

Chapter 33

Travis' POV

That asshole at the gate was really pissing me off dicking around and not accepting the rejection. Even with being threatened with death, he didn't want to do it. I hate to say it, but I encouraged Tate to tell one of the members of the team to take out that tire. Nico and that human Luna he had were not good people and Bree deserved better. I was getting antsy, and I didn't know why. I just needed them to get this over with so we could get back to Stone Moon. I had felt like this last night too when we heard the story that both Jaden and Bree had told us.

I cannot blame Bree at all, she was in her heat and with her mate that that is almost impossible to resist. It was the perfect storm and I just want him to say the magic words, and accept the rejection, so she doesn't go through what I saw her have to deal with twice yesterday. Bree is pretty tough, but anyone watching what she was going through knew it was bad. I am happy that she is happy with having the baby, and I pray that it is a baby

girl and that she looks like her mom, because Bree is beautiful, inside and out.

I hear that asshole yell his acceptance at her, and saw Dixon catch her when she fell, and I was hoping that Nico was in a LOT of pain to pay for all that he and that human Luna had put Bree through when I smelled Honeysuckle and the earth after a rain storm, and I knew that Bree was my second chance mate. I am both elated and worried, as I had been rejected and I didn't want to go through that again. I watched as Jade and her mother Monica hurry forward, and I heard Luna Monica ask about the baby and if it was OK. I was hoping that he hadn't heard it, but the way that he was glaring at Bree made me aware that he had.

I will not let him hurt her again, he had his shot, several in fact and he had blown all of them. I saw her being assisted back to her SUV when her head came up and I knew she had scented me. I stepped forward quickly to claim my prize because that is what she was to me. Something to be valued and protected. I am not worried about Nico because we are about the same exact size, he may have about 5 lbs. on me, but we were both 6'3" tall, and broad. I would fight him to the death for my Bree, and I said, "Mate" just so he would know that the Goddess had already given Bree to

me, and I would not be making the mistake of losing her.

I glance forward to where Asher and Jade were sitting in the front seats driving us back to Stone Moon, and I see Asher glance up into the rear view mirror to look at me for a minute before putting his eyes back on the road. I hope Asher isn't going to be giving me a hard time. I guess I know Dixon a little better than Asher, but they both know I am a stand-up guy, I am strong, as I am the Beta for Dark Moon, along with Tate. I train a lot, and I take my job seriously. I will keep Bree safe and sound with me. Maybe that is the problem, maybe they just got her back and don't want to lose her yet? I hope Bree didn't decide to reject me. I already got rejected by Katie and Bree is my second chance mate. If she were to reject me, I would not be given another mate. I would just have to find someone in the same boat because if they weren't and met their mate, they would just leave you and go with their true mate because the pull was so strong. I just turned 20 in June, right after Asher and Jade's wedding and I would hate to be out of options at such a young age.

At least she is letting me hold her hand still, that is something, I can always ask Tyler to speak with her or Jade on my behalf, to help me as I really

don't want to be rejected again. It hurts, and I want Bree, even more than I wanted Katie. Her scent does things to me, and I want her badly.

We approach the gates at Stone Moon and I mindlinked both Tyler and Tate to tell them I need help, and what I needed from them. I see Jade is getting a link and I know who did it when she turns to look at me and smiles. She mouths to me, "I will help you" and gives me another smile and I know that Jade is Bree's best friend, which is all I can hope is to have her help in getting my mate. I mouth back, "Thank you" and smile back at her as we pull smoothly up to the packhouse.

The guards are all on high alert and the 100 warriors from Dark Moon will be housed here for a few days as we wait and see if Nico will retaliate again Stone Moon for coming to their gate and demanding his rejection. Nico was pretty pissed off and now that he knew that Bree is pregnant and that she has found her second chance mate, he had to be pretty furious, but again, he brought it all on himself.

I hop out and run around to help my mate out of the SUV, and I picked her up and pulled her to my frame, and slid her down my body getting her feet onto the ground. I probably didn't have to do that,

but I couldn't stop myself. I want to touch her all the time, as she is my mate. And I know she felt the tingles as well. I felt her shudder when I released her. Jade and her mom took her into the packhouse to go meet with the doctor to be

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checked out and Asher held his hand out to stop me from walking away after them.

"Don't hurt my sister Travis. Are you just flirting with her, or are you actually her mate?" Asher asked me.

"I am her mate, Asher. I will die to protect her, and Nico will be back. He heard your mom ask about



the baby, and then Bree sensed me as her mate.

Both of those things are going to result in Nico
losing his s**t and soon. He will want her back and
I don't blame him, she is perfect and needs to be
treasured. I will not hurt her Asher, I only want to
love her" I told him, and Asher sighed and nodded
at me.

"Yes, you have it bad, I understand I do too, but you realize that she is pregnant with Nico's baby, right? Are you OK with that? Can you raise the baby like it was yours?" Asher asked me and I saw her father Andrew Morris step into my peripheral vision and wait for my answer.

"I know she is pregnant, and I have already prayed to the Goddess Selene that the baby is a girl and as beautiful as her mother, but even if it is a boy, I will be fine raising him as my own son. Nico and look a little similar, but of course, the cleft in my chin does make me more handsome than him, Bree just got an upgrade" I told Asher and I heard Asher blow out the breath he was holding, and Andrew clapped me on the back and said, "Welcome to the family son. I am so much happier with you than I ever was with Nico".

"Are you sure that she will accept me? She had been through so much. I just got rejected and



accepted it two weeks ago, so I am really actually very nervous that she will judge me for Nico's sins and not want me. I don't want to be rejected twice, and I want her so much. So much more than I ever wanted Katie. I feel a much stronger bond with Bree, and she feels amazing to me" I told them.

"Sometimes the Goddess puts us through things to get us where we are supposed to be. I believe that you were there with us, to help us, and to be there for Bree so she knew that she had been blessed with her second chance mate. Just give her some time son. She wants you, I saw her shudder when you helped her out of the SUV. I knew you couldn't help it, but throttle down a little son, just give her some time, I am sure it will just be a few days, and she will want to accept your mark. She may be safer from Nico at Dark Moon anyway, so this may work out best for her. The Goddess always knows, and she puts us together for a reason. Nico would have to be a fool to try to ever go there to get her" Andrew said as he walked away to go find his wife and make sure that Bree is OK.

I looked at Asher and went to ask him a question and he held a finger up to me and answered his phone on speaker, "Asher, did I hear correctly that my mate is pregnant with my child?" I heard Nico's



My Second Chance Mate voice come out of the phone.

"I cannot confirm that Nico, was that all you needed?" Asher told him.

"You forced me to reject my mate, and I will never forgive you for that. I will get Bree back, and I will never let her go again" Nico threatened Bree, and I growled out along with Asher.

"Oh, is her second chance mate there with you,
Asher. I don't care. I still want her, I was tricked by
Shelby, and it wasn't my fault. Sabrina shouldn't
hold that against me I thought that I was with her.
You force me to reject her with the threat of killing
me to get the bond broken and that wasn't fair
either. So don't be upset with me when I get her
back. She still loves me and wants me, and the
next time you will not get her, or our pup back"
Nico said, and we both heard a gasp and turned to
see that Bree was falling down, shocked at
hearing what Nico just said. Jade was closest to
her and grabbed her and slowed her descent to
the floor.

Jade is screaming for the doctor to come to the front of the packhouse, and I run to Bree and pull her into my arms and rock her gently to comfort her, and I know the shock of hearing Nico say that he will take her again was very stressful.

I can hear Asher yelling at Nico for getting Bree hurt and I cannot stop the growl that comes out of me.

"Nico, if you ever come after my mate, I will kill you, and I will never let you take our pup. Girl or boy I will raise it as my own, you have lost her forever. You didn't know the prize you had, you can just keep playing house with your f*****g human Luna. Don't ever come around Stone Moon again looking for my Bree, I will kill you to defend my mate" I told Nico and I heard his growl through the phone.

Asher drops the call and I looked down worried to see if Bree was Ok to see her looking up at me with a smile and a tear glistening in the corner of her eye. "Are you OK baby, where are you hurting? The doctor is on his way, we are going to just stay here until he can check you out Bree" I told her, and she cupped my face with her hand and then ran her hand to the back of my head and pulled my face down for a passionate kiss. The tingles are there, and I nipped her bottom lip to allow me access to her mouth. I can hear my mate moan and just as I started to moan, I hear a lot of coughing from Asher who is making it obvious that he will not be stopping coughing until I stop kissing his sister. I look up at him and sigh, well at

