trained on the food.

"I don't believe my cooking is that bad!" Ayton exclaimed, rubbing the back on his neck and laughing.

"I'm a demon, I don't eat human food, well....I could but....most people poison food demons eat....The poison doesn't effect humans, only demons. People called hunters to add the poison before the humans put the food on market...these hunters have fifty percent of the human civilization believing demons are out to kill man kind...but there's only three demons who really want to kill...the three are my sister and the guys with her. They hated me mostly for wanting peace...and not death...I'm scared...everyone beats me. I can only forget something for such a short time...then my fear returns." Moonheart's voice silenced, her eyes looking up at Kaina and Ayton.

"You know we'll protect you," Kaina pushed back her chair and sat next to Moonheart. "is there a way to tell if your food is poisoned or not?"

Moonheart nodded her head a bit. "You have to sprinkle demon blood on the food. If it turns a blue color or red it's poisoned. If nothing happens it'd be okay to eat it. I just hate blood so...I don't know how I could test it.....I haven't eaten since last Monday...what is today?" She paused, eyes darting to the calendar. "...Saturday....I'm scared!"

Tears burst from the child's eyes. Kaina hugged her comfortingly, 'cooing' in her ear and rocking her back and forth like a mother or sister would do for a daughter or younger sibling. Kaina closed her eyes. Moonheart did also. Ayton went over to a drawer and pulled a needle out. Kaina opened her eyes, glancing at it.

Moonheart still cried, not realizing as Ayton came over that he pierced her skin. A tiny drop of blood appeared quickly as Moonheart jumped in surprised, not knowing what had happened.

"Stupid flies in here." Ayton hid the needle from view well, edging back to the drawer. He opened it without Moonheart noticing, as she was staring at the needlepoint sized drop of blood welling on her skin, and placed the needle back in it's place.

"Did it get you?" He bent down, examining the 'fly bite'. It was bigger then a fly bite would have been but Moonheart didn't notice. With his finger, Ayton wiped the small red dot off the demon girl's arm and let it slide off of his finger, landing on her food. Nothing happened, nothing at all.

"It's good to eat." Ayton smiled at the cautious girl. Moonheart glanced at the blood then her eyes fixed on Ayton.

"Really?" She asked, her eyes staring at Ayton.

He nodded, still smiling, stating, "It's not blue or red."

"Go on, I bet your hungry!" Kaina nudged the girl gently.

With a blank glance at the food, she picked up a fork and speared a piece of bacon. Slowly she lifted it to her small mouth and ate it.



"Wow! That's good...."The rest of the food quickly disappeared in the next five minutes. She smiled at Ayton.

"Thank you!" Moonheart bowed her head in respect.

Kaina smiled happily at Ayton and he smiled back. He tapped her shoe and she chuckled softly. Kaina switched to the seat next to Ayton. Ayton took Kaina's hand and squeezed it, making them both laugh. The demon girl stared at them, confused about why they were laughing.

"I'm not even going to ask!" She giggled and went back to finishing her breakfast.

Kaina leaned into Ayton and he circled his arm around her shoulders. A soft kiss was placed on her head from him. He rested his chin where he kissed her, smiling as he watched Moonheart. Kaina smiled at the girl as the breakfast finally disappeared. Ayton stayed as he was, smile still on his face and arm encircling her, making her feel safe. A warm, tingling, happy feeling swept through Kaina's body, lingering for a few precious moments.

While Ayton was washing the dishes, Kaina was hanging clothes to dry outside. Moonheart was practically nailed to the spot in front of the t.v., watching a rerun of the Hana Kimi's new show. They were all busy doing something as the doorbell rang.

Ayton turned the sink off, dried his soapy hands with a dish rag. He went to the door and opened it. A familiar girl stood on his doorstep. She was in his homeroom, one of Kaina's friends. Upon her head was dark blue hair and her school uniform clothed her.

"Uh...hi I was wondering if you have seen Kaina." The girl asked, bowing to Ayton in greeting and showing respect. "Sorry to bother you, Sensai." She added quickly.

Ayton turned, making room for the girl to come in. He gestured inside.

"Uh yeah I have seen her...she's in here...and I'm not your teacher anymore." Ayton smiled warmly. "Please come in Miss Ashyia."

She hesitated before she stepped in slowly, sliding her shoes off.

"Kaina!" He called out to the blonde haired girl hanging the clothes on the line in the backyard. Ayton walked back into the kitchen. "You can sit with Moonheart in there, I will send Kaina in there...she's hanging clothes." He explained, nodding towards the back door. Tara Ashyia, which was the dark blue haired girl, walked through the door, stopping behind the little red haired girl.

The girl sat comfortably on the ground, not on the couch like most kids did these days. Her eyes were glued to the screen, concentrating on the happenings in the new Hana Kimi series.

"Uhm...ohayo gozaimasu! I'm guessing you're Moonheart." Tara guessed, stopping behind the girl. Moonheart didn't turn or say anything to the teenager.

Tara sighed and sat down on the couch slowly, scanning the room.

"What's Kaina doing here? Who are you? What's with the funny name?" Tara's questions poured from her mouth in a whisper, looking at Moonheart, then the t.v.

"She doesn't have a funny name, I like it." Tara's head turned in surprise at Kaina's voice.

"Oh! Sorry." Tara whispered apologetically, standing up and bowing towards Moonheart. Once she straightened up again, Kaina took a seat behind Moonheart, and started to braid her hair slowly so not a hair would be out of place.

"Why did you come here?" Kaina finally asked after eight minutes, looking up at the standing Tara Ashyia.

"I was worried! You weren't answering your house phone and you didn't answer my knocks this morning...actually, I should be asking why you're here?!?!?!? At OUR teacher's house?! Why did you leave with him yesterday?!" She paused which was all Kaina needed as she stood up and slapped her friend, eyes narrowed in anger.

"What are you my mother?!?!?!? He's not our teacher anymore! He quit his job to be with me! He only got the job because I went to this school! He's not twenty-five, he is eighteen. His name is Ayton, not Mr. Donni, and I love him...and you come all worried...yeah, we're friends but you don't need to know where I am twenty-four/seven! I just found out some strange information about this poor world of ours, you can't even be happy to see me, and then you say her name is funny when she's sitting right there! There are people out there that want us dead..." Kaina stopped suddenly, thinking maybe she said too much...well more like yelled too much.

Tara stood there, trembling a little, staring at Kaina with tear filled eyes.

"We've been friends since we were babies. I'm your best friend, I loved you like a sister, of course I'm going to worry! I'm sorry if I insulted you or her," She gestured and glanced at Moonheart who still stubbornly didn't turn. "I'm sorry...I just want to help you, when I'm not by your side I'm lifeless, please...let me help you.." The desperate girl fell to her knees and bowed her head, dark blue hair swept towards the ground.

"Please." She whispered, tears falling to the floor from her watery eyes, threatening to bring more along with them.

Kaina stood there, surprised and definitely confused.

"Kaina, can I talk to you?" Ayton's voice pierced the now almost silent space other than the drone of the t.v. He had been standing there the whole time. Kaina turned and Ayton took her hand gently. He led her to the bedroom.

"What do you plan to say?" He asked, easing himself onto the side of the bed, patting the space beside him.

"I...I don't know..." Kaina took his offer and sat beside him, resting her head on his shoulder, finding comfort from being near him. "I just...don't know anymore..." A sigh escaped her lips as her eyes closed.

"We could always use her help, you know." Ayton whispered softly.

"Yeah, I know...I just don't want her to get hurt...I don't want to put her life in danger." Kaina sighed again.

"Well, I don't want you in any harm either." He had his arm around her shoulders and rested his chin on her head.

"I guess I could say yes...for her help I mean...That's what friends are for, right?" Lavender eyes raised to gaze into blueish white eyes.

"Yes..." His smile was soft, encouraging her.

The blonde haired teenage girl raised herself to her feet, pausing for a few seconds. She took hesitant steps towards the door, near the door she took one uncertain one back. Kaina shook her head, hair whipping around. She gripped the doorknob, turned it, and walked out of the room.

Kaina sighed, eyes closing for a few brief moments, as she wandered into the living room. Hearing Kaina, Tara jumped up and looked at her with teal, pleading eyes.

"You can help..." The tiny whisper erupted from Kaina. The looks of excitement, happiness, and uncertainty flashed across the friend's face before she nearly jumped on Kaina, giving her a bear hug.

"Just promise me you won't get hurt." Kaina demanded, worry swimming in her mind.

"Don't worry! I just want to help you and Moonheart." Tara's overly happy smile was directed to Moonheart.

"Have you seen her eyes?" Kaina asked curiously, glancing at the child who still had her eyes fixed on the t.v. screen.

"Um...no? Why does it matter what her eyes look like?" The smile vanished as teal eyes stared at Kaina.

"Ghosts...demons...vampires...werewolves...do you not believe in them? Do you think they are fake?" Without allowing Tara the chance to reply, Kaina went on. "Do you think they are fake? Well, why won't you say anything!?!?" Kaina's voice raised a notch, not noticing that she hadn't allowed the girl a chance to reply.

"You didn't give me a chance to reply! Anyway, what is with all of the weird questions? Of course they are fake...atleast I think they are...I'm not sure! Why are you asking me this...please tell me!"

"Mooheart, look at her..." Kaina commanded the red haired child. The child stood and turned quickly towards them, her pink eyes blinking and looking blankly at the two teenagers.

"Moshi Moshi..." She whispered quietly in greeting to Tara. Tara took a step back, then a smile spread onto her face.

"Nice joke guys! Not funny!" Tara hands up, not offended in the least.

"We're not joking." Moonheart told her, shifting her stare in Kaina's eyes to Tara's teal ones.

'We're not joking.' Moonheart's voice lingered in Tara's mind. Tara paused a few moments, taking it all in, eyes wide.

"What the..." Tara spun around to see Ayton.

"You said you wanted to help...do you still want to keep to your words?" Ayton asked, his eyes staring at Tara.

"I...I...what is that thing?" Tara took a weary step back from Ayton, looking towards Kaina, teal eyes once again brimmed with tears.

"Because...I asked that question, because Moonheart here is a demon. There are such things in the world. Don't be scared, she doesn't bite, she's a good girl." Kaina took Tara's hands, "That's why I really didn't want your help but now I need it. Please, are you still going to help?"

Tara stared at Kaina, eyes still tearful. She blinked away the wet nuisances, then turned her head to look at Moonheart. Looking down at the demon girl, she nodded.

"Yes, I'll help. I promise." Tara's promise filled the silence around them, her hand on her heart. Kaina pulled her into a thankful hug, whispering a "thank you" in her best friend's ear.

A huge grin had sewed itself onto Ayton's face. Moonheart sat by the spot by the t.v. again. Ayton lowered himself to the floor next to her.

"So what do you want to do today?" He asked Moonheart kindly.

"I want to kill those three, Moonspot, Heartley, and Heartless. I want them dead, I want to kill them!" Moonheart's rage filled eyes looked up at Ayton's kind ones.

"So, can we do that?" An innocent smile made why she was asking seem so natural and easy.

Ayton laughed, closing his eyes briefly before looking back at the girl.

"Yeah, sure." He rubbed her head gently, smiling.

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