

## Chapter 0009

“Don’t say that Zell. It is all the bitch’s fault. Emil told me that Khalis has been whispering in Kosta’s ears for over a month. She has been slowly wearing him down,” Sapphi said.

“The fault is not all Khalis’. Kosta had to be open to it for her words to work on him. How many mated men would even allow someone like Khalis to get close enough to them to whisper in their ears? How many mated men would ever allow someone like her to discuss their mate with them or say anything against their mate? Zach would have shut her down immediately.”

“But she has been working on him constantly,” Sapphi says.

“I know you want to give him the benefit of the doubt Sapphi, but how many times have we put all those unmated alphas in their place when they tried to talk against Kosta to us? We never even entertained it for a second. I loved and trusted Kosta. No one could get in my ear about him, even though it appears that they were right about him. No Sapphi, this is own our mate. As much as it hurts to admit, this is all him. Seriously Sapphi. He has known us all of our lives. He should know us better than anyone. There is no way he should believe any of this foolishness about us. The fact that he is listening to Khalis speak ill of us just proves that he was looking for a way out and Khalis gave it to him.” I said.

“Emil does not believe negative things about us and has been trying to reason with Kosta,” Sapphi says.

“I’m glad your mate believes in us, Sapphi. Kosta should have come to me and had a conversation at the very least, but he just automatically turned against me without giving me a chance to defend myself. Kosta is older than us and should know better. Sapphi, we had all our first with him. He knows that. How could he ever doubt us? I don’t think he doubts us. I think this is his excuse to get rid of us. He is just trying to make others doubt me so he can get away with it. He is underestimating our family’s loyalty and he will pay for this.” I said. “We gave him everything. We didn’t hesitate to stand by him and support him. Even though we are stronger and an alpha in our own right, we treated him as our alpha. We gave up our own pack to be his luna. We even muted our aura so he wouldn’t feel challenged by us. We continued to lift him up and never tried to outshine him. We gave him credit for everything we did. Hell, Sapphi, we even fucked him whenever he wanted it, where he wanted it, and how he wanted it. All we asked from him in return was his love and loyalty, and he couldn’t even give us that little of himself. We all know Khalis is a leach, but Kosta willingly allowed her to attach herself to him. I have accepted that this will be our last week in this pack, but when we leave, it won’t be broken like Kosta wants us to be. We will walk out of here with our heads held high.” I say with resolve.

Sapphire is quiet after that. I know she is conflicted about everything. She wasn’t initially on board with us mating Kosta before I turned 18, but she accepted the mate bond for my sake. She bonded with Emil. This is hard for her, but we will be ok. I’ll let Sapphire have her moment while I plan to meet with Dr. McKay. I want to see her one last time to make sure my pups are ok. Then I will have her send my file to my father’s pack doctor. As of now, I’m really considering calling Zach to set up for him to come get me tomorrow. I have already given Kosta enough time to try to work things out with me. It is clear that he is determined to pursue his course and it is over between us. I refuse to continue to wait around for someone who clearly does not want me and continues to show me that over and over again.