

# FOX Tales

**A Dreamvale Story by Zoey Hooyman**



**Name:** RedTail

**Age:** 33

**Species:** Kobald

**Gender:** Female

**Home Planet:** Coalen



## Personality Traits

- Cunning
- Whimsical
- Selfish Loyal
- Sharp-Tongued
- Hides guilt
- Quick to joke
- Loves animals and treasures
- Deflects sorrow

## Abilities

- No powers
- Good at picking locks
- Good at pickpocketing
- Has many animals on her back

## Moral Alignment

Chaotic Evil

## Dream(s)

To return what she stole without losing herself

## Fear(s)

People seeing through her fake confidence

**Backstory:** Redtail grew up in a coal warren forced to steal to survive, she doesn't really know her family, when she was old enough to run away she kept many animals she deemed as unique or special even if it was a simple crow, she carries multiple things she has stolen without really knowing what they did or their value

# Coalen



Green Bison



Radioactive Coal

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| Coordinates (x, y) | 13,000, 3,000                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Government Type              | Monarchy                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Population         | 50,000                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Intergalactic Disposition    | Cautious                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Terrain            | Coal, rough rocks                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Primary Race(s)              | Depends on where you go but mainly huge Dragon shifters that live in huge fancy cities with zero regard to the other races that don't have that much riches                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Climate            | hot                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Primary Resource/ Technology | Mainly coal (hence the name) there are so many different types of coal, normal coal, radioactive coal, coal with amber in it, and the rarest type of coal are the ones with bubbles of water in them                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Size               | 2.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Description                  | Coalen is a Earth like planet but it is more closer to the sun which makes it more hot then the original Earth, there is lots of plants and animals that are either corrupted by the virus called Butius that is caused by the radioactive core, Coalen has lots of unique races with all different jobs. Goblins are the lowest race and are forced to serve any higher race without a second thought. The second lowest are Trolls their job is to guard the higher races. The third lowest are Fairies their job is to be healers and make medicines, the middle race are Kobolds, they are forced into the mines and harvest the resources of Coalen which lots of the mines are close to the core which means lots and lots of Kobolds die at a young age which over many many years Kobolds evolved to have shorter life spans, yet the Kobolds are still able to have higher power in the history of Coalen there were a few Kobold Royalty. The highest race are the Dragon Shifters, they don't have jobs and mainly live in huge fancy cities |
| Planetary Wildlife | Lots of animals but were corrupted by the core that is slowly killing the life on Coalen. The rarest animal on Coalen are The Green Bison, they are huge Bison that are a radioactive green color from eating the infected plants |                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

# The Lamp of Vengeance

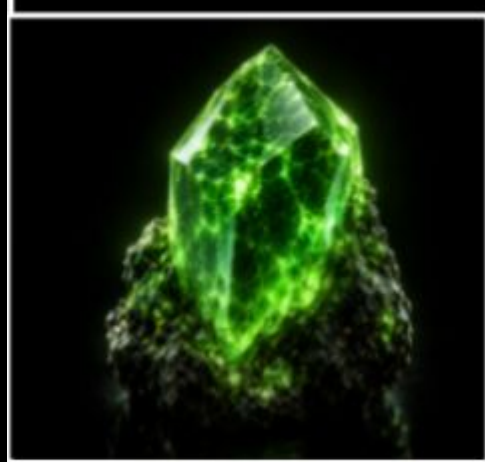


## The Dark Planet



Tracker & Stun Stick

## Plodian



Plodite

**Origin Story:** when Coalen was still healthy three powerful beings set off to space and came back with two things from very far away no one knew what they did but the leader of the group noticed that the green crystal was glowing a sickly green and while studying the crystal they found an old coal mine oil lamp in rubble of a coal mine and delighted to make the weird crystal into a powder and put it into the lamp and set it on fire creating The Lamp of Vengeance and they added a weird glowing stick into it and that made it have the ability to stun anyone the fire touches

**Appearance:** its glowing a sickly green with faint hints of blue flickering around the fire, it lights up anything from very far away, it looks like an old oil lamp

### ● Light

The Lamp always glows a sickly green which doesn't do anything really but acts as a normal light. It glows from the light emitted by Plodite.

### ◆ Growing Moss

The lamp is able to grow moss on any type of rock it sits on and it only works on rocks. In doing so, it helps to bring life back to the planet.

### ★ Stun Fire

The fire inside the Lamp is able to stun anyone it touches. This comes from the abilities of the Stun Stick found on the Dark Planet.

# Chapter 1: High Birds Beak



I don't remember my family; all I can remember is the feeling of my mom's arms wrapped around me when she sold me to the Dragon Shifters. For barely enough money to buy a house big enough for a family of kobolds. Growing up, I never knew what love was, let alone pure warmth. I was forced into the coal mines at a very, very young age, forced to slave away. The other Kobolds my age all died very soon when I got there. I was convinced I was the cause of their deaths, so I made sure I was never around other young Kobolds. When one day our master, a very tall and handsome Dragon Shifter named Aldre Ruck, walked in and told me that he had chosen a proper name for me, RedTail, since out of all the other fox Kobolds I was the only one with a red tail, while yes the name wasn't exactly unique or anything I was happy to have a name other than "Kobold Girl". I was maybe around sixteen when I saw a creature scurry into the mine and steal the fish that I caught, and that fueled my obsession. The planet I live on is called Coalen. It is a warm planet with a radioactive core and a dark sky. When I was old enough to learn about what happened to the young Kobolds, I was disgusted; they were all affected by the core. When I turned eighteen, Aldre had said the day before that I would make good babies, which creeped me out, so I packed everything I owned, which wasn't a lot, and I said goodbye to the older Kobold, a smaller male lion Kobold named "SunMane." He was super old, but he was like everyone's grandpa. He seemed freaked out that I was leaving, but quickly ran to his room and came back with a map, a knife, and a pouch of cold coins, and he gave them to me and told me to follow the map to the High Bird Beak north of the biggest Dragon Shifter city. In the dead of the night, I ran away and followed the map. It had been days since I ran away, but the whole time I kept thinking about my family and what they looked like and how they would react if I found them. When I got to the High Birds Beak, I was tired. I had been walking for maybe a month at this point when I suddenly ran into a tree and fell backwards on my butt. But I got back up and looked up to see the High Birds Beak. Two huge mountains that look like a massive bird beak, which I knew that I was supposed to look around for, something that SunMane said was like the rushing river at sundown, which I've never seen anything like what he said. So I was lost.

# Chapter 1: High Birds Beak continue



For days, I walked around the mountains until I saw a crystal clear river, which on Coalen is extremely rare to find a body of water that clear. I immediately stripped down to nothing, set my stuff down super close to the water so I could grab it, and walked into the body of water to clean up. It had to be the best feeling I've ever felt! It was cool, which helped with the heat of Coalen. When I suddenly heard a loud booming roar from above, and when I looked up, I saw this massive brown and gold dragon fly above me, which I recognized as Aldre's dragon form. I quickly duck under the water to hide from his sight. Luckily, Aldre didn't notice me and flew past. I waited under the water for a few minutes, but I couldn't hold my breath for long, so I had to surface to breathe. After I made sure it was safe to get out of the water, I got changed, packed my stuff up, and made sure there weren't any hints of me. Days later, I found a huge meadow that was a dark green color. I stayed in the trees surrounding the open area so no one could see me. Just as I was about to turn around and walk away, I heard a low grunt, and when I looked to see what made the noise, I saw the most beautiful thing ever... A Green Bison. Rare creatures that are surprisingly not aggressive at all. The Bison in front of me was a massive bull with horns that curled up like an eagle's open beak and ended with a glowing green orb in the middle of the horns. He was truly gorgeous. He was very clearly the leader of the herd behind him. I reached up to pet his nose, but he snorted, which made me jump from the sudden noise. When I calmed down, I looked behind his massive body and saw his herd... almost all of the adults were cows. They were much smaller than the bull, but still had the same green color. Their horns were smaller but much sharper. I looked around more and saw a few calves nursing from their moms, which made me remember the last thing I can recall of my mom: the warmth of her arms, the sound of her heartbeat, the soft lullaby she hummed to me while I nursed from her for the last time. I looked away from the calves and cows, turned, and walked away from the herd.

# Chapter 2: Twisted body

Inspired by mlp infection AUs



I was setting up camp in a cave one night when I suddenly heard what could only be described as bones cracking, water drops hitting the floor, hoofs on the cave floor, ragged breathing... I knew what it was... It was an infected horse, infected by the core and a virus called, The Twisted Body. When I looked behind me, I saw this horse with bones sticking out everywhere; its spine had been clearly twisted multiple times, the jaw dragging on the floor, the eyes hollow and leaking blood, the hoofs were sharp and almost like spikes, the mane and tail long and stained with blood, the ribs were poking out like a cage wrapped in tight fabric, the skin looked like it was ripped paper and the worst part... the horse was crazy tall and violent. I didn't know what to do; I couldn't fight it. I didn't have any form of magic! I was trapped in this cave with a horse looking for its next victim...

I looked around and saw a heavy-looking rock near me. I picked it up and threw it at the horse. It hit the horse right in its face, but the horse didn't move at all; it just puked some gross, glowing, neon green gloop. Just as I was going to grab another rock, the horse let out a roar and charged at me with pure murder in its eyes. I saw a world where I grew up with my mom in a nice cottage in the woods, where I would help her harvest crops and help with the plants, just as the horse was close to attacking me. Suddenly, the same bull I met days ago ran in and used his horns to stab the horse right in its chest. After the bull dragged the horse away, I noticed his eyes seemed sad and hollow. I looked behind him to see no cows or calves. The horse had murdered the bull's entire herd, and he was hunting it for revenge, and he got that revenge, but that didn't bring back his herd or his calves. I felt bad for him; he had to have spent many years growing his herd, and the horse just took them all from him without a second thought. Days later, the bull had joined me in my adventure. I did what SunMane had told me to do. I went to High Birds Beck, but nothing happened. What did he want me to find or do!? I was lost. SunMane didn't tell me what to do after I got here; he just told me to find the High Bird's Beak, and that's it! Just as I was about to give up, I saw a little glowing mouse in the bushes eating something. I hopped down from the bull's back and slowly approached the mouse to pounce on it for at least something to eat because I'm

## Chapter 2: Twisted Body continue



starving! Just as I was about to pounce on the mouse, it saw me and ran away, so I quickly got down on all fours and ran like a wild fox chasing its prey. I ran for a while until the mouse ran into an old abandoned building in the middle of the woods. I've never seen a building this big and abandoned, so I stood up and walked inside to look around. I grabbed the knife SunMane gave me in case someone was there, and I needed to defend myself. When I walked in, it was huge. The walls were lined with shelves, with these weird-looking blocks stacked next to each other. It was beautiful! I walked over to one of the shelves and grabbed a block; it opened, revealing pages covered in scribbles. SunMane had told me about these things called books, and that the scribbles on them were words I had never learned how to read or write, so I didn't know what these books said on them. I decided to set up camp here for the night. As I'm clearing out an area on the ground for me to put my sleeping bag, I hear the sound of twigs snapping, glass breaking, grass moving, and the sound of hoofs on the wooden floor. I gripped my knife, ready for a fight, but when I looked around, I saw the bull. He had followed my scent into the building! I let out a quiet laugh, "Bull, you're going to get us caught with all that noise!" I said while rubbing the spot between his green eyes. He pushed his head into my touch, seeming to love getting petted. As I finish setting up camp and am ready to lie down, just as I'm about to crawl into my sleeping bag, the Bull flopped down onto the entire sleeping bag, leaving none for me! I tried to push him a bit, but he was heavy, and I couldn't move him at all, so I gave up and sighed and leaned against his big, fluffy side and fell asleep right there.

## Chapter 3: Survival



The next day, when I woke up, I saw a big, fat, juicy rat sitting nearby with its back to me. I instantly pounced on it and caught it. Finally, I caught my first prey in the wild without anyone fighting me! I gathered some books and old wood and tossed them into a pile, and used a few rocks I found to create a spark of fire. I roasted the fat over the fire, making sure to cut off the ears, tail, and legs because they don't really have any good meat on them. When it was cooked enough, I ate it, and it was better than anything I've ever had! Probably because SunMane didn't have to cook it for me or catch it for me. After I was eating, the bull woke up and walked over to me, waiting for me to finish so we could head out. After I got everything put away and the fire put out, I grabbed some old rope lying around and looked at the bull. "I'm getting tired of carrying this stuff on my back. Is it ok if I tie them to you?" I asked the bull, and he didn't seem to mind, so I started to wrap the rope around his strong body and tied my stuff to him and hopped onto his back, and he started to walk out, and the weight of me and my stuff didn't seem to bother him at all! While we were wandering around, we came across another kobold who looked to be a bit older than me, but seemed nice. They were riding a horse, which looked weird compared to me riding a massive bull. As we passed each other, the other Kobold gave me a weird look, which I get because I'm riding a bull like he's a horse. Later, the bull and I stopped at a river for a break, so he could rest after walking for a long time. I hopped down from his back and watched as he walked over to the river to take a drink. I looked around at the place, and it was quiet, which meant... a predator was nearby. Just as I was about to call the bull back over to me, so we can leave, a giant mutated cougar jumped out and attacked the bull, latching onto the bull's rear with its claws and teeth. I quickly ran up to them and stabbed the cougar in its back to try to get it off the bull. The bull bucked back, kicking the cougar off, and onto me, and it started to attack me. I quickly grabbed my knife and slashed the cougar's throat open, killing it, but also spraying its blood all over me. I pushed the cougar off and stood up and ran over to the bull to see if he's okay. He was still freaking out from the attack, but he seemed fine, minus the blood coming out of his rear. I grabbed some Aloe vera nearby, crushed it up into a paste, and started to put it

## Chapter 3: Survival continue



on his wounds. After we both got cleaned up, I decided we needed to go somewhere else, somewhere safer with no predators around. When I saw a nice-looking area, I decided we could set up camp there. I looked around for a good-looking vine to use as a rein for the bull. I saw a sturdy-looking vine, so I grabbed it and leaned back, testing the strength of the vine, and it didn't break, so I climbed up the tree and cut the vine, watching it fall to the ground near the bull. I jumped down from the tree, tied it around the bull's face and neck, and started to guide it towards the clear area.

## Chapter 4: Waterfall



That night, I had a dream where I was a baby again in my mom's arms as she sang to me a song about a rushing river... when I woke up, I felt the bull's large tongue on my cheek, and I sat up and pushed his face away

“Yeah, yeah, I'm awake.”

I got up and started to gather my stuff to continue my adventure. Many hours later, I was lying on the bull's back while he walked in a desert area. It was hot and dry, and I was sweating my ass off! I looked up at the bull to see if he needed a break, and he did, so I sat up, grabbed the reins, and guided him towards an area with a big-looking cave. When we got inside the cool cave, I jumped down from his back as he collapsed onto the ground and almost instantly fell asleep. I chuckled to myself, seeing him sleepy. I looked around the cave, and it went pretty deep back, so I started to walk down the cave to see what was back there. As I'm exploring, I start to hear a waterfall! So I immediately ran towards the sound, but I tripped and fell off a very high cliff. I screamed as I fell, and I hit the water, but as I opened my eyes, I was not greeted by the beautiful sun shining through the water, no... I was greeted by glowing white eyes covered by seaweed and a sharp mouth wide open, ready to eat me... it was a Kelpie! I freaked out, grabbed my knife, and prepared for a fight under the water.

**To be continued...**

