

Chapter 164

I smoothed my hands down my sides and rested them on my stomach. It wouldn't be long until I was showing. I never imagined I would fall pregnant. I was always the type that if it happened it happened and if it didn't then that was okay to.

I decided on my long sleeve knitted dress that stopped just above my knee and paired it with my small heeled black boots. I felt better after relaxing in the bath. My mind clearer about the situation at hand.

If they decided to bring Jessica and her family back into the pack, then I will do everything in my power to make sure she knows her place. I would make sure she knew that I was the future Luna of this pack and not her.

I decided to put the whole thing to the back of my mind. I had more important things to think about. I was carrying the beginning of our family inside me. The future Alpha, the first heir.

"Ready to go baby?". He asked as he appeared by the bedroom door.

"Almost I just need to grab my jacket". I got it out my closet and pulled it on. Another piece of clothing that seemed to be getting tight.

"You really are beautiful Leah and I'm incredibly lucky that I get to spend the rest of my life with you".

"I'm lucky too". I smiled.

When we arrived at his parents' house the party was in full swing. Everyone from our senior year was here. I was met with a huge hug from Charlotte as soon as we stepped inside.

"I didn't think you were going to come but I'm so glad you did.

"We still have to give you your graduation gift".

I wasn't against accepting their gift, but I knew it was going to be over the top and expensive.

"You didn't have to get me a gift but I appreciate it very much".

"Nonsense honey it's tradition in our house. Would you like a drink?".

"I'll get it mom". Jake spoke. The whole time he stood with his hand on my lower back. I liked it I liked how secure and safe I felt.

"I'm sorry you found out the way you did about Jessica and her family. It wasn't our intention to keep you out of the loop, but Jake insisted that he be the one to tell you".

"Well, he didn't but we won't talk about that. I can't say I agree with it, but I don't get to make that decision". The words were out before I could stop them. I didn't want to think about it never mind talk about it. "Jessica didn't exactly make it easy for me when I moved here".

"If Jacob decides to bring them back then please understand it's not for Jessica's benefit".

"I do understand but it still doesn't mean I agree with it. All the things she did to me I don't think she should be allowed to come back".

"I understand that sweetheart and rest assured Jacob will take everything into consideration". She smiled.

I said nothing else about it and went to find Jake with the drink he was supposed to be getting me. I found him in the kitchen talking with our friends. I hated the way graduation ended. It wasn't how I expected today to go.

"Is Lana not here?". I asked.

"Her and Pete are coming soon". Lacey smiled. "You look amazing by the way".

"Thank you". Again, I felt Jake's hand on my lower back. Maybe he was just letting me know he was there. Alanna had yet to say hello, but I expected as much. Our relationship was a little icy at the moment. Could say we were having a small clash.

I knew it would sort itself out or at least I hoped it would. She was leaving Monday, and I didn't want her to leave on bad terms. We were going to be family after all.

"You, okay?". Jake whispered in my ear.

"I thought you were getting me a drink?". I turned in his embrace and smiled. "Can we leave soon?".

"We can leave now if you want?".

I shook my head. "In a little while after I see Lana and hopefully Ryan appears". I still found it weird that he asked me to lunch and then cancelled.

"Okay baby you just say the word and we're gone". He grabbed me a bottle of water from a nearby ice bucket. "Unless you want something else?".

"Waters fine". I turned back around my eyes connecting with Alanna's. I smiled she smiled back nodding towards the living room. "I'll be back I'm going to talk to Alanna".

"What a shit day it's been". She collapsed onto the sofa while I took the chair.

"I'm sorry for acting the way I did". I spoke.

"It's not you I just thought this day would have been different. I expected more, I thought I would have been more excited than I am".

"I cried the whole time, and I don't even know why I was crying".

A laugh fell from her lips. "That'll be your hormones. You and Jake doing, okay?"

"We're fine we'll always be fine. I may have overreacted today, but I still stand by my opinion, but I don't want to talk about it anymore. I'll deal with whatever your dad decides".

"I hate the bitch Leah and I agree with you but-...".

"It's not your decision I get it".

"We're cool though?"

"Always now have you finished packing?". I asked.

"Almost I'm a little excited about moving to a new place. I'm trying not to be a negative Nancy and who knows maybe this will end up being the best thing we ever do".

"I'm glad". I grinned. "You deserve to be happy you both do".

"And we can always visit". She added.

"We'll talk all the time".

"I want baby updates". She grinned. "I need to know how my nephew is doing".

I rolled my eyes but couldn't hide my smile. "You'll get the shock of your life if it turns out to be a girl".

"Nah it's a boy I just have a feeling".

"We'll find out soon enough. Have you heard from Ryan?". I asked changing the subject.

"Why would I have heard from Ryan?". She frowned.

"I thought he would have been here tonight. I'm a little worried about him".

"I'm sure he's fine. He's probably preparing to go off to university, but it is a little strange that he didn't show tonight".

"Did you invite him?". I asked.

"Of course, I did I'm not that mean".

She could be in fact she could be a real bitch at times.

"Can we come in?". Lacey and Lana were stood by the door that led to the kitchen.

"Everyone's heading to the beach for a bonfire are you two coming?". Lacey asked.

I was a little tired but a trip to the beach would be the perfect ending to a not-so-great day.

"I'm going to see if Jake will run home for my crocs". I spoke.

"You and they bloody crocs". Alanna sighed.

He seemed to be in deep conversation with Carter. I stood by the door watching, he had yet to notice me. I stood staring admiring what was mine. I knew we would have arguments, disagreements that may cause us not to talk for a few days, but I knew we would always be okay.

Sometimes I still found it hard to believe that the moon goddess chose us to be together forever. As corny as it sounds, I'm glad I get to be his mate.

"You coming in or are you just going to stand there?". Carter grinned.

I rolled my eyes but made my ways towards them.

"Do you want to leave?". Jake asked his hands darting for my waist.

"I'll leave you to it".

Once carter left, I moved closer brushing my nose against his.

"Everyone's going to the beach. Can we go?".

"You want to go to the beach?". He placed a kiss on my lips.

"Then we'll go to the beach".