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Chapter 18-02

“Are you ready it’s ti” He stops talking when he sees me. His jaw drops open, and I think I see some drool. His eyes are completely glazed over, and I can see he’s having a hard time keeping Brandon at bay. I’ve never had anyone look at me like that, I know my cheeks are bright red, but I know I have a huge grin on my face as well.

“You look amazing, Kat.” Harris still looks like he’s recovering from his state of shock

“You look good 100.” He actually looks outstanding His hair is combed and neat and even though it

looks good, I prefer his messy hair. He’s wearing a blue shirt underneath his black jacket and he has on khakis.

He gives me a smile, before he holds out his hand. I take a shaky breath in before I grab his hand,

We walk downstairs in silence and I try to collect my thoughts

I can hear people outside laughing and talking and I know that this is it. I can totally do this. Harris gives my hand a slight squeeze before he opens the door Immediately, all the sounds stop, and everyone stares at us I swallow nervously and glance at Harris. His face is completely serious

“About a week ago, I met my mate, your Luna. Today, I want to welcome her to our pack. We will be making our way through the crowds, so just stay where you are ” His voice carries over the crowd. and everyone here is watching, hush intently. I can see a group of kids trying to get closer so they can see me, but their parents are blocking their way

I can see the happiness on everyone’s faces, and I know that if they could, they would be swarming around me and asking me questions Harris and I make our way towards the crowd and I see a lot of pack members looking at us in awe. One of the parents stops paying attention for one second, and their child comes running towards me

“Luna! Luna! I made you a card! See! I even used different colors and I drew a picture of everyone in

the pack!” She says with excitement on her face. She looks around 7 or 8, and she is absolutely adorable She’s lugging on my dress and trying to slide her card. Her parents and everyone else in the pack look a little anxious at what I’m going to do, but I

just smile. Harris is watching intently, but I ignore him before I crouch down a little so I'm the same height as the girl

"Thank you so much," I say as I take the card from her hand. I open it up and see that there's only about 10 people that she drew, but I guess that's close enough

"This is amazing! You even used my favorite colors! Thank you so much for this gift, it's absolutely wonderful!" I say with a grin. She gives me a huge smile before she launches herself at me. I laugh quietly before giving her a hug and a squeeze. I look up and see that everyone is looking at me with admiration, and Harris looks extremely proud. I blush a little before I notice a swarm of kids in

front of me with various presents in their small hands

I've been making my way around trying to talk to everyone I can. Harris has introduced me to a lot of people, but there's still so many more people. I learned that the little girl who gave me the card earlier is 7, and her name is Fiona. She hasn't left my side since the party started. Her parents Dan and Jessica are so sweet, and can tell that I'm going to be great friends with them.

I've played some games with the kids, and it has been so much fun I've never felt so welcomed and loved

Some more great news is that Leo has met his mate. Her name is Claire, and she is so adorable. She's really loud and outgoing, but she's not overbearing. They are so cute together, and I'm so happy for him.

The party has been going on for about 4 hours, and now it's 9:30pm. A lot of the kids are starting to get tired so we decide to wrap up the party. For those who I didn't meet, I can always meet them some other time.

I'm so glad that I got to meet so many people today. The rumors about this pack aren't true. Well, most of them aren't true.

"You did so well today. I'm so proud of you, Kat," Harris says with a smile on his face

"This pack is absolutely wonderful. I don't know why I was so scared at first."

"It's a normal thing, but you fit right in with the pack. Everyone loves you, and the children adore you. I'm so glad that today went well."

"Me too."

Harris and I head up to our room, but I can't sleep. I'm so happy that everything went well today and that the pack accepts me. Also, playing with the kids was the most fun I've ever had, except for my first date with Harris. They are all so adorable and lovable.

I'm finally falling asleep when I hear a bloodcurdling scream.