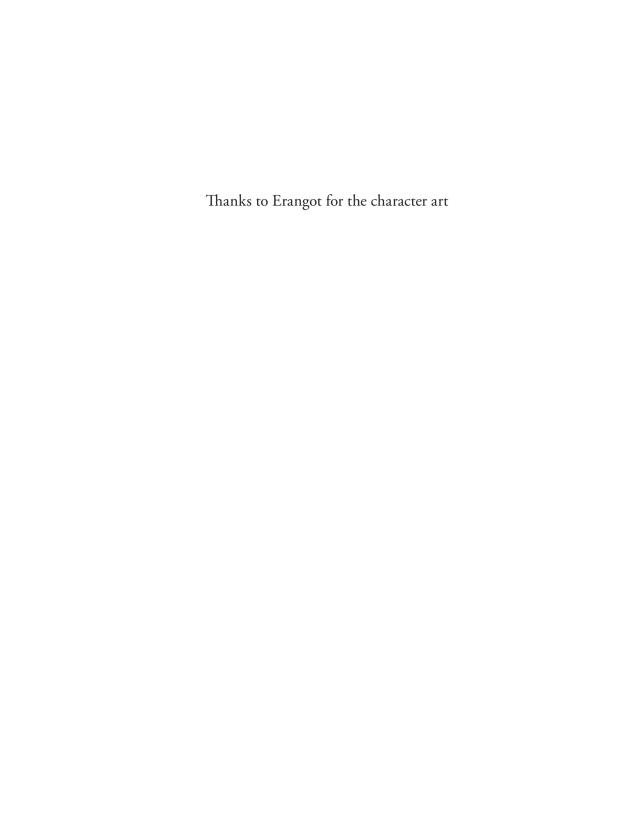


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Name: Okami Hyou

Class: Ninja

A ninja who is part of Chi Tsugi clan. Trained under the finest known ninja or so she claims. What Okami lacks in intelligence she takes it back with her physical strength.

Name: Kitsune Class: Kung-Fu

A Kung-Fu user who is part of Rai Tsugi clan. Can barrage her opponents with bare fists and claws like no tomorrow. Trained under the Kung-Fu master and it shows.

Name: Mahou Class: Mage

A mage who is part of Yami Tsugi clan. She is also a somewhat modest person but still sometimes ends up bragging how powerful she is. However she lusts for more power like most who belong to Yami Tsugi clan.

Name: Butsu

Class: Archeologist

An archeologist who is part of Rai Tsugi clan. Her true power is her intelligence and knowledge which she uses with a great effect. Also she is more than just an archeologist.





Class: Technomage

A Technomage who is part of Rai Tsugi clan. Has a headset with a fake cat ears. Also sometimes believes to be a cat which makes others to call her weirdo at times.



Name: Deaux Class: Vampire

Bastardo's sister. A mysterious villain who constantly follows Okami for a some strange reason. Belongs to Vampire clan.



Name: Bastardo

Class: Swords Man / Dark Mage

Deaux's brother. One day hopes to have an entire vampire clan for himself.

## Chapter I – The Sleepless Night

Who was that man on the doorstep? Okami Hyou didn't especially care, until she saw a money pouch he had.

"Who are you?" asked Okami.

"Nobody, I'm just a humble traveller." said the stranger.

Then began the awkward moments of silence. Okami Hyou didn't knew what to say or how to make up an excuse to get paid for her trouble as the stranger's money pouch seemed to be full of gold coins.

Suddenly Okami notices that the stranger has slipped in when she was pondering the situation and had some Bread and Sake with him. Even though Okami kept it in secret, she is a quite drinker when it comes to Sake.

"Can I have some too?" asked Okami.

"Sure, it was yours after all." said the stranger.

"So, are you planning to pay for that too?" intrigued Okami asked.

"Nope." said the stranger.

Okami is not the brightest person in the world but even she understood that the stranger is just a plain old freeloader.

Not that the actual person looked even that old.

"Give me your gold pouch or else!" said Okami with her "threatening" voice.

"Or else what?" asked the stranger.

Okami readied her Katana as a air on the room became thick of tension. Such impressive display should surely make the stranger give his gold pouch or at least leave in panic.

"You have no idea who you are talking to, do you?" said the stranger with an arrogant voice.

"I don't especially care on this situation." hastily replied Okami.

"I'm a powerful demon disguised as a human. You are better to do whatever I say

as you invited me in and thus I have the authority over your existence." said the stranger.

"Do you think I'm that stupid?" Okami said pridefully as his intelligence is not renown around the world.

"What's going on?" asked Kitsune who barged to room after she just woke up.

"Our "guest" says that he is a demon." happy Okami replied.

Kitsune knew that when she is not around. Okami is bound to do something stupid as usual. Quickly she came up with the plan.

"So, the stranger does not mind a duel to determine if he is a powerful demon or not?" inquired Kitsune.

Stranger heard that loud and clear. His bluff was called and now he is in a trouble. Unless he can come up with something good before it looks like he is thinking what to say.

"I should just be going. I have no time for such a lowly mortals." said the stranger as an attempt to bluff.

"But I insist." said Kitsune.

"Also you should know that we are not exactly mortal anymore." added Kitsune.

"If he is a powerful demon, why he didn't sense our demonic essence?" wondered Okami.

"Only one way to be sure." said Kitsune.

"Oh well, it will be hard to clean the blade of all that blood after we are done." said oddly eager Okami.

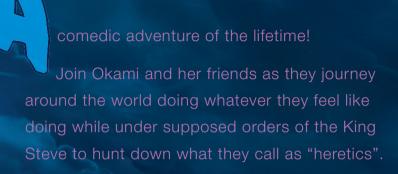
"Okay, okay, I beg you. Spare me!" begged the suddenly fearful stranger.

"Definitely not a demon." said Kitsune.

"Maybe he is a weak half-breed one?" wondered Okami.

"Look. I'm just a plain old thief trying to get his living by barking to rich houses and demanding service. I once did found about this book which Okami had written about her past adventure and used the tale as an role model to become a thief. Just like Okami."

"There is a huge difference, let me tell you!" said Okami,



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