

Chapter 8- 28 dimensions away...

Elizabeth walked through the forest with the Wolf'spiders, looking for food.

The area wasn't very appropriate for this though, considering everything was ash. She walked through the area, the only smell being ash and burning wood. They all took a left then, and walked straight until they suddenly stopped.

Lizzy almost hit one of the Wolf'spiders, stopping just in time not to. She looked ahead of them, seeing normal solid ground.

She went around the now frozen wolves, waving her hand in front of one. The wolf then started to glow, making Lizzy back up a bit.

All four wolves started to glow as bright as two suns, blinding Lizzy, making her dizzy. She looked away from the wolves, and suddenly heard something. She looked back, only to find a blinding light draining from the wolves up to an unknown specimen.

She looked up, following the light until she found where it was going. She followed it up, and saw that the light was fading into space. She ran backwards, hoping to get a better view.

Suddenly, she watched the red smoke from the "ceiling" start to descend towards her, coming down almost rapidly. She screamed, wanting to run, but she knew that would be no good. The smoke was spinning. *Like a tornado*, she thought.

Red would REALLY love this place.

She watched the smoke come down. In about 5 seconds, she was hit with a wave of hot, swirling gas. She ran over to the Wolf'spiders, which weren't frozen anymore. She realized the light coming from the wolves earlier was now gone, and they were moving forward.

She quickly followed them, her lungs starting to burn from the gas. She started coughing, which alerted the Wolf'spiders in front of her.

They quickly turned around, watching her cough. They started using their legs and paws to communicate, lifting one up and down. She continued walking despite the circumstances, and the wolf spiders followed. They walked around her like a shield, and often glanced around them.

One of the wolves, Lilly, had noticed she was covering her mouth while she coughed. The wolf told the others to pause and lifted her front paws. Lilly closed her eyes and put her paws together, a light coming from in between them, and a mask appeared when she opened her paws.

Lizzy stared at the wolf in awe as Lilly made some ice appear as well. Lilly walked over to Lizzy, handing Lizzy the mask, while she gave one ice cube to each of the wolves and herself. She handed one to Lizzy before she put the mask on. Lizzy thirstfully took it, putting it in her mouth and letting the ice melt. When Lizzy finished her ice, she put the mask on.

Lizzy and the others walked for about two hours straight, finally taking an ice break before they resumed again. They walked another two hours, which Lizzy was exhausted at this point, and finally laid down.

The twisting wind of the atmosphere whirled around Lizzy, making her feel extremely hot. She laid down on the solid, light-brownish ground.

Lizzy put her hand on the ground immediately, and opened her eyes wide. She realized the ground was the same as Earth's. She took a handful of soil and put it in her pocket, saving it for later. Suddenly, the light from earlier came back, making Lizzy jump back in surprise.

The light from the wolves shined brightly, making Lizzy squint her eyes. The

gas from earlier was dissipating, the light swirling back into the atmosphere. Everything changed to what it was like before, and the wolves returned to normal.

Lizzy took the mask off and walked over to them, the wolves standing there like NPC's. The Wolf'spiders started to look around, and walked towards her. Lizzy realized how exhausted she was, so she sat down. The Wolf'spiders curled up against her, and soon fell asleep.

A few hours later, everyone was awake, and ready to continue walking. Lizzy felt as though something was wrong. A sense of unease swept along the air as they walked, the feeling getting more and more dense as they neared where they were going.

Soon they had come across a forest, not like the one before, where the trees were more like curtains, drooping from metal bars, relying on nothing but each other to keep them standing. Lizzy looked around in awe as she spotted several small creatures running around the bare ground, their odd, other worldly mutations making Lizzy step back in shock.

Oddly, Lizzy didn't see the Wolf'spiders trying to catch anything. Actually, they didn't seem interested in any of the other creatures. The other creatures didn't seem to mind them either, and just ignored them all together.

Suddenly, the Wolf'spiders just stopped.

Lizzy looked around in unease as they stood there, perfectly still. She didn't hear a single sound, and got nervous when she heard absolutely nothing. As the clock ticked, she got more and more nervous. She felt her eye start to burn, and she looked down at her hand. It was glowing blue.

Lizzy wanted to scream, to break the silence. But she wasn't able to. She was scared to. She stepped backwards. She opened her mouth. Nothing came out. She looked around for something, anything, but all she found was the curtain trees. She walked over to the wolves and shook them, trying to get some kind of reaction. Nothing.

Her hand was burning brighter now, her eye was about to die. She kicked the ground, shook one of the curtains to make some kind of sound- nothing worked. She ran back to the wolves, opening her mouth to say, "Help." Nothing came out again.

Finally she broke. Her hand was faced towards the ground, creating a massive portal below her and two of the wolves. Her eye was about to explode, glowing as bright as lightning.

She fell through the portal, screaming as a bright light overwhelmed her vision, the two wolves- Pumpkin and Scarlet- finally broke out of the ice too, howling in fear as they all passed out.

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a g a i n , a r e n ' t w e ?

Isn't this getting a little boring?

Why don't we make this a little more interesting?

Lizzy woke up in a completely different place. Everything was beyond gravity, and the universe was avowed chaos. The fracture holding reality apart deepened as the ecosystem of time ceases to exist.

T's but a scratch in my opinion.

The two wolves that fell through are somehow still in one piece, their complex mutations keeping them alive. Lizzy's eye was still burning, though the portal was made.

A hivemind of complicated calculations laid before them, filled with everything there ever was. Lizzy watched in awe as matter formed together before their very eyes, the atoms creating something out of nothing. All around them they watched things form and fade, from simple things like letters and numbers to complex equations like nuclear physics and chemistry for miles and miles wide. They're standing in a pitch black room, surrounded by these calculations.

Lizzy started walking, the Wolf'spiders following behind her. She realized as she walked, the physics of her very movements were following her, calculations forming and dissipating by every step.

After a few minutes, she started to feel overwhelmed. The numbers and graphs were swirling around her as the wolves randomly shut down. Lizzy looked back at them, running towards them to make sure they were okay. She shook them, but they fell back to the ground, completely limb. She yelled, but immediately stopped when a display of math and musical notes and sheets blocked her vision.

She put her hands over her eyes, but the bright effects of the infinite room of equations stayed put. She looked at the ground while covering her eyes, alarmed by the sudden sound of music. She glanced upwards, and was met with DNA of billions and billions of different sounds, followed by the complicated equations used to make them.

Her eye and hand started glowing even brighter as the area started to shift into colors. When she looked up again, she was met with unimaginable colors, too much for the human mind to comprehend.

When the energy in her hand and eye finally burst, she fell to the ground next to the wolves, having blacked out. They fell through the portal once again, this time, though, they fell out.

When Lizzy woke up, she didn't even try to find out where she was. There was no way to tell. She found herself in a void that went on for miles and miles, though in front of her was a long line of *something*.

How long have I been here? She wondered.

Out of nowhere, a strange force of gravity flung her and the wolves into the unknown something, the feeling as though being in a portal.

When she had arrived, though, she didn't know what she would find. She heard a small tune, an airy whistle she'd only heard from one person.

“...Red?”

To be continued...