

ISHANI 'S VENGEANCE

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EXT. KANTDALE FOREST - NIGHT

GAMEPLAY: Ishani makes her way through the forest, killing anyone and anything on her path. A rock was in the middle of the valley, surrendered by flowers. In front was a sign.

When ISHANI gets closer to the sign, we hear an echo of OPHÉLIA's screams. There's an interaction on the sign and when pressing it, Ishani cleans the sign.

(SEAMLESS TRANSITION TO CINEMATIC)

ISHANI

In memory of the 4378 souls who fought for freedom in Kantdale. Spirits and Humans defended their homeland and made their first historical alliance for peace.

ISHANI gets her knife and engraved in the wood:

''IN MEMORY OF OPHÉLIA, FOREVER A FRIEND, A WITCH AND A LOVER.''

ISHANI walks around the sign and crouches next to the rock. Its humanlike shape looks like a woman lying on the ground, a hand reaching for help. Her terrified expression was almost visible through the rock.

ISHANI takes her hand, tears silently going down her face.

Cue OPHÉLIA screams.

ISHANI

I will always love you.

EXT. ABEBA'S CASTLE - NIGHT

ISHANI is sitting on the roof of a tower, looking down at a window. She's playing with a knife.

Through the window, ABEBA, now old but still wearing her signature afro, is talking with two other people. When they leave, ABEBA goes back to sit at her desk.

ISHANI stops playing with her knife.

ISHANI slides down the roof and lets herself fall into a portal.

INT. ABEBA'S CASTLE - NIGHT

ABEBA is writing in her books.

ISHANI gets out of a portal, silently.

ABEBA
(without raising her head)
I was wondering if you'll ever come
back.

ISHANI
What can I say, I missed you.

ABEBA stops writing. She looks lost in her thoughts. She put
down her pen.

ISHANI walks toward her, playing with her knife.

ISHANI
I hope I haunted your every dream.

ABEBA
You did—every single one of them.

ABEBA turns her head toward ISHANI.

ABEBA
You... you're still young.

ISHANI
And you're old.

ABEBA
I deserved those wrinkles. I lived
and fought for them. What do you
have for yourself?

ISHANI
(smiling)
Power.

ABEBA eyes were colder than before.

ISHANI (CONT'D)
So, where's my apology?

ABEBA
Nowhere. Because I do not regret
betraying you. You deserved your
faith for abusing magic. Thousands
of humans and spirits lost their
lives because of your foolishness.

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ISHANI

What about Ophélie then? Did she deserve to be turned into a rock?

ABEBA

It's not-

ISHANI

It's not what?!

ISHANI throws her knife at ABEBA, missing her by a few millimetres.

ABEBA

I made a choice. I do not regret sacrificing my friends for saving all of humanity.

ISHANI

(disgusted)

You must be so proud of yourself.

ISHANI walks to the desk and takes the journal of Abeba. She was writing her will.

ISHANI

Ready to die I see.

ABEBA

Like I said, one of us fought for our wrinkles.

ABEBA grabs her cane and gets up to take her journal away from ISHANI. She puts it in a safe drawer.

ISHANI

I will not have mercy for you because you're cripple.

ABEBA

I wasn't expecting mercy.

ISHANI makes a hand gesture and a portal opens behind ABEBA.

ISHANI

Walk into it.

ABEBA turns to the portal, then looks at ISHANI, petrified.

ISHANI

Oh, don't worry, I'm so much better at controlling them now, I promise. No more monsters coming in from other dimensions.

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ISHANI (CONT'D)

No, no, just a simple pocket
universe crafted especially to be
your death chamber.

ISHANI pushes her into the portal and then walks into it.

(SEAMLESS TRANSITION TO GAMEPLAY)

GAMEPLAY: FIGHT WITH ABEBA STARTS