To Error Is…

Chapter 6

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The next morning; Lion-O woke up to find Jolene standing at the windows, looking out at the hunting plains. "Did you get any sleep." he asked. Jolene looked back at him and smiled. "Some; I couldn't help thinking about all the stories you told me about this place, I just couldn't quiet my mind." she replied. Lion-O smiled at her; he remembered how she would hang on his every word about Third Earth, and ask questions about the people and places he told her about. "Well my love; where would you like to go to first, the Berbil village, the Wollo village, the Balkin village, or perhaps meet Nayda and Willa and see the Treetop Kingdom?" he asked. "I would love to see the Unicorn Forest first." Jolene said with a smile. "The Unicorn Forest it is; but first..." he replied then cricked his finger at her and finished, "Come here." Jolene smiled and giggled then quickly walked to the bed and jumped in it next to him; he covered them with the blanket, nothing could be seen but what was heard were giggles coming from beneath the covers.

An hour later; Jolene was dressed in a red version of her uniform, then she put her hair up in a partial pony tail with the rest of her hair hung loose. Wisps of hair on either side of her face hung down and slightly curled. The style partially showed her pointed ears. Lion-O came out of the bathroom and saw his wife looking even more exotic than usual. "What made you want to wear your hair like that?" he asked. "You don't like it?" she asked back. "I didn't say that; I just asked..." he started, but she smiled at him and said, "Oh I don't know; just trying something different today."

He came up behind her and started kissing and caressing her body. "No matter how you have your hair or what you wear; you are always beautiful to me." he said between kisses. She leaned back against him; enjoying his attentions, when a knock sounded on their door. Lion-O stopped then said in a loud voice, "This better be important." The door opened and it was Jade, "I'm sorry to disturb you sire, m'lady; but Thundera is calling." Jade said. Jolene looked up at Lion-O and said, "The children..." Both her and Lion-O left the room and ran towards the control room.

When they entered the control room; they saw a frazzled looking Snarf on the screen. “Oh thank

goodness; Reow, those two kids of yours is driving me crazy....” Snarf started. “Where are they now?” Jolene asked with her arms crossed. “Hi Mommy, Hi Lion-O.” Janae said as she jumped into view. “Where's your brother?” asked Lion-O. Then Bruce shyly came into view as he said, “Hi Mommy, Hi Lion-O.” “Snarf told us that you two are driving him crazy.” Lion-O stated. “Yep.” Janae said, “We don't mean to.” Bruce volunteered. “Well regardless if you mean to or not; you need to stop.” Jolene ordered. Both children said, “Okay.” “Now you both know Snarf is in charge; start minding or....” Lion-O started to say and Jolene finished with, “Or we'll put Panthro in charge of the two of you guys.” Both children's eyes opened wide; then they both said, “Sorry Snarf.” “They should be better behaved now.” Jolene said. Snarf sighed and said, “Thank you; have fun you two.” then the screen went blank.

Jolene turned to Lion-O and asked, “You know; I haven't asked you how do you like being a parent?” Lion-O smiled and replied, “I like it, but it's exhausting.” then both of them laughed.