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Izaak's pov

Just sitting in my study was not going to solve shit, so I decided to confront Fiona about what I probably did, that's making her give me a cold shoulder for the past four days, and also I needed some fresh air, my study was literally suffocating.

As soon as I stepped out of my study, I was battling between going to her chambers, or to her favorite spot by the fountain in the garden. While I was still contemplating on which way to go, I spotted Fiona just ahead of me in the hallway.

Great! The goddess is definitely on my side on this one.

"Thank you goddess," I mouthed.

"Fiona!" I called out to her but she ignored me, or maybe she didn't hear me calling. Or did she? Cause I noticed she quickend her footsteps.

"Luna Fiona," I called out again, this time around quickening my footsteps, or more like running. "Fiona please," I said, holding onto her dress to get her attention.

"Good day, Alpha Izaak," she said with a smile, but I could tell it's not genuine, it didn't even reach her eyes, and the glint in her eyes whenever she smiled was gone. "How may I help you?" She asked politely, but I could tell the distance from her tone.

"Good day Fiona," I said, giving her my best smile, with the hope that it

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would lighten the mood, but she didn't even budge. "Did I do something wrong?" I cut to the chase, now's not the time to mince words. "You've been giving me a cold shoulder for the past four days."

"Do you need anything Alpha Izaak?" She asked coldly, ignoring my question.

"Are you really not going to tell me what I did wrong?"

She just kept mute and stared at me, her face void of any form of emotions, making it hard for me to know what she's thinking.

"Damn it, Fiona!" I snapped, my patience running thin. "Just tell me! I can't function properly with this attitude of yours, just tell me what I did wrong!" I yelled.

For a moment I could see the warmth in her eyes, but it was gone the moment it appeared.

She bowed. "I'm sorry if my attitude had brought great concern to you Alpha, I just happened to be preoccupied with the preparations for the festival as it draws nearer," She said, still bowing.

"What nonsense are you talking about?! I growled. "You know that's not what I'm talking about, what's bothering you, and what did I do?" My tone was a bit harsh, and my anger got the better of me.

I took a deep breath, trying to calm myself down, because I know yelling won't solve anything, it would only make things worse.

"How's your health now?" I asked, changing the topic, and trying to

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get her to talk.

"I'm fine," she replied flatly.

"Okay that's great," I said. "But why didn't you go to my quarters to wait for the pack's healer like I instructed?"

"I can take care of myself, no need to worry," she replied coldly.

"Can't you see I'm worried?!" I half yelled, I wouldn't want to piss her off.

"I didn't ask you to!" She retorted. "If you've nothing else to say, I'll take my leave," she said, and turned to walk away.

I reached out and grabbed her dress. "Fiona please, just tell me what I did wrong so I can make amends," I said pleadingly.

She removed my hand from her dress.

"Do you need anything Alpha Izaak?"

My lips parted but no words came out, as I was out of ideas on what to do or say to her. Seeing that I was not saying anything she walked away, leaving me all by myself in the hallway.

With every step she took farther away from me as I watched helplessly, I felt empty, lost and confused.

"Hey man," Rick said cheerfully, putting his arm on my shoulder and snapping me back to reality. "Is Fiona still keeping you at arm's length?"

"What are you talking about?" I asked, feigning ignorance.

"I saw her walk out on you just now," he said. "Are you very sure you did nothing wrong?"

"I told you I didn't do anything," I replied nonchalantly. "I didn't do anything wrong, she's probably in her monthly cycle period, and you know how women's mood changes during that time of the month," I said, and made my way back to my room, with Rick following closely behind in silence.

Rick gave a half suppressed laugh, breaking the silence.

"What's funny?" I arched my brows.

"Seriously Izy," he began. "You just have to come to terms with the fact that this is not just a game anymore. You like her, better man up and stop wallowing in self pity. It doesn't suit you," Rick said, tapping my shoulder, and leaving me behind.

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#### Fiona's Pov

"Cora!" I called out

"Yes luna?" She replied, her gaze fixed on the ground not daring to meet my eyes.

The truth is I wanted to forgive her, I missed her so much but I need her to understand just how much she had hurt me. She knew all along about Izaak's and Tiana's relationship, but still let me have my

hopes up.

"Are the dresses ready?" I asked, trying to sound as casual as I could.

"Yes, Luna" she replied, with her gaze still fixed on the floor. I dismissed her with a wave of my hand, and she went over and stood by the door, watching me braid Lily's hair.

"Please forgive me Luna," she said in a trembling voice, as our eyes met.

I simply ignored her, and continued braiding Lily's hair, and after about two minutes she was no longer standing by the door. Well I don't care where she went to, as long as she's keeping her distance far away from me, unless when necessary.

The best option would have been to lay off Cora, and request a new omega, but my heart couldn't bring me to it. A part of me still hopes that things would go back to the way they were between us, but I'm not really sure that's ever going to happen.

For the past few days, even though she had been keeping her distance like I instructed her to, I could see she's trying to make it up to me.

"Luna, are you still mad at Cora?" Lily's voice broke my thoughts.

I didn't respond to her, but just smiled at her Innocence, and resumed braiding her hair.

"Forgive her please," Lily said pleadingly, as she stared at me with puppy dog eyes. "Don't you miss her?"

"I don't," I blurted out. Lily might be a kid, but she's definitely a smart one.

The wounds in my heart from this betrayal were still fresh, and I needed time to heal, and this matter is not something a few sorry's can solve, and I don't think that's something Lily will understand, probably when she's older.

"Please forgive me Luna," Cora knelt before me with teary eyes. "Just give me a second chance to prove myself."



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