

Chapter 37

Maxine

Two days have gone by like a blur,

I haven't seen that guy Drake, I was happy about that,

There's a young girl who brings me my meals three times a day, I've tried speaking with her but she don't ever say anything back,

The bruises on my face are not as noticeable, My ankle is a different story

The bruises on it have gotten darker the swelling is still bad, I can't walk or put any weight on it.

I hear a big commotion outside,

Hopping off the bed I make my way across the room,

There's a small window but there is iron bars across it, I try looking out it,

I'm not able to see much,

What I can see is people are running everywhere,

"What is going on, I say to myself.

I hear the lock click on the door, Turning around to look,

The door flies open, I see Drake walking in he looked pissed,

I press myself against the wall, Fear taking over me I don't want to move,

"Come on! He grabs my arm,

He starts dragging me across the room,
When I go to step on my foot I cry out,
I stumble forward falling to the floor,
"Dam it! He yells,
He reaches down scooping me up,
I hear people yelling they were running,
He walks fast down the hall, pushing through the people,
We get down the stairs he turns heading toward what I assume is the back of the house,
He kicks the door open,
"Drake! I hear a man's voice calling out,
I look to the front of us, I see the guy that took me from the vehicle,
He runs up to us, "Sir they surrounded the property,
"Shit! Drake says,
"Have my men hold them off, I need get her out of here,
"Yes Sir, He says taking off towards a group of men,
"Who's here? I asked,
He looks down at me, "Looks like you mate has decided to show up,
"Dexter, I say quietly,
"Don't get you little hopes up, He's not going to find you, He says as he starts walking across the yard,

I need to do something, I start to wiggle around trying to get out of his hold.
He growls at me tightening his hold,
"I would stop that if I were you, His eyes flash yellow,
"If you wish for your mate to live you will cooperate,
I quickly stop my wiggling,
He's just about half way across the yard when we hear a loud roar,
He stops in his tracks, There in front of us were a line of men,
I see two people walking behind the line, The men step aside letting them through,
There I see Dexter walking next to him was his father,
Drake sets me down on my feet, He pulls me so my back is pressed against his front,
Placing one hand around my waist. He bring the other to my throat, I feel a sharp poke,
He has let's his claws come out, he has the one pressed to my throat,
I see Dexter take a step forward,
"I would think twice about that, Drake says to him,
Dexter stops moving, But I hear him let out a growl,
"Let her go, Dexter grits out,
I can see him fighting to not jump over here,
"Now why would I do that? I need her so I think I will just keep her,
Dexter let's out a roar, He starts moving towards us, His eyes have started to glow yellow,

I shake my head at him, "Dexter don't!

He stops but he keeps his eyes on me,

I can see he breathing hard, He's so close to losing control,

Drake let's out a laugh,

I know Dexter can't do anything while Drake has a hold of me,

So with that though, I take my elbow slamming it into Drake's stomach, He grunts his hold loosens a bit,

His hand slides down my throat, I can feel warmth running down my neck,

"Max! No! Dexter calls out,

I'm able to turn a bit but when I go to shove him, He grabs my upper arm he punches me in my stomach,

I double over closing my eyes I fall to the ground, The wind was knocked out of me,

I hear fighting right above me,

I open my eyes to see Dexter is punching Drake,

Looking around I see all the men that came with Dexter fighting the other guys who were with Drake,

I try to get up to move but the pain in my stomach along with my ankle I couldn't stand,

I feel arms come around me, I look up to see it Dexter's father, "Max put your arms around me, He says while picking me up,

I wrap my arms around his neck, He lifts me up, He starts backing away from the fighting,

He turns moving away from the chaos, When suddenly we hear growling with a loud roar,

He spins to look, I see this large grey dragon,

Looking for Dexter he's standing there his clothes are tore he also has blood dripping from his chest, I can see his arm has a huge gash on it,

We were to caught up in what was happening in front of us, We didn't see the person coming from behind,

All of a sudden we are hit from the back knocking us forward,

We both fall causing me to roll out of his father's hold,

Rolling a few times I stop laying on my back, I sit up looking towards Dexter dad I see the guy who seems to do this to me,

He standing with a sliver dagger pressed to Dexter's fathers throat,

"Stop please, I call to him,

He just smirks at me,

"Please don't, Just don't hurt him, I say with a shaky voice,

"I won't as long as you go to Drake, He says to me,

I look over towards Drake, He's still in dragon form,

"Dad! Max! Dexter calls out, I see him coming towards us,

"Stop! The guy yells at Dexter,

Dexter stops but hes looking between me and his father,

"I'll end his life if you move, Now she is going to get up and go to Sir Drake, He tells us,

I look at Dexter, He's shaking his head no,

Turning I look to his father, He's on his knees, I think of Laura, If he dies she will die,

Dexter will have lost both his parents because of me, I can't do that to him, He may have left me for all those months, I'm still mad at him, But I couldn't take his parents from him,

I managed to struggle to my feet, holding my stomach I felt I was gonna puke, I was feeling light headed due to my neck bleeding,

I start to hobble towards Drake,

"Max, What are you doing? I hear Dexter say to me as I pass him,

I stop to look at him, "I can't be the cause of you losing both your parents Dexter, I will go with Drake,

"Max, No please don't, He says in an almost whisper,

"I'm sorry Dexter, This is the only way to save them both, you know that,

"Max, He says he goes to take a step towards me, But we hear a snort,

I look towards Drake he starts to step towards us,

I look back to the guy who has Dexter's father, "Once I reach him you will let him go,

He nods for me to keep walking, I glance at Dexter one more time,

I start to hobble again, I get in front of Drake I have to crane head back to look up at him, He's quite large, Not as big as Dexter but he's not small either,

He looks down at me, Even in dragon form I can see that stupid smirk.

"Let's let his father go, I say to him.

He looks at the other guy I see him nod his big head,

I go to turn to see if he let him go, When I feel claws wrap around my body,

I let out a scream as I'm pulled into the air, I watch as I get farther from the ground,

"Max!! I hear Dexter yelling my name,

I start to feel dizzy I don't know if it's from the lost of blood or the rush from being ripped up into the air,

I close my eyes, Thinking of Dexter,

"I'm sorry Dexter, I whisper to myself,

Then everything go dark,