The Dark Flier & The Falcon Knight

Pilot: Two beloved Orchids

In a distant land their lived a kind King and his two Daughters Anastasia and Veronica the royal family was beloved by the people and the King always put his People first The King wished to set a good example for his Daughters when they would be able to Rule

Anastasia & Veronica were incredibly close to one another they would spend hours playing together in the castle Garden or staying up late at night reading books in the Grand Library

But as the two grew up they slowly began to drift apart Anastasia would develop a passion for the art of combat and politics while Veronica would invest herself in the arts of alchemy science and the arts despite this there was one thing that both sisters

Shared

And that was their love for Pegusi these proud noble beasts were all over the kingdom The King loved his daughters so much he granted both of them a Pegusi on their shared birthday

Anastasia's Pegusis was a bluish silver color with a golden mane Anastasia named her Elisa Veronica was given an Ebony Pegasus with a hot Pink mane she named him Endrance the two sisters adored their new friends they would then make a shared pact to become Pegasus Knights

But these good times were not to last for the kingdom would soon be attacked and the King would be assassinated Veronica and Anastasia would flee the Kingdom with the help of their servants but in the Chaos they would be separated

Anastasia would flee to the North and Veronica to the South and this is where our story begins

End of Pilot

Veronica's Path Episode 1: The Downfall of a Princess

As i rode through the Skies atop Endrance's back my Retainer clung to me soon we landed and rested from the great ordeal

In truth i am concerned for my Sister she has always been the stronger one but yet i can't help but worry my Retainer's name is Samson he is a Butler meaning he is well versed with knives and if the need should arise he can tend to my wounds with a stave he has scruffy pink hair and dresses in white and orange cream colored Butler's attire

Samson smiles and begins to check my body for any sign of injury and thankfully i'm fine

Samson: My lady shall i check the map for the nearest town

Veronica: yes please I do know we flew south but i don't think we crossed the border into Eventros just yet

Samson would then proceed to check the map i would look to Endrance he had flown so far i was worried for him

I inspected Endrance's wings and body and thankfully he was alright i smiled knowing that he was so strong and capable i then went over to Samson and he was able to deduce that we were close to a town simply known as Grim it's a Dark lawless town ruled by the Feronse Family

I knew from my history lessons that the Feronse Family was best known for their military connections and a rocky relationship with my Father it would probably be best to avoid the town all together but sadly i don't think i have that Luxury

So Samson and i made our way to Grim i had a bad feeling the whole way to Grim and when we arrived we stood out like sore thumbs our noble attire was a blatant giveaway and Grim was horrible devoid of all happiness and love it was like walking amongst a graveyard

Soon the three of us were approached by a rather unsavory individual it became clear to me that he was a thief and a strong one at that

Thief: my my what a beautiful flower we have here and she's accompanied by a flying mule and a toady hehe how delightful care to spare some change miss

Samson: back away from my Lady you oaf i will not let you intimidate her

Samson was ready to fight holding a pair of knifes in his hands meanwhile i was completely frozen i didn't know what to do

The Thief laughed and then punched Samson in the face causing him to drop to the floor i went to his side worried for him

The Thief then began to laugh and pulled out his ax he then chuckled trying to intimidate us i was completely frozen with fear but from out of nowhere Endrance used his hindlegs to knock this idiot flat onto his ass

At this moment i grabbed my spear and held it to this bastards throat

Veronica: leave us alone don't you dare lay a finger on my Companion

The thief chuckled saying

Thief: hehe your dumb as hell my ax will slash your puny stick in two

Veronica: Have you ever heard of an Ax Reaver?

At that remark his face froze with fear and the intent to kill only made things worse for this puny puny man

He ran away his tail between his legs i then took a breath and helped Samson to his feet

Samson: impressive work my lady i am glad you were able to scare him off

Veronica: me too if it weren't for Endrance i don't know what i would have done he's the real hero I hugged Endrance and he smiled letting out a whinny the three of us then continued to move on our way this entire town was a nightmare that was until we were approached by a handsome well dressed man with shimmering blue hair that was tied into a braid his eyes were a beautiful color of pink

He was clad in dark purple and blue armor with a scarf wrapped around his neck his smile was kind and he was handsome

????: my my your certainly out of place in this rough and tumble town can i be of assistance

Veronica: oh umm...

My tongue felt swollen i became flustered i didn't know what to say

Samson: excuse me sir if i may my Lady is incredibly tired and requires rest we have been traveling such a long way

????: i see then might i suggest you all come with me to my home it's certainly much safer then the inns of this town plus i'm sure any thief would love a chance to claim your steed and i hate for any harm to come to him

I then nodded my head i was afraid i would stumble if walked on my own so i got atop Endrance and just being above his back made me feel so much better and soon this lovely man was leading us towards a lovely house it was fairly humble their was a gated yard that was almost picturesque

But yet i felt a strange foreboding Samson sensed my distress and took hold of my hand giving it a soft

squeeze Endrance waited outside and began to graze on the grass Samson and i soon entered the house it was fairly delightful i took a seat in the living room and began to relax

Samson sat beside me i was still wary something wasn't right about this our host soon left to get refreshment and Samson began to do the one thing he knew would calm me down

He pulled out a special comb that my Father gave to me and begins to brush my hair in a calm and slow motion and this made me feel so much better it had to be the comb that could do this to me it's only ever this comb i've tried brushes but they always felt incredibly strange soon Samson began to stop taking hold of my hand again

Veronica: thank you Samson i really needed that

Samson: it's an honor my lady it's what i've spent my life learning how to do to be by your side and serve as well as protect you

????: i hope i'm not interrupting anything but i made tea

Samson: allow me to pour the cups

Samson then began to pour the cups of tea and our host sat across from us

I blew on my tea a bit before saying

Veronica: so can we please know your name sir

????: my name isn't important

Veronica: well it just seems you have something to hide

????: maybe i do try the tea

It was odd as i was about to sip the Tea Samson slapped it out of my hand i then jumped to my feet and i saw Samson was acting strange

Samson: mistress..... Poison....

Samson then passed out i then grabbed my spear and this man pulled out his sword and with lightning speed disarmed me i then fell to my knees completely terrified

Vince: i guess now is a good time to share my name i am Vincent Feronse and i think you should look outside My heart was racing i then took a look out the window and saw Endrance being forced into a cage my heart then sank i then turned back towards

Vincent who was standing over me in a menacing tone and he handed me a cup of tea

Vincent: your gonna want to drink this

Veronica: You want to kill me?

Vincent: oh no this is just packed full of very powerful sleeping weed now drink up

I then took the Tea and drank it all within seconds i began to feel so incredibly tired soon passing out while unconscious i heard some interesting things though i couldn't make sense of any of it

Soon i awoke in a bed dressed in a beautiful pastel pink and lavender dress my dark purple hair was in a braid with a added bow i then looked around the room it was a very delightful room it was similar to the one i had at the palace only the furniture seemed cheap almost like a physical forgery

I took a deep breath and got out of bed and began to look around to my surprise i found that the door led to an entire living area with a single door i went over and tried it only to find an intimidating guard on the other side he looked down at me and said

Guard: i am sorry my dear but i am not permitted to let you leave not at this time

I quickly closed the door and began looking around the living space my mind was filled with worry for

Samson and Endrance soon i found Samson he was resting in a sitting room i was able to rouse him

Samson: Mistress, I'm so happy to see you where are we?

Veronica: i don't know Samson i woke up here same as you i'm really worried about Endrance we need to find him

Samson: i agree my lady just give me a sec to-

Samson then stood up and began to check his pockets to his horror he looked to me and said

Samson: Mistress my knives and stave are missing what of your lance?

It then dawned on me i began to check my person and sure enough my lance was gone we had no way of defending ourselves and where was Endrance

Soon i heard Vincent's voice i came out into the main room and saw him the monster that put me here

Samson stood between him and me Vincent chuckled to himself before saying

Vincent: greetings Veronica i'm only here to say welcome to my lovely dungeon

Veronica: dungeon?

Vincent: yes you see my Mother has been pressuring me to take a wife and the pickings in this shit hole are slim until you showed up fallen Princess

Veronica: so you know who i am?

Vincent: yes my family had a part in taking down your Father it was unexpected that you'd show up here but i assume you were trying to cross the border witch is a fate worse then death at this point

Veronica:.. So you want me to be your wife

Vincent: yes however to make sure you don't try to run away i have moved your flying mule to a certain location if you want him back then your gonna have to prove your loyalty to me so every night for 6 months i will come down here and we will socialize all your needs will be provided for so let us begin

I agreed to Vincent's terms i had no other choice with Samson by my side i was able to remain calm Vincent was interesting well educated and caring 2 months in

he shared almost everything with me but one day he came to my cell with blood staining his clothes and face when i asked him about it he said that he was torturing several prisoners for information and that sent a chill up my spine

If Vincent was that way with people he hated could he do the same with me so for the remainder of my time i felt like i had a knife to my neck the whole time

In time Vincent began to show me his true colors a sadistic abusive yet traditional man who saw me nothing more as a trophy he eventually started introducing "treatments" to make me better whippings restraints and other such things he stated that this was so i could be a better lover for him

But on the fifth month my will became broken i barely spoke Vincent became my whole world and Samson

became my sunshine i worried for Endrance during my entire stay on the sixth month Vincent allowed me to leave my cell he also stated that we would be married on that same day i dared not defy him

I was taken to my new room in a beautiful mansion once in my room Samson helped me prepare for my wedding and then we were led to the courtyard where the entire wedding venue waited Samson helped me down the isle i saw Vincent's mother she seemed like a sweet and gentle women but knowing Vincent she could be just as deadly as he was

The wedding went on without incident during the final moment Vincent placed a black and silver diamond choker around my neck it was my engagement ring Vincent also told me that this Choker was charmed so i could never defy him he stated that

it was insurance i nearly cried at the Reception i was mostly silent and forlorn about my life

Vincent then took me to the stables and i was hoping i could see Endrance but to my surprise Endrance wasn't there i looked to Vincent and for the first time i got to see a look of sadness

Vincent: sadly your beloved companion died of a broken heart two days ago

i cried but then i heard a whinny that sounded familiar Vincent then led me to a stall that held a small ebony colt with a hot pink mane with a streak of blue the little colt looked so much like Endrance

Vincent: you see your companion did spend time with one of your mares and this guy happened his wings

are still developing my dear but i knew this would make you happy

I went into the stall and bonded with this sweet Colt he seemed to naturally trust me and i adored him i named him Ronoah and the world just became brighter but little did i know about the hardship that awaited me

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