

# The Pokemorph conspiracy

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*When Team Rocket start trying to take over by creating Pokemorphs, who will stop them? A former Pokemorph, that's who! Chris belongs to CM Doujin (animedude@centralpets.com) and Kai, Haru, Kitty, and Tex all belong to me.*

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# 1 - Introductions, and then?

Don't use the characters from this story. Also, please don't mind the spelling and grammar errors.

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A quiet girl walked slowly along the road. Following her was a small black Mew with green eyes. "Mew mew?" it asked. "No, I'm not lost, Kitty," the girl answered. She was wearing a shirt with a picture of a Lugia on the front and loose black pants. Like her odd Pokemon, she had green eyes and black hair. Kitty rushed ahead, saying, "Mew mew mew!" (There are people this way!) The girl tripped over a tree root that was in her path. She got up and said, "Kitty, slow down!"

Bright pink eyes scanned the lands carefully. A small, almost wolfish pokemon moved with ease. Wolfish in only size, legs, and ears. The snout was shorter, wider, kind of like a bear's. Even wolfish ears as they are, they are bigger, larger. The paws larger, making it easy for the pokemon to trip or become tangled. It had short steel colored fur. Longer in the chest than elsewhere. It stopped, head raised as its bushy tail flicked. Its tail looked like a red panda's. Ringed black and tipped white. The pokemon sneezed as human voices came to the flickering ears. Tilting its head it crept closer. Wondering.

A trainer wearing a long sleeved black shirt with some red on the sleeves and the front along with black pants and matching shoes walked into Eterna Forest. He had snow white hair and emerald green eyes. The boy was about 6' feet tall and he also had a green backpack on him. On the kid's shoulder was his loyal Pikachu, Sparks. This boy was Brandon Birch, and he had finally arrived in the forest after a short walk from wherever the closest town was.

A young man looked onto the road, perched in a tree. He wore a leather trench coat, which was split vertically from the waist down the middle, though the two halves were still connected by three leather straps, about three inches apart from each other and were fastened to the main part of the coat by large copper buttons. He wore leather biker gloves, which allowed the tattoo of the Roman numerals XIII on the back of his right hand to be seen. His slightly scuffed leather shoes and black jeans completed the almost fully-black ensemble.

His long black hair covered his left eye, though it could be told from his right that he wore thin, blue-rimmed glasses, and that his eyes were black and only half-open.

Floating beside him, also hidden in the thick leaves of the tree, was a Latias wearing a yellow bandanna around its neck. She was slightly smaller than average, though it was nearly impossible to tell.

"Well, well. Back in Sinnoh again, are we? We do so much traveling lately that I haven't had a full meal in months," whispered the boy, who will further on be known as Chris, to the Latias, who only smiled and looked at him.

The pink eyed pokemon tilted its head as it stayed hidden for now. Its gray coat became dark and blinded in more with the shadows, but still a gray. Blinking its eyes one ear was up listening, the other one down peacefully. It sniffed the air, right now, close to the boy.

Kitty floated back to Kai. "Mew mew, mew?" (You're not hurt, are you?) Kai dusted off the Lugia image

on her shirt and said, "No, Kitty. I'm fine."

Brandon and Sparks kept walking and soon they looked around.

"Well, I did it again buddy... We're lost."

Brandon said to Sparks and Sparks let out a sigh. Then he heard a girl saying something about slowing down. He turned in the direction of it and started walking towards the voice.

He turned to look at the road again.

"We should be careful. According to Max, there's been a few sightings of Team Rocket around this area, and we can't risk being captured again," Chris muttered, then reached his hand under the hair covering his left eye and rubbed the mutated eye.

"Bet they thought it was funny, experimenting on me like that. Injecting who-knows-what into me..." Chris continued, under his breath.

Kai and Kitty looked at each other. Kai asked, "Kitty, do you hear footsteps?" The black cat Pokemon nodded her head.

Slowly it stuck its maw out. After Brandon walked by it came out. Head and tail low it slowly followed him. Head to the side, confused, but not wanting to attack.

Brandon eventually caught up to where he heard the voice, and he saw a girl and a black mew.

"Woah, a Mew."

Brandon said when he saw them.

Kai looked at the boy who had just appeared. "Kitty? Oh, thanks. She's cute, isn't she?" The black Mew cried happily, "Mew!" (Yay!)

He looked over to Kai, Brandon, and--

"What in the world...? A black Mew...?" Chris whispered to himself, as Latias looked over his shoulder to see.

"That's weird. Seen a pink one, and even a blue one. But black...? Not even my enhanced Pokédex has any record of that..."

Kai heard a sound. Was there someone else there? It looked like just the boy and his Pikachu. Kitty blinked her green eyes and flew around Brandon's head in a circle.

"Uh.. yeah. But she isn't as cute as you--"

Brandon stopped mid sentence, Spark's ears went up, and he turned around to see why.

"Who's there?"

Brandon asked.

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^\_^ I love cliffhangers. This one needs comments!

## 2 - Now we really get started!

Now, for the second part!

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Kai looked around. So Kitty and her weren't hearing things. That boy also heard something. Kitty's ears perked. She stopped circling Brandon and flew off into the trees to check out the sound. Kai called, "No, Kitty! Stay here!" Kitty had already floated into the trees.

The gray pokemon sat down blinking. Confusion froze in its eyes. So many strange no people. Its bushy tail started quickly moving, making some dirt come up, coating the tail and its paws. "Marp"

Chris's eyes suddenly opened fully, realizing that he had spoken too loud and was susceptible to being found out. He looked around, hastily, trying to find somewhere to go, and decided to head deeper down into the forest behind him.

"Come on, Latias!" Chris whispered in an urgent tone, as he jumped from branch to branch.

Kai sighed as Kitty floated out of view. "I should've known she'd do that." Kitty saw a boy and a Latias running away. She flew over and started poking the Latias, easily keeping up.

"I guess we go find her..."

Brandon and Sparks went in the direction that Kitty had went.

Kai followed Kitty along with Brandon. "Mew mew!" Kitty said, still poking the Latias. (This is fun!)

"Merp?" It blinked and looked as the strange mew passed it. It stood up and seemed to grin as it chased silently after it. When looking at the pokemon it would seem impossible for it to move as it did.

Chris, distracted by Kitty, accidentally misjudged his next jump and landed with his left foot caught in a branch.

"D-- Darn it!" he shouted, rather loudly in his deep, growling voice as he tried, to no avail, to free himself from the tree.

Kitty flew over to the boy. Had she distracted him? Kitty said, "Mew mew..." (I'm sorry...)

Kai finally caught up. "Kitty, there you are!" she exclaimed.

As the humans came closer it slunk back into the shadows close by. It had no issues about other pokemon, but humans she was unsure of still. Its tail twicked uneasily.

Brandon saw the kid who got caught in the branch and laughed at him as he tried to free himself but to no avail.

Kitty said to Kai, "Mew mew mew, mew mew. Mew mew?" (I accidentally distracted this boy, now he's

stuck. Can you help?)

Chris looked around, unsure of what to do next. He mulled ideas over in his head for a while, before deciding a course of action. He reached into his coat, and grabbed a Poké Ball, releasing a Charizard, who, like the Latias, wore a yellow bandanna around its neck. And that's all he could come up with in his frenzied thought. Yes, he had released a Pokémon, but hadn't thought of what to do with it. Classic Chris.

"Merp!" The pokemon now scared of the much bigger fire pokemon made the loud sound it truned, hiding deeper in the shadows.

Kai climbed a tree next to the one that the boy had gotten stuck in. She said to him, "I apologize for Kitty. Do you need help?"

"Sparks, use Iron Tail to set him free."

Brandon said and Sparks jumped up, his tail glowed and he hit the branches with it, breaking them and setting Chris free.

Kai hopped down from the branch, seeing as that boy didn't need her help. Kitty started poking the Charizard.

He looked over to Brandon and Sparks, silent. He then looked over to Kai and Kitty. He clenched the Poké Ball in his hand tightly as he thought of what to do next. Now free, he could run away if he wanted, but something about these around him seemed to calm him down. Hearing a strange sound, he looked over to where it had originated for a second, then looked back up. He had no idea why, but he slightly felt as if he could trust the people and Pokémon that now surrounded him. He looked around, and straightened himself up to his full height, around six and a half feet, which was unusually tall for a 14 year old such as himself.

"Well... None of you would happen to have seen any Rockets around here, would you...?" He finally asked in an indifferent tone.

"Rockets? Why would a rocket be in a forest?"

Brandon asked stupidly, and Sparks returned to the top of Brandon's head.

Kai tilted her head to the side, Kitty doing the same. "Rockets? Huh? I saw a weird guy in a black suit with an R on it go into the deep part of the forest..."

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Is it good? I know I like it.

### 3 - The Rockets reveal themselves!

Dun dun dun...

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Still slightly scared of the larger pokemon it crept closer. Pink eyes wide open and ears back. Its tail flicked. The eyes blinked and the pokemon stood up fully and walked out to them letting out a soft playful growl to the fire pokemon. Yes, it changed like that.

He looked over to Brandon, placing his right hand on his forehead, his fingers through his hair. "Why else? Forests are a prime area to steal Pokémon in. Lots of Trainers making their way through," he answered, his eyes shifting around, taking in his surroundings. Chris noticed the strange Pokémon approaching.

"Oh, don't worry. Silver won't attack anything I don't tell him through," he told it, then turning his glance to Kai. "Well then, in that case, it's actually a good thing I got caught."

"I don't see how a Rocket can steal anything..."

Brandon said to Chris, still not catching on.

Kai tilted her head to the other side. "Huh? Why do you want to avoid that guy? Is he bad?"

"Marp?" The pokemon asked sitting down as confusion set back into its eyes. Its normal self was to be confused. Pink eyes looked over Silver and then the humans as it's tail flicked.

Kitty perked her ears again, then flew to Kai and tugged on a necklace she was wearing. The charm previously hidden under her shirt became visible. It was a small leaf with an ink-black sealing mark on it. Kai did something odd: She hit Kitty on the tail, then called the Mew back into its Pokeball. She then hastily hid the leaf from view. Kai said, "Okay. I need to have one of them out. Go, Seerow!" An Umbreon appeared at Kai's side.

He looked over to Kai first:

"Well, he's part of an organization. Team Rocket. Their goal is domination. Of... stuff. Yeah. Stuff... And they're all bad."

Then to Brandon:

"I mean /Team/ Rocket, boy. Understand now?"

Kai nodded. "Okay, I understand now." Seerow asked, "Umbreon um?" (Why did you call Kitty back?) Kai said to her Pokemon, "She showed the leaf to everyone. You know which leaf I mean." Seerow stared at her, shocked.

Brandon thought a bit, then answered.

"So theres a bunch of Rockets and the one here works for them. But that still doesn't understand how they could steal stuff..."

"leaf?" The strange pokemon asked. A pail blue light around itself as it asked Kai. Misshearing 'leaf'. That or not being able to say it right.

Kai pulled a sharp rock out. She said quietly to the Pokemon, "Don't. Be quiet about that leaf NOW."

Chris looked down at Brandon.

"Oh-kay... exactly how long have you been a Trainer...?" Chris asked, a look of slight annoyance on his face.

"Five Years! I won the Hoenn League Tournament on my first try and got 3rd place in Kanto, and I beat the Battle Frontier."

Brandon boasted to the weird kid. He must be delirious or something Brandon thought.

The pokemon wined softly nd got up, hiding behind Chris' legs. Pink eyes scared as it looked to Kai. 'Meany...like that shadows' She said in a pouting voice. The light blue glow still there, so they could at lest sorta understand her. It then ran off.

He looked down at the Pokémon that had hidden behind his legs for a moment, then looked back at Brandon.

"You say you've been in Kanto, the region their headquarters is in, though you're having trouble comprehending them...? Listen. Team Rocket is a crime syndicate, /oh-kay?/ And their goal is to steal Pokémon and sell them, /oh-kay...?/ Get it?"

"Okay, I understand that, but how does a Rocket even hold a pokeball anyways? Or talk... how can they take over the world if they can't even talk?"

Brandon said as he was catching on a little bit more.

He smacked himself in the face.

"Rocket is their /name/. They're not really rockets... get it now...?"

Seerow's ears perked. He cried, "Umbreon um! UMBRE!" (There are bad people nearby! RUN!) Kai looked at him. "Seerow, what...?" Suddenly, a flame shot from the bushes, narrowly missing Chris and the odd Pokemon.

"Woah! What was that?"

Brandon said as he watched the flames go by. Sparks looked in the direction it came from and was ready to fire a thunder shock at it.

Two shapes ran away, seeing the Pikachu. One was a man in a black suit with a red R on the front. The other appeared to be a Pokemon, or was it? No... not quite.

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I love leaving you all hanging like this.

## 4 - The Pokemorph conspiracy

Aaaaand now...

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"Okay got it, lets go Sparks!"

Brandon said to the kid and he ran off after the two people.

"That's gotta be a Rocket member! Let's go!" Chris shouted, chasing after the fleeing Rocket. "Come on, Latias!"

Kai shrugged and followed everyone else. She threw another of her Pokeballs. "Go, Skyrenth!" A Rayquaza appeared. "I need help keeping up with everyone." She held on to the Pokemon as it flew to match Chris's speed.

The Rocket member said, "Darn, we're being followed! Okay, get them!" The other figure conjured a fireball and launched it at Brandon, as he was closest.

Brandon saw the oncoming fireball and rolled out of the way, Sparks jumped up and sped at them with agility.

"All right, Silver! Fly in front of them and cut them off!" Chris grabbed another Poké Ball as he said this.

"All right, Raelle! Use Volt Tackle!"

As Chris shouted this, he released a rather plump Raichu, who also wore a yellow bandanna, and, strangely, large hoop earrings, and obediently attacked the fleeing Rockets. The Rocket member escaped, but the other figure was knocked to the ground.

Sparks gave the figure a little shock just for good measure, and then Brandon arrived as well.

As Chris arrived at the figure, he sent Silver to follow the Rocket while he held the other down. The other figure was a human-like creature wearing a Rocket uniform and-

They were half human, half Charmeleon. As he got a good look at the person he had been laying on, preventing from escaping, his eyes opened wide in horror, as only surprised gasps escaped from his mouth as he tried to speak. Latias had come a little while later, as she was slower than Chris, and looked down at the boy and the Pokémorph.

Brandon stared at the Pokemorph. "Wha...? What is that?"

"You-- You...."

Where the only words Chris could manage to say.

Kai said to Chris, "Move. Let me see them."



He slowly rose off the strange being, though he continued to stare at it, unblinking.

Kai took off her necklace and scratched the leaf charm, taking off a bit of the black seal. She put this on the Pokemorph's head, and suddenly they began to turn back into a normal human. The tips of Kai's fingers began to take on a clawlike appearance.

Chris looked on, curiously, wondering what had just happened. He was about to ask, though he remained silent and contented himself with just looking on.

Kai smiled at Chris. "What? Did you think I was oblivious to Team Rocket? This brought my memory back. Like this person, I too am a Pokemorph. The seal on my leaf keeps me in this form." The Charmeleon Pokemorph had become a human again.

Brandon stared with his mouth wide open. Sparks appeared confused.

Seerow had been watching all this. He came over and licked the tips of Kai's fingers.

Chris looked on in disbelief, but was able to nod. While not a Pokémorph, he had been injected with DNA from his own Silver, which left him with strange side-effects, such as the mutated left eye he kept hidden under his hair.

"Pokémorph, huh? So, there really is such thing. I've been told stories of half-Pokémon, half-human beings, but I've never seen one..."

Kai touched her lips with a fingertip, an odd gesture which indicated her trust. She said, "Now you've seen two." She then licked the fingertip thoughtfully. "When I use the seal to restore another Pokemorph to normal, it seems that my true form shows through."

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Soooo.... is it okay? Please don't hate me for it...

## 5 - I just can't stop writing this

I love this story. Now for Chapter 5.

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Brandon put Sparks on his shoulder. "This is too much. You guys can handle it, right?" He ran off to continue his life.

"Hmm. I see," he muttered, then lifted the hair over his left eye up, revealing the mutated eye, which now resembled that of a Charizard's and a human's eye mixed together.

"This is the closest I get to being one. Team Rocket kidnapped me as a child and killed my family. They then experimented on me, using DNA from a Charizard. Took me until after I caught him to realize that that Charizard was Silver," he remarked.

Kai sighed sadly. "You got it lucky. You don't want to know what my true form looks like. I'll just tell you this: Instead of Charizard DNA, I got Grovyle."

"Grovyle, huh... Good thing we're not fully Pokémon. Otherwise I might have probably burnt you to a crisp by now." Chris joked, looking up at the canopy of the trees.

Kai stood up. "Don't you want to stop them? I can't help too many more Pokemorphs or you WILL get to see what I really look like."

"Want to stop them? I NEED to! If it weren't for them, I would still have a family, and Latias would know where hers is!" Chris shouted, turning his head to the dragon-like Pokémon beside him.

Kai said, "Then grab on to Skyrenth. We need real speed here." She jumped onto the Rayquaza's back, then recalled Seerow.

"All right."

He threw his head back, and screamed a call for Silver, who returned from searching for the Rocket, as he Poké Balled him and jumped on the Rayquaza's back.

Skyrenth looked at Chris curiously. Kai said, "Okay, Sky! Full speed for the Rocket base! You remember where it is, right?" The Rayquaza nodded and flew off at a high speed, not hitting any trees.

He looked forward, his hair blowing in the wind. He made sure Latias was gripping his waist tightly as to not be left behind, as they continued on the way to the Rocket HQ. He chuckled, as he recalled that this isn't the first time he's ridden a Rayquaza.

Skyrenth stopped right in front of a dark, relatively tall building. "This is it," whispered Kai. She took Sky back into the Pokeball, then sent out a small canine Pokemon. The Riolu immediately read Kai's thoughts to see what was going on.

"So, we're here, huh? Man, this place brings back so many bad memories," he said, looking at the building. "So how do you suppose we get in?"

Kai said, "Hanabi, can you check for a security system?" The Riolu stood still for a moment, then said, "There is an alarm on every first-floor entrance, however, that second-floor window right over Chris is safe."

He looked over to it.

"This one, right here?" He asked, not waiting for an answer as he went over to it, and broke it with a single punch. Hearing no alarm, he proceeded inside to check for Rockets.

After a short while, he gave the all-clear to Kai and the Pokémon.

Kai and Hanabi as one nimbly jumped up to the window, Hanabi landing on her feet just inside. Kai grabbed the window ledge and pulled herself inside. She said, "Doesn't that seem like it was too easy?" At that moment, the door to the hall opened and a Pokemorph wearing a Team Rocket uniform walked in.

Chris grabbed a Poké Ball in his jacket, and released the Nidorina inside, with a shout of "Rena! Poison Jab!"

The Nidorina, who, like his other Pokémon, wore a yellow bandanna around its neck, attacked the Morph with its horn, secreting a small amount of poison into it, only poisoning it enough to knock it out.

Kai said, "Great. You can act really fast. Let me see.." She noticed that this Morph was wearing a Team Rocket ID tag, unlike the Charameleon morph. She decided not to waste her seal on this one.

"Come on. Let's go in deeper," he said, pulling out a red-and-white device from inside his coat.

"This is my Pokédex. I've cracked it myself to add additional features, so that I won't need to carry around a PokéNav, Pokétch, and a map. I've got a map of this headquarters in here, so we'll know exactly where to go."

Kai looked at the altered Pokedex. She saw that it did have a map displayed. She said, "All right, then." She stepped into the hallway and didn't see anyone.

Chris followed her slowly, keeping an eye out for guards or any other Rocket members. He knew Team Rocket too well to expect no one to be there. He stopped short, thinking he had seen the shadow of a Rocket member, but as he returned his glance to where it was, he saw nothing, and just thought of it as a trick of the eye.

Kai's sensitive ears picked up the sound of footsteps. She whispered, "I think we're being followed. Hang on." She signalled to her Riolu, who stood still for a second. Hanabi said, "There is a hidden Kecleon Pokemorph following us; however, he seems to be less harmful intent than curious."

Chris nodded, and decided to pretend that he was still oblivious to the hidden Kecleon's presence.

"Oh, my! I sure do hope that no one is following us," he said in a clearly faked tone, stressing each word, "or else that would be really bad. Let us continue on deeper into the building."

He walked around, over to where the Kecleon morph was, but still faked ignorance, even though he

came in physical contact with it, leaning on it with his left elbow. His eyes fell to where he knew it must be, and muttered:

"All right, kid. We know you're here."

The Kecleon morph became visible. He was about Kai's height, and wearing a torn t-shirt with a picture of a Ho-oh on it and black jeans. He stared at Chris with frightened eyes and said, "P-please don't hurt me. I've been looking for a way out for ages, then I saw you two sneaking around." Kai was staring, shocked, at the young boy.

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So... who is this kid, anyways? Find out in Chapter 6!

## 6 - Enter: Haru

Noooooow...

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"Really?" Chris asked, looking at the boy. "Don't worry, kid. I won't hurt you," he replied, looking at Latias. "She won't either, right?"

Latias smiled and nodded, flying over to where the Kecleon morph was and friendly shaking his hand.

Kai asked the boy, "What is your name?" He tilted his head to the side and said, "Haru. Why?" Kai said, "This isn't possible. I must be dreaming."

"What? Kai, are you feeling okay?" Chris asked, looking on in confusion. He looked at Latias for a bit, seemingly looking for an answer, but all he received was a shrug, so he returned his glance to Haru, then to Kai, then back to Haru, repeatedly and slowly.

Kai looked at Chris and said, "Do you notice? He has black hair and green eyes." This was true, and Haru stared at her in confusion. "Um, miss? What is your name?" Kai said to Haru, "My name is Kai, Haru. You should remember that!"

"So... As I understand it, you two are related, right?" Chris said, pushing up his glasses with his right middle finger. "But he doesn't remember you. I think I get it."

Kai stared at Chris. "You're too good at guessing. But... I thought they killed him."

He nodded. "I understand it now." He looked over to Haru, silent for a moment, before looking straight ahead. "Well, then, you thought wrong," he said, grabbing his right arm with his left, which he had behind him.

Haru said, "Why are you two here? There's no visitors allowed, and you're not Rockets. I don't get it." Kai murmured, "We're going to stop the Rockets and save the Pokemorphs."

"Yeah, and I have personal business to attend to with Giovanni," Chris said. "He's finally going to pay for ending the lives of my family and taking Latias from hers," he continued. Kai asked Chris, "Can I see that map?" "Here," he muttered, carelessly tossing her the Pokédex.

Kai looked at it and said, "If we go that way, we'll get to the room where they turn people into Pokemorphs, then where Giovanni's office is. Who votes that way?" She raised her hand.

"Fine. Let's go," Chris said, turning to the direction she had pointed out. "Come on."

Kai followed Chris as they walked down the hall. Haru followed them nervously. Haru suddenly cried, "Stop! That floor panel is booby-trapped!" Kai looked at the floor in front of her.

Chris stopped short of the trick floor panel. "Is this the only one? If it is, I could just jump over it."

Haru said, "Well, this one is booby-trapped, the next one isn't, then there's a row of two."

"Got it," he said, jumping over the first panel. "Now a row of two," he repeated, jumping the correct number of panels. "Come on. You try now."

Kai pulled out a Pokeball and said, "Go, Katana!" A Pidgeot appeared. Kai explained, "I can't jump very well, so I'm having Katana carry me over the trap floor." Kai got on the Pidgeot, who carried her over the tiles. Hanabi merely jumped all four in one hop.

Chris looked over.

"All right," he muttered. "Let's keep it moving." He set off at a slow pace, wary of any more traps.

Haru hopped across and he and Kai followed Chris. Hanabi kept her eyes closed so she could detect any Rockets or Pokemorphs. Kai threw a Pokeball into the air. She said, "Okay, Kitty. You can come out now." She then recalled Katana. Kitty spotted Haru and began to circle around his head excitedly.

"Okay, you can come out too Tex." Haru said and threw a Pokeball into the air as well. The white mew came out and circled around his head as well, chasing Kitty.

Chris turned his head to see Kitty circling around Haru. For the first time, a small smirk was on his face, though it was only for a fleeting second.

Suddenly, Kai ran up to a door. She said, "Now we need to break this down, scare everyone, and get out." Hanabi said sarcastically, "Oh, sounds like a great plan. Yeah, because all the Pokemorphs will just come with us." Kai said, "Um, I hadn't thought about that."

"I have an idea. I'll take care of breaking down the door and help take care of the Rockets. You two can try to get the morphs to come with us," Chris said, looking at the door.

Kai said, "That'll work. Oh, and this will make it easier." She took off her necklace, then placed it around Chris's neck. "Keep that safe," she stated. Her fingers began to look more like claws. The black seal glowed for a second.

"Right. Solaris, use Overheat to melt that door," Chris said, releasing a Ninetales, which also wore the trademarked yellow bandanna, and obediently used the fire attack, melting the door.

Kai dragged Haru inside sneakily, staying hidden.

Chris entered swiftly, looking for Rockets, ordering Solaris to use Ember on all he was able to see, while being careful not to hit any of the Pokémorphs.

Kai swiftly ran to each Pokemorph, now looking slightly like a Grovyle, and whispered to each one. Most of them were happy to help.

Chris reached into his hair, feeling for his left eye, noticing that his eye had temporarily been restored to normal. He chuckled as he continued to attack the Rockets.

Kai hid her face behind a Grovyle-like hand as the seal's effect on her wore off. She worked very quickly, not staying at one Pokemorph for too long and unlocking any cages she found.

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So, are you having trouble waiting for more? Never fear... I'll probably have the whole thing down today.  
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## 7 - To the fight!

Here goes...

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Kysa narrowed her eyes. Her hair was long, about waist length and dark purple in color. Her eyes too were dark purple but with a splash of cyan in them. A pair of black Skarmory wings protruded from her back. She was wearing a navy tank top, a pair of dark blue nylon shorts, black sneakers and a headband in her hair. She looked up and her mouth twitched. People coming to rescue the prisoners? Like she needed any. But she was glad to see them anyways. She ached for the Pokemon that had been taken away from her. Her Sceptile, her Lucario, her Dragonair, her Pidgeot, her Umbreon and her Gallade. She watched as her cage was sprung open and she jumped out. She landed on all fours. She was pale in the dark room but she was always pale. Kysa was about 14, her legs long and thin, her arms too were thin. You could see her veins clearly. Kysa looked at the people around her and waited.

Kai saw a Skarmory Pokemorph girl who had left one of the cages. She asked her, "Hey, do you want to help us destroy the Rockets?" Kai was careful to keep her hand over her face.

"All right, Solaris. You're getting tired. Switch places with Raelle," Chris said, recalling the Ninetales and releasing the Raichu. "All right, try Thunder!" The Raichu quickly obeyed, sending out bolts of lightning at the Rockets.

Kysa nodded silently and transformed. "Skarmory!" she cried and attacked the Rockets.

Kai dashed around the room. She called to Chris, "Okay, there are no more Rockets or Pokemorphs!"

"All right. Come back Raelle," Chris commanded, recalling the Raichu.

Kai walked up to Chris, still covering her face with her hand. She asked, "Can I have the seal back now?"

He took it off and tossed it to her, feeling his eye turn back to how it was previously. "Here," he said, putting his hands to his sides.

"So we can go now?" Haru asked as he looked around. He didn't like this place and wanted to get out as soon as he could. Not like he was very good at battling anyways.

Kai turned around and put her necklace back on. She continued to cover her face until she had become a full human again.

"Go if you want. I have to see Giovanni," Chris answered, turning to him.

Kai added, "And I'm going to go with him. If he needs help, Ryura always loves a dynamic entry."



Chris looked over, nodding. "All right, then," he said in an indifferent tone.

Haru ran off, leaving through the broken window.

Kai pointed and said, "So we go... that way."

"All right, then. Let's go," Chris said, walking in the direction she had pointed.

Kai followed him, and eventually they came to a large wooden door with a gold plate on it that said, "The Boss's Office." Kai said, "This HAS to be it." She winked and said, "We're almost at the end of this hall and I don't see any other doors."

"All right," Chris said, walking up to the door, a Poké Ball ready. A swift kick broke the door, as he entered quickly, releasing Silver.

Giovanni turned around, hearing the door fall. He said, "Well, what do we have here? Some little mice sneaking around?" He laughed, then snapped his fingers. A Swellow Pokemorph walked in through a side door, followed by a Pikachu Pokemorph. Both wore Rocket uniforms and ID tags.

Chris grew extremely angry, and rushed past the two Pokémorphs, knocking them over as he ran to Giovanni, grabbing him by the neck. "You'll die for what you've done!" The Pikachu Pokemorph stood up and hit Chris with a powerful blast of electricity. Giovanni rubbed his neck and said, "How pleasant."

Kai threw her last unused Pokeball and said, "Go, Ryura!" The Pokemon that appeared looked like a yellow Umbreon with black circles and blue eyes. Ryura looked at the Swellow morph, who instantly seemed afraid.

Chris cringed in pain, as Latias rushed over to him, leaning over his body, healing him with Recover. He sat up, looking at Giovanni and then to the Pikachu morph that had shocked him. "Thanks," Chris said to Latias, standing back up.

Kai looked at Chris. "Shall we fight together? Ryura's already emanating a lust for battle." The small yellow Pokemon's fur stood up on end and Ryura growled deeply.

"Sure," Chris said, looking at her. "Let's do this. Silver, use Fire Spin on that Pikachu morph!" Chris shouted, as the Charizard obeyed.

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Next... THE FIGHT!

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Kai cried, "Ryura! Use Shadow Bend!" The Pokemon instantly disappeared, then reappeared. A split second later, the Swellow morph fell to the floor in pain. Meanwhile, the Pikachu morph was knocked to the ground by a Fire Spin attack. Ryura licked his paw calmly and said, "Ryreon ry." (Truly pathetic.)

Chris ran back over to Giovanni. "All right, Giovanni! You've got no more of your little bodyguards to protect you! Now, tell me where the other Latias and Latios are or die!"

Giovanni said calmly, "They're all in the basement. There's a containment field for things like that. And, you're wrong. I still have my ultimate creation." A Pokemorph walked in through the side door. This one was half-human, half Articuno. The Articuno morph stepped forward... and the next second, he was attacking Silver.

He turned to see Silver being attacked. "Silver, come on! I didn't want to do this in here, but I'll have to! Use Blast Burn!" Chris ordered. The Charizard released large balls of flame, engulfing the Articuno morph, while accidentally burning a nearby chair.

When the flames subsided, the Articuno morph was laying on the ground, still. Kai was shaking her hand in the air, as the fire had singed her fingers. Giovanni stared. He said, "Ah, so you have defeated even Rarn. Fine, do whatever you wish."

He looked over to Kai. "You okay over there?" Chris asked, referring to her burned fingers. He looked out of the corner of his eye, noticing Giovanni trying to sneak away while he wasn't looking. "Ah-ah, now, Giovanni. You wouldn't try to leave now, would you?" Chris asked sarcastically, as he ordered Silver to use Flamethrower on him.

Kai licked her hand and replied, "Yeah, I'm fine." She stared as Silver scorched Giovanni with a Flamethrower attack. Kai then said, "Okay, do you want to go rescue the Latias and Latios?"

"Yeah. Let's go. Come on, Latias," Chris said, grabbing the Pokémon's hand and leading her to where Giovanni had told them the Latios and Latias were.

Kai took off her necklace, and scratched the seal a bit. She then rubbed the bit of the mark she had taken off on Chris's hand. She said, "That was my thanks." She then walked a bit slower, lagging behind purposely.

He felt his eye returning to normal, and decided to lift up his right arm sleeve.

"Whoa. That's back to normal, too," he said, under his breath. He continued down, until he came to the place where the Latios and Latias were.

Kai continued to follow Chris. She saw that Team Rocket had put the Latias and Latios that Chris had been looking for in a large electrical containment field.

"Hmm. This electrical field can be short-circuited if it gains too much electricity. Raelle, try Thunder," Chris said, as he had the Raichu shock the containment field until it was completely short-circuited.

Kai looked nervously at her hands. Her hands had completely returned to their real, Grovyle-ish look.

He looked over to Kai, his eyes falling to her hands.

"Hey, your hands've changed," he said, looking at them. "I've never noticed that before."

Kai said, "Everytime I scratch the seal, my appearance returns slightly to my true form. Helping you out caused this change."

He looked over at her, sighing softly as the Latias and Latios were being set free. He turned to them, looking at each one exiting the field in turn.

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That fight ended rather quickly.

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Okay, so now it's the SECOND to last one.

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Kai pulled out two Pokéballs and recalled Hanabi and Ryura. Kitty continued to float lazily behind her.

Chris looked around, noting that there was no easily-accessible exit from there. "Solaris, Overheat that wall!" Chris shouted, as he released the Ninetales, which sent fire at the wall to their right, the only one without machinery on it.

A large hole opened to outside. Kai walked out through it, and looked at the ground.

Chris jumped through the hole, herding the Latias and Latios inside, the last of which being his own. He then turned to look at Kai.

"Thanks. I really owe ya one," he said, before looking up at the sky.

Kai nodded and said, "It's not me you need to thank. It's Kitty. She started all of this." The Black Mew waved, then flew over to Chris and flew around him a few times.

Chris gave a soft chuckle. "Okay then. In that case, thanks, Kitty," he said, looking at the Pokémon who was now circling him, as a startling thought crossed his mind.

"You know, I don't think they're going to be happy when they find that their boss has been scorched. We better get out of here," he noted, turning to Latias. "Well then. It's your choice if you want to come with us, now that we've helped your family," he told her, as she looked at the others, causing her to display an ability she hasn't yet:

"They won't miss me too much," she replied, flying over to him. "Let's go."

Kai threw a Pokéball and said, "Okay, then." Her Pidgeot, Katana, appeared. She asked, "How far do we go until we quit sticking together?" Kitty flew back to Kai and wrapped her tail around Kai's wrist.

He threw both of his hands to shoulder level, palms up in a wide shrug.

"Your call," he said indifferently.

Kai pointed towards the road they had left. She said, "I'm going back to the road so I can get out of this forest. There are so many places to go. I can't wait until I can meet new friends in new places. Oh, and I might want to invest in gloves."

Chris chuckled. "I guess I'm gonna keep travelin'. No matter how many times I go somewhere, I seem to find new things." He sent out Silver, getting on the dragon Pokémon's back (which looked very strange due to the fact that he himself was taller than the Pokémon) and looking forward. "Who knows. Maybe

we might just meet again."

Kai smiled and said, "Okay. I hope I see you again. Kitty seems to like you. When Kitty trusts you, I know you're fine. Plus, I want to know if the seal will have any strange effects on someone who wasn't a full Pokemorph." Before Chris could reply, she walked off with Katana.

Chris looked over as she left, smirking slightly, as he started to follow. "Oh, come on. I get it," he said as he caught up with her. "Let's go."

Chris looked at her for a second, then look back at Latias, who he had unintentionally left. "Come on. You don't want to be left behind, do you?"

Latias smiled and rushed up to join them.

Kai smiled innocently. "You get what?" She pulled a magnifying glass out of her small backpack and examined her scales. She looked at him again.

"Oh, come on. I'm not falling for that again. You know very well what,"

Chris answered, adjusting his glasses with his right middle finger.

Kai bit her finger, apparently testing how strong her scales were. She said, "No, I don't know."

"Aw, come on. 'I want to know if the seal will have any strange effects on someone who wasn't a full Pokémorph?'" Chris repeated. "That gives it all away." Latias, apparently finding this a bit amusing, laughed slightly.

Kai's eyes focused directly on him. She removed her finger from her mouth and said, "That seriously didn't mean anything."

He cast her a sideways glance. "If you say so," he replied, chuckling and looking forward again. He reached into his pocket, pulling out a small metal brooch in the shape of an Absol's head and looked at it, turning it around in his hand before placing it back in his pocket.

Kai resumed biting her finger. Kitty floated around Chris's head and said,

"Mew mew, mew mew mew." (She considers you lucky, and maybe she's even jealous.)

He looked at Kitty, and apparently understanding, replied, "Oh, really? Me, lucky? Heh."

He looked forward. "Actually, I was thinking of her as the lucky one. After all, she's still got some of her family. All of mine really is dead." The last three sentences he purposely said loud enough for Kai to hear.

Kai glanced at Chris, sighed, and said, "Really, I only have Haru, and who knows where he just left to. I think you're lucky because you're not trapped as a half-Pokemon, half-human, belonging to neither group, with almost no-one like you."

Chris looked at her. "Well, look on the bright side. You've got the advantages of both humans and Pokémon," he replied. "And, you know," he continued, "that could really help you some day. You may as well have a blessing in disguise."

She said, "I have the disadvantages of both groups too. Not to mention how I look when my true form isn't sealed. That has to be the worst part of all this." Katana and Kitty watched Kai.

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I changed it. Sue me.

## 10 - The REAL end

This time it IS the end.

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"Look?" Chris repeated. "Who would really care about what you look like?

Anyone who does is just superficial and not worth getting upset over."

Kai stated, "It's not what I think of myself, it's what others think in

this case. If my true form isn't sealed, almost everyone I meet either runs

or tries to kill me."

"Well, I understand. I am used to others running away from me," Chris

replied. "And a few attempts have been made on my life, but for different

reasons." He looked forward again, placing his hands behind his head.

Kai sighed again and stared at her hands. She said, "I don't want to

remember what happened right before I figured out how to seal my true form.

It's weird how the things you want to forget stay in your mind."

"Yeah. There's plenty of stuff I wish I didn't remember. Just as there's

plenty of stuff I'm sure I want to remember that I can't," Chris replied.

"Quite ironic, isn't it?"

Kai looked around. She said, "Very ironic. Just as this forest, so full of

beauty and life, was hiding Team Rocket's newest hideout."

Chris nodded. "Yeah. Well, at least we don't have that to worry about any

more. Their leader's gone now, so there's nothing more to worry about from

them." He looked to his right, at Latias, for a short while before looking

straight ahead again, stuffing his hands into his pockets.

Kitty floated over to Chris and landed on his head, squealing, "Meeeeew!"

(Yaaay!) Kai laughed at the sight of the black kitten Pokemon sitting on the boy's head. She then said, "Okay, then... if Kitty likes you that much, I'm definitely following you. Not like a stalker or anything..."

Chris rolled his eyes upward, looking at the Mew, laughing slightly, before looking at Kai. "Yes. Definitely not as a stalker. I've had enough of that," he joked. "Don't ask," he added. Latias flew closer to the others, smiling. "Well, then. What do we do now?" she asked, looking at Chris, who shrugged an "I don't know" then pulled his right hand out of his pocket and looked at the tattoo of XIII he had ever since first being taken by Team Rocket.

Kai walked forwards a little bit. She said, "I found the road," then walked to the said road.

"Finally. That forest is larger than it seems," Chris said, emerging a few seconds later, followed by Latias.

Kai looked at Chris. She asked, "So, which way are you going?" Kitty hopped off of Chris's head and flew next to Latias.

"Don't know," Chris answered, pulling out a 10 PokéYen coin. "Depends on the flip of this coin. Heads, I go that way--" he pointed in the direction to his right-- "Tails, I go the other way." He flicked the coin into the air very high, looking up. A couple of seconds passed without it landing. "I think you threw it too high," Latias noted, also looking up. "No I didn't. See?" Chris replied, as the coin came back into view, quickly landing in his outstretched hand, which automatically closed around it.



"Well?" asked Latias, as Chris opened his hand, revealing that the coin had landed heads.

"Well, I guess I'm going that way," he said, turning to the direction he had specified.

Kai nodded and said, "Well then, me too. My reason being? I suspect Kitty would sneak off to follow you if I didn't."

"Yeah, I suppose that would be a pretty good reason," Chris replied, looking back at her for a moment.

Kai said nothing, but instead waited for Chris to do something. Kitty floated over to Katana and sat next to the bird Pokemon.

Chris lifted up his right hand, the back side towards Kai. "Come on. If we're going we probably should be moving on. Can't stay in one place too long, y'know? There's a pretty good chance of getting ambushed if we do." He put his hand down to his side and continued on.

Kai watched Chris walk off. As much as she wanted to follow him... "Kitty, return." The black Mew disappeared into the Pokeball and she got on her Pidgeot's back. The bird Pokemon flew off, circling the area a few times.

Kai hastily scribbled a note and dropped it as Katana flew over Chris. The note read, "Goodbye. I'll see you again if you ever stop by the Johto region. -Kai"

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ITACHI!!!! Okay, it's over. The end.