

FanFic

Note: This takes place during season four when Angel was off somewhere getting his own damn tv show.

It was cold and stuffy in the baggage compartment, but it was the only way to get to New Jersey quickly.

Angel let his mind flash back to yesterday. He was skulking around Sunnydale keeping an eye on Buffy without her knowing. He still loved her, but he couldn't be with her, not without risking his soul. He happened to overhear her talking to Willow.

They were discussing their trip to New Jersey. Angel didn't know why Buffy was going to New Jersey, but he had to find a way to tag along to keep an eye on her. Luckily vampires can travel by sneaking into the baggage compartment of airplanes. It was uncomfortable, but doable. Vampires did it all the time.

So there Angel was, crammed in a crate being shipped to Mount Laurel, New Jersey. He was able to obtain one thing to help him watch Buffy at least. Angel was wearing the Ring of Amara which protects the wearer from sunlight¹. Sunlight was uncomfortable but bearable. He just wish he didn't have to put up with the side effect of sparkling in the sunlight.

Angel knew he had to be especially careful around Buffy. He was cursed to have a soul until he experienced a moment of true joy and the last time that happened he became the evil Angelus and wreaked havoc until Willow recused him with a soul. He knew he didn't want that to happen again. All it took last time was sex with Buffy. He missed Buffy, but being with her was too intoxicatingly dangerous.

Angel pondered all this and more as he silently made his way to New Jersey. It was really boring. He slept for most of the trip. But eventually the plane landed and he slipped away, stretching after being in the tight compartment.

Angel tailed the so-called Scooby gang as they rented a van and Xander drove them to the site from the airport. He still wasn't certain all that was going on, but there is definitely a feeling of menace in the area. Menace and... and lust?

Oh this is going to be a harder trip than Angel thought. In more ways than one. And he has been seen by the others. Well, better make the best of it.

The Others

Buffy Summers: She is the Slayer and your former girlfriend. You still love her, but have to watch over her from afar.

¹ In the show, the Ring of Amara makes a Vampire invulnerable and immortal. In the game it just protects them from sunlight.

Willow Rosenberg: She is a witch who is a close friend of Buffy's and has become a friend of all of yours as well.

Alexander "Xander" Harris: He can be surprisingly resourceful and easily underappreciated.

Rupert Giles: Buffy's Watcher. He can be very clever, dangerously so.

You haven't met the others yet, but here are some first impressions.

Captain Kirk: He seems to naturally want to be in charge.

Mr. Spock: There is something wrong with him. He doesn't seem quite human.

Dr. Leonard McCoy: He seems nice enough.

Lieutenant Uhura: She's pretty hot, actually.

Montgomery "Scotty" Scott: He seems quite clever, and his grasp of technology is amazing.

Professor Severus Snape: You aren't sure, but you think he might be able to do magic. He also radiates an aura of evil, especially around his right arm.

Harry Potter: He is a powerful magic user.

Ronald Weasley: He seems a little bumbling; he reminds you of Xander.

Hermione Granger: She is also a mage of some sort.

Draco Malfoy: He seems a bit evil. He also can do magic.

Mary Sue Johnson: She is the most beautiful woman you have ever seen!

Skills and Stuff

Combat: Excellent

Research: Average

Magic: Horrible

Engineering: Horrible

Sex: Excellent

Vampiric Powers: From [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vampire_\(Buffy_the_Vampire_Slayer\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vampire_(Buffy_the_Vampire_Slayer))

Vampires possess supernatural physical abilities such as enhanced strength, speed, agility, hearing, smell, and healing. They also possess the ability to drain a human of every last drop of its blood in but a few seconds.

Like all vampires, those of the Buffyverse live on a diet of blood (preferably human though that of other mammals will do), requiring no other food or drink. Prolonged deprivation of blood can impair a vampire's higher brain functions and they become "living skeletons" They also do not need air, though they can breathe to speak or smoke. They are shown to be affected by various drugs.

Vampires can change at will between human appearance and a monstrous form with a pronounced brow ridge, yellow eyes, and sharp teeth. They make a roaring sound when angered, much like lions or tigers. In human form, they can still be detected by their lack of heartbeat and body heat. They do not cast reflections, although they can be photographed and filmed.

Vampires cannot be killed except by beheading, fire or other burning, or penetration of the heart by a wooden object. A vampire explodes in a cloud of dust when killed; the act of slaying a vampire is often referred to as "dusting" on the show. They heal quickly from most injuries, but do not regrow lost limbs. Their flesh burns in direct sunlight, and on contact with blessed objects such as holy water, recently consecrated ground, or a Cross. They can enter consecrated buildings but appear to feel ill at ease.

They cannot enter a human residence without having been invited once by a living resident; however, once given, such an invitation is revocable only by a magic ritual. If all living residents die, vampires can also enter freely.

Vampires cannot normally reproduce sexually.

It is regularly established on the show that vampires do not have souls and therefore lack a conscience. Angel and Spike, vampires who have their souls returned to them, are shown to feel remorse for their previous actions. However, soulless vampires are not without feelings, including love.

Note: You currently have your soul, but if you experience a moment of true joy, you will lose it. You are currently protected from the sunlight by the Ring of Amara, but it makes you sparkle in the sunlight.