

Chapter Thrity Five: Three More Days

"Hey, you ready?" Damian asks, eyeing me up and down.

Today we are going for a date at a fancy restaurant. I dressed in a long dark purple dress, I had Hazel do my makeup and Thalia do my hair.

"Yeah." I smile.

I take Damian's arm as we walk to Caine's massive truck. I like his truck... Way to much... Any way, Damian helps me up into the seat and then we drive o .

We keep up small talk on the way there, and before I know it we are pulling up into a parking space. We go into the restaurant and it's absolutely beautiful! Romantic music is playing in the background and it's lighting is dim.

"Damian Evans." I faintly hear Damian say.

"Follow me sir." The waiter says. We come up to a cute little table and we take our seats.

The waiter walks away and Damian and I get straight into conversation.

We talk about all sorts of things. Like what happened in school, embarrassing moments, about when we go to search for the key to Ezrod. We talk about everything!

"That was fun!" I smile when we get home.

"Very fun." Damian laughs.

We walk into the Evans house and I smile as I see everyone gathered around the TV watching a movie.

Then I realize what they are watching.

"YOU'RE WATCHING THE AVENGERS WITHOUT ME?" I scream.

They laugh.

"Go change, then join us." Hazel says. I nod and sprint upstairs to where I keep some clothes in Damian's closet. I pull the dress of then put on sweats and one of Damian's shirts. Then I sprint downstairs, I do a ninja jump onto the couch from behind it and then snuggle into a blanket.

I steal popcorn from Thalia and sit intently watching my movie. Yes, The Avengers is my movie.

Damian comes and sits beside me. I snuggle into him.

By the time my movie is over, I'm too lazy to move. I fall asleep in Damian's arms.

I open my eyes and stretch out. I'm on Damian's bed... What?

Then I remember last night. I smile and sit up. I walk to the bathroom and groan as I see my face. My makeup and hair is a mess, I look like a zombie!

I take my hair out before jumping in the shower. Naturally, I sing.

When I get out I brush through my hair and then braid it.

I run downstairs a er pulling jeans and a shirt on.

The Evans are sitting around their kitchen table eating breakfast. I join them, stu ing my face with bacon.

"Hey Ivy, can you come here for a second?" Natasha asks from behind me.

"Oh, hey Tash! I didn't realize you were here." I say getting up and walking over to her.

"Ivy, just come here." Natasha says pulling me outside.

"Is there a reason for this?" I ask.

"How far does Caines telepathy work to?" Natasha asks quietly.

"Er, he can probably still hear us." I say.

"Then to the forest." Natasha says.

I sigh, I would like to go back to my bacon.

Once we are far enough in, Natasha starts talking.

"I really like Caine. But I don't know if he likes me back. I don't know what to do!" Natasha exclaims.

I laugh. "This is what you want to talk about?"

"Yes! What do I do?" Natasha asks.

"Just to let you know, I'm ninety nine point nine percent sure Caine likes you back." I say.

"What about that point one percent?"

"That Caine only likes you as a friend."

"Thanks Ivy."

"No problem."

We walk back to the house and I block my mind from Caine, I learned how when Cezar was here...

Natasha looks at me then nods her head toward Caine.

Yes Natasha, I will help set you two up. I say in my head, even though she can't hear me.

"Hey Caine." I say sliding up beside him.

"Yeah Ivy?" Caine asks.

"Natasha wants to go for a walk, and I think she should have someone to guard her. But I'm busy, I have to eat." I say.

"I'll go." Caine says instantly. I smile as he gets up and walks out the door with Natasha.

"Set up?" Hazel asks.

"Mmhmm." I hum in response.

"So, Ivy, what'd'ya wanna do today?" Shawn asks.

"I don't know. What do you want to do?" I ask.

"Let's dance!" Shawn smiles. I laugh.

"Let's dance." I agree.

We walk to the dancing room and Hazel turns on Confident by Justin Bieber.

"Really Hazel?" Shawn asks.

"No dissing Bieber, or at least not his songs." Hazel says.

"Fine." Shawn sighs.

"Damian? Care to dance?" I ask.

Damian smiles. "I'd love to."

We get straight into dancing. It's really fun. I haven't done this in a while, so it's fun to get back to.

While I dance, I let of all my emotions.

Sadness and anger mostly. Anger towards the demons. Sadness towards Cezar.

A er a few songs, I ditch dancing. I excuse myself and I go take a shower.

A er my shower I pull on some other clothes and head to the cemetery.

I walk up to Cezars grave and lie down a new bunch of flowers.

"Hey." I say so ly. I try to visit his grave every day. "I'm leaving to find the key to Ezrod soon. In three days to be exact."

I sit down on the grass while staring at his grave.

"Natasha is pumped! Did you see what I did today, I set Caine and Natasha up. I wonder if you saw that they liked each other.

"Damian has been really sweet. He's treating me nicely. We had a date last night. Second one this month. It was nice.

"But guess what!? When I got home, everyone was watching The Avengers without me! I got changed and did a ninja jump over the couch! You should have seen it!" I exclaim.

I sit in silence for a while a er that.

"I miss you Cezar." I say before getting up and walking home.

"Is she visiting his grave again?" I hear mom ask as I walk into the house.

"Yeah. She'll probably be saying her goodbyes. We leave in three days." Devin says.

"It only seems right for her to." Ken says.

"I feel so bad." Thalia sni s. I walk into the dining room.

"Hey." I say, giving an awkward wave.

"Hey sweetie." Mom smiles.

"Wassup lil' sis?" Devin asks.

"Not much Bubba." I reply.

"Wanna go for a swim?" Thalia asks.

"That sounds good." I smile.

I quickly change into my bathing suit and jump into my pool.

Soon followed by Ken, Thalia and Devin.

We mess around for a while before I get out and sit on a chair. Thalia comes and we start talking while the boys hang out in the pool.

"I'm going to miss this." I sigh.

"Yeah. I'll miss this too." Thalia says sadly.

"I want to spend these three says having fun. Okay?" I say turning to Thalia.

"Okay. I'll arrange to have fun." Thalia smiles.

"And I want it all to be here at home." I say.

"One day we'll hang around town. The other two we can spend at home." Thalia plans.

"Sounds good." I smile.

"You know, I'm going to miss you so much."

"I'm going to miss you too."

"Promise me, you'll come back in a year."

"I promise."

We sit in silence from there.

"I already miss this." I sigh before closing my eyes and slipping into sleep.

This is the second last chapter.

The last chapter will probably be posted sometime this weekend... if not it will definitely be posted this week.

Can you believe that? This book is almost over! :(

But that means y'all will have to be ready for the next one! I'll tell you what it's called in the last chapter.

I hope you all have enjoyed this story! I know I had a blast writing it!

I'll save everything else for the last chapter. (all the thank you's and shout outs.)

This means a lot to almost have finished it.

Hope you enjoyed!

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