

# The Other One

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*Another Omnitrix? The story tells all!*

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# 1 - Haven't Learned

Selena lay flat on her back, toying with the Omnitrix. She'd only found it a month ago, and she still needed to know more about it. For instance, that there was another Omnitrix. Another person who had it. But she wasn't thinking about this as she traced her pinkie along the edges of the faceplate of the strange device. She was wondering about her life, and who she really was. After all, normal girls did not usually have plants as relatives. She sighed and sat up, looking around her shabby, dark room. It was all she could really have since she lived on a planet where plants and rocks were the only resources. This she pondered as well. How did she come to be on this planet? She did not know, but was determined to find out.

Somewhere else in the galaxy...

Ben had just finished trying to eat Grandpa Max's cooking, and was throwing stones out onto lake Michigan, where they were camping. He too had found the Omnitrix a month ago, and was still a beginner. That night it had been squirrel gut stew with a side of worms, and Ben's stomach turned at just the thought of the awful taste that Max had described as 'interesting'. He figured that Gwen was off somewhere, throwing up squirrel guts. He fought back laughter, afraid it would seem like some villain had shown up. Ben sighed and sat along the shore, watching the waves lap up, each time closer and closer.

Neither of them knew the other existed. They thought they were the only ones who had the Omnitrix. They were wrong.

## 2 - Morpho Explains

Selena wandered over to her father, or rather her adopted father. He was a strange, plant-like alien who had somehow come to be her parent.

"Father," Selena started, and her father turned smiling upon his daughter.

"Yes, daughter?" He asked, ruffling her hair a bit.

Selena fixed it. "Can you tell me more about my childhood? How I got here?" She asked.

"Oh, I... Well, of course." Her father replied, and sat on the ground, his many vine-like limbs sprawling out in all directions.

He started to tell the story. "You were born in New York City in a busy hospital. Your real mother died one year later. Another year passed before your real father did too. Back then you were named Jaclyn Ann Tenarlis, and you were left all alone at 2 years old. On one fateful night, your mother and I were doing a patrol of the area, as is our duty. We found you crying near a rosebush. Luckily for you, your parents had labeled everything with your last name, and you were found near a rosebush, so you was named Selena Rose Tenarlis. Selena was the name your mother and I would have chosen for our own baby." He explained.

"So... I have... Other parents?" Selena asked, disbelief fogging her tone.

"You used to. They died shortly after you were born." Her father said with sorrow.

Selena just nodded slowly. "So they're dead then. I'm all alone. But I must return to my home planet, father. I must see what life I used to have."

"Selena, I do not advise that you do that. Earth is a very dangerous place." Her father cautioned.

"Father..." Selena said, holding up her arm to remind him that she had the Omnitrix.

"Yes, I suppose you're right. You may go." Her father said, and with that, Selena was her fiery self, Flamegirl. She blasted off into the night air, in search of her previous life.

### 3 - Ben Gets In Trouble

Ben had just walked into the Rustbucket, and Gwen was staring at him, anger burning in her eyes. Grandpa was mad, too. Ben looked at them questioningly. He looked down at his clothes, which were perfectly clean, and at his wrist, where the Omnitrix was clamped, charged up and ready. He wondered why they could be this mad.

"What's up?" He asked, confused. His cousin stepped forward, angrier than ever.

"Don't play dumb with me, Ben. Wait, you always do." Gwen replied. She smiled slightly as she watched Ben's face become more and more confused.

"I really don't know why you're mad," Ben argued. He looked from Max to Gwen over and over, but their angry expressions never changed.

"I saw you as Heatblast fly out of the sky on a flame." Gwen said. Now she took delight in watching Ben's eyes widen, seeing the shock plastered all over the boy's face.

"WHAT!?" Ben yelled, "I never went hero once! Maybe it was from Heatblast's home planet, huh? What about that?" He was angry and puzzled. He thought that maybe it was a plumber. Sometimes aliens from the Omnitrix visited Earth to see him.

"Nope, I saw the Omnitrix symbol on it's chest." Gwen smiled, satisfied, as she said this. This was enough to make Ben lose his cool, she thought, but instead he stayed very calm about the whole incident.

Ben opened his mouth, then closed it again. He said nothing and left.

A large flame shot toward him when he walked out. He jumped out of the way just in time as an extremely girl-looking Heatblast landed next to him.

## 4 - Ben, Selena. Selena, Ben.

Selena stepped onto the Michigan Lakefront as Flamegirl. She'd just landed harshly due to lack of practice. She looked down and saw a boy, about her age, scrambling to get up. When he did, Selena saw he had green eyes, and messy brown hair. He was wearing dark green cargo pants and a T-shirt with a thick black stripe running down the middle. Then, she saw it. On his wrist, the Omnitrix was clamped. She ran out of time and returned to human form. Ben saw a girl, his age, with purple eyes\*\*, black hair, some draped in front of her left eye, some in a ponytail, and wearing a brown, tattered dress. He saw that she had the Omnitrix, too. They both stood, mouths gaping.

"H-hi..." Selena stuttered, "I'm Selena."

"Ben. Ben Tennyson." Ben managed, staring at the Omnitrix on her wrist.

After the introductions, things went pretty well. Ben loaned Selena some of his clothes, so they looked almost exactly alike. Selena and Ben talked for hours about their adventures with the Omnitrix. Gwen was starting to get jealous.

"Why is it that he walks outside, and BAM! Instant friendship! When I do and I just step in dog poo or something?" She asked Grandpa.

"I'm just amazed that there's another Omnitrix." Max replied, staring at the two. Just then, there was a knock at the door. A boy, who looked exactly like Ben, but with red hair and blue eyes barged in along with a girl who looked exactly like Gwen but with blue hair and brown eyes.

"Did ya miss me?" The boy announced. "Ren!" Ben exclaimed, hi-fiving his alien clone\*. Ren and Dwen were back.

\*Alright, here's the deal. If you wanna know more about Ren and Dwen(More made up characters), here are the steps. #1- Go to yahoo.com #2- Click on the tab by the search box that says images #3- Type in Ben 10 Gwen #4- You will see an orange sketch of them where Ben is acting like a dog, so click on it. #5- At the top of the screen, you will see full version, so click it. Then click on Fanfics, and go to Alien Clones!?

\*\* She lived on another planet so long, they turned out that way.