

Narrative Design

Setting

The game takes place in the modern world. The main protagonist of the game is a Nine Tailed fox Lee Yeon who works for Taluipa - an agent in the Afterlife Immigration Office and the protector of Samdo river. His main task is to eradicate supernatural beings that threaten the mortal world. He lives in a city where he is assisted by his loyal subject, veterinarian and fellow Gumiho Goo Shin-Joo.

While completing one of his missions he encounters Nam Ji-ah a dauntless producer at TVC station who is trying to solve a murder mystery. His presence at the crime scene arouses a suspicion in her mind and compels her to follow him. This leads to unraveling of further mystery.

World

The world is a mix of fantasy and real elements. Fantasy elements include Forest of the starved, inhabited by spirits of villagers. The mysterious island where people seem to disappear unknowingly. Most of the game takes place in the city dwelled by the main protagonist Lee Yeon.

Plot

The plot revolves around Lee Yeon, an over thousand-year-old Gumiho, once the guardian mountain spirit of Baekdudaegan now a city dweller. Yeon abdicated his post as guardian mountain spirit to work with Taluipa in exchange for Ah-Eum's reincarnation. He carries out missions from the Afterlife Immigration Office while searching for

the reincarnation of Ah-Eum. Ah-Eum is his lover who sacrificed her life in order to protect Yeon. The main Villain of the game is Imoogi, a dragon who aspires to acquire Lee Yeon body to become a mountain spirit. He is the one who killed Ah-Eum.

- Lee Yeon and Nam Ji-ah meet
- She suspects him for the unsolved murder mystery
- Her face resembles Ah-Eum, lover of Yeon which led to their further meeting. As she continues to search for the real culprit, she gets involved in yet another case. The case of Etowah Island where people are disappearing without any clue. As she continues to search for clues, she receives help from Lee Yeon who is trying to figure out if she is the reincarnation of Ah-Eum.
- They both gather clues from the people of Etowah Island regarding the missing people.
- Mystery of Etowah island will lead to the rebirth of Imoogi in human form with the help of Lee Yeon's half-brother Lee Rang who harbours deep grudge against Yeon because he abdicated his position of mountain spirit and leave him alone after the death of Ah-Eum.
- As time passes by Imoogi human form becomes more and more powerful.
- Strange things started happening like the death of innocent peoples because of an unknown ailment.
- Lee yeon will get to know about the rebirth of Imoogi in human form and that he will once again lead to Ah-Eum death.
- He solves several mysteries in order to save her. On his way to solve the mystery he will reunite with his brother Lee Rang who would help him to save Nam Ji-ah (Ah-Eum) from Imoogi.

Characters

The main characters of the game are:

- ❖ Lee Yeon - A gumiho (Nine-tailed fox). Former mountain spirit and guardian of Baekdudaegan, lover of Ah-Eum and half brother of Lee Rang. He carries out missions from the Afterlife Immigration Office while searching for the reincarnation of Ah-eum.
- ❖ Nam Ji-ah - She is a 30 year old producer at TVC Station. She is the reincarnation of Ah-Eum who was Lee Yeon's past lover.
- ❖ Lee Rang - A half-blood gumiho and Lee Yeon's younger half-brother, who seeks revenge on his brother by creating mischief. He intentionally causes harm to humans, which causes trouble to Yeon in turn. He hides his caring nature while harboring a deep grudge for his brother. As a child, he was abandoned by his human mother in the Forest of the Starved. There, he was attacked by the spirits of the villagers but was saved by Yeon. He followed his brother to the mountain to start anew and lived happily. But when Ah-eum died, Yeon left Baekdudaegan and abdicated his status as the mountain spirit, leaving Rang alone on the mountain, thus causing the growing hatred for Lee Yeon.

The game will also have some other supporting characters who would be needed to support the story which will include friends and foes of the protagonist.