

# Kingdom Hearts: A Third Side, A Third Story

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*Ken thinks he knows the world he lives in. But when he meets a stranger who saves his life, he begins to think that things are not as they seem...*

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# 1 - The Alley Dwellers

Kingdom Hearts: The Third Side, The Third Story.

Ken is a normal kid. Brown hair, brown eyes. Not skinny, not fat. Just as normal as you can get. Or so it seems. Ken's friends are just as normal. Lena, a girl, is normal too. People often mistake her and ken for twins, they look so much alike. And ken's best friend, Shin. He's just like Ken, but he has black hair and gray eyes.

Ken is known for how he stands up to bullies and gangs around their city. But with this quality comes the fact that he gets beat up a lot. People say he should just quit before he gets killed. But all he says in response is "If I have to get hurt to prevent others from getting hurt, than you can beat me up everyday."

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Ken was walking home by himself one day after saving a kid from losing a silver watch to some bullies, and studying at the local library (and borrowing a manga he found) when something pulled him into the alley.

"Who are you? WHAT are you?" he noticed that it didn't look like a human. Not entirely at least. Is had 2 legs and 2 arms like a human, but it was huge! At least 15 feet tall. And the most noticeable thing about it was the hole in its chest in the shape of a heart...it started shooting stuff from the hole (thanks to P.E. at school, Ken was able to dodge all of it.)

And in the blaze of everything he didn't notice the figure come from the other side of the alleyway. He didn't notice the strangely big shoes the figure was wearing. He didn't notice the semi-spiky brown hair the figure had. He didn't notice this was the figure from the stories he heard as a little boy. And most of all, he didn't notice the distinguishable silver necklace the figure had. A necklace with a pendant in the shape of a crown...

## 2 - Chapter 2: The Bearers of the Keyblade

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Struggling to survive this monster, Ken was running around the alley until the stranger from nowhere pulled out something like a sword. But it was strange...its was shining. Although it was already 7:00, this thing gave off so much light, it seemed as though it was the middle of the day.

Ken shielded his eyes from the brightness. The bright was so intense; he could feel himself somehow being weakened by the light.

And just as he fainted, the stranger yelled, "My turn!"

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Ken woke up in an unfamiliar place. The room was bright red, the walls, the floor, the ceiling, even the furniture was red. Then someone came in. this guy wasn't old. Maybe in his late twenties. Even though he was young, Ken saw that this guy seemed very tired.

The first thing Ken noticed was the necklace this guy was wearing. It was silver, but very scratched up, as though it had been hit many times. And the pendant was in the shape of a crown.

"Who are you?" Ken yelled as he jumped up.

"The person who brought you here" it suddenly dawned on Ken that if this person truly did bring him here, than he must've saved him too. So Ken thought this guy was the one to ask about that "thing" in the alley. And he did.

"That thing was a heartless."

"A heartless?"

"A creature of darkness. There are many types. But that one was a darkside."

"A darkside?"

"Created from the dark sides of people. That one was created from the darkness in you. And don't say there's no darkness in you. There's darkness in everybody. Even me"

"Hey wait a minute. Who are you?"

"My name is Sora. Bearer of the Keyblade. And I've come to pass on the keyblade to a new bearer. You, Ken."