

Avatar: The Last Airbender; Amber of the Earth Nation

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Okay. One day I was bored so I made up an Avatar OC. Her name is Amber (ooh.... creative) and she's a firebending EarthNation rebel. Read. It's interesting.

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1. I'm Earth Nation! I swear it!!!

Hi! I'm Amber. I'm an orphan who lives in the Earth Nation. And I swaer that I am Earth Nation!!!! Only problem is I cant show off my bending skills. I dont bend earth. I bend fire. I dont know why or how. My earliest memory is a fire, my parents leaving me alone in the streets, and screams, lots of screams. That's as far back as I can remember. I live in Ba Sing Se at the moment. I'm only safe here. And word is, the Avatar's here! I cant wait to meet him! Oh! You all probably want my bio. Here it is.

Name: Amber

Age: 14

Gender: Girl

Bending Power: Fire

Hair Color: Violet

Eye Color: Traditional Fire Nation, Gold

D.O.B: October 31st, the devil's holiday

Traveling companions: An earth/fire dragon named Azumai

Height: She is so not sure

Weight: Not sure either

Blood Type: O.o A (why she knows that, even I dont know)

Personality: Cheerful and friendly, she has the traditional Amber spark. She can be cheerful and happy, serious in battle, and a little off when angry.

Calming Techniches: She centers herself. She puts her hands together, raises them\m abover her head, and slowly brings them down in front of her face as she breathes in deeply.

Weapon(s) of Choice: Cross Swords at times, a fire dagger, and her bending if need be.

Heheh..... That's me. Now to the story.

I'm walking through Ba Sing Se, gazing up at the sky, when I come upon a tea shop. I think ~I could use some tea right about now~ So I head in. I walk up to the counter. An old man greets me.

"Hello!" I say cheerfully.

"Hello! What kind of tea would you like? Might I suggest jasmine?"

"No thanks. I just want some sweet tea to calm my nerves if you please."

"Coming up!"

I find a table and sit down to wait for my tea. A young man brings it to me.

"Here's your tea." he says sulkily.

"Thanks." I say cheerfully.

~He looks familiar somehow.... I just cant put my finger on it.~

~What is it Amber?~ Azumai telepaths to me.

~Nothing.... I just saw a boy that looks oddly familiar.... I just dont know how...~

~As long as you arent hurt...~

I pay for my tea and leave. Azumai flies up to me.

~So?~

~So what?~

~Didja figure out who he was?~

~No. Now quit bugging me about it. Mmmmm. I'm coming back here again. That tea was good!~

~Bring me some next time.~

~I will!~

I begin walking towards my small apartment and just happen to run into a shifty eyed kid.

~Looks like he's lookin for trouble~ I think.

~Yes it does.~

He starts to talk to me.

"Hey! Watch it! Oh, a girl. Sorry. My name's Jet."

"Amber. And this is Azumai." I say indicating to her.

"Hmmm... A dragon huh? Can it breath fire?"

"She, and yes. Show him."

Azumai breathes a jet of fire into the air, taking care not to let it touch anything.

"Where'd you get her? From the Fire Nation I bet."

"No way! I hate those dirty bastards! I found her as a hatchling out in the wilderness. She's been my traveling companion ever since."

"Hmmm.... Still..... Can you bend?"

"Nope." I say lying pretty well. I've had practice.

"Would you like to join the Freedom Fighters? We hate the Fire Nation and will do anything to wipe it out."

"Mmmmm....." I start to walk past him. "No thanks. See ya!" I say and run off.

~That was close. I dont want to join any rebel group.~

~But you are a rebel, Amber~

~I know. But I want to be a solo rebel.~

~And you want to find the avatar so you can join him.~

~Yes, well..... that's different.~

~How?~

~I'm done with this conversation now!~

I center myself so I wont get angry with her. We get to my apartment and head in.

"I really need to clean this place up. I hate it here."

"It was dirty when we got here." Azumai says in a raspy voice.

"Practicing I see. I need a job."

"Your a good artist. Why not make stuff and sell it in the market?"

"I was thinking more along the lines of working in a tea shop. At least then your fire will be put to good use."

"Hmph."

"Aw come on! It would be better than making you perform like we have been lately! Do you really wanna dress up in a stupid outfit again and make fire figures?"

"Nooooo..... Fine. Which teashop did you have in mind?"

"The one I was at today. It's nice and cozy. And I wanna find out more about that guy who served me tea."

I get some rest and head over to the teashop the next day.

"Hello? I'd like to apply for a job here!"

The owner comes out. I thought that the old man was the owner... Guess not. I sign the forms for a job and he sets me to work making tea.

"These stoves dont heat very well do they?" I ask the old man.

"No they dont." He says to me.

I spark a fire under the pot. The boy who served me yesterday sees me do it. I dont notice.
He pulls the old man aside.
"Uncle! She just used fire bending to heat that pot!" he hisses to the old man.
"She did? I didnt notice."
I walk over to them.
"Whatcha talkin about?"
"Um.. Nothing! My name's Lee."
"My name's Amber. You sure you werent talkin about anything?"
"I'm sure! I have a question. What nation are you from?"
"Earth. I've lived in this nation all my life. Not Ba Sing Se of course. I hate it here. I just came to rest up for awhile."
"Um..... What's that?" Lee says indicating to Azumai behind me.
"Huh?" I turn around. "Azumai! Dont sneak behind me! Sorry! This is Azumai, my traveling companion."
"She's a dragon. And a fine one too." the old man says.
"Thank you." Azumai says in her raspy voice.
"She talks!"
"Yup! By the way, what's your name?" I ask the old man.
"Just call me Uncle."
"Okay, Uncle!" I say with a smile.
"Um... I think we have customers waiting. Amber, will you take this tray out?" Lee says a little annoyed.
"Okay, okay. I'm goin."
Day one with a job. A breeze.

2. What?

Second day of working in the teashop. Lee hovers over me like I did something wrong and Uncle makes and serves really good tea.

"Lee."

"What?"

"Quit hovering over me! Did you want something?"

"Um... No! Sorry." he says as he backs up a little bit.

"Thank you."

I make the only tea I know how to make for a customer, peppermint. Thank God they asked for it.

"Here. Take this to table 2." I say while handing the tray to Lee.

He leaves. I relight the flame under the pot.

~Why not use me? You could get caught doing it yourself!~

~I wont get caught Azumai!~

~Fine. But let me do it next time.~

The day drags on. I get a few tips and a couple of guys phone numbers. I toss the phone numbers and pocket the tips on my way out at closing.

~Time to start the search for the Avatar.~

~Yay! Why at night?~

~Cause I work during the day!~

~Oh.~

I start looking. As I look, I spend some money on food and new clothes. My search turns up nothing in the market district. I head home for some sleep. The next day is my day off, so I search the richer districts. I ask around and FINALLY get some directions to where the Avatar is staying.

~Finally!~

I head over to his home. No one is home at the moment, so I leave a message on a scroll on their doorstep. I head home to wait. The next day, I'm working in the tea shop on my own since it's Lee's and Uncle's day off. Nobody's in the shop, so I clean up the tables and fix the displays. The door's bell jingles.

"Welcome!" I say as I turn around.

I gasp when I see who it is.

~The Avatar!~

~Really? Can I come out to see?~

~Yes!~

"Hello! Would you like a table?" I try to say calmly.

"Um.. No thanks! I'm here looking for a girl named Amber. Do you know her?"

"Your looking at her!" I say.

At that moment, Azumai comes gliding out from the kitchen. The Avatar has 3 companions with him. The young man with him gasps.

"What's that?" he asks, reaching behind his back for something.

"This is Azumai. She's my companion. And if you hurt her...."

"Sokka! Hi! I'm Katara. Sorry about my brother Sokka." the eldest girl with the Avatar says.

"That's okay! I'm Amber!"

"I'm Aang!" the Avatar says.

"I'm Sokka. Nice ta meetcha."

"I'm Toph..." says a little girl next to them.

I look at her eyes. I'm not surprised though. She's blind.

"Would you all like some tea?" I ask.

"No thanks. We got your message that you wanted to talk to us. What do you wanna talk about?" Aang asks.

"Not here. I could get in trouble. Just wait a bit. It's almost closing anyway."

About a half an hour later, I close up the shop. I take them to my apartment.

"Welcome to my humble abode!" I say trying to sound cheerful.

"It's small." Toph says.

"I know..... It's all I can afford though. Anyway! I need to ask you all a question."

"Well?" Sokka states.

"I was wondering is I could....."

3. Yes!!!!

"I was wondering if I could join you on your travels!"

I wait for an answer. They stand off to one side talking about it.

"We've made our decision." Sokka says.

"But before we say yes, we would like to get to know you a little better." Katara says.

"Okay! What do you need to know?"

"Your abilities, if you can bend, if you like flying, that stuff." Toph says.

"Okay! Um.... I'm skilled at using cross swords, I cant bend, I love to fly, and I'm an orphan. That all you need?"

"Good enough." Aang says covering Katara's mouth.

"Your lying." Toph says.

"About what?" Sokka says.

"She's lying about her not being able to bend. She can."

"Really? What can you bend?" Aang asks.

~How did she know?~

~She's a blind earthbender. She uses earth to see. And since your standing on the ground, she can sense your body. And you heartrate.~

"*sigh* Fine I'll tell you." I look out the door, close it and bolt it. I close and bolt the windows.

"Ready?" I say as I blow out the candle that lights up the room.

I grab my dagger hilt. There's no dagger attached to it though. I bend fire to make a flame dagger. I bend fire around my body and Azumai crouches at my feet.

I get gasps from Sokka and Katara, a blank look from Toph, and an enthralled look from Aang.

"There. Happy?"

"She's a fire bender! She's Fire Nation!" Sokka goes off at it.

"I'm not Fire Nation! They're the reason why I'm an orphan!" I scream in anger.

Sokka shuts up. I center myself and relight the candle.

"Well? Do I have an answer to my question? Can I join or not?"

Once again, they go off together and talk. Aang faces me.

"Amber. We'd be glad to have you join!"

"Yes!!!!"

"You know what? With Amber on our team, we have all four elements; Air, Aang; Earth, Toph; Water, me; and Fire, Amber!" Katara says.

"And an average guy with a boomerang." Sokka says sarcasticly.

4. >.< See? I UPDATED!! (yes, this is aimed at you Nara)

They take me to their house. I gasp at how big it is compared to my puny apartment.

"How did you get this?" I ask.

"One of the perks of traveling with the Avatar is that we get the good stuff." Sokka says.

I walk around the main room in astonishment. Azumai just kinda sits there, that is until a lemur leaped on top of her. Azumai leaped up in surprise.

"Wah! What is this?" she asks, picking up the lemur.

"Oh! That's Momo, my flying lemur." Aang says.

"Arent those things extinct?" I ask.

"Momo's the last as far as we know." Katara says.

I nod and watch Momo leap into the air. I look at Aang after a bit.

"So Aang. How many elements have you learned so far?"

He ticks them off on his fingers.

"Air of course, water, and earth."

"Not fire yet?"

Aang looks down.

"Oh. I see. Didnt do too good when you tried it for the first time did you?"

He nods. I change the subject.

"Toph, you said something about flying. What did you mean?"

"We fly everywhere. Using Aang's flying bison, Appa."

My eyes go wide.

"Those still exist too? Wow."

We chat for a bit. Azumai plays with Momo, blowing harmless fire rings for him to fly through. I look outside and notice that it's dark. I get up to go.

"Bye! And thanks for letting me join the group!"

"Wait." Katara says. "Why dont you stay with us?"

"Really? Thanks! Just lemme go get my stuff from that rank apartment."

I head to my old home with a smile on my face.

~This is gonna be fun~

~Agree'd~

5. Surprise(Heheh.... I love Zuko. He's so hot)

I reach my old apartment and gather the few things I have.

Azumai's ears twitch.

~We have company~

~Where?~

~Outside, they're trying to peer through the window~

I snicker.

I put my things into my pack, being careful to stow my extra dagger hilts in the secret pocket.

Azumai flies around me, twisting and weaving as I head for the door.

I open it and to my surprise am face to face with Lee.

He blushes and steps back.

"S-sorry Amber. I was about to knock when you opened the door."

"Its okay!" I say smiling. "Do you need something?"

Lee fidjits for a moment.

"Not really..."

He notices my pack.

"Hey, are you leaving?"

I nod.

"I'm a traveler. I have to travel. But I'm not leaving the city yet. Just moving to different housing."

"How different?"

"Richly different."

"Really... Who are you staying with?"

"I'm not to sure I should tell you... They might not like it. They get enough attention as it is...."

Lee leans closer to me.

"Come on. You can trust me."

I blush.

"Um... I really dont think I should though..."

"Would you tell me, for a kiss?"

My entire face flushes.

He smiles.

"I'll take that as a yes."

6. Uncle

Lee leans even closer to me.
I close my eyes and wait for it to happen.

But before it can, I hear Uncle yelling out.

"Lee! Where are you? I need your help with something!"

Lee groans.

"Coming Uncle!"

He turns his attention back to me.

"We'll um... Continue this later, okay?"

I just nod. Azumai is curled around my feet, glaring at Lee.

Lee smiles and ruffles my hair tenderly. He turns and walks away.

I watch as he disappears into the gloom of the alleyways.

I sigh, my heart fluttering.

~How long have you had a crush on him?~

~Since my second day at the tea shop....~

Azumai snorts and nudges my feet.

"Oh! Right! We have to get going."

I take off for the Avatar's abode, Azumai, flying above me.

Once there, I immediately ask Atara if I can talk to her.

She leads me into her room.

"Okay, what do you want to talk to me about?"

"Um..." I tap my index fingers together a few times. "Well... You know the tea shop I work at right? Well, there is another employee, and he is so hot. I like him. And earlier, he almost kissed me! Kissed me! But then his uncle called him and he had to leave."

Atara had been listening and nodding occasionally the whole time I explained it to her.

"Well, let me see.... Okay, you know you like him, and you know he likes you right?"

"Well, um... I'm not entirely sure if he likes me...."

"Why not?"

"Well.... He said he would kiss me if I told him who I was staying with...."

"What?!?!"

"Well... I told him several times I shouldn't, but when he suggested that he would kiss me if I did, well..."

Atara grabs my shoulders.

"You didn't tell him did you?"

"No no! I hadn't told him yet! I swear!"

Atara releases me and sighs.

"Good.... We get enough attention as it is...."

7. Teaching about Telepathy

Atara and I walk out of her room.

"What were you guys talking about?" Aang asks us.

"Nothing." I say.

"What she means is that its girl stuff and that you wouldnt want to know about it." Katara says, trying to get Aang off my case.

"Alright..."

I look around and look at Katara questioningly.

"Where can I set my stuff?"

Atara eyes my pack and sleeping bag.

"Well, in my room I guess."

"Okay!"

I walk into her room and set my stuff beside the door. I walk back out. Azumai and Momo are still playing together.

I sit down on the floor near them to watch them.

Azumai flicks her tail in front of Momo and pulls it away before he pounces on it, causing Momo to fall flat on his face. I giggle.

Sokka is eying me suspiciously.

~Ponytail boy is watching you~ Azumai telepaths to me.

~I know. I'm ignoring him.~

~Okay then...~

Azumai wasnt paying attention and Momo managed to get his claws into her tail. A shiver runs up Azumai's spine and she lifts her tail and Momo to eye level.

"Get off Momo." Azumai orders, glaring at him.

Momo lets go and scampers over to Aang.

I laugh.

"I think you scared him Azumai."

"So what? He clawed my tail."

I shake my head and sigh.

"Silly dragon..."

Azumai snorts and curls up like a snake.

Sokka was watching the whole thing.

"Hey Amber. How can you get the dragon to do things without telling it anything?"

"Telepathy. And Azumai is a she-dragon."

"Oh... Whats telepathy?"

I laugh and Azumai snorts.

"You dont know what telepathy is?" we both say.

"Yeah..." He says sheepishly.

"Actually. I dont know what it is either." Katara says, coming to his defense.

"I know what it is!" Aang says.

"Well I dont." Toff says emotionlessly.

"I'll tell you then. Telepathy is a power that allows you to speak to another person in their minds. Like this."

I send a message to Toff.

~Hey Toff.~

She jumps.

"Who said that?"

"Said what?" Sokka asks.

"Someone said hi to me."

"That was me. I sent you a telepathic message. No one but you can hear it." I say giggling.

I send one to Katara next.

~Hey Katara! I love yur outfit.~

Katara giggles.

"Thank you. I love yours too."

We both laugh.

Next I send one to Sokka.

~Why do you keep on staring at me?~

Sokka blushes.

"Um... Because... Because... Uh..."

I laugh.

"You dont have to tell me."

Sokka sighs.

I send one to Aang next.

~Hey Aang! Sorry about Azumai scaring Momo earlier~

"Its okay Amber. He clawed her tail. I should be saying sorry to you." He says laughing.

"There. See? Thats telepathy. But I dont beleive you guys can use it yet." I say.