





"CLARE IS MY WARD. SHE'S ONLY 17 AND A VERY POWERFUL CLAIRVOYANT WHOSE FATHER WAS A DEAR FRIEND TO ME. SHE'S OVER AT HANNEHMAN HOSPITAL, STILL IN A COMA.

"SHE'S IN MY CARE NOW."



AND ALL THIS HAPPENS.

THAT JERK IN THE BAR. HE RAPED HER, YOU KNOW. AND I'VE BEEN TRAILING HIM FOR WEEKS NOW. I WILL GET MY REVENGE ON HIM IF IT'S THE VERY LAST THING I DO ON THIS EARTH.



YOU CAN'T BLAME YOURSELF.



I'VE BEEN TRACKING HIM TOO. I KNEW HE WAS A PREDATOR, I COULD JUST SMELL IT ON HIM. HE LEAVES THIS AT THE SCENE OF EVERY CRIME.



VAMPIRELLA

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TERGUM IN
TEMPUS, AB
INITIO, AD
FORWARE...

WOW,
YOU CAN DO
THAT? REVERSE
TIME?

WHY
COULDN'T YOU
JUST REVERSE THINGS
SO THAT THIS NEVER
HAPPENED TO CLARE
IN THE FIRST
PLACE?





I'M JUST LEARNING THE POWER OF THE "ARROW OF TIME" SPELL. I CANNOT HOLD IT TO A PERMANENT STATE AS OF YET. OR BELIEVE ME, I WOULD HAVE DONE JUST THAT.

SHE'S TOO YOUNG AND TOO TENDER A SOUL TO HAVE HAD THIS HAPPEN TO HER.



HEY, YOU HUNGRY?



NO, BUT I'M THIRSTY.



OH, RIGHT.



I'LL HAVE TO GET USED TO THAT.

MELROSE
DINE



HEYA! WHAT'S IT, HALLOWEEN?
YOU'RE ALL DRESSED UP.

EVERY TIME.

RIGHT THIS WAY. AH, YOU BROUGHT A FRIEND THIS TIME. YA GOT FRIENDS, THAT'S NICE FOR YA.



JUST A LARGE TOMATO JUICE, NO ICE, AND A VERY RARE RIB EYE STEAK FOR ME. I MEAN IT, MAKE IT BLOODY.



ANTIPASTO SALAD, PLEASE. A PLATE OF FRESH PINEAPPLE AND A LARGE CRANBERRY JUICE.

WELL, THAT WAS EASY. HEY VINNY! AN ANTIPASTO SALAD AND ONE RIB EYE STEAK--ON THE HOOF!



JEEZ, SHE'S SO RUDE.



ANYWAY, NOW THAT BLAKE'S TAKEN OFF I DOUBT HE'S GOING TO SHOW UP AT NEBULUCCI'S AGAIN. HOW DO WE FIND HIM?

AH, THAT'S EASY. LEAVE IT TO ME.



HERE YA GO, WITCHPOO.