

Ample Field

Von Noemi_Tenshi

Kapitel 6: Paranoid Eyes

Title: Ample Field

Author: Noemi Tenshi

Characters: Xanatos, OC's, Jedis, Sith,...

Genre: Romance, Angst (?), Adventure, Dark

Timeframe: After Summernights Dream

Disclaimer: Only the persons who doesn't show up in books, movies, etc. belong to me.

Summary: Everybody has problems with their loved one's. But sometimes it is just a ample field

Part: 6/?

Chapter Six – Paranoid Eyes

Button your lip. Don't let the shield slip.

Take a fresh grip on your bullet proof mask.

And if they try to break down your disguise with their questions

You can hide, hide, hide

[© Pink Floyd, Paranoid Eyes]

Nathalie sighed. She was now free for four weeks. But what freedom it was! She had nothing. Nobody wanted to give her work. And she caught herself thinking that it would have been better if she hadn't left and just married that prick. But then she scolded herself for thinking that.

Her wish had come true. Now she just needed an opportunity to enjoy the freedom. Until now all she had done (could have done) was begging for food and trying to find a dry sleeping place. This had to stop. This was no life. But she didn't know how to stop it.

She had no education and after the first week she started to look dirty, obscene even, because she had no opportunity to wash herself with clean water. And her chances to get a job sank even further. She needed a bath and clothes. But where to get those? Her life was getting from bad to worse.

Xanatos came to a rest at the large waterfalls. Physically at least. But his thoughts were swirling. What had he done? Why had he done it? Even in the time of the trial

and the Jedi investigation he hadn't been that violent! And the things he had called Lyn...!

He needed to find her. Needed to tell her tht what he had said wasn't true.He had to before he would lose her.

He took a deep breath and concetrated. The soothing sound of the waterfall calmed him and he began to relax. After a while he sank into meditation. He let the force suround him. Let it guide him.

Where is Lyn?, he asked, *Where is she?*

But the force didn't answer. He searche dthe whole planet for her signature; even if she wasn't force-sensetive he could always find her. But not now. For a split seconde he fearedshe was dead. But then he concluded that if she was, he would have felt it. Would have known it.

And suddenly the force send an image to him. A ruthless woman, destroying everything, an insane gleam in her eyes. Besides her two other women. Insane as the first one. Red, brown and black her twirling around them. It with a start he realised the first woman was Lyn. And then the image disappeared.

This had been a vision. His second vision in his life. He hadn't believed in visions as he was still an Apprentice. That was why he ignored his first vision. And that had turned out gruesome. It had destroyed his life. So he took this one serious. He had to find Lyn before she became this... thing! Maybe she was by her friend. After what happened it would be only natural to go to her. He opened his eyes and got up. It was time to pay Katja a visit.

"Katja's not here" said one of the maidservants, "She hasn't come to work for four weeks." Xan furrowed his eyebrows. "And why hasn't anyone searched for her until now?"

"Oh no, sir. You misunderstood. She quit. Samuel gave us her resignation paper"

"Samuel? Can I speak with him?"

"Well... he isn't here. His shift will start in the evening"

"Thank you" he murrmured leaving the palast. He was deep in thoughts as he walked away. And only the warning of the force prevented him from bumping into a girl.

"Excuse me" she said. Xanatos sneered at her and than he stared. This girl... it was one of the other woman in his vision! She had a blank white face, black her and blue eyes, but so unlike his own. His were a hypnotizing clear blue. But hers resembled two dark storms. And the force swirled around her, uncontrolled. "Nothing happened" he replied, buffled from her strength in the force. She wasn't trained, he could tell. But if she were...! By the looks of it she wasn't only untrained but also unemployed and in need of a shelter. That gave him an idea.

"Do you need work?" he asked bluntly.

The girl narrowed her eyes but she nodded.

"I could give you work. If you agreed to become my apprentice"

"Your apprentice, *sir?*"

She mistrusted him. And 'Apprentice' didn't sound like she would have many rights.

"Yes, I'm going to teach you things you can't even imagine!"

"*Things?*" the girl asked, "*What things?*"

Xanatos smiled, feeling her resistance crumble.

"These kind of things" he said and send her a powerfull forcewave.

Her eyes lit up.

"I need a sleeping place. And money. And I don't want to be under your control,

meaning if I want to go I go" she demanded. Xanatos nodded.
"And I wont call you Master or some shit like that. Ever"