Stronger than you- (Age-up for: Charr)-timidusnoctis 3/3

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The loud roar of a dinosaur could be heard in the distance as Charr, who was now an adolescent quickly awoke from her sleep, her breathing heavy as she stared in the direction it had come from. Pulling away as she let out a sigh shifting her weight trying to find a comfortable spot against Scooter who was hogging the area they were laying in the para herd had stopped here for the night to get some rest from the long walk they had done during the day but she was feeling uneasy from the dinosaurs call in the distance who was unfortunate to have maybe ran into a predator that lurked around at night.

Not being able to sleep she slowly stood not to awake Scooter who was sleeping beside her "don't wake up don't wake up" she mumbled to herself getting past Scooter as she looked around for Jaeger who was sleeping near his mother. Charr quietly made her way over and careful to not step on anyone "Jaeger.. get up let's go look around" she whispered to him. Jaeger sneezed waking up as he looked at Charr half asleep before rolling over on his back "you go, I'm sleeping" he said before going quiet again.

Leaving Charr to sigh and let out a snort before waking through the rest of the herd, careful to not awaken anyone as she looked back at Scooter before shaking her head and walking into the forest thinking of a drink and the sound of that dinosaur in the distance, maybe she should go help it? The thought sat in her mind as she walked leaving footprints behind her. As Charr walked she had an uneasy feeling but chalked it up to just being dark and a bit cool out soon hearing the river as she began to follow the sound of the soft water trickling over the river rocks.

"I wonder if that dinosaur is okay" she mumbled, stopping at the river to take a drink leaning down and letting the cool water run past her beak as she drank. But the uneasy feeling still clung to her, there was predators that lurked on the shadows of the night but the parasaur herd was always keen on going to this spot as it was mostly danger free at least from big predators or so they thought but something felt off to Charr but being the stubborn adolescent she was paying attention to what her survival instinct was telling her wasn't her strongest attribute.

Rustling could be heard behind her as she lifted her head up "ok Jaeger that's not funny, come on out" she snorted, turning towards the sound, but no answer was coming from the bush. Charr walked closer as she let out a laugh "your not scary I told you this alrea..dy" she said barely getting the words out as she saw a pale face and flesh of what it seemed to be the dinosaur she heard in the distance earlier, backing up quickly. Letting out a scared snort as her eyes darted back and forth trying to figure out where the rustling had come from. The one thing she knew was that if there was a carcass or a dead dinosaur that meant large predators were around and

she was indeed being stalked, quickly running into an open area behind the bush with the carcass that stank with rott, it was fresh but had been sitting for a bit.

Charr looked around the forest as she waited, the rustling getting louder trying to pinpoint it as she breathed heavily, she had never dealt with a predator before and she was on her own this time. The sound of heavy footsteps and a blue eye that shined in the dark area of the forest soon emerged from the thick brush, a pale bloodied face and a black skull marking stared dead into her eyes. It was Riot, a large cryolophosaurus who roamed these areas making once safe havens a blood path and kill floor for himself, but he wasn't alone. The sound of more rustling from the bushes could be heard as Charr looked up at the large predator this was bad and she was in trouble.

As the rustling calmed a bit another large cryo emerged from the bushes behind Charr snapping at her hind making her move away but having to watch out for Riot who was making clicking noises for a third cryo who was making his way over to the new found prey. A large shadow emerged from the darkness and the horror to Charr as the large black faced cryo known as Desolator had no eyes, as he let out a low chatter to Reaper and Riot as the three surrounded Charr all with bloodied mouths from the previous kill they had made before finding and stalking her. This was bad and all Charr could do was be frozen in fear, was this how she was going to die by three top predators she had been told about by Scooter while she grew up as her mind raced with memories when she was younger but before she could go on about more a sharp pain on her side of her frill could be felt as her eyes darted to the pain, Desolator had attacked and bit behind her neck but had gotten stuck on part of her frill causing him to not get a great bite but a bite forsure, as she snorted shaking her head trying to get away from him.

"Get off me!" she snorted before whacking her head into Desolator who let out a hiss as he let go of her frill before roaring giving Charr a chance to run, because the chase was the best part of the hunt. Charr needed to get back to the herd if she was going to make it out alive but it was far. The scent of her blood could be smelt by the three as they began to chase Charr snapping at her back end landing some painfully bites on her but not enough to stop her from running, she snorted in pain with each nip that was landed on her scales the sound of teeth scraping against them.

"I need to make it back to the herd or lose them" as blood trickled down her frill along with bloody footprints left behind in the dirt. The sound of loud footsteps and hissing coming behind her only made her want to run faster even if it hurt her legs, as she moved dodging under logs and rocks that the three cryos had problems getting through as she looked back seeing only one and it was Desolator and he was honing in on her location due to his loss of eyesight his hearing was extremely good and the scent of her blood was also helping.

As Charr kept running she was trying to get closer to the herd but she wasn't going to make it, the loss of blood and her being exhausted she had to stand and fight if she was going to get anywhere. Soon skidding to a halt she stopped planting her front feet into the ground as she kicked up her back feet and slammed them into Desolator who couldn't stop in time. The hit

landed! As the cryo backed up and shook his head from the hit letting out a hiss but this time Charr was turned around as she snorted, ramming her head into his chest area smacking him backwards as he lost his footing. As Desolator fell over landing harshly on the ground before getting up and shaking his feathers out, letting out one final hiss at Charr who returned it with a snort.

"go on get you blind overgrown lizard" she snorted, stomping her foot down, but as she did. Reaper and Riot had caught up to them, causing her to back up as she breathed heavily but just as the one was about to lunge at her a fast moving object rammed into them knocking Reaper into the tree causing him to let out a painful hiss. Followed by that Charrs eyes landed on the same purple scales she remembered from when she met those other stys.

It was Oculus, a loud roar left his throat as he lunged his large horn at the three predators before standing on his hind legs stomping downward towards them. The three hissed back as they narrowed their eyes and disappeared into the thick forest, as Charr watched them leave her vision began to fade in and out soon losing her ability to stand as she fell onto the ground mumbling

"I did it, I beat them" she said before mumbling and passing out. She had outrun them just in time and gave all she could with her fight landing a couple good hits on them, but the pain and blood loss was getting to her. But now she was safe with a familiar face what was next to come for Charr.