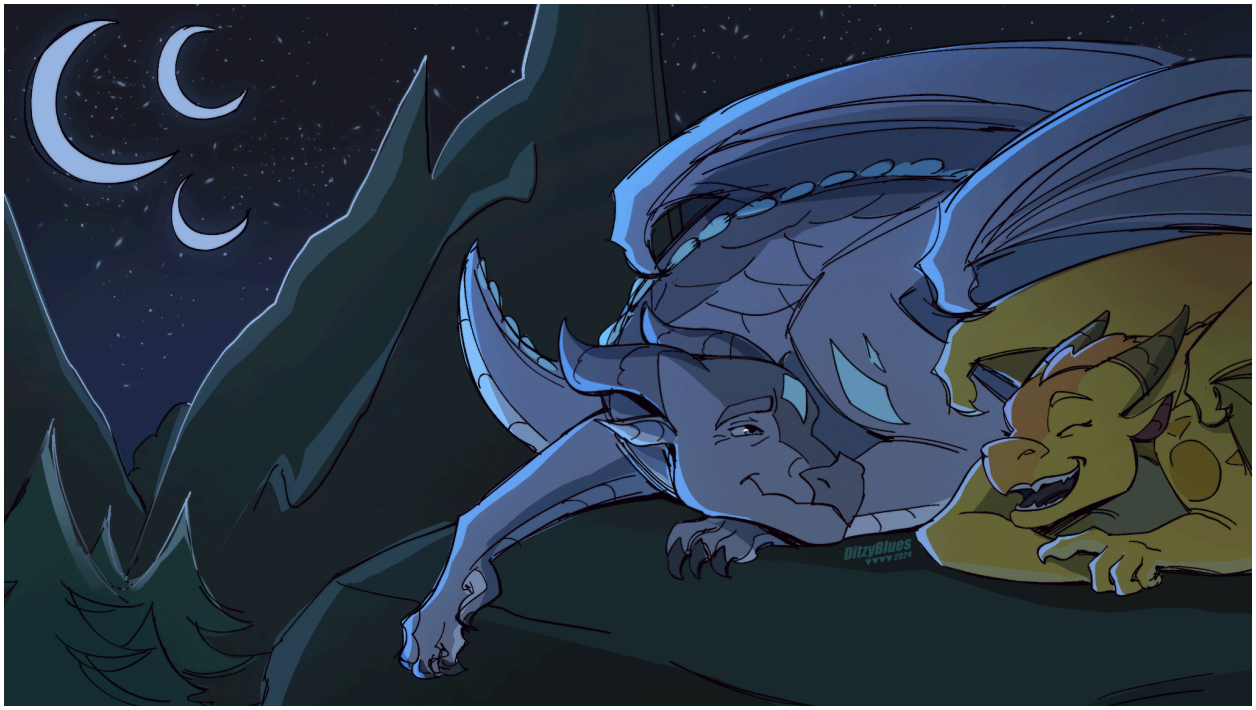


More Than Anything

A Sunny and Stonemover MAP

MAP Synopsis: This story takes place in an AU with Sunny and Stonemover, where the two have just met for the first time. Sunny wants to end the war with her ideas and hope, but Stonemover is at first hesitant due to the struggles he had with his own great plans in the past.

🌙 **SEND YOUR APPLICATIONS IN THE DISCORD SERVER. THE LINK TO IT IS LOCATED UNDER THE RULES. Read those *and* the part descriptions beforehand.**

RULES

1. ***DISCORD IS REQUIRED!*** This is for communication in the project. Everyone will be in the same space and easily able to connect with one another.

PLEASE DO NOT ASK IF YOU CAN JOIN WITHOUT DISCORD, BECAUSE THE ANSWER WILL ALWAYS BE NO.

2. Any animation/art style is accepted! (Frame by frame, tweening, 3D modeling, pixel art, puppetry, traditional, etc.) Just be sure to send examples in the format you intend to use!
3. No tracing anything made by another artist or heavily referencing another style without explicit permission from the creator. *AI usage of any kind is not permitted.*
4. Animators from *all* experience levels are allowed to submit an application request!
5. **Be sure the ONLY watermark that could appear is one for Flipaclip.** No other program watermarks are permitted. Do not include any personal ones either, as you will be properly credited onscreen by me.
6. No prior knowledge on the Wings of Fire book series is required as long as you follow the song, theme, and written part descriptions!
7. ***Although lip syncing is optional, it is highly encouraged.***
8. You must be able to submit a downloadable file or YouTube video of your finished part in the MAP server when it is complete!
9. ***Mandatory WIP postings WILL be required.*** On these dates, you must be able to provide some kind of an update. More information is in an upcoming section of the document.
10. You are allowed to collaborate with up to two different artists on your part, allowing for three in total! Have one person from your group send in an application for all of you. It must contain examples of each person's animations.
11. You may remake your part at any point. However, please notify me ahead of time if you plan on doing so. You must complete your remake before the final due date. If it is not done by then, your old part will be included in the final project no matter the status of your new one.

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Keep scrolling and read the part descriptions before submitting an application.

WIP POSTING INFO:

Mandatory WIP postings are dates in which you are required to send in your current progress for the part(s) you have.

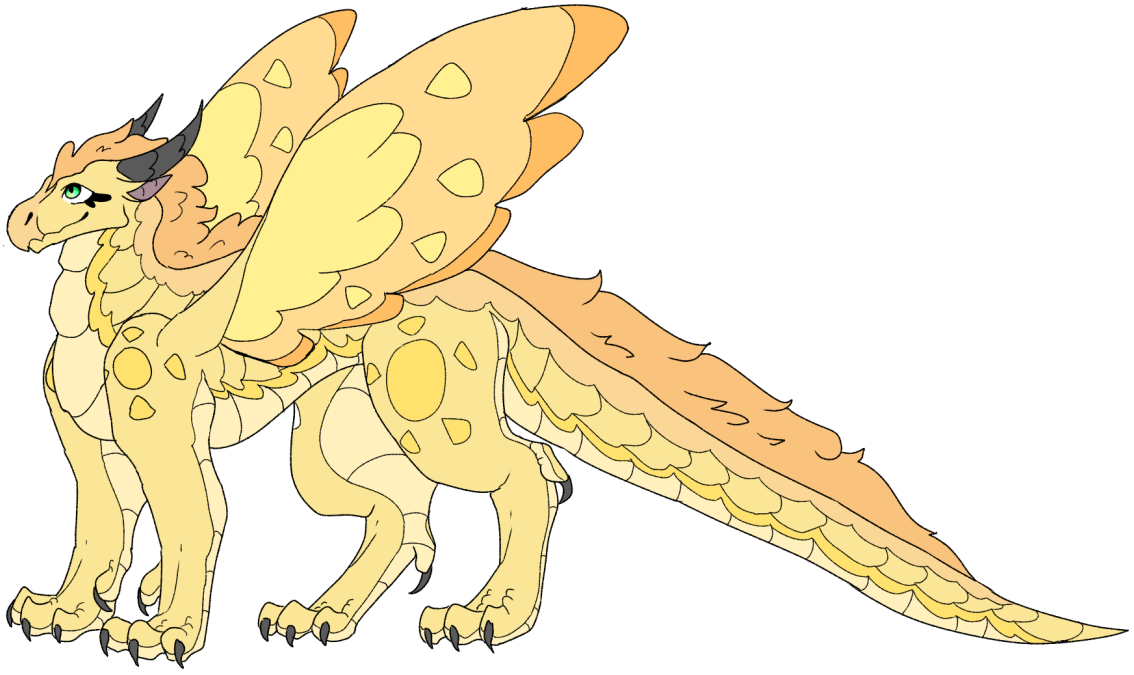
1st check-in: <u>January 31st, 2025</u>
Submit any progress you have made on your part(s). This can range from simple keyframes to sketches, lineart, fully colored pieces, bits of animation, or background work. Anything goes!

2nd check-in: <u>February 20th, 2025</u>
More progress will be expected on this date.

<u>FINAL DUE DATE: April 1st, 2025.</u>

<u>DESIGNS</u>

Below are the two designs you will be using for the MAP! They were created by Ears.



Sunny



Stonemover

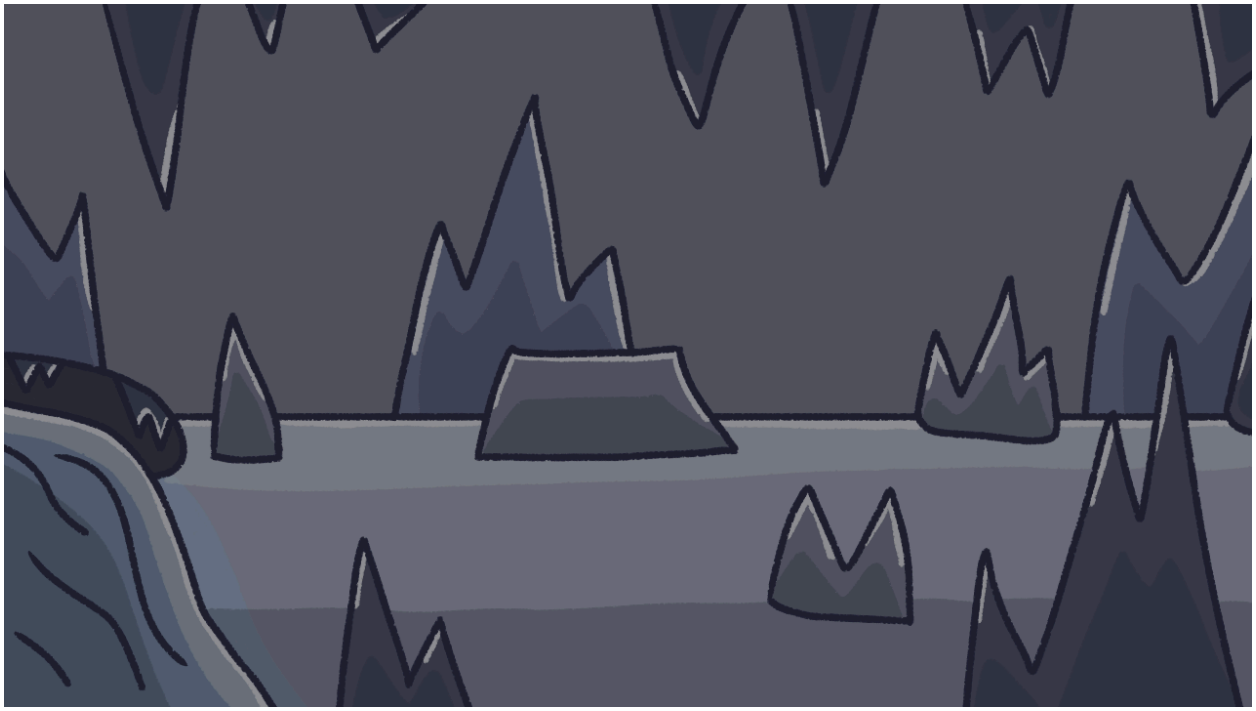
(Note: *Stonemover is able to move and stand in this project.*)

BACKGROUNDS

These are the backgrounds you will be using for your part! They were drawn and designed by IcyIciclesYT.



Stonemover's Cave



Dragonet Cave



NightWing Classroom

PART DESCRIPTIONS

You will be animating your part according to this written description, as well as the MAP's overall theme! Creativity is allowed, just run it by me in the server beforehand.

Any text in gray is one of Stonemover's lines.
Any text in yellow is one of Sunny's lines.
Any text in dark orange is sung by both Stonemover and Sunny in unison.

Part 1

"Charlie! You don't understand. Heaven never listens! They didn't listen to me – they won't listen to you."

Sunny is in Stonemover's cave, but the tension is high. The NightWing father has finally met the daughter he's always dreamed of having and loved, but her dreams seem too big – like his once were. Stonemover does not wish for Sunny to feel the same disappointment he did at seeing hope leave others. The tribe rejected his grand ideas and plans, and he fears the world will reject Sunny's ways to end the war too.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 2

"You don't know that!"
"I do!"

Stonemover's heart is broken at the thought of Sunny losing her hopes and dreams the way he did. He finally says it; he tearfully claims to know how the world will respond to her plans.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 3

"You didn't know that when I tried this all before..."

The part begins with Sunny and Stonemover in the cave. When Stonemover sings "When I tried this all before," we fade into a moment of the NightWing showing off his beautiful magic to the tribe in a classroom.

LOCATIONS: Stonemover's cave THEN FADE TO NightWing volcano

Part 4

"..my dreams were too hard to defend.

Several NightWings look at Stonemover with disgust, anger, or even fear. He looks so young and hurt as the crowd of nearby dragons moves away.

LOCATION: NightWing volcano

Part 5

"*And in the end, I won't lose it all again.*

(I'll be adding a fade transition between the previous part and this one.) A heartbroken Stonemover continues singing to Sunny, the same saddened expression on his face. *He's lost hope, and he doesn't want her to suffer as well.*

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 6

"*Now you're the only thing worth fighting for…*"

Stonemover smiles, slowly putting his talons on his daughter's. She looks at him with surprise and love, her eyes twinkling.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 7

"*…more than anything, more than anything.*"

Stonemover still holds talons with Sunny, singing passionately to his daughter.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 8

"*I'll shelter and adore you more than anything.*"

Stonemover looks at Sunny with adoring eyes, wanting to protect the daughter he's always wished he had. He can also rub a talon against her cheek.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 9

“Dad, I don’t need you to protect me from this!”
“I just don’t want you to be crushed by them like… like I was.”
“Dad…”

Sunny interrupts, leaning closer to her father. She wears a genuine expression, and Stonemover’s face softens.

LOCATION: Stonemover’s cave

Part 10

“When I was young, I didn’t really know you at all. I always felt so small.”

(I’ll be adding a fade transition between the previous part and this one.) We can see Sunny in the cave system she grew up in. She’s so small, and the little dragonet looks at a map of the Kingdom of Sand with longing, sad eyes. When the song says “I always felt so small,” we transition to Sunny sitting or standing with the other Dragonets of Destiny. They all look confident and large, but she appears tearful and tiny. You may create your own designs for the other Dragonets of Destiny, but have them match the MAP’s general color palette and theme.

LOCATION: Dragonet caves

Part 11

“But I heard your stories and I was enthralled.”

A young Sunny has a scroll open, and she looks at its pictures with a gaping mouth. Art of Stonemover is on the parchment.

LOCATION: Dragonet caves

Part 12

“The tales about your lofty dreams, I listened breathlessly.”

A young Sunny continues reading scrolls about Stonemover’s ideas, admiring the pictures with a new fire in her eyes.

LOCATION: Dragonet caves

Part 13

“Imagining it could be me!”

A young Sunny reads scrolls about Stonemover with happiness and excitement now in mind.

LOCATION: Dragonet caves

Part 14

“So in the end, it’s the view I had of you that showed me dreams can be worth fighting for.”

(I’ll be adding a fade transition between the previous part and this one.) Sunny is singing to Stonemover in the cave, confidently and lovingly sharing her vision with the dragon she has always admired.

LOCATION: Stonemover’s cave

Part 15

“...more than anything, more than anything.”

Sunny continues singing to her father, fueled with hope and passion.

LOCATION: Stonemover’s cave

Part 16

“I need to save my people more than anything.”

While Sunny continues singing, we see a flash of other SandWings (drawn/colored in the general palette or style of the MAP). She’s thinking about all the dragons she can save with her hope and ideas.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 17

"I've been dyin' to find out who you are."
"I've been waiting, wanting the same thing!"

Stonemover takes over singing, his face full of a joy he has not experienced for a long time. He smiles, admitting how he has longed to know about Sunny's life. She excitedly expresses how she feels the same!

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 18

"Looks like the apple doesn't fall far."
"Took you a while."
"I missed that smile."

The father and daughter passionately sing with each other, bouncing the lyrics back and forth. Sunny and Stonemover both smile with warmth at the final line.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 19

"All that I'm hopin', now that my eyes are open..."

Stonemover and Sunny sing in unison, their harmonies filling the cave.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 20

"..is that we can start again, not be pulled apart again."

Sunny and Stonemover continue singing together, taking each other by the talon with smiles and joy.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 21

"'Cause in the end, you are part of who I am."

The elated father and daughter continue singing in unison as they come closer to each other.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 22

"I'll support your dream, whatever lies in store."
"And who could ask for more?"

Stonemover is beside Sunny, the two now even more ecstatic than before. They're completely full of love and support.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 23

"More than anything, more than anything."
"More than anything, more than anything."

The father and daughter sing off of each other in complete peacefulness.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 24

"I'm grateful you're my (father) / (daughter) more than anything."

Stonemover and Sunny look at each other with a new (and returned) hope in each other's eyes.

LOCATION: Stonemover's cave

Part 25

“More than anything.”

They end the song together, feeling full and loved. When they’re finished singing, they smile at each other with serenity.

LOCATION: Stonemover’s cave

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