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An Adventurous Valentine's Day with Bakugou

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The audio begins with Bakugou approaching the listener, as they just close their locker. Bakugou ends up spooking them.

Heh.. I really scared you that bad, huh?

'You didn't see me?' How, I was walking up to you. Maybe you're just not aware enough of your surroundings, it's not like it's my fault you're a total wimp.

Tch.. Hey, wait. Don't walk away. I.. Came up to you for a reason.

(Hard sigh through his nose) ... It's.. It's just that- Ugh. Today's that.. *Stupid day.*

Yeah... Valentine's Day or whatever.

What do you mean 'What about it'?! You- **(Frustrated growl)** ..

I know it's completely stupid and dumb, but I wanted to take you out somewhere today.. Or something.. Gh..

Don't you dare go looking too deep into things, it's not because I have any weird ulterior motives! Just.. say yes already or i'm leaving!

... Hah? You'll go with me?

... **(Soft, almost relieved sigh)** ... Good..

(A little more firm) Good.

M'glad..

Ah-

...Huh..? Somethin' just fell out of your locker.

I don't know, don't look at me! Just pick it up and look at it.

It looks like a letter. .. Wait, there's two letters here. The hell..?

... Wait a second. Gimme those.

(He grabs them and reads it)

... This one says.. 'I've been meaning to tell you this for a while. I hope we can maybe go out today-"

... No. **(He rips it in half)** Yeah, not happening.

(Defensive) It's just some extra trying to ask you out, of course I ripped them up! You already agreed to be mine, right?

They're love letters, dummy... If you read them, you might... **(huff)**

(A little flustered) eh- I... Shut up! Don't say a word.

Just... Meet me by the back field by the trail in twenty minutes, got it? We're going on a hike so you better be prepared.

Good. **(Leaving, calling behind him)** You better be there in twenty or I'm leaving without you!

(He heads off)

(Time skip, Bakugou's approaching you outside)

Heh, look at you. Earlier than me.

Well, I'm impressed. You managed to get ready on time and be early for once!

Tch, don't try and deny that. You're late to class every week.

Mm.. Well? You ready?

It's not anything too intense. We'll just be heading up the side of this small trail. I brought... food or whatever.. So we can sit down and eat it when we get there.

Now come on, we don't have all day!

(they start walking up the trail)

Ah, hey. Don't rush yourself like that or you'll use up all your stamina.

Keep at a steady pace, just walk next to me.

(Fondly) There.. Dummy. If you go and use up all your energy right away, I'm not gonna carry you the rest of the way.

(they walk for a bit)

'Can see my breath. It's cold...

Do you have a warm enough jacket on?

Good.

.. **(soft sigh)** It's.. Not really a long hike. When I go alone or with Kirishima, we hike for hours.

I'm not gonna do that to you, dummy. It's just a couple minutes up the trail.. There's a place I wanted to show you.

Gh, don't go getting all mushy on me. It's not.. Romantic, ugh..! It's just a cool place I wanted you to see..!

Just shut up and keep walking!

... Mn.. Hey, we're almost there. This part of the trail is pretty uphill, so take it easy.

(Silence for a bit)

You good? Tch.. Hang in there.

(Silence for a bit)

Here we are.

I.. gh. I found this waterfall a couple days ago. When I first found it, I knew.. This stupid day was coming up...

..So I guess I thought it'd be good to take you here.. Or something.

Hey, I said it's not supposed to be '*romantic*'..! Stop with that or we're heading back *right* now..!

(Sigh) .. Anyway, here.

I brought a blanket so we could just.. Sit down I guess.

There. Sit down already.. Stop staring at me so much, would you? **(Shy)** You're gonna creep me out!

... It's not perfect, the ground's kinda hard and shit but... It'll do.

Gah, I brought food! So let's eat it before it gets too cold.

(He takes some food out of his backpack)

.. Here. Take it.

It's katsudon on rice... Nothing special or anything..

... huh? Well.. Good. You better like it, cause I made it from scratch.

.. Don't act like that's anything special...!

I just.. I wanted you to try my cooking or whatever.. Because it's damn good! I'm a great cook! Much better than IcyHot. Did you see the crime he committed on those chives?

(Huff)

The Katsudon's gonna get cold.. So hurry up and eat already.

.... Good? You like it?

.. Of course you do. I made it, after all.

Mm.. **(He takes a bite and chews it, swallowing)**

...M'glad it's still so warm. Wouldn't be the same if it got cold...

(Silence for a bit, Bakugou keeps eating for a bit)

..... Hey. I guess it's probably really damn weird that I asked you out so suddenly, huh?

Mm.. Did you expect it at all?

Tch, dummy. I mean did you expect me to ask you out on... you know. A *Date*.

... No? Well, why not? I've been trying to get your attention for a while now, you know!

Hah..? Are you really that dense?!

.... What do you mean I suck at showing affection?

I don't! You just don't know how to read cues... That's not my fault!

(Growl, then takes another bite of food)

... **(Mouth full)** Hah?

(Swallow)

Well.. Yeah I get it, I'm not.. The most affectionate person ever. You already know that though...

There's just.. Times when I always wanna train with you, and when I cook for you and.. I dunno.. When I actually wanna spend time with you, I was doing it because..

(huff) .. Shut up...

Stop, I shouldn't have to say it! Come on, use your brain.

... **(Growl)** You...

Fine! If it'll get you to stop hounding me over it, I.. Gh.. **(Mutter)** making me say all this mushy shit...

I like you, okay? I really do.

.. You're tough.. And you're perfect hero material. You're exactly what I want in a partner... I want to be with someone strong.. Someone who can keep up with me.

You're.. **(Sigh)** You're it.. You're the one.

I want you by my side in battle.. And.. **(under his breath, shy)** And in life. I guess..

Look, stop pestering me to talk so much about this. It makes my chest feel all weird, like my heart's gonna beat outta my damn ribcage.

Gah.. When you look at me.. Like that.. Cut it out... Don't gimme those eyes...

(Takes an angry bite, chewing it)

... Gh...

Stop.. I'm not blushing. It's just cold out... That's why I'm all red...

(soft sigh) ...

Look.. Even though I'm not the best at showing it, I care about you okay? I wanted to take you here and cook for you because I wanted to show you that...

So even though I can't... say it easily.. Or even show it well.. Just remember that, got it?

... Good. You better.. Or else.

Now, finish your food. Don't waste it..

(Silence for a bit)

You know.. Hiking's kinda the only time I get to feel.. I dunno. Relaxed?

It's hard to put it into words. There's just something freeing about being in the wilderness like this.

Like.. I don't have to think about the world and the shitty state it's always in. I don't have to think about training and work and school and that shitty nerdass Deku.

It's like I'm in a different world here. Even if it's only for a bit.

(Sigh)

I like it up here.

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Ah.. You done with your food? We should probably head back.

You look like you're freezing.

Don't you dare lie to me, I can see your hands shivering. Here.. Gimme them.

Come on.. Lemme see your hands.

I'll warm them up using my quirk.

Hah?! No, idiot! I'm not gonna blow your hands off, I can heat my palms up.. Without the damn explosions.

Here.. See? They're glowing.. Put your hands in mine, they're warm.

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There. You feel better now?

Don't look so flustered, I'm just doing this to warm you up so I don't have to listen to you complain so much..!

... Mn.

There.. Is that better or what?

Good.

(Silence for a bit)

We should get back. I don't want you getting too cold out here.

Take my hand.

There we go. Now come on.

(walking for a bit)

Hey.. Ugh.. Thanks or whatever... For coming up here with me, even if it wasn't for that long.

I like spending time with you, I guess... So.. Yeah.

Wanna maybe.. I dunno, go on more hikes together?

Or maybe we could go out somewhere like.. I dunno, A movie? A dinner?

(Flustered)

Shut up.. I'm not asking you on dates, dummy.. I just..

FINE. Call them whatever you wanna call them...

Mmn.. You really are a pain in the ass...

But I like it. I like your fiery personality.

You're such a step up from all the other extras at UA. Don't forget that. You're the only one I wanna call mine...

Anyway.. Keep walking or I'm leaving you in the dust..!

Eh-! ... Grabbing my hand outta nowhere.

Yeah, fine. You can hold my damn hand, it's not that big of a deal...

(silence for a bit)

Well.. We're back at the school.

I hope you had a good time.. Lemme know what you wanna do next time or whatever.. I'll take you wherever you want. Got it?

I don't care what it is, or where it is.. We did something I wanted to do this time around, so.. Next time, I'm leaving it up to you to choose.

Tch.. stop calling me sweet and romantic already...

Eh.. You headed back to the dorms?

Alright.. I'm heading to the gym to train before supper.. I'll see you around, then

And don't forget to text me or call me later, alright?!

You better or I'm gonna knock down your door!

Tch..! Bye..!