

Avance Trail and a new friend

After stocking up on potions and Pokeballs in Aquacorde Town, Fae and Champ crossed the bridge that connected the town to Avance Trail where they stopped for a moment to take in the surroundings. Sitting on his haunches Champ peered up as his trainer, she was taking a quick moment to stretch as if trying to touch the sky.

“Well what do you say bud, ready to show Kalos what we’re capable of?”

He confirmed with a sharp nod accompanied by an aggressive *GROW*. The two of them had been training off and on for the past 8 years and he was just as eager to prove his worth as a Pokémon as she was to prove her worth as a trainer.

Making their way through route 2 was proving to be fairly calm, granted it was still early in the morning; dew still on the grass. Then suddenly she heard a faint chirping sound coming from her right, following the sound she readied a Pokeball and slowed her pace as the chirping got louder Champ matching her stride; always at her side.

It was a Pidgery, she hadn’t thought to see one so soon. They were known in the Kalos Region true enough, but not in the abundant numbers that they could be found in their native Kanto or even Johto. Fae’s voice broke the silence like a whip:

“Champ, we’re NOT letting this chance slip by!”

Recognizing his cue he bull rushed the Pidgery and was on top of it before it knew what was going on.

“BITE!”

With one swift motion he bit down where a wing met the body, a quick short black flash emitting from his jaws as he made contact. The tiny bird Pokémon flinched and recoiled a bit, seeing her opening Fae tossed the Pokeball. Snapping shut on the Pidgery and falling to the ground wobbling as the ‘mon tried to break free, the light turning off after two. Sauntering over to the Pokeball she sat down in front of it.

“Neatly done Champ, we’ve got our first teammate”

The puppy Pokémon sat proudly looking very pleased with himself.

“Why you smug little...” She retorted playfully with a giggle as she quickly pulled him onto her lap and gave him a big hug and kissing him on the nose, pressing him into her breasts at the same time. Not that he minded; he rather liked how soft they felt.

Breaking their embrace his trainer stood up, Pokeball in hand.

“Well, since I know what you’re eventually going to evolve into I’m going to call you Talo” she said to the ball.

Clasping the ball to her belt, she went back to get her bag that she had dropped in her haste to get to a better throwing distance. Duffle bag over her shoulder once more, she and Champ continued their trek through Route 2 until they stood in front of the large trees that marked the beginning of the Santalune Forest. They gazed at the trees for what seemed to be an eternity, with a revived look of determination on both her face and Champ’s they moved to enter the forest, a strong wind emitting from the forest as if on cue causing her long thick hair to buffet behind her and the flannel jacket hanging off her hips to flap like a cape and teasing Champ’s fur as he walked proudly at her side.

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