

Chapter 14

Ari's POV

After the meeting with the alpha

When we arrived back at the house I ran inside up to my room. I was disappointed that Jen wasn't still here, but I knew she wanted to go see her parents while we were here. This was the perfect time for her to go. I grabbed my phone out of my back pocket and sent a quick message to Jen.

From Ari: Hey. That meeting was a freaking joke. The alpha that hates me wants to mate me off to his freaking son! Can you believe that? Mom is trying to see if I can get sanctuary in the lycan kingdom. If she gets approval you can come with me. Mom is going to make the arrangements. So how about it, want to go wreck havoc in the lycan kingdom with me?

I plopped down on my bed after sending the text and just stared at my ceiling. I was

surprised that Jen hadn't messaged me back. Oh well. She must be busy.

'Ari, I got ahold of my Uncle in the capital and he is going to see what he can do. He isn't very happy with the Alpha trying to get you to be his son's chosen mate. He wasn't happy either when I told him about how the future alpha rejected his mate because she was an omega. I'll let you know when he gets back to me.' My mom said to me through our mind link. I have to admit this is pretty cool.

'Thanks mom!' I replied back.

It was about thirty minutes after mom talked to me over mindlink that she called me down for brunch. "Ari, I have brunch ready. Come eat." Mom shouted.

My stomach growled out loudly and I chuckled knowing I was starving. I got up and ran to the kitchen. As we were sitting down at the table there was a knock on the front door. Dad stood up from his spot at the table and went to the door.

"Hello Jax. What can I do for you?" I heard dad say when he opened the door. Jax is one of the pack enforcers. I wonder why he was here.

"Sorry Asher. I don't know what your daughter did, but the Alpha wants a guard on her at all times. He also said she wasn't allowed to leave your house." Jax said. He sounded like he wanted to be anywhere but here.

"That bastard isn't going to let her have her time is he. I'm sorry Jax, but I will not allow access inside my home. You may do your task outside. It is not necessary to guard her inside our home. Do you want something to eat or drink while you are out here? It isn't your fault you are tasked with a pointless task." Dad said with a growl.

"You're fine man. I understand. I would feel the same way having a guard on my daughter like this. I wasn't told much of anything other than to make sure she didn't leave the territory and I follow her

everywhere she went in the pack. Do you mind me asking what is going on?" Jax asked dad.

"He wants my daughter to be the chosen mate of his son because she is a dire wolf. She just turned 18 yesterday. She hasn't even had a chance to find her mate yet. It is an unfair thing to ask of her to give up her fated mate for someone she doesn't even like or get along with." Dad said. Jax and dad have been friends for a long time. He isn't worried about giving him too much information. He knows Jax won't say anything unless he is forced to by alpha command. However dad could technically alpha command Jax not to say anything and his command would be followed over anything the alpha of the pack can do. Dad is a stronger alpha on all counts so his commands are stronger too. It would take a more powerful alpha to override his command.

"That is insane! Why didn't you take Ari and run? I would have. You and I know damn

well that you don't belong here as an omega. You should be running your own pack. Anyway, I would love some food if Claire made anything for lunch. I love my mate, but she can't cook to save her life." Jax chuckled.

Mom got to making a plate for Jax quickly after she heard that. She piled it up high with food to make sure he had enough. I had to agree with Jax. Maggie burns water. I don't know how she does it but she does. Mom rushes out of the room to take him the plate and a bottle of water. "Here you go Jax. I gave you a little extra in case Maggie decides to cook supper tonight." Mom said with a chuckle.

"Ha! Thanks Claire. My stomach and I appreciate it. Hey just let me know if I need to take a bathroom break if you guys decide to make a run for it." Jax said in a teasing way. Though I don't think he was joking either.

Jax went around the porch to sit at the

small table mom has set up for when she has time to sit outside and enjoy the weather. We went back to the kitchen to sit down and have our food. We were halfway through the meal when mom's phone rang. She quickly grabbed it saying it was her Uncle Hector before she answered it. "Hello Uncle. Yes. He did?. That's wonderful news. Yes. We will get the girls rounded up and on their way. I'll make sure they leave right away. Thank you Uncle. Now Uncle, you know why we are hiding in this pack. Martin is still out there looking for me. Oh really? Is that so? Yes, yes my mate and I will have to come for a visit soon then. I miss you all too. Good bye."

When mom got off the phone she quickly dialed another number. It rang a couple of times before the other person picked up the line. "Hey Jill. We have the green light. Leaving in ten minutes. Yes. Alright. Good bye."

"Mom?" I asked, I was confused why she called Jen's mom and didn't have me call

Jen.

"Darling, I had a feeling that this would happen and I had made previous arrangements with Jill. Jen's Dad came over earlier while you were in your room and took your car so he could change the oil and put a full tank of gas in. Then he went to his house and Jen and Jill packed it up with everything you will need to make a non stop trip. So hurry and eat because they will be here soon and you will be leaving straight away." Mom said.

Well damn. My mom is pretty smart. Guess that explains why Jen never did message me back. I quickly finished up my food and then washed my plate and cutlery. I ran upstairs and grabbed some things that I just can't live without and headed back downstairs to wait on Jen. I didn't see dad anywhere so I assume he is out talking to Jax.

"Mom? What am I going to do about all of my stuff at the academy and Jen's too?" I

asked just now remembering that we were supposed to be in class tomorrow.

"Your father and I will leave right after you to pick up your stuff from the academy and take it to you. We don't want to be here when the alpha finds out what happened." Mom said. That made sense. It didn't take long and Dad came back into the house. We all joined for a group hug to say our goodbyes so that it is just a hop in and go when Jen gets here. I'll be in the back floorboard covered in empty boxes to make it look like Jen is just taking stuff to the academy.

It was a brilliant plan. My mom was a freaking genius. Soon I hear the sound of my car and grab what I am taking with me. Dad opens the door when I am ready and looks out and around. Once the coast was clear dad motioned me to go and I ran to the backseat and got in. The boxes were placed on top of me by mom and dad. *'Bye kiddo. We love you.'* Mom mind linked me as Jen took off and headed towards the border

towards the lycan kingdom.



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Hope you guys enjoyed your day and for those who were able to see the eclipse I hope you enjoyed it. If you enjoyed the update please don't forget to [#vote#](#). Thank you all for reading and as always Happy Reading!

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