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## Summary

Nora had a meeting with a client so Simon was spending the day at the Dasey Residence.

After a bit, he gets curious about Derek's necklace.

## Notes

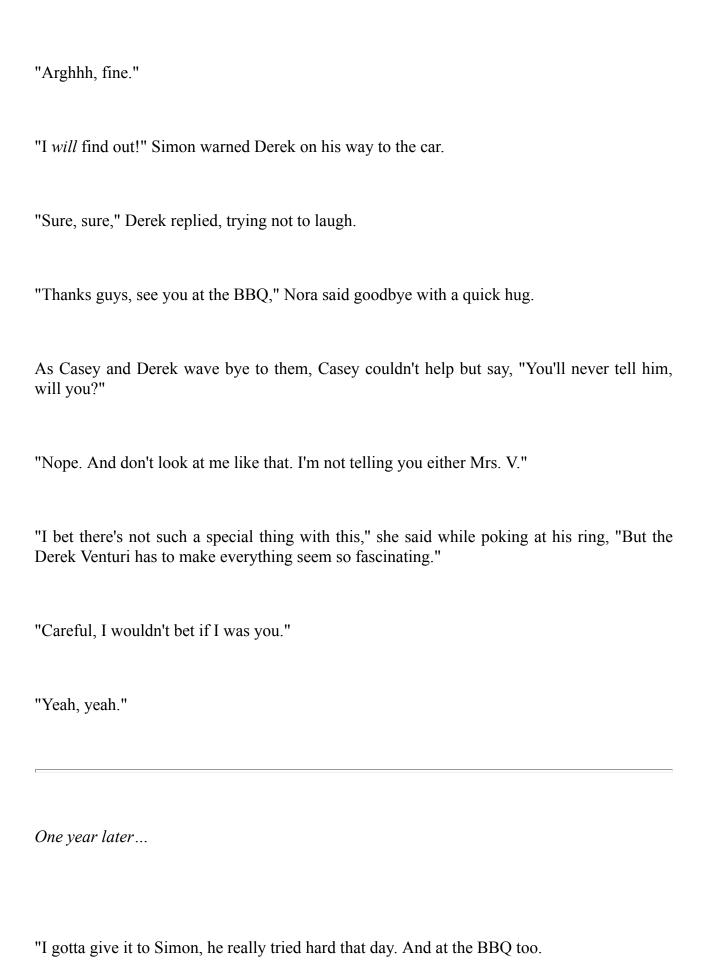
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Nora had a meeting with a client, so Simon was spending the day at the Dasey Residence (as he likes to call it). After lunch, Simon asked Casey to help him with his newest jigsaw puzzle. She happily obliged. Once they completed it, Casey and Derek switched duties - so he and Simon decided to play some video games instead. Some car races later, they were laying on the couch picking their next game when Simon reached out and touched Derek's necklace. "Is it a lucky charm?" He asked. "Mmm. No, its not." "Did you find it in the garbage?" "What? Hahaha, no." "Did Casey give it to you?" "No. Actually, I've had it for way longer than I've known her." "What's with the third degree?" Casey asked as she brought them some lemonade.

"Si wants to know the origin of my necklace."







"But I'm not telling him or anyone what the meaning of this necklace is. I still have a little of a rep to keep. I've already done too many sappy things for your mom, not that I'm regretting them. But I have to set a limit for the sappiness.

"But I can tell you, because one day this will be yours you know."

Derek said as he nuzzled newborn Elliot's cheek softly.

"You'll see, **mio nonno**, Grandpa George's Dad was a cool old man. And this necklace was his... he gave it to me when I was 10. And taught me a very important thing about life: *'La famiglia è un cerchio'*; *'Family is a circle, and your circle it's the most important thing'*... You must protect your family and love them, always. I've tried to live up to this - and now you're part of my circle too. And I promise you that I will always love you and make sure that you're happy and safe."

## End Notes

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