Lina POV.

I am waking up feeling incredibly warm and locked as I can't move because a big strong arm is laying around me. I turn my head a little and see Alex still sleeping. But I need to go to the bathroom, so I slowly take his arm and try to remove it, only it holds onto me even tighter.

"Don't go Babygirl. Feels so good to have you in my arms." I smile at his words and turn around a little so I can see him.

"I need to go to the bathroom" he groans, clearly not wanting to let go of me, but he slowly removes his arm. And I hurry out to the bathroom. While out there I look at the showers. Remembering what he did. And I blush. I have never had that kind of pleasure before.

When I enter the room again Alex is still in bed, smiles at me, lifting the blanket to tell me to come back under it, so I do, and he wraps his arms around me and kisses my cheek.

"How are you feeling Beautiful?"

"I am good" I answer not being able to look at him. And I do feel good. Better than I ever have.

I feel him lay a hand under my chin, gently forcing me to look at him.

Looking into my eyes he smiles and puts his lips on mine, kissing me softly.

"Don't 't hide from me? And don't feel embarrassed. Makes me happy if you enjoyed what I did for you. I want to be the one giving you pleasure. And I know that this was a huge step for you. And I hope

you don't regret it. And also, I don't want you to feel pressured to do anything more than what happened. I have said it before. I don't care if I have to wait. I just want you to feel good and be happy."

His voice is so sincere that my embarrassment disappears. I snuggle into him, and he put his strong arms around me, I think about how safe I feel here with him. After a while, we get out of bed, and I pull on my new clothes. Alex looks at me with a naughty look in his eyes as he pulls me into his arm.

"It should be a crime to look as beautiful and sexy as you do babygirl." I giggle and lean up to give him a fast kiss. We stand like this for a while, not wanting to move. I realize both times I have slept here in his bed, I have not once had any nightmares.

"Alex?"

"Yes?"

"I don't have nightmares when I sleep next to you."

"Good, I'm happy I can help you sleep."

"Is it the matebond?"

"Most likely, yes. The matebond is created for us to find 'the one person that makes us complete. Make us feel whole. Our mate is that last piece, which will make over life make sense. Provide calm, love, peace, and comfort like no one else can give. So yes, it's probably a big reason." He kisses me softly.

"But. It also means, that you are trusting me, that you are accepting the matebond. Otherwise, it would not affect you that much." I smile up at him standing here in his arms.

"I meant what I had that man engrave on that keyring."

I hope he knows this. Because I want to be with Alex. And not only because of everything he has done, I mean, yes it has helped me open up for the matebond and let it in. But honestly, I couldn't care less about his money or that he lives in this HUGE house and is the future Alpha. He has shown me care, love, trust, and made me feel safer in a few days, than I have my entire life.

Alex pulls me from my thoughts when he kisses me.

"Dinner is up here tonight, in our private dining room. With mom and dad, is that okay?"

"Yes, it's perfect. Not sure if I am ready to meet so many people."

"That's what mom said."

We leave his room and enter the dining room and see Alex's parents are already there. His mom comes over and hugs me.

"There you are, how are you today dear."

"I am feeling better, thank you." She smiles big

"Good, now come to eat. William and I have been wanting to get to know you, but we wanted u to settle in first." She goes to sit next to the alpha and Alex, and I sit down.

Mary, the woman Alex asked to get my room ready, comes in with the food and it smells amazing. Steaks, with baked potatoes and carrots and a light sauce. My mouth is watering from the delicious smell. When she is done handing us the food she bows and leaves us alone.

"Lina, can I ask how long you have been in foster care." Alex's dad

gently asks.

"Not sure. But from about the age of three, some woman said she had found me on the side of the road near the forest. She handed me over to the church. To be honest I don't even know if my birthday is my actual birthday. They just decided to make it that day." I look at Alex and he smiles at me

"That's hard." William says and I nod my head.

"What are your hobbies dear." Elisabeth looks at me

"I love to read, when I do, it's like I can enter another world, and I love music. It's silly I know, but I love singing." Alex looks surprised I smile

"I lived in a foster home some years ago. They loved the music played it a lot, always sang along to the radio stuff like that. I loved it. But the woman got sick with cancer and died. So, the husband didn't feel like he should take dare if us anymore. And we were everyone sent to other places. But it was the first place where I felt like I was home."

"I didn't know you can sing. I will have to hear." Alex looks at me I giggle

"I am sure you will. I tend to forget people around if I hear a good song." I blush and they laugh a little.

After that we sit talking about different things, I hear stories about Alex, and we laugh a lot. It feels good being here. I am listening to how William and Elizabeth met each other.

"I declined William's acceptance of me twice, I was mad, I had a bf a human one like myself. But in the end, I couldn't reject him. He was and still is my soulmate" Elisabeth smiles

"It's a sweet story." I smile and drop my fork. When I reach down, my necklaces, a little heart that can open, inside is the only picture I have of my mom and dad. Fall out from being inside my top.

"That is a beautiful necklace, Lina." Elizabeth says when she sees it

"Thank you, it is the only thing I have from my parents. I was wearing it when I was found. It's only because of this I know I look like my mom."

"Can I see it?"

"Yes, of course." I open the chain, take it off and hand it over to her. She opens the locket and then she stares at the picture.

"William, look." She says with a low small voice. William looks over at it and then stares with big eyes.

"it's Derrick and Abby." Elizabeth says with tears in her eyes. I look confused about them. Did they know my parents? I look at Alex and see confusion in his eyes as well.

"Mom, dad. Did you know Lina's parents? Elizabeth nods her head not being able to talk.

"Yes son, we did. Derrick was supposed to have been my Beta." William tells us I am shocked. Had my dad been a wolf.

"Abby, Lina's mom was the only child of her pack's beta. And we had Two beta families here back then. So, Derrick went to live in Abby's pack and become beta there. And Lenny became my beta. It was all something we talked about and agreed to think we could get a strong Alliance."

"Wait, are you saying my parents are werewolves or were." William nods his head

"Yes, that is exactly what I am saying." I am shocked and don't know what to think.

"But why am I a human then." William looks at me.

"I don't think you are."

"But I am. I have no super hearing smell strength or anything like another teen wolf."

"Lina, do you feel anything when you are close to Alex, or touch him?"

"Do you mean his scent and the sparks? Then yes."

"Then I know for sure that you Lina, are a werewolf. Elizabeth feels all that too, but only after a wolf mark and mate his human mate, the human will feel it."

I look at him with big eyes.

"I am a wolf?"

"Yes Lina, you are. And a special one of that.

"What do you mean?"