

# So Close, So Far Away

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Hermione was walking down a quiet corridor at Hogwarts when she saw that Snape was now walking down it from the other way.

He is a war hero, but keeps to himself ever since returning as a Potions master. When she returned as Charms professor to Hogwarts, her attempts at conversation with him had faltered when he stared silently at her in reply.

His unreadable black gaze flicked briefly over her as it did in these encounters before looking away. She tried again not to feel so... powerless in his presence.

Hermione didn't see him looking back at her afterwards.

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