

Walking The Twilight

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1 - Start of an Unwanted Journey

"This sucks...this really sucks....im soooo godamn bored...this road seems to go on forever...I've got an evil darkness mad maniac in my head...im hungry...WHY THE frack DID I WALK THROUGH THAT DAMN PORTAL!!!! Here I am minding my business telling Xehanort to shut it with his nightly ranting about the darkness in my heart and how I will submit to it sooner or later when some dark corridors portal just pops up in front of me. No one walked out so I go in...smart...now im stranded."

Riku continued walking down the dirt road with luscious green grass to both sides. All seemed to go on forever. The night sky was filled with stars, but not a single cloud could be seen.

"I wonder who created that portal..., well ill never know unless I follow what the note says."

Riku looked over the piece of paper he pulled out of his pocket. It read.

"Follow this road if you wish to know my identity...but beware...wonder too far and you might loose your self to the darkness that surrounds this land. The Farther you travel, the more thick the darkness becomes. Many dangers shall make its way onto your path; I shall make sure of this as the last opposing threat to the realm of light. I am not about to make war with the light so soon though, I am still gathering power. My main priority is you Riku...find me before my forces become powerful enough to engulf all the worlds in darkness! You're the only one who can save your precious light and all who live within it!!!"

"Jebus fracking Christoph. This guy sounds like a damn pain in the @\$\$\$. I've been home for less than a month and some nut job is already trying to conquer the light...well I can't go back and get Sora or notify anyone. If I could just figure out were the hell I am. I've never seen this place before in my life....Well I guess I just have to follow this road and kick some bad guy @\$\$!"

Riku shoved the paper back into his pocket and started down the road again. After about two hours of walking, Riku is suddenly attacked by ten or twelve neo shadows. Riku summoned the Way To The Dawn and cut them down with ease. But to his surprise, every single one of them dropped a gummi piece.

"Now that's strange, since when do heartless drop gummi pieces? Let alone like ten at once! Well...I might as well collect them all. Maybe I can make myself some sort of transportation."

He gathered up all the pieces and places them in another one of his many pockets in his pants. He always needed pockets before when he was on his trip back to the realm of light because he needed room for all his items and such that he came across.

"Good thing I wore my good pants!" he said cheerfully.

After about another five hours of walking (of course with a few breaks in between) he noticed a small town on the horizon of darkness. He made his way to it and entered only to find that the place had been abandoned. He noticed a large mansion at the farther end of the town and decided that it is were he was

going to sleep. But first, he needed to raid a food stall or something, which he found and did.

After eating, he made his way toward the mansion. The town was dark and gloomy like. The buildings were decaying and half destroyed. He felt a very cold and dark chill from this place. He hadn't been walking long when he noticed something strange.

Riku immediately noticed that disgusting smell, the smell of Darkness, and it was coming from the mansion.

"This darkness I sense is strong; perhaps it's the mysterious note leaver that lured me here. About time!!! I'm ready to kick some @\$@ and get back home!

Riku took off quickly at a mad dash to the mansion. It seemed like he got there in no time he was so ready to fight. He slashed the door open without even stopping and ran strait into the middle of the large room of the mansion. The doors slammed behind him and a hooded figure walked out of one of the dark hallways towards him. The figure stopped about twenty paces away.

"Are you the one who wrote this note?!?" riku said and pulled out the note he had received earlier.

"I am...and don't think that you will be able to-"

Riku didn't even let him finish. He had heard enough already and launched a barrage of dark balls at him. Right after they hit riku came running in with his keyblade and slashed his foe.

The man dodged riku's next attempt to slash him and jumped back holding his side.

"I'm not playing games!!!" riku yelled.

"Hehe...I see your just as persistent as I am. After all, we are one in the same!"

In saying this, the hooded man removed his hood to reveal none other than Riku himself.

"You!!!" Riku yelled. "I thought I killed you at the Castle!? And we are not the same. I would never be like you!"

"Yes, correct. We are not completely the same. Unlike you, I threw away the light and accepted the darkness! You shall never be as powerful as I am! YOU'RE AFRAID OF THE DARKNESS!!!"

"I AM NOT AFRAID OF THE DARKNESS!!!" riku exclaimed.

Riku then went into darkness form and unleashed a massively strong combo on his clone, whom had barely dodged this fierce attack.

"WHAT!!!" the riku clone said. "How can this be? You rejected the darkness didn't you?"

"I learned that I don't need to hate the darkness"

"Huh?"

"I use both light and dark in a powerful mixture! I walk not the road to darkness nor the road light, but the road down the center, the way to the DAWN. Having this power of both light and dark...I will always be able to trample over you!!!"

"NO!!! This cant be happening! The darkness will always be stronger than light! And I will prove it!!!"

The riku clone then summoned up a Ginormous army of heartless. It had to have been like twenty dark balls, ten defenders, thirty-something neo shadows, about fifteen wizards, and four behemoths.

Riku was not intimidated by this. He ran straight into the massive horde of heartless and began slicing them down one at a time. Once all the smaller heartless were done with he moved toward one of the behemoths and began just pounding on its horn, quickly taking the life out of it. The monster then stopped recoiling and charged up a most fearsome lightning attack. The other behemoths had moved in by now and were doing the same.

"Uh oh, this isn't good...gotta come up with something fast.....I got IT!!!"

Riku then started concentrating all his strength and readied for the attack. It all came and once and Riku Threw up the strongest dark shield he could ever muster and at the same time shot out some very powerful dark balls. The shield held up awesomely against the lightning and the dark balls all hit their targets, the horns of the beasts. The behemoth riku was fighting earlier was finished by the dark balls and the others decently damaged.

He then used this opportunity to use one of his abilities he picked up while at Castle Oblivion and used his finisher to suck up the rest of his opponents and turn them into nothingness.

"I guess it's a good thing I ran into Lexaeus, hehe" said riku with extreme exhaustion.

"Okay.....see ya im outta here!" said riku's clone

Riku's clone then created a dark portal and started moving into it.

"Oh no you don't you.....hey, what the hell do I call you anyways?!?"

Riku's clone immediately stopped and turned around.

"Oh yeah, I forgot to mention. I abandoned your weak little name and gave myself my own. You can call me, XIRUK!!!"

Xiruk ended that with a maniacal laugh with the lightning and everything in the background.

"Why don't you go ahead and change your FACE too, that's mine also!" riku muttered under his breath.

"But don't think this is the last that you will see of me-"

"Oh! Don't worry I know!" riku said cutting him off again.

"Will you fracking let me finish!"

Riku then gave a big sigh and crossed his arms in annoyance.

"I will grow stronger and you will be destroyed by the Darkness you threw away! The many obstacles in your way will surely destroy you. There is no need to even believe you will make it to my castle at the Dark City!"

With this Xiruk then fully entered the portal and vanished.

"Obstacles hm? I'll just worry about those when the time comes. But, for now. I need to get some rest."

Riku went off in search of the mansion for a bed to sleep on. He eventually found one and plopped down on it. He was just starting to get sleepy when he noticed something unusual.

wow, Xehanort hasn't said a thing the whole time we've been gone! riku thought

And as if on cue he heard...

"Riiiiikuuu...."

just ignore him. He might just go to sleep

"Riiiiikkkuuu?" Xehanort continued

Ignoring you! Ignoring you!

"RIKU!!!"

"WHAT DAMMIT?!?!" riku yelled.

"Submit yourself to the darkness" Xehanort whispered

"Huh?"

"Submit to the darkness!!!!" Xehanort repeated.

"What?!?" said riku sitting up

"SUBMIT YOURSELF TO THE DARKNESS!!!!" Xehanort yelled

"Oh GOD!! Just shut the frack up!!!"

"Never!! You shall fall prey to my evil prowess once again riku and I shall take over your body and rule kingdom hearts and all of the worlds for all eternity!!!" said Xehanort obnoxiously.

"Nope, never gonna happen" Riku responded

"Oh, yes it will!" Xehanort came back with.

"Nuh uh, never, only in your dreams"

"Will too"

"Nope"

"Yes"

And this went on until Xehanort had had enough and shut up for the night. Riku had finally gotten the chance to get some sleep. Tomorrow he will have to continue his journey down that god forsaken road.

2 - Between A Rock And A Hard Place

Chapter 2

While Riku slept, he dreamed of being back home on his island with Sora and Kairi. The three of them were all sitting on a tree that overlooked the great ocean sunset. Sora and Kairi were sitting on one end holding each other staring at the sunset, while Riku was on the other end also watching the sunset. Riku looked over at the couple next to him and smiled to himself. He was so happy for them to have each other...he just wished he could find someone he could feel the same with...Riku returned his stare to the sunset and gave a sigh.

This time when he looked. The sun seemed to be setting extremely fast. In seconds everything was dark. Riku looked over at Sora and Kairi to find them gone. Everything on the island started fading away.

"AUGH" Riku said grasping his chest

Riku clutched his chest in agony. It felt like his heart was being ripped out of his body. He fell to the ground and started rolling around screaming. He rolled over the edge of the islands cliff side and fell off into the water.

As soon as he hit the water he woke up with a jump to find a startled looking cloaked figure standing over him.

"AN ASSASSIN?!" riku yelled in confusion.

The cloaked figure then turned and tried to run away but riku had jumped out of bed, flipped through the air and landed in front of the mystery person, keyblade drawn.

"Who are you?" Riku demanded.

The assassin jumped back and entered a dark portal.

"DAMN!" Riku yelled.

But to his surprise, the person was thrown back out.

"Get back in there and finish the job!" said the oh so familiar voice of Xiruk. "Don't come back until you have made the confirmed kill. If you try to sneak back again, I will kill you personally!!!"

"NO!!! PLEASE DON'T DO THIS TO ME!!!" screamed the hooded figure on its knees. "HES GOING TO KILL ME!!! I HAVE NO CHANCE!!!"

With a maniacal laugh, Xiruk closed the dark portal leaving his henchman stranded and crying. The

voice of the figure was clearly a woman's. Being the sap that he is, Riku put away his keyblade and walked over to the front of the figure and pulled its hood down. To his amazement, he saw the most beautiful girl he's ever seen. She had long black hair with dark red eyes and slightly tanned skin. If there was such thing as love at first sight...then it just hit Riku in face at 90MPH.

OMG!!! This girl is fracking hot! Riku thought to himself. *But I have to stay cool and keep my mind straight. This girl is working with the enemy. She could try to kill me any moment.*

"Who-" Riku started.

"PLEASE DON'T KILL ME!!!" she girl pleaded.

"Whoa whoa whoa, who said I was going to kill you?"

"But I work for your enemy..." the girl responded.

"Well it looks like to me that you just got rejected" Riku said with a smirk.

"I was ordered to steal your heart and not to return unless I do so!" the girl said trying to make it seem otherwise.

"Well then..." Riku said pulling out his keyblade "Let's go!"

"But I can't fight! I don't know how, I've never fought anyone before."

"But you can't go back until you kill me" riku said still smiling.

"Like I wanna go back! I despise Xiruk! I wish he would die! He is the lowest scum that darkness has ever spat out."

"What are you going to do then?" Riku asked.

well why doesn't she come along? You might get some action Riku! Eh! Eh! Zehanort said teasingly.

"Shut the hell up!!! You damn pervert!" Riku yelled back

"Uh...who are you talking to?"

"Oh uh yeah... Zehanort, you know the guy who tried to take over kingdom hearts about two years ago. Well he kinda possessed me and is now in my heart constantly haunting my thoughts." Riku responded.

"Really? So you're the one that was supposed to be the keyblade master but instead accepted darkness and cast your world into it and then helped maleficent reveal the last keyhole?"

Riku stared back at her with a confused, almost scared face.

"Are you a stalker?!?" Asked Riku.

"No. No. Nothing like that. See when I was born, or well created, Xiruk took me in and made me his slave...While I was there I would have nothing to do so I read the books in his library and there was a whole shelf on what happened with the heartless and kingdom hearts. I know everything you did at that time."

"Wait, hold on. You were CREATED?"

"Well I am a Nobody."

"I see... and you were his slave?"

"Yeah, but nothing sexual! I was his assassin."

"I thought you said you've never fought before?"

"I haven't. I always worked while they were sleeping."

Yes how did you do it?!?! Did you use the DARKNESS!!! Zehanort asked.

"Shut up Zehanort. She can't hear you dumbass!" Riku replied.

"I used my power to seal their hearts..."

"Seal....hearts?..."

"Yes, kind of like Namine's power to chain memories, I can chain the whole heart itself."

"...How does that work!!!"

"Here let me show you"

The girl then got up and walked slowly over to Riku. She got up really close to him and stared into his eyes. He was so nervous he didn't know what to do. He just stood there as she very provocatively touched his chest right above his heart.

What is she doing?!?!? Zehanort asked.

A glow started to come from her palm.

WHAT THE HELL IS THIS?!? WHAT IS SHE DOING TO ME?!?!? AAAUUUUUGGHHH Zehanort yelled.

In seconds the screaming stopped and Zehanort could no longer be heard. The girl removed her hand and stepped back.

"What did you just do?" Riku asked.

"I sealed him away" She responded.

"What do you mean you sealed him away?"

"I chained his heart down to the bottom of your heart. He shouldn't be a problem now." She said smiling. "It won't be permanent though. With his strength I say it will last about a week."

Riku lunged forward and gave her a tremendous hug.

"THANK YOU!!!! Thank you, thank you, thank you!!!" Riku screamed.

"Uhhh no problem?" The girl responded nervously.

"Whats your name?!" Riku asked excitedly.

"Raix..."

"Raix! How would you like to accompany me on my mission?!" Riku asked.

"Well...I dunno..."

"But you've got no were else to go! You don't have to go back to Xiruk and this place is wasteland. Think about it, after I defeat Xiruk you can come back to Destiny Islands with me and live with me and my friends! It would be great! You could seal down Zehanort's heart whenever it's needed if you come!" Riku explained.

"I guess your right. I'll come along. On one condition though. If you kill that SoB Xiruk!"

"You got a deal!" Riku said.

So then the decision was made. Raix was joining up with Riku to defeat Xiruk and return to Destiny Island.

3 - Wishes to Last Forever

Chapter 3

"You can come back to Destiny Islands with me!"...the words rang over and over in Raix's head.

Wow, I'll finally have a place were I can live and be happy... Raix thought.

This Riku guy is allot nicer than what the books let up. He's a whole lot cuter than I thought he would be too! Raix thought, this time blushing.

"You could seal down Zehanort's heart whenever it's needed!" this had now found its way into her head.

That's right, he did say that too. Maybe he just want's to use me like Xiruk did... Raix though to herself some more. *but he really doesn't seem like that sort of guy...*

Raix pondered about this in her head as she and Riku walked the dead path for miles to come. Riku also happened to be in deep thought about something.

*I wonder if she really wants to come home with me. Maybe she just wants me to kill Xiruk and then ditch me...or maybe she's tricking me and is going to kill me later...*Riku thought.

No. She wouldn't do that. After all she did help deal with Zehanort. Well I guess I'll have to wait and see what happens.

They continued walking on for while. A few batches of heartless would attack every once in a while. Raix would freak out and hide behind Riku and he would just blow them away with a darkness ball. One was left limping though.

"Hmm, that's weird..." Said Riku as he stomped on the half dead heartless.

"What is?" Said Raix.

"I used to be able to take out more than that in one shot before."

"Hmmm. Maybe when I chained Zehanort down, some of your darkness energy was also chained down." Responded Raix.

"Well" Riku said with a sigh. "I guess it's a sacrifice needed to make for comfort."

The pair continued down the road again. As they walked, it seemed as if the grass was getting darker and darker and the light behind them was getting farther and farther away. The road itself was turning a

strange grey color. While noticing all of this, Riku also noticed Raix's cloak. It was the same that the Organization's.

"That cloak..." Said Riku. "It's awfully close in resemblance to the Organizations uniform."

"Yes, Xiruk has us all wear it back at headquarters. He was created within the Organization so he wants all in his little organization to wear the same thing. Almost as if he's remaking it or something."

"Oh, ok I get it." Replied Riku.

"I don't even know why I'm still wearing this thing. It only brings back bad memories!"

In saying this Raix took off the cloak in one very swift clean motion. Underneath the cloak she was wearing a black sleeveless shirt that stopped above the navel and semi-tight black pants. Riku had only just glanced at her clothes though; he was more interested in something else...

JESUS CRIST!!! And I thought she was pretty, I was wrong. SHES frackING HOT!!!!!!

Riku stood staring at Raix's C cup breasts and round firm butt.

"HEY!" Raix yelled. "EYES UP HERE BUTTY!"

"Oh yeah...sorry" Riku said while blushing.

They continued on walking. The heartless seem to be getting bigger and bigger. Before they were fighting shadows now they are being attacked by Wight Nights and Gargoyles. The Gummi blocks being dropped are more frequent and bigger now. After about three more hours of walking and fighting and more walking, the dynamic duo decide to take a lunch break.

"I'm glad we stocked up on food before we left" Riku said with a mouthful of turkey sandwich.

"Yeah, who knows when we'll see another town" Raix replied.

"Man...We need to find a better way to travel"

"How? There's nothing here to use. It's like a grassy dessert" Raix pointed out.

"We got these!" said Riku emptying his many pockets filled with Gummi blocks.

"What are these things?"

"You don't know what Gummi blocks are?!?!"

"Well I didn't really get out much and when I did, I used dark portals"

"Oh, well these are Gummi blocks. They are used to build Gummi ships that can travel into outer space." Riku explained.

"Ok well what good are they? We have to stay with this road, not go into space!" Raix exclaimed.

"We don't HAVE to build a ship!" Riku pointed out. "We could build anything. They were just always used for ships."

"So you're saying we can build some other sort of transportation?" Raix asked.

"Precisely! And I know exactly what we should build."

"And what is that?"

"You'll find out when it's done!" Riku said jumping straight to work with the blocks.

"I thought you said WE?"

"We, Me, whatever, besides you've never even seen these things before." Riku said.

"Yeah, well maybe I wanna help!" Raix said.

"Ill let you help with the tune ups; this is gonna be a surprise for you!" Riku said excitedly.

"Fine. I'll just be right over here" Raix said walking over to a nice spot in the grass.

Raix laid down in the grass and stared up at the star filled sky. It was so beautiful...to believe that Xiruk deprived her from such a sight for so long.

I can't believe Riku was checking me out earlier! Raix thought to herself.

Maybe he really does like me...OMG I can't believe this is happening!!! He's like the cutest, nicest, funniest, strongest guy I've ever met! He's like my dream boy!

Well...before I can do anything, I need to find out how he feels about me. Besides that's the way it works I think. The guy asks the girl out, not the other way around.

Raix laid there in the grass daydreaming about Riku while he worked on the Gummi. Back with Riku, he was just thinking about how hot and nice Raix was.

Raix is so hot...I think I'm in love... Riku thought to himself.

I wonder how she feels about me. She did get kind of mad back there...

Eh, I'm just gonna have to wait it out and see were things go before I make my move

Riku worked with the Gummi blocks for about another hour and a half and Raix continued to lie in the grass.

"Just a few more touches with the paint...and....Walla!" Riku said to himself.

"Raix!!!" Riku yelled.

"What!!!" Raix yelled back.

"It's done!!!"

Raix jumped up and ran instantly over to Riku to see what she has been waiting two whole hours for. Riku walked over the cloaked vehicle and yanked off the sheet that was on it.

"OHMIGOD!!!" Raix yelled.

"Awesome isn't it?" Riku asked.

"Yes it is!!!" Raix said excitedly.

Raix then ran closer to get a better look at the glossy black motorcycle with dark red rims and seat. She closely examined the vehicle in awe.

"How did you make this in so little time?!?" Raix asked.

"Oh it's just one of my many talents." Riku answered proudly.

"When can we ride it?!?" Raix asked.

"As soon as we get everything together" Riku replied.

Raix ran to where they were eating and quickly picked up all the food and put it away in bag that she had happened to have on her. While she was doing this, Riku was picking up his mess of spare Gummi blocks in no hurry.

"Done!" Raix said stopping in front of Riku with a bounce. "Can we go now?!?"

Riku walked over to the bike and got on. He started it up and the engine roared so loudly that the heartless that were sneaking up on them disappeared in an instant. Raix stared at the bike with so much excitement she started bouncing up and down.

As soon as the words "Get on" slipped Riku's lips, Raix jumped on and grabbed Riku around the waist. Riku then revved the engine and did a burn out. They took off so fast that Raix thought her skin was going to fall off. At the end of the acceleration, Riku pulled a wheelie that got Raix very excited.

"GO FASTER!" Raix yelled into the wind up to Riku.

"AS YOU WISH!" Riku replied.

Riku pulled hard on the throttle and they jetted forward. As the speed grew, so did Raix's grip on Riku.

They went faster and faster and she squeezed harder and harder. Riku thought he was in heaven. He had never felt so happy, having such a beautiful woman cling to him so. Raix herself was having the time of her life. They both wished this experience would last forever...

4 - Words That Escaped My Lips

Chapter 4

Riku and Raix sat on a log on the side of the road staring at the steaming motor bike.

"Wow...that was amazing!" Raix said.

"Sure was...we were going pretty fast!" Riku responded. "We should be able to go again when it cools down. I'd say it was well worth it!"

"Yeah...It was great..." Raix said as she scooted next to Riku and laid her head on his shoulder.

What is she doing?!? Riku thought to himself nervously. *Is she coming on to me? Well, whatever she's doing its fine by me*

Riku sat there nervously for a second but then he loosened up and went with it. He put his arm around her waist and set his head on hers. They sat like this for the longest time. The bike was already clearly cooled down but they didn't want to move from this position. They were the happiest people in the world at that moment. It was all ended too when Riku's stomach gave a monstrous growl.

"Hehe, I think its dinner time" Riku said laughing to himself.

"Your right, I'm getting pretty hungry too. Raix responded.

Raix slowly lifted her head off Riku's shoulder and got up and stretched. Riku then got up and walked over to the motorcycle and pulled their food bag out of one of the nifty compartments that Riku put on it. He then walked over towards Raix who was laying a blanket down on the grass to eat on. They sat down and started munching on some tuna sandwiches.

"Were running low on food" Riku said peering into the bag. "If we don't find some more, were gonna have to resort to eating Gummi blocks"

"You can eat those things?!" Raix asked with a mouthful of food.

"Well sure you can! My buddy back home, Sora. He told me about on his journey when he Donald and Goofy ran out of food; they had to resort to eating extra blocks." Riku explained. "Said they tasted just like big stale gummy bears"

"Really? Hmm..."

Raix then quickly shoved her hand into Riku's pocket and pulled out a Gummi block.

"What the hell are you doing?!" Riku asked startled.

Before Riku could say anything else, Raix popped the Gummi block into her mouth and started chewing. Riku sat there amazed, just staring at her as she looked up at the sky chewing on the block. She swallowed. Riku stared at her questioningly.

"You know I was just joking right?" Riku said.

"Yeah, but I wanted to see if he was right" Raix explained.

"Well, was he?!" Riku asked.

"Yup! He hit the nail on the head. It tasted exactly like stale gummy bears"

"WHAT! No way!" Riku said reaching into his pocket and pulling out another one.

He then popped into his mouth and chewed. Raix was right; they did taste like gummy bears.

"Wow, I can't believe you guys were right. I thought Sora was just crazy!" Riku exclaimed.

"Well I'm sure its probably not good for us so lets stick to eating real food until we run out" Raix said.

Riku agreed and they continued eating their sandwiches. Riku told stories about being back on Destiny Island and the funny things him and Sora did.

"It seems like you and Sora are really good friends!" Raix said still laughing.

"Yeah" Riku said with a sigh. "The best of friends... I sure do miss him...and Kairi too"

"They seem like really nice people. I can't wait to meet them!" Raix said happily

"Yup, they don't discriminate against Nobodies either" Riku said "Besides, they both have Nobodies. They can talk to them in their heads like I could with Zehanort."

There was a short pause as they ate.

"I wish I could find my somebody..." Raix said with a sigh.

Riku scooted next to Raix and put his hand on hers.

"You have me..." He said.

Raix looked up at Riku and smiled.

"Thank you! That means allot to me, it really does"

After they were done smiling at each other, Riku stood up and stretched with a yawn.

"It's getting late, we should clean up and go to bed" Riku said. "I wonder if we'll get attacked in our sleep."

"It'll be fine. As long as your here with me!" Raix said.

The two cleaned up the food and put it back in the motorcycle. They then pulled out a blanket and took it to the blanket already on the grass. Once they got there, Riku stopped and looked at the blanket on the ground, then he looked at the one in his hand, then he looked at Raix who was waiting for him, and then looked at the empty compartment on the bike.

"We don't have enough blankets..." Riku pointed out.

"What are you talking about? All we need is two!" Raix said obviously pointing out that she doesn't mind sleeping with him.

"Umm ok if it's alright with you" Riku said.

"Of course it is! I don't see anything wrong with it. You'll be closer to come save me" Raix said.

They lay down on the blanket and stretched the other blanket over them. Riku was lying on his back gazing up at the stars and Raix was lying next to him but on her side facing the opposite direction.

Today was awesome...It's too bad that it has to end Riku thought to himself. *If it could only last a little longer...oh well, at least Raix is right here with me*

Riku looked over at Raix and smiled. He truly loved this woman. He had barely met her the other day and he is already head over heels in love with her. He returned his gaze to the stars and Raix gave a little shiver. She then reached over, grabbed his hand and pulled his arm around her bringing him right behind her.

"I'm cold Riku" Raix said. "Keep me warm?"

"Sure thing, anytime" Riku responded.

There was a pause and Riku thought Raix had gone to sleep when...

"Good night Riku...I love you" Raix said.

"I love you too, G'night" Riku said as the words just slipped right out of his mouth.

Inside Riku's head he was jumping for joy.

I can't believe it! She really does like me! And now she knows I like her too! YES, SCORE!!!! Riku thought to himself.

He then calmed down and finally fell asleep along with Raix who had just gone through the same experience in her own head.

5 - How To Deal With A Rabid Dog

Chapter 5

Riku woke up the next morning to find that Raix had already gotten up. Riku started thinking back to what had happened before they fell asleep.

I wonder if that was even real? Riku thought. *It could have just been another dream...Yeah, it's too good to be true It was just a dream*

With a sigh Riku got up and stretched, then went to go find Raix. He found her getting some breakfast out of the Bike and started walking over to her. She heard him coming and ran up to him giving him a big long kiss.

"Good morning!" Raix said happily.

Guess it wasn't a dream after all! Riku thought to himself a bit startled.

"Now that's something I can look forward to waking up to!" Riku said with a wink.

Raix just smiled and went back to getting out the food. She grabbed the bag and they walked back over to where they had slept and began eating.

"We should probably get going early today and find a place to stay by...well what would be night fall but it seems to never be day or night so I guess before we get tired" Riku suggested.

"I agree. An early start just seems like the thing to do today"

So they finished up eating and got everything together and back on the bike. They took off kinda fast this time but then slowed down to a steady speed. They were driving for about three hours then decided to take a lunch break and stretch for a little bit. After they were done with that, they continued on.

After another two hours of driving. Riku noticed a dark portal open up behind them and a man wearing a red shirt with black pants and black hair came out on a flying board. It was like the man was surfing in the air. He caught up quick and unsheathed his two katanas. One was a blood red and the other a very dark black. Riku started to speed up but it was futile. The man caught up and slashed Riku's rear tire. They started to spin out so Riku slid the bike sideways and jumped off at the same time summoning his keyblade.

The guy came back around for another attack but Riku ducked and sliced the board in half. The man flew off and rolled to his feet.

"AWWW DAMMIT!!!" the man yelled. "I just FIXED THAT!!!"

"WELL MAYBE YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE frackING ATTACKED ME!!!" Riku yelled back. "Who are you anyways?!?"

"The names Doggie! I've been ordered to kill you."

"Another assassin huh?" Riku said. "Sent by Xiruk I suppose?"

"Yup!" Doggie responded.

"Well then come and get me PUPPY DOG!" Riku said with his keyblade out and in stance.

"Hehe you must want to die quick!" Doggie said pulling out his two blades. "I, the wielder of the Moonfire and the Oblivion, shall never be beaten! I have the power of DARKNESS in my hands!"

"As do I" Riku responded.

"But this isn't any ordinary darkness. The Oblivion is uncontrollable by any man; it will consume the strongest of people." Doggie said.

"Then how can you control it?" Riku asked.

"Well now, I can't tell you that!" Doggie replied. "Enough chit chat lets get this on!"

With this Riku ran up on Doggie and swung down on him.

Doggie then kicked up a piece of his board and it deflected Riku's attack. Then, Doggie swung horizontally with the Moonfire. Riku kicked the side of the blade changing its course and back flipped out of harms way. As soon as he hit the ground, The Oblivion was coming down on him. He quickly blocked but Doggie kept pressing on. Doggie then swung the Moonfire down at Riku's legs. Riku quickly stepped on the sword before it hit him, pinning it to the ground. With his other leg, Riku jammed his foot upward into Doggies chin. Doggie flew backwards but landed on his feet and charged forward again, this time so fast that Riku didn't even see it coming. Riku jumped back to dodge the attack but was too slow and got slashed across the chest.

"shoot!" Riku yelled in pain.

"HA! Are you going to give up after just one injury?" Doggie asked mockingly.

"I'll keep on fighting, even if it means my death!" Riku yelled in response.

"Then call upon your true power Riku! We shall see who reins supreme!" Doggie said.

"My true power is my heart! I've had it hear the whole time! I'm just barely warming up!" Said Riku standing up and pointing his keyblade at Doggie.

"Your heart? I see...I once had a heart...My two best friends were my heart..." Said Doggie with sadness in

his voice.

"Friends are what make up the heart. I myself had just recently found that out. I always thought power is what makes you strong...but I was wrong" Riku said.

"It seems we have a lot in common Riku" Doggie said. "By honoring you as a true opponent, I shall now fight with my full strength. Be ready Riku! AND FIGHT ME WITH THE SAME HONOR!!!"

Doggies left arm, the one controlling the Oblivion, then started shaking and the Oblivion burst with dark aura all around it. In a few seconds the dark aura started consuming his arm from the hilt. The aura made its way up his arm and quickly took the rest of the body. Finally it enveloped his head and his eyes lit up as red as the Moonfire which was now in its own red aura. He began to levitate off the ground by a few inches.

"What the hell is this?" Riku said to himself.

"Get ready! CUZ HERE I COME!!!" yelled Doggie

Doggie then jumped high into the air and positioned himself to come right down on Riku. Just as Doggie was about to come in contact, Riku jumped backwards and dodged the attack. Where he once stood was a giant dust cloud with big chunks of earth flying. Out of the dust shot out Doggie with swords at his opposite sides. He ran up to Riku and sliced with both swords. Riku blocked but was sent flying backwards through a tree and slid to a stop on the grass. Without even time to recover Doggie was in the air again about to impale Riku. Riku rolled to the side and was sent flying again from the impact. He got up to his feet and readied himself just as Doggie attempted to slice him from the top again. Riku blocked this one and held his ground. Doggie began pounding on Riku's keyblade over and over again without stop. It took all of Riku strength just to hold his ground.

I'm not going to be able to do this for much longer...I have to come up with something quick! Riku thought to himself.

RIKU! DON'T GIVE UP! a very familiar voice said.

Zehanort?!?! Your back already? Geeze this is the last thing I need! Riku said.

You are wrong Riku! You need me now more than ever!

What do you mean?!? You're just an annoyance, and why do you care if I live or die?!?

If you die, so will I! And without me you can't win. You need my power over darkness Riku! Hurry USE IT!!!

He's right. I can feel the darkness pouring back into me, nothing I can't control of course, but it's all I got now Riku thought to himself.

Fine Zehanort! I'll use your power! Riku said to Zehanort.

Riku then went into his darkness form and shot some dark aura balls at Doggies chest knocking him backwards. This time Riku was the one that made the next attack. Riku slashed down at Doggie but he deflected it and attacked with his other sword. Riku was too fast though and made a dark shield with his free hand, blocking the attack. Riku kicked Doggie in the chest sending him flying then throwing dark aura balls right after him with hit Doggie right after he hit the ground. Riku could feel the power of darkness growing rapidly inside him. It was beginning to become uncontrollable.

Doggie got up on his feet but only to find The Way to The Dawn through his gut. Riku pulled out the keyblade and tried to retain the darkness but he couldn't. Doggie had now gone back to normal admitting defeat. Doggie could clearly see that his opponent had lost control. Doggie then threw the Oblivion to the side and it stuck into a tree.

"RIKU!!! YOU HAVE TO LISTEN TO MY VOICE!" Doggie yelled to Riku slowly approaching.

Riku was holding his head and screaming.

"HOW DARE YOU DO THIS TO ME ZEHANORT!!!!" Riku yelled. "I WILL DESTROY YOU!!! YOU BASTARD!!!!"

"IT'S THE DARKNESS!!! I DON'T WANT TO GO BACK TO DARKNESS!!!!" Riku continued.

"RIKU YOU HAVE TO LISTEN TO ME! FIND THE LIGHT!!!!" Doggie yelled as he shook Riku by the arms. "TAKE THIS AND CONTROL THE DARKNESS WHILE YOU STILL HAVE YOURSELF!!!!"

Doggie then shoved the Moonfire into Riku's hands and held it firm concentrating all his energy in controlling the darkness. Riku then began to gain more control over himself and helped Doggie bring down the darkness.

"How did you?" Riku asked.

"The Moonfire has the ability let the wielder control Aura. That's how I was able to use the Oblivion without losing my mind" Doggie responded.

"So you put the Moonfire in my hands and helped me gain control again?! Why? Were enemies!" Riku said.

"Well like I said, we have a lot in common. You had won anyways" Doggie said.

"So that wound in your gut is worse than I thought?" Riku asked.

"Yeah...hehe, I didn't think I would die this way..." Doggie said.

"Is there anything I can do to help you?" Riku asked.

"No, and besides...were enemies remember?" Doggie said with a smile on his face.

"But you don't seem like such a bad guy. Why are you working for Xiruk?" Riku asked.

"He took my friends Maza and Dark and held them captive. He said that if I didn't work for him than he would fry their brains..." Doggie explained. "Xiruk has a partner... his name is Zexion"

"ZEXION?!?!?" Riku yelled. "Damn! I thought I killed him already..."

"Well I guess you didn't. I don't have to explain his *Talent* to you then either" Doggie said. "Please, go save my friends from Xiruk! Please do this for me...and if it's too late. If he's already taken their minds...then take them out. They would want that"

"Alright...I'll do this for you!" Riku said. "Don't worry about a thing"

"Thanks...And before you go...I would like you have the Moonfire and Oblivion...Make sure to always have the Moonfire in hand when holding the Oblivion though" Doggie said with a smile on his face.

"I'll take good care of them..." Riku said.

Doggie then spat up some blood and went pale.

"Ah...here it comes...Good bye...Riku!" Doggie said with his last breath before he died.

Riku then took Doggies body over under a tree and closed its eyes. He then walked over to wear the Moonfire and Oblivion lay sticking into the ground. He reached for the Moonfire and when he touched it, it turned into a blood red ring on his right hand. Then the Oblivion did the same. Riku could feel the darkness emanating from the Oblivion ring but he could keep it in control thanks to the Moonfire ring.

Raix came out from behind the motorcycle were she was hiding and ran towards Riku. Riku saw her and started walking to her but he soon collapsed from loss of blood. The wound across his chest was not a shallow one. Riku's vision started to blur and he blacked out in Raix's hands.

AFTER NOTE: Maza and Dark are not my character's. they are OC created by my two friends.

6 - Beginning Of Events To Come

Chapter 6

Riku woke up to a massive hug from Raix.

"OUCH!!!" Riku screamed.

"OMIGOD I'm so sorry!" Raix replied.

Riku looked at his chest to find it wrapped in cloth. There was a long line of blood where he was cut.

"Geeze the fracker got me good, huh?" Riku asked.

"Yeah...I wish he didn't have to die though..." Raix said.

"Yeah...he was a good guy...just in the wrong position" Riku said.

"I remember him at Xiruk's castle. He was the only one that paid attention to me..." Raix said.

"So you knew him before this incident?" Riku asked.

"Yeah, He was a really nice guy...You have to help his friends Riku!" Raix demanded.

"Oh don't you worry, I will!" Riku reassured her.

Riku tried to sit up but his wound opened and he fell back down in pain.

"Don't try to move Riku!" Raix demanded.

"But we have to get back on the road!" Riku said.

"You can't move! You're too hurt" Raix.

"Meh, this is nothing" Riku said.

Riku then Reached into his pocket and pulled out a potion.

"Where did you get that?!?" Raix demanded.

"A heartless dropped it?" Riku said as he opened and drank the potion.

Raix then hit him on the chest.

"WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME YOU HAD THAT?!? I COULD HAVE USED IT ON YOU A LONG @\$\$ TIME AGO!!!" Raix yelled.

"I didn't think it mattered..." Riku said in pain.

Riku's wounds started to rapidly heal. They had closed up decently but were still pretty bad. Too much movement and he'll reopen them.

"Well we still have to find a town so let's go" Riku demanded.

"Are you sure?" Raix asked.

"Pfft hell yeah, I'm not just some pansy! I can make it through this no problemo"

They got everything ready and Riku fixed the bike tire. They then got on and took off. After a few hours they had reached an ever so desired town. They found food and water and stocked the motorcycle full of it. They then found a place to sleep because it was now really late. To Riku's surprise, it was still the same day that he had fought Doggie. As they lay in bed, Riku stared at his two newly acquired accessories.

I don't hear Zehanort...Raix must have taken the liberty of chaining him down while I was passed out Riku thought to himself. *I guess I lost all ability to go into dark form without Zehanort taking my heart...I thought I was over that...Oh well, this ring gives me even more power than Zehanort did!*

Riku stared at the rings some more.

This Oblivion thing is very strange...It seem to fuse its darkness right with the wearer's heart...Good thing I have the Moonfire! Thanks Doggie! With this...I will for sure be able to beat Xiruk and save your friends!

Riku put his hand down and pulled out another potion. He chugged this one and then went to sleep.

IN XIRUK'S CASTLE AT THE WORLD THAT NEVER WAS

"Sir! Doggie has failed in his assassination attempt" Zexion said.

"Well, what happened to him?" Xiruk asked.

"He was brutally murdered, sir!" Zexion answered.

"I see...Then proceed with the experiment! I want those two working for me! If that scum cant do his job, then I'll force his buddies to do it instead!" Xiruk ordered.

"Yes sir! Right away, sir!" Zexion answered as he walked quickly out of the room and back to his laboratory where he had Maza and Dark in holding tanks.

7 - Can't Break TRUE Lovers Apart

Chapter 7

Riku woke up the next morning to find Raix still sleeping. He got up as quietly as he could and got dressed. Out of one of his many pockets he pulled yet another potion. He drank this and went out to the motorcycle.

"I should probably get some breakfast ready" Riku said to himself while scratching his head and yawning.

So Riku went and found a pan, some eggs, and some sticks for a fire. He put the sticks up T-P style and lit them with a fire spell. He got the eggs all ready on the pan and set it on the fire.

"Raix is going to be so excited! We haven't had actual food like this the whole time we've been together!" Riku said.

Riku sat on a rock by the fire and flipped the eggs when they needed flipping. He then heard a noise and looked up to see Raix leaning against the doorway looking very sleepy. Riku got up and walked to her.

"Good morning honey" Raix said after she was done kissing him and stood looking into his eyes holding his shirt.

"Good morning!" Riku said beaming. "I made breakfast this time"

"YEEY! Eggs! I haven't had actual food in forever!" Raix said in excitement.

Raix then kissed Riku again and ran over to the fire. She sat on a rock and waited with a plate in her lap. Riku walked up and put one of the delicious looking eggs on her plate and handed her a fork. He then did the same for himself and sat down.

"Wow! These are really good!" Raix said. "You're a great cook!"

"Yeah, I had to cook for myself when I lived on the island" Riku said. "My parents worked too much to even pay any attention to me. That's why I spent so much time with my friends and wanted to leave so bad"

"Oh, I see" Raix replied. "Well, you don't have to worry about being alone anymore..."

Riku looked back to Raix and gave her another kiss.

"I love you..." Riku said.

"I love you too" Raix replied.

"Aww, how cute!" Said an unknown woman's voice. "It's really too bad you know. You could be with me instead cutie-pie!"

Riku and Raix looked and saw a teenaged girl standing a little bit away. She looked about 16 years old and was wearing all white. She had long blonde hair and dark blue eyes. Her shirt was really tight looking and small. The sleeves went down to the middle of her forearm and the bottom just under her decently sized breasts. Her poofy white pants were worn low and stopped tied above her ankles (like Riku's but girly) Her Shoes were also white and hugged her ankles like converses.

"Who are you?!?" Riku demanded.

"And what do you want?!?" Raix added.

"My names Lexysha. I'm just another Nobody sent to kill you. That's all." The girl responded.

"Xiruk really doesn't want to give me any rest does he?" Riku asked.

"Actually I came on my own accord. And your not the one I want to kill...I'm here to kill HER!" Lexysha said pointing at Raix. "With you out of the way, Riku will be mine and Xiruk would no longer want him dead!"

At this note, Lexysha summoned her weapon. It was a white staffed halberd with a big half moon blade on each side. Under each blade was a flame that continued to burn without damaging the weapon. Lexysha took this weapon in hand and charged Raix. Riku quickly jumped in front of Raix and hit Lexysha's attack away. Lexysha jumped over Riku and tried an aerial attack but Riku was there again to knock her blade away.

"GRRRR!!! RIKU!!! STOP DOING THIS TO ME!!!" Lexysha said in frustration.

"I can't let you hurt her! I love her!" Riku said blocking another attack and knocking the assailant away.

"FINE THEN!!! Ill just have to subdue you first!" Lexysha said with anger.

"Then be aware that I will do anything to keep Raix safe, so by attacking me, your LIFE is in immediate danger!" Riku responded.

"Aww Riku! You're breaking my heart!" Lexysha said with a sad tone. "But I guess I have no choice!"

Lexysha jumped back and held her halberd strait in front of her gathering power. She then started spinning it and lifted it above her head. She spun it faster and the flames grew bigger and bigger. She thrusted the weapon forward and sent a giant flaming tornado at Riku and Raix. Riku threw up a dark shield and protected Raix. The shield held and flames just licked past. They could feel the massive heat of the flames as the tornado passed.

As soon as they were out of the flames, Riku shot forward and sliced at Lexysha. She had quickly

blocked the attack but was sent flying.

wow! This is crazy!!! This chick is way stronger than Doggie was! I can't believe I'm doing this good! Riku thought to himself. *It must be the Oblivion and the Moonfire. I guess my heart is just stronger than his so I can use the darkness better*

Lexysha flew back and hit the dirt hard.

How did he get so strong! Lexysha thought to herself while using her halberd to help get up. *The report showed that his power level was way lower than this! GRRR!!! But I can't let him win. I either live with him, or not at all!*

Lexysha got up and sent another flame tornado at Riku. Riku dodged it but only to find a barrage of fireballs coming straight at him. He shot out his own darkness balls and canceled out the fireballs. With his attention diverted, Lexysha attacked from the side. She swung down hard on Riku but he was able to block it. She then attacked upward with the other side of her weapon which was dodged. She kept up this un-predictable swinging and Riku was having a hard time dodging them. With each swing Riku could feel the great heat of the flames slightly burning his skin.

These un-predictable attacks eventually became more and more predictable until Riku blocked a downward swing and dodged the upward one and then horizontally slashed Lexysha. She mostly dodged the swing but it had nicked and ripped part of her shirt. Riku lunged forward for another attack.

shoot!!! This is it! This is the end, I can't handle an attack of this power! Lexysha said as she just lifted her weapon to block, closed her eyes and waited for the attack to come.

Riku was just about to slash when *RRRIIIP*...Lexysha's shirt had ripped off and Riku was totally flashed by her breasts. Riku was startled by this awesome view and tripped and fell to the ground. Lexysha opened her eyes and noticed what had just happened. She used this opportunity to the fullest. She grabbed her halberd and quickly put it to Riku's throat.

"DAMN YOU WOMEN AND YOUR BOOBS!!!!" Riku yelled up at Lexysha.

"HAHA!!! Now it's all over! I'll kill Raix and we'll be together for ev-!" Lexysha suddenly stopped.

Riku looked up and saw that Lexysha had a katana through her chest. The katana was then pulled out and Lexysha fell to the floor. Standing behind where Lexysha was, was Raix with a bloody katana in her hand. Lexysha's body hit the ground and faded away in a bright light.

"RAIX!!!" Riku yelled in excitement. "I think you just saved both of our lives!"

Raix fell to the floor and gave Riku a huge kiss.

"Oh, thank you so much for protecting me!" Raix thanked.

"Your welcome honey" Riku responded.

Raix then slapped him hella hard right in the face.

"YEAH! TRY NOT TO STARE AT SOME GIRLS BOOBS NEXT TIME!!!" Raix yelled.

"Aww come on! I totally didn't mean to!!" Riku pleaded.

"Suuuure you didn't!" Raix continued.

"You know yours are the only ones id enjoy seeing!" Riku said.

"UGH! PERVERT!!!" Raix yelled playfully covering her breasts with her arms and running away.

Riku then chased her around until he caught her around the waist and wrestled her to the ground. They continued to roll around and wrestle until Raix ended up on top. They stopped and stared into each others eyes. Raix then kissed Riku multiple times. Their kiss broke and Riku then started kissing Raix's neck, going lower and lower with each kiss. While this was happening, Raix had somehow gotten Riku's shirt un-zipped and off. Raix then took her own shirt and bra off to allow Riku to go even lower. Having had enough four-play, Raix went for Riku's belt and undid the buckle...

8 - You Just Don't Play With Someone's Underwear

Chapter 8

Riku woke up the next morning feeling like a million bucks. He got up and stretched and stretched a bit. That's when he noticed one problem, He wasn't wearing any clothes. He looked around anxiously for them.

"Aww dammit were the frack did my clothes go!" Riku said to himself.

He looked over and saw that Raix had her clothes but was still asleep. Then, out of the corner of his eye he saw a white mushroom sneaking away with one of his shoes.

"Oh no you don't you little bastard!" Riku yelled at it as he chased it down.

Riku caught up to it and sliced it down.

"Alright there's one shoe..." Riku said. "Now were the hell is the rest of my clothes.

Riku walked around for a bit looking for his clothes. He looked behind a tree and saw a whole horde of white mushrooms, and each one had a piece of Riku's outfit. They saw him and quickly ran away in different directions.

"AWW GODDAMMIT!!!" Riku yelled and then took off after one of the mushrooms.

He caught one and got back one of his socks. Then he chased down another and got his other shoe. The third one he got was his shirt and the fourth was his other sock. With the fifth one, he got back his underwear.

Now Riku had on all of his clothes except for his pants. He looked around angrily for the one with his pants but could not find him. Then, out of the corner of his eye, he caught sight of it. He ran after it but this one was quicker than he expected. It took off at high speeds and left Riku in the dust.

"Holy shoot this one is fast!" Riku said to himself in amazement. "I can catch it though!"

Riku took off after the mushroom and chased it around for at least ten minuets before he had finally cornered it. It looked to both sides to find a way out but found it futile. So, the mushroom threw Riku's pants right at his face and disappeared.

"HAHA! YES!!! VICTORY IS MINE!!!" Riku yelled as he threw up his arm along with his pants up into the air.

Riku then awoke and found himself lying in bed next to Raix...Naked.

OHMYGOD!!! Riku thought to himself. *THAT WAS ALL JUST A frackING DREAM!?!?*

Riku then got up all pissed off and went to find his clothes. Thankfully this time they were all strewn about in eyesight. Riku looked up into the tree they were under and found Raix's bra hanging from a branch.

"Damn...We must have gotten pretty crazy last night!" Riku said to himself in astonishment.

Riku jumped up and got the bra and put it next to Raix who was still sleeping nude in bed. He then went and found all his clothes and put them on. After, he found all of Raix's clothes and put them in a pile where the bra was. The last thing Riku picked up was Raix's underwear.

Damn, These things are SEXY! Riku said as he examined Raix's thong. *I can't believe I didn't notice her wearing these earlier!*

"Ummmm Riku? Why are you messing with my underwear?!?!" Raix asked in confusion.

"Umm, you see....I was just....you knows...getting your clothes together for you!" Riku said while blushing and being highly embarrassed.

"Then will you like...give me my underwear now?" Raix asked.

"OH! Uh yeah here you go" Riku said handing her the thong.

"Thank you!" Raix said to Riku smiling.

"Yeah no problem" Riku responded. "I'm gonna go make breakfast while you get dressed"

Riku walked over to the campfire they had going the day before and re-lit it. Riku then pulled out some materials and made some dough which he put in pan and used to make pancakes.

"Mmmm, that smells really good!" Raix said as she walked up to Riku.

Raix sat down next to Riku just as he was putting her pancake on her plate. He handed her the plate and maple syrup and then put his own pancake on his plate.

"Ummmm Riku? About last night...How was I?" Raix asked nervously.

"Well as that being my first time, I really wouldn't know. But hell, I had a great time!" Riku responded.

"Ok, thanks...that's good!"

"Well Raix, How was I?" Riku asked.

"Oh! You were SPECTACULAR!!!" Raix said very satisfied like. "But that was my first time also, so...yeah...I loved it!"

"That's good!" Riku said as he gave her a little kiss.

They then continued to eat their breakfast and when they finished they packed everything up and got it ready on the motorcycle. They restocked on food once again and took off.

After a few hours being on the road they decided to stop for a lunch break. As they were eating Riku noticed that the light behind them was getting dimmer the farther they traveled. Soon, there will be no light. They would have to rely on the light in their hearts to guide them on. They finished up and took off once more into the ever so growing darkness.

Many hours later they stopped for the night. They had dinner and stared at the tip of the Dark City which had just barely come into view. The destination in which they had both longed for and yet regretted ever returning to. There was something new now though. At what seemed from this distance, at the back of the city was a castle.

"That's weird...I distinctly remember destroying that castle with Sora..." Riku said.

"That's not the same castle...Its Castle Oblivion..." Raix responded.

"WHAT?!? How did he get Castle Oblivion all the way to the Dark City?!?" Riku asked.

"I don't know...but were messing with just the kind of power that can..." Raix answered.

"Don't worry; I know I'll be able to beat Xiruk! No doubt in my mind" Riku said reassuringly.

"I love you Riku!" Raix said as she leaned over and gave him a kiss. "Enough talking about this though, let's get to bed"

"Sure thing!" Riku responded.

They then got the food together and the blankets out read for bed. They laid down on the blanket and Riku stared at the menacing looking city in which he is about to infiltrate.

"Good night Raix" Riku said.

"Riku?" Raix said as she quickly turned around and looked into Riku's eyes provocatively. "Lets go again!"

"As long as we use this, this time" Riku said pulling a condom out of his pocket.

Raix then grabbed the condom and with her teeth ripped it open.

9 - Fun Times Up In A Puff Of Smoke

Chapter 9

The pair woke up the next morning and performed the daily ritual. They kissed, ate, packed, and then got back on the road leading straight into the depths of everlasting darkness...

Maza...Dark...I wonder who these people are...and what they're like. If they were friends with Doggie, than they must be good people. I only hope that I'm not going to be too late... Riku thought to himself.

Doggie...You rest in peace, your friends will be safe in no time!

Riku pressed a little harder on the gas and sped toward the awesome structure just barely in view. Raix was on the back holding tightly around Riku's waist, thinking deeply for her beloved.

Riku...do we really have to go through with this? After all this time of being alone...I don't want you to die...Xiruk's forces are strong and growing fast...I just hope you have the will and strength

Raix held on tighter and continued to worry for Riku. Hours passed on as they drove. They decided to stop and have some lunch. They sat on a log eating sandwiches and stared off at the dimming light they were leading away from. Raix laid her head down on Riku's shoulder and returned her gaze to the light.

"What happens when we get so far that we can no longer see the light?" Raix asked.

"Never forget your friends..." Riku replied.

"Huh?"

"You never forget your friends! The ones close to you that make your heart shine brighter every time you think of them! As long as you remember who your friends are...you will always be able to find the light"

"Hmm friends...I have none. All I have you Riku!"

"Love is stronger than friendship. Remembering the one you love is all you need to find the light. If you remember that person, than you don't have to worry about a thing."

"Thank you Riku...I feel better now!" Raix said as she looked up and gave Riku a kiss.

Riku lifted his sandwich to take another bite when he heard.

"Awww dude! Sandwiches! KICKASS!"

Riku turned around to see some guy jump over the log and sit next to Riku. The guy then grabbed the food bag and started eating a sandwich. The man seemed to be in his teens and had on a black

backwards hat and black jeans with a black t-shirt. His shoes and bracelet on his left wrist were also black. The man reeked of pot.

"WHO THE FRACK ARE YOU?!?!?" Riku yelled as he jumped off the log and pulled Raix off away from the stranger.

"Who the frack are you dude? I'm just minding my own business eating a sandwich!" said the strange man.

"THAT'S MY GODDAMN SANDWICH!!!" Riku yelled in anger.

The man then looked at the sandwich and then to rest of the camp area.

"Oh...hey I guess your right!" The guy said with a smile on his face. "My bad dude!"

"Ok whatever; now just tell me who you are before I behead you!" Riku said summoning the Way to the Dawn.

"Whoa man! You don't have to get so violent dude!" the guy said. "My names Joex and I was sent here to do something...uhhh...damn...what was it?"

"Were you sent here to assassinate me?" Riku asked impatiently.

"Oh yeah that was it! I was supposed to sneak attack you from behind!" Joex said.

"Well what happened to that?!? You just came up and ate my sandwich!" Riku said.

"Oh, yeah that happens when I get stoned on the job LOLZ!" Joex said laughing. "Can't do anything about that now though...I'll just have to fight you head to head!"

"It'll be my pleasure!" Riku exclaimed as he ran at Joex, keyblade in hand.

Joex jumped back and dodged the attack.

"Damn dude! At least let me get ready!" Joex said pissed off. "That was really fricken rude you know!"

"Aww shove it up your @\$!" Riku yelled as he came in for another attack.

Joex unsheathed his long sword and blocked the attack. Joex then swung his emerald incusted sword straight down. Riku blocked it and parried. Joex then jumped far back and made some distance. Riku started to run at Joex but once he got close, the bottom of Joex's sword opened up and released some sort of gas into the air. Riku ran straight into the gas unable to stop in time and began choking on the unknown substance.

"Augh!!! What is this?!?!" Riku yelled.

"Hehehe it's my own little recipe" Joex said. "While the weed is still just a baby, you water with bong

water and fertilize the soil with resin, dude."

"Your getting me fracking stoned?!?!?" Riku asked. "What the frack!!!"

"LOLZ! Dude! Your gonna get fracking hi out of your mind!" Joex said while laughing.

"You Bastard!" Riku yelled through the smoke as he tried to find his opponent.

The smoke was so thick he couldn't see his hand in front of his face. There was no way he'd find Joex in all of it. Riku continued to stumble around coughing until he started to get a little dizzy. Riku looked up and his vision went blurry. All of a sudden everything was funny.

"HAHA! What the frack am I doing here dude!?" Riku asked the smoke.

"You're getting fracking stoned! LOLZ!!!" The smoke said back to him.

"Whoa...LOLZ DUDE!!! The smoke just fracking talked to me!" Riku yelled. "HAHA this is sooo fricken coo- AUGH!"

Joex had run by and sliced Riku in the arm. Riku fell to the ground in pain. Were he had been cut, burned like it was on fire. Joex swooped in again and this time cut one of Riku's legs.

"AWW!" Raix heard Riku yell from outside the smoke cloud.

Raix could see a faint dark figure in the cloud and she suspected it was Riku. She then saw another figure moving quickly towards Riku. The two figures met and Riku let out another yell. The attacking figure then turned around and made another attack resulting in yet another yell from Riku. Raix stood watching in horror as her loved one was being slowly murdered.

Back inside the cloud, Riku was on his knees in pain waiting for the next blow. Riku looked up to the smoke.

"Dude! Smoke! You gotta help me!" Riku said to the smoke.

"AAHH! I'm so fracking HI right now!!!" the smoke yelled back.

"SOMEBODY PLEASE HELP ME!!!" Riku yelled at the top of his lungs.

Raix heard this and dropped to her knees crying.

"Hey! I can help you!" said a deep voice like Mr. T's

Riku looked around frantically.

"Down here you nimrod!" said the voice again.

Riku looked down to see that it was his keyblade that was talking to him.

"Way to the Dawn?!? I didn't know you could talk!" Riku said to his keyblade.

"I can't! This is just a figment of your imagination!" The keyblade said.

"HUH?" Riku said in confusion.

"Just shut the hell up and listen! When he comes to attack again, I'll tell you where he is then you can use me to shank the shoot out of him!" The keyblade yelled.

"Uhhh OK!" Riku said getting to his feet.

"Alright now he's coming around again.....now.....DUCK!" The keyblade yelled.

Riku ducked and Joex's sword went right over Riku's head.

"Alright good now horizontal swing to your right!"

Riku swung and it made contact with Joex's ribs. Joex was knocked back and fell to the floor.

"Alright now attack fifteen feet towards three' o'clock!"

Riku lunged forward and downward slashed at the just recovering Joex. He was knocked back again and hit the floor hard. Riku then dashed to the left and circled Joex. Joex looked around frantically trying to find Riku, but he was moving too fast. Riku ran past and clipped Joex's shoulder.

"AUUGH! Dude" Joex screamed in pain.

Riku ran around again and got Joex in the side resulting in another scream. Riku then ran and came in for the finishing blow and cut Joex's head clean off of his shoulders.

The smoke cleared and Joex's body disappeared.

"You did good boy! You did good!" the keyblade said to Riku.

Raix then ran up to Riku and forced a potion down his throat. His wounds began to heal and his HI quickly cleared away. Raix then jumped into Riku's arms and gave him a monster hug. He wrapped his arms around her and saw his keyblade behind her back.

"Thank you keyblade!" Riku said to his keyblade but it didn't respond.

"Riku!? Are you talking to your keyblade?!?" Raix asked in confusion.

"Yeah! I couldn't be where I am right now without him!" Riku responded.

"How do you know it's not a she?!" Raix asked playfully.

"Oh, believe me! I know!" Riku said laughing.

"Whatever!" Raix said while laughing with him.

They set up camp and got everything ready for bed. Riku laid down on the bed and Raix tended to his wounds once more before they slept.

"No hanky panky tonight then I guess?" Riku asked smiling.

"Hell no! Not while you're in this condition!" Raix said.

"Fine..." Riku said with a playful sigh.

"Good night Riku"

"Good night Raix"

Raix then kissed Riku and turned over and went to sleep. Riku laid on his back for a minute gazing at the stars. He closed his eyes...and soon drifted off into blissful slumber...

10 - Small Fry But A Tuff Guy

Chapter 10

"Riku?..."

"What?"

"Riku?..."

"Who's there?"

"Riku where are you? Help me find you!"

"Sora!? Is that you?"

"Don't forget...and I'll always be there!"

Riku woke up with a jump. He then looked over and saw Raix looking at him like he was some sort of freak.

"Are you ok? Did you have a nightmare?" Raix asked concerned.

"No...It was nothing..." Riku replied.

"Are you sure? You were really freaking out just now" Raix continued.

"I'm fine...I'll be just fine..."

"If you insist...well, I'll go get breakfast ready. You rest your wounds"

"I'll be right there" Riku said.

Raix went off to go make breakfast and Riku stayed in bed. His wounds were already healed but he felt a little dizzy.

That was definitely Sora...but was it just a dream? Riku thought to himself. * I can't be worrying about it right now...I got a mission to accomplish!*

Riku stood up and looked at the never changing night sky. He then turned his look over to the light.

...I'll never forget

Riku walked over to where Raix was and sat down for some breakfast.

"It's your lucky day Riku" Raix Said. "IM MAKIN WAFFLES!!!"

Riku looked up just to smile and then he looked back down to the ground. Raix was very worried about Riku's condition. She kept quiet and handed Riku his plate of waffles.

"Thanks..." Riku said.

"Tell me what's wrong Riku..." Raix replied.

"It's nothing..."

"It's got to be something!"

"Im just a little homesick...that's all"

"...alright"

Raix returned to her own plate and began to eat her waffles. They sat in silence for a few minutes.

"Wow! These are really good!" Riku said breaking the silence.

"Thank you!" Raix said.

Riku and Raix continued eating until they were done and got everything together. They got on the bike and back on the road. The darkness surrounding them was getting ever so darker after each day that passes. The light behind them was now only just a little sliver to be seen. They could feel the immense power of the darkness they were so rapidly approaching. By the end of the day, there will be no more light for them. They will be completely engulfed in darkness.

As they were driving forward, Riku saw far off in the distance that a dark portal had opened. They drew closer and a man stepped out of the portal. They were now about fifty yards from the man. The man pulled out a huge double sided axe and slammed it into the ground causing a big chunk of earth to come up and force Riku into the air. They flew over the man and landed behind him to a skidding stop. Riku got off and Raix took the motorcycle and hid. Riku summoned his keyblade and walked toward the man. The closer he got, the shorter the man became. Riku came within ten yards of the man and saw that he was like a foot shorter than Riku. Riku then began to laugh uncontrollably.

"HAHAHA!!! ZOMG!!! YOUR SO, HAHA! YOUR SO DAMN SHORT!!!" Riku said laughing his head off.

"frack YOU! IT'S NOT MY FAULT I WASN'T BLESSED TO BE TALL!" The man said.

"Ok, ok" Riku said giggling. "Who the frack are you and what the hell do you want?"

"I am the almighty Binxorc and I was-"

"Yeah, yeah I know...you were sent to kill me?"

"uhhh yeah!" Binxorc said. "how did you know?"

"Are you serious?" Riku said amazed. "I've already killed like three of you guys!"

"uhhh oh yeah!"

"I guess you can't all be smart..." Riku said.

"ARE YOU CALLING ME DUMB?!?!" Binxorc yell/asked.

"What if I am?" Riku replied.

"GRRR I'LL MAKE YOU EAT THOSE WORDS!" Binxorc yelled.

"BRING IT!" Riku yelled back.

Binxorc slammed the ground again and a crack opened from the point of contact and slithered its way over to Riku. It opened up wide and Riku jumped out of the way. Riku then threw some dark balls at Binxorc but he blocked them with his massive axe. When the attack ended, Binxorc moved the axe but only to find Riku right in his face and got slashed across the chest. Binxorc swung his axe down on Riku and Riku braced to block. Contact was made and to Riku's surprise, he was knocked flying backwards about fifteen feet.

Riku got to his feet and charged Binxorc. Binxorc hit the ground and a plate of earth came up in front of Riku. Riku just jumped over it and slid down the other end strait at Binxorc. Riku went in for another attack and Binxorc swung also. Their blades connected and Riku was once again sent flying. This time Binxorc stomped his foot on the ground and a pillar of earth came up and Riku flew into it. Riku heard a few of his ribs crack. Binxorc ran up on Riku and swung horizontally trying to cut Riku in half. Riku put up his keyblade to block and was forced through the pillar.

shoot! Riku thought to himself as he got back to his feet. *How am I supposed to get close to him? He's too strong...*

Binxorc slammed his axe on the ground again and Riku felt the earth shake. He looked around but found that nothing had happened. The ground beneath him suddenly started shaking. Riku jumped and a spike of earth shot up from where he stood. He landed and another one came up. He dodged this one and kept running. The spikes would shoot up just inches away from him. Riku charged at Binxorc and went for an attack while he was busy controlling the spikes. Binxorc cut the spikes and punched the ground. Spike rocks then started shooting out of the ground in front of Binxorc at Riku.

Riku threw up a dark shield but it wasn't enough. One of the rocks broke through and clipped Riku's left shoulder. Riku fell to his knees in pain. The rock barrage had stopped and Binxorc charged Riku.

ok...Strength is working...so I'll just have to surpass his speed!

Binxorc slammed his axe down on Riku but Riku dodged it. Riku then attacked himself, catching Binxorc in the ribs. Binxorc then swung his axe horizontally at Riku like nothing had happened. Riku dodged the attack and tried again but this time cutting his shoulder. Binxorc swung again and this time caught Riku's leg.

"AUGH!" Riku screamed in pain.

Binxorc used this opportunity to attack again. Binxorc swung down on Riku. Riku then lunged forward and stabbed his keyblade up through Binxorc stomach into his chest cavity. Binxorc stopped dead in his tracks. Riku then twisted his keyblade and Binxorc spat up lots of blood. Riku yanked out his blade without twisting it back, causing even more internal damage. Binxorc spat up a bit more blood and fell over dead. His body then disappeared like the rest.

Riku limped over to Raix using his keyblade as a cane. Raix ran up to him and his keyblade disappeared; he then fell into her arms. She helped him over to the grass and set him down.

"Are you ok?!" Raix asked desperately.

"No...I think he broke my leg" Riku replied.

Raix looked down at his leg and sure enough, it was broken. She could see where the bone was completely split in two.

"What do we do!?" Raix asked worriedly.

"Well, some potions should fix it...but first we have to re-correct the bone..." Riku said.

"How do we do that?" Raix asked.

"The only way we can...by force" Riku said calmly.

"WHAT!?" Raix yelled.

"I'll lay my leg straight on the ground, and then you will have to push the bone back into place. Once it's in place, use a bandage wrap to tightly wrap the break to keep it in place."

"But won't it hurt?" Raix asked.

"Ooooh yeah!" Riku said a little worried. "But there is no other way"

Riku layed over and set his leg straight on the ground. Raix then put her hands on the broken part of his leg. Just her touching it hurt like hell. Without warning she shoved hard on his leg forcing his bone together.

"AAAAHHHH!!!" Riku screamed in immense pain.

Raix then wrapped the leg while Riku screamed out in pain. Raix finished and looked at Riku. Riku had

tears in his eyes and was breathing very heavily. It pained her so much to see him like this. She got the blankets out and put Riku down on it. She used a pillow to hold up his leg and put one under his head. He then chugged a potion.

"A potion helps the pain sooo much!" Riku said.

"how long will it take to fully heal?"

"ummm I'd say about three days" Riku replied.

"Alright, you need rest. So let's get to sleep now" Raix suggested.

"Yeah, your right. Good night Raix. I love you!" Riku said.

"G'night Riku. I love you too!" Raix replied.

They each then closed their eyes and drifted to sleep...

11 - A Step Into Darkness, A Leap Into Fate

Chapter 11

The transmission from grassy wasteland to dark city was absolute instant. The dirt road turns to pavement and the grass into buildings as if it wasn't supposed to be. The outer edges of the town were just buildings of average size. It didn't start small then go big...it was dramatic.

Riku and Raix stood on the edge of the city staring into the depths of concrete and pavement. They're here...they're finally here at the point of destination. No more need to spend days on the road. There was actual structure.

"From here on...we go on foot" Riku said still looking into the opening between buildings that created the entrance. "We don't want to stir up to much commotion"

"That's fine with me; I was actually getting kind of sick of the bike anyways...it hurt my butt!" Raix said without any objections.

"Be on your toes at all times...you never know what's around the next corner" Riku said cautiously.

"Aye, aye Capitan!" Raix said a little energetic. "I'll stay right beside you!"

"Well, let's go then..." Riku said a little nervous.

Raix hooked her arm around Riku's and held his hand.

"Don't worry...I know you can make it through this!" Raix said to Riku.

Riku looked down at Raix.

"Not just me...WE can make it!"

Raix gave Riku a little kiss and they walked through the threshold like entrance to the city. It was very cold in this place that never gets any light. They could both see their breath in the air. None of the buildings had any doors. The windows that they bared gave off dim glows of light. The structures themselves were immense. The smaller ones were about fifty stories.

They could see heartless everywhere they looked. The only reason they didn't attack is because of Riku's superior power over darkness. Any normal person would instantly be consumed by the hundreds of heartless that lay in watch.

There was something new up in the sky... Something that could only be seen from within the city. It was Kingdom Hearts...

"What!" Riku said in amazement. "I thought DiZ destroyed that!"

"He did...but Xiruk's plan is to repair the broken moon and use it in his own means" Said Raix.

"DAMN HIM!!!" Riku said in frustration. "It took a high-tech machine to destroy it last time! How are we supposed to do it now? DiZ disappeared in the process!"

"I don't know...we'll have to worry about it later though. It's still incomplete so we have some time"

"GRRRRR Damn that Xiruk! He's caused so many problems for me already!" Riku said angrily.

"We would have never met if it wasn't for him..." Raix said.

"Your right...we do have to give him that...But he did make you try to kill me! Grrrrr I'm gonna slaughter that SoB!"

The couple then stumbled into what seemed like a town square. In the middle was great structure known as "Memory Skyscraper" But this building was nothing compared to the one behind it. Standing a bit behind Memory Skyscraper was the long awaited Castle Oblivion. The skyscraper was like a front lawn fountain compared to the castle.

The two of them walked slowly out into the open, Riku was awed over the castle. It was way bigger than he had remembered. Raix was just looking at the ground, not wanting to remember the horrible memories that were created in that very building.

Riku took one step from Raix's side when a figure ran out of an alley and punched Riku in the face so fast that Riku didn't even see it coming. Riku flew and was hit against a building. The figure that had attacked was what looked like a man and was wearing a full blown ninja outfit. The ninja jumped behind the screaming Raix and wrapped some sort of paper around her. He then made some hand signal and Raix disappeared in a puff of smoke.

"WHAT DID YOU DO WITH HER!!!" Riku yelled.

"I used my Telle-other ninja technique on her" The ninja replied.

"Where did she go!?" Riku asked.

"To Master Xiruk of course!" The ninja said.

"But why!? I thought he didn't want her anymore!"

"There was a change in plans...She was needed after all" The ninja said.

"What's your name?" Riku asked.

"Why do you care so much?" The ninja asked.

"So I can label your head when I hang it up on my mantelpiece!" Riku exclaimed.

"Very well then...my name is Rixyck, and good luck with defeating me!"

"Thanks! But I don't think I'll be needing your luck!" Riku said running at Rixyck, keyblade drawn.

Riku charged Rixyck but when he got there he was just a puff of smoke. Riku quickly turned around to find like five shuriken flying at his face. Riku rolled out of the way and dodged the shuriken.

Good thing I drank that mega potion! Riku thought to himself as he kneeled on his recently broken leg.

Rixyck poofed in front of Riku and punched him in the face. Then he punched him in the stomach and continuously wailed on Riku. Rixyck finished his combo with a kick to the chin and Riku was sent flying into a building.

Riku pulled himself out of the hole he made in the wall and got hit in the legs by two kunai knives. They had paralyzed Riku's legs so he couldn't move. Rixyck then threw a massive barrage of shuriken and kunai knives at the frozen Riku. Riku threw up a dark shield and the ninja tools just bounced right off. This gave Riku enough time to pull out the kunai knives from his legs and give him full mobility again.

Rixyck was up on one of the buildings. Riku ran at the building and launched some dark balls at Rixyck. Rixyck dodged the darkness balls and threw more ninja tools. Riku dodged the knives and had now reached the building. Riku unleashed a massive diagonal slash on the building and cut it in two. The building crumbled and Rixyck was knocked off balance. This gave Riku the opening he had been waiting for.

Riku jumped up to Rixyck and slashed at him, but only for his attack to be blocked by another blade. Rixyck had pulled out a katana to fight with.

"Let's see who's better in up close combat!" Rixyck said with what looked like a smile on his face but it's hard to tell due to the mask.

Riku jumped back and then went in for another attack. Riku slashed upwards at Rixyck. Rixyck dodged to the side and slashed down on Riku. Riku rolled to the opposite side and dodged the attack. Riku then used this new opening to stab at Rixyck. Rixyck dodged to the side but was too slow and had gotten clipped by Riku's attack. It wasn't a deadly slash, but it also wasn't very shallow.

The injury had caused another opening and Riku took full advantage. Riku slashed Rixyck across the chest and blood spurted out instantly.

YES! I finally got em! Riku joyously thought to himself.

The body fell to the ground with blood pouring out of its chest. As soon as it hit the ground it poofed into a hunk of cement.

WHAT THE!?! Riku thought to himself.

Before Riku could react, Rixyck jumped in and cut Riku on the shoulder. Riku knelt down in pain. Then Rixyck commenced the finishing attack on Riku. Rixyck slashed down on what seemed to be a helpless Riku. Riku blocked and locked blades with Rixyck. Rixyck was amazed that Riku still had the strength to even pick up his weapon. Rixyck pushed down harder. A dark aura started slowly seeping out of the Oblivion ring. Riku slowly picked his head up and looked right into Rixyck's eyes and said.

"I'm not quite finished yet..."

Riku then stood up and in the same movement, swung his keyblade knocking Rixyck back with incredible force. Rixyck flew through the wall that was right behind him. He continued to smash his way through many buildings before he finally hit a wall and stopped to slide down it. Riku made his way slowly through the building.

Rixyck had lost consciousness for a few second but then came back to see Riku making his way through the walls.

"WHAT IS THIS AMAZING STRENGTH!?! WHERE DID IT COME FROM!?" Rixyck said to himself in horror.

Riku was in no hurry. He walked through the walls looking downward with his long hair covering his eyes in an intimidating way. Rixyck just stared in horror as his foe approached. He could feel the immense dark energy emanating from Riku. It grew heavier and heavier as he approached. Rixyck tried to get up and flee but he was pinned by his fear. Riku had finally made it to the same room and stopped just a few feet in front of Rixyck. Rixyck looked up and shook in fear. Riku's hair was still covering his eyes as he looked down at his helpless opponent. He lifted his hand and pointed it at Rixyck's face.

"Die..." Riku uttered as he launched a huge dark ball.

The ball was as tall as Riku was and just as wide. It hit its mark in a split second and Rixyck, along with everything behind him, was disintegrated.

Riku blasted another hole in the wall to his right and walked through it back into the area in witch the fighting had started. He then looked up at Castle Oblivion and whispered...

"Be strong Raix..."