

20

CAMRON: "I found that out the hard way." I tell her. "My grand pup takes Aikido." She tells me. I take a sip of the tea. "Mmm this is good, not too sweet, just enough to balance the chi." She just smiles "Well that all makes sense now. Well, she threw her head backwards and I was just quick enough to move my head and raise her slightly, so she only connected with my eye, instead of my nose, then she elbowed me in the ribs, and then dropped all her weight to her feet. I dropped her, she spun around and immediately took a defensive stance." I just chuckle remembering it now. "She is a Brookes." She says to me. "I have a question for you though." "What is it." "She spoke to your wolf why is that?" "She was just being polite, after the confrontation at the food table, I spoke with Alpha Drake, got ice for my eye, and then went to go find her again to apologize to her, I asked her to dance, she did accept, but she wouldn't look me in the eye." "She knows not to disrespect her elders or her betters." She tells me. I smile at her. "So, Cercus spoke to her, to let her know that she was not disrespecting us." I told her. She just smiled at the story. "I can see why she left it out of her narration to me." She says, "I quite enjoyed that story, sorry that you were hurt, but now you know not to sneak up on her." She chuckles at me. I finished my tea. "Thank you for the tea, but I must be going now, I have a several hours' drive to get back to my pack." "Thank you for the story, I will see you out.

CHASE: "May I ask why you have an obstacle course in your back yard?" "Of course, I am training Keska and Mackie how to take down a Lycan." She says unexpectedly like it's no big deal. "Wait, you are that, Brookes?" he asked like he was enamored. "Yes, young man I am that Brookes, but sshh, don't tell anyone." She chuckles at him.

CAMRON: She escorts us to the front door and sees us out. "Alpha, do you know who we just spent the last hour with?" He asked me as we were heading out of the pack gates "Alpha Drake's mother-in-law? Who?" "No, well yes but, the Brookes are the only werewolves that the royal Lycans have on their royal guard, because her grandfather killed a rouge Lycan, all by himself, that's almost impossible, for a wolf to kill a Lycan." He said very animatedly. Interesting, as she said that she was training Keska and Mackie, not James, or the rest of the family, makes me wonder if there is more going on.

KESKA: Finally the last bell of the day. I headed down to my locker, to switch out my books and headed over to Mackie's locker. "I am looking forward to getting on that obstacle

course and taking my frustrations out on it." I say to her, "I am curious to know what Alpha Camron told your Nana." She tells me, "Bad day?" "Yes and no, I had history, and we were discussing why the Brookes were on the royal guard, seems both James and Jessie told the tale, and told it wrong."

KESKA: "What do you mean!" she asked me. "Instead of them telling it like it was, they told everyone that it was Nana, not Nana's grandfather." I tell her, "So now I am a liar, and to fix it I am going to have to have Nana come and set the teacher straight." I tell her, "Oh great, another screw up by the twins that you have to fix, will it ever end?" "No because James and Jessie will never stop bragging and exaggerating."**

"What are you talking about me for?"** I hear Jessie's voice coming from behind me. "Because it seems that you and James have a bad habit of exaggerating facts." I tell her, "I do not!" "Then why does Mr. Greyson believe that Nana killed that Lycan and not her grandfather? I now have to have Nana come and set him straight, so that he can teach it right."

I tell her, Jessie just tries to slap me again, and just like last time, I dodged her. "Knock it off Jessie, you are not the elder Mrs. Sutter, I don't have to let you hit me." "You little bitch, you will get yours! I can't wait till you have your punishment." She flips her hair and walks away to her friends at the end of the aisle. "Let's go." I say to Mackie, "I have an appointment at the library tonight, and I still want to get my

workout in." We headed out to where we had the bikes locked up, we unlocked them and headed to Nana's to do our homework and then our training. After Mackie left for home I hit the obstacle course hard and didn't slow down until Nana made me stop. "What's going on Kes." She asked me. "Sorry Nana, but Jessie is just being a pain in the ass, and I need you to come to school tomorrow and set Mr. Greyson straight about who it was that killed that Lycan, because of James and Jessie I got in trouble, because I said that it was great grandfather and not you, so he gave me an F for the day." "What time is your class tomorrow? I will be there." "1:45 is when class starts." "Ok. Now let's have some dinner." "Ok, I need to go to the library tonight, though." "Why is that?" "Seth is pulling crap that is getting some students and Jessie in trouble, so I need to go set him straight." I tell her. "I think I will come with you; I want to see my grand pup in action." She says, and I just laugh.

KESKA: After dinner Stephen drove Nana and I to the library.

We both go into the library, she headed to the desk to ask the person for some help to find a book that had some herbal recipes in it, (LILLY: I secretly go and watch Keska after I get the book I wanted.) and I headed over to where I see Betsy's work group.

"Hey Betsy," I say, as I approach their table. "Hey Keska, what brings you here?" she asked. "I need to borrow Seth for a minute." "What do you need with me?!" Seth snips at me. "

Wow, sorry, is that how you talk to a supposed friend?" I asked him. "Sorry, we are just having a rough time with this project." "I will just take a moment, then you can get back to your work." He follows me away from the table. "What do you want Keska?" "Glad to see that you finally dropped the act, but you need to listen, if you keep pulling shit to get Jessie pissed at other students, you are putting this pack in danger of going back to Great Uncle Carson. Father swore an oath that there would be no bullying and here you are making Jessie pissed at other students, because of her being an Alpha what is hers is hers and you are using it against her, keep it up and there will be no pack for any of us, dumb ass!" I tell him "So whether you are doing it on purpose or not, you need to stop with the bullshit. I hope I have made myself clear, because I will tell my father that you are pulling this shit on purpose to make Jessie jealous."

Judy Thomas

9 

awes

[View all Comments\(1\) ~](#)

[Error correction of this chapter](#)