

# Swept under the sand

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*Hecate went missing three moons ago. The high council say that no one on the island has seen her and they believe she was taken off the island, but I know what happened. I saw it happen. I saw her walk onto the boat and flee the island. Although there was something different in her walking, she walked as if she were asleep. As if she were dead. I spoke no word of this to the high council, if they had known what I had known I would be sent to cryopast, island of the banished and those of whom were born with the evils of mind manipulation. I will find her even if it gets me sent to cryopast even if it sends me to my death. I need her and I will find her even if it is the last thing I shall do.*

*“Mighty god Apollo how do I bring her back to me? How do I find her? Give me a sign of where my love may be whether it be on the island or in the ocean with the sea nymphs” When I find her, she will never have to leave me again. She will not have to fear or flee her home ever again.*

*She will not fear me.*

*Apollo must have heard my prayer because Kit, Hecate's sister came to my quarters in the middle of the night asking for my help.*

*“Nyx, Nyx!! I need your help, mate.” Kit called from the other side of the door*

*“Jeez Kit stop with that ruckus” I said groggily as I awoke from my sleep wishing not to have been awoken*

*“Then open the door”*

*“Wait a second, I need to find my robe” as I looked for my robe, I heard a loud ring in my ear, but it felt like a shock of lightning or being struck with a sword through the gut.*

*“Kit, are you there” I said as I put my clothes on*

*“We need to leave, now.” she says quietly as if someone was listening to us*

*“what’s happening?” I asked as quietly as possible*

*“I think someone is here” she said looking a bit scared*

*“Silas is out in the back of the castle waiting for us” we*

*ran out to the back of the castle where we found Silas feeding the horses that would pull our carriage.*

*“Hey mates where are we off to” Silas said quite loud  
“Silas quiet down, you're going to get us hurt” Kit said to  
Silas in a very mom stare way. “Take us to the port  
outside of south marila” she said only loud enough for us  
to hear.*

*We rode for about an hour in silence because Kit thought  
someone was following us, but I would not know if she  
was right since I fell asleep*

*“What are doing going to the south marila port, Kit” Silas  
asked me halfway to the port “I mean we could have  
gone to the port in redillxus, why marila”*

*Kit didn't respond to his question because she couldn't  
bare to have someone else know about her surreptitious  
because if he did that would put, him in harm's way.*

*“It will give us more time to get away from the guards”  
she lied to him even though he is her best friend.*

*When we got there, Kit's friend Delphie was waiting for  
them by her boat. We had to board the carriage and  
horses on to the boat.*

*I only told Delphie where we were going since she was our sailor. At midnight I woke from a nightmare it was of my sister she was under the sand on the island of cryopast she was not breathing Delphie and I were sharing a quarter, so she heard me wake.*

*“Hey what happened? Are you okay?” she asked quite concerned.*

*“We need to switch courses, now” I whispered even though it was only the two of us. “I now know where my sister might be, we might already be too late, we have to get cryopast” I said and once she heard she got a tense look on her face that made not want to do anything just so Delphie would stay safe. The next morning, we were an hour or so from arriving at cryopast and I was scared if I did anything incorrect, they could all find out about her when we arrived, I went to the spot of the beach I saw in my “nightmare” and luckily nothing was there. Which meant she could possibly be okay. Possibly. We walked along the beach looking for her but there was no one to be seen. So, we went into the city through the front gate which Silas thought was a bad idea, but we got in.*

*I still can't see her, where is she. Where did they take her? What if she is not here?*

*Kit asked around if anyone had seen Hecate, but they all said no until at one point we asked a man and a man near him started walking away quite quickly so Silas and I started following him. We tracked the creep to a boat on the northern side of the island, but the boat seemed to be abandoned and on land.*

*Once we walked in, we saw blood on the window and the man laying on the floor deceased. I looked for Hecate, but I couldn't see her, all I could see was a tall woman with blood all over her and she turned around. It was Hecate. She looked dead but alive Aswell she was dying. She was dead. But not fully, but before I could say anything Delphie was charging towards her sword in hand.*

*"No!" Kit and I said in unison but that didn't stop Delphie from stabbing Hecate through her heart and making her drop dead. That's when I saw them.*

*The other bodies. The dead bodies.*

*The end .*