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voice ipped low in wanting

Lanige

"How do tad heetant!? How can I prepare her? My voice was strangled.

"You don't. Shess recocious but stilt too young to understand. You'll only frianten named Matachis

Tears weiled 10, bomma but I didn't try to dash them away. if that made me fragila so cene i Matachi

itted and handed mesa nandkerchief from his breast pocket. It was of crisp, trones cotton

andhrameters faintly f cigar smoke and soninian di incense.

I pressed it to my face dresscoond before wiping my tears. I crumpled the fabric in my hand add

stuated noting no signs opbloooconwitch was good. I wasn't squeamish about blood, generally, but

after sesesting is red tears. I didn't want to owner own with the same goth.

"I know this scent: 1 told himml teemember it from my childhood. My mother would be sad sometimes,

and he'd always just tell us it was seemedag eer cycle. But it was you, wasn't it? Somehow, related to

you

"The lies we tell our childrennacmoacctthens are sometimes the ones that wound us the most, Malachithi aid gravely. "Keep the bankie?" I wound the cloth around my fingers siriand out lacing them with it. "I never want to lie to my children. "But you will," he said. "All parents slod I frowned, feeling stubborn. "I've beentieadamy entire life. hhad to lose my entire memory and identity ecause of lies. I won't do that to my children Etpeeciality not Stella. If she's really destined for some kind of t on't even know what, I'm not going to bite sha atocontines won't have her going into anything un cared... My voice broke and cracked as my near tezed at the thought of my precious little one bein anger: Malachi squeezed my shoulder gently erretzing is seat again. He watched me strugg ffered no words Finally, I managed to get my voice back. Shes pist patitueqir Malach. No matter what blood flow prough her, shes still just a baby" seas everything sounding you

"And she has you as her mother. Your daughters special, Loupandocare you. A luns with three mate!
wo of them Alphas who share the same sire his unprecedente
Gusev unique
"As rare as a Celestial? Lasked sarcastically Cut Maachis
methowas agreeing how can you
wrey y
jessure? What do you know every single supernatural in note wood or single mating that has
Herrccurred?"
His chuckle raised the hairs on the back of my neck, and Lys Riv cu
Lý valva
eeth; but Malachi only waved a hand, not at all impressed.stled against
Myps cured, baring my
hus
quantwith a scowl.

ger, and so quick to anger. It's your duality I suspect. Living with that beast inside you, always trying to get the surface and take control. So many ups and downs. It must be so tiresome."

hard rather have my ups and downs than be some cold-hearted, emotionless-"I bit off the end of my ntence, not entirely sure what insult I was trying to hurl his way. "I've seen you give in to your fury, so don't t like you don't. You broke the Treaty."

"It was time for that Treaty to be broken," Malachi said.

"Interesting timing, isn't it? You break the treaty, which directly leads to Mason gaining his Alpha powers, ating two Alphas where there should've only been one. I have three mates, and our daughter is a Celestial." red him. "You had no idea?"

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to The world turns, granddaughter, and the best we all can do is spin ourselves along with it. There are ces in place so much grander than any one of us. I cannot pretend to understand everything." Malachi iked at me. "But I can tell you that it's easy enough to know that no Luna in recent history has had three Tes. You all might've been secluded from the rest of the supernatural world, but that does not mean

that we haven't been watching you all very closely."
"I hate that!"
putes you should. What your councils jointly decided was perhaps on the surface meant as protection,
but hehera et only harmed you."
itslive parents lying to a child," I said through gritted teeth. Look how well that's turned out. Besides,
Stella eady knows what she is. The Moon Goddess told her. She might not understand what that
means, but ! dos. Either do we
cacay Allask is that you allow yourselves to settle in here. We'll find a way to navigate all of this. I
sald.lalachi said.
her safeep her safe?"
ply didn't reply.