

Chapter 41 Group Reunited

Eduarda, with a heavy heart, decides that she must find Erick and face the consequences of her

actions. For the first time she realizes that what she has done was wrong and

that she has deeply hurt those she has always wanted to protect. With determination, she gets up and follows after Joshua, who has gone in search of

Erick.

While walking through the halls of the royal academy Eduarda feels the pain and anguish coming from Erick more and more intensely. She understands how much he has

suffered and the guilt becomes unbearable. But she is willing to face anything

to make amends for her mistakes.

Little does she realize that she is following the scent of Erick and Joshua.

And finally, she finds them in a secluded and destroyed patch of forest, both looking into the

forest. Erick's face is full of sadness and anger. Joshua is standing there beside him with his hand on his shoulder, conveying silent support. Eduarda stands at some distance, respecting the space Erick needs.

She takes courage
and, with a choked voice, begins to speak:

"Erick, I'm... I'm
sorry. I acted selfishly and irresponsibly. I was afraid, and I didn't handle
it the right way. I should have trusted Joshua or Uncle Peter and told the
truth, but I failed."

Erick turns to face
her, his eyes filled with pain.

"You don't
understand, Eduarda. I have suffered so much, faced my own demons and
yours,
and now I realize that you could have helped yourself from the beginning. I
don't hate you, but the disappointment is overwhelming."

Tears stream down
Eduarda's face as she tries to explain herself:

"I didn't want you
to suffer because of me. I was afraid that I would be hurt even more, I
started to believe that I really deserved that treatment. But I realized that
what I did was childish, and unfair to you, Joshua and Uncle Peter, who
ended
up suffering because of me."

Erick sighs deeply
and slowly approaches. He looks into Eduarda's eyes and says:

"I don't know if I

can overcome all the pain you made me suffer, but you are my mate, and every

piece of my being draws me to you. And that's why I need some time to process

all this. To accept our bond.

Eduarda holds his
hands and pleads:

"Erick, I want you I

would do anything to fix what I did, to prove that I can be a better mate.

Please give me a chance."

He looks at her, his
eyes expressing a mixture of love and distrust.

"I can't promise

anything now, but I'm willing to try. But, Eduarda, we need to build the trust
between us. And then no more secrets."

Eduarda nods,
promising herself that she will do her best to win Erick's trust. She knows it
will be a difficult journey, but she is determined to prove her love and
commitment.

Feeling the need to
break the tension in the air Joshua says:

"And for the love of
the goddess no smelling pillows"

Eduarda looks

indignantly at Erick feeling betrayed and says:

"You told" and

points her finger accusingly at Erick, who smiles and says:

"You are my mate,

what can he do against that?" and a camaraderie arises between them that makes

Eduarda believe everything will work out.

Getting serious

again Erick says:

"No more color"

Assenting Eduarda

replies:

"Never again"

"Hey how dare you

guys get together without me", Lila arrives with her sneaky manner.

Looking around

Erick feels that there is the group that had put na end to Hercules and his evil deeds once and for all.

Resolving not to

hide anything more from Eduarda as well Erick says:

"Eduarda what do you

know about the prophecy involving me and my companion"

"How?" Eduarda asks

feeling lost.

At that moment

someone claps his hands and says:

"In this I can help"

, everyone turns around startled and is faced with Draco smiling at them as he

says:

"Finally all the

pieces on the board", and smiling continues "come on , let's go , let's go somewhere

safer and more private"

The group look at

each other in silence thinking that although they don't fully trust Draco being

the keeper of the secret, they needed him, so they follow him further into the

Forest.

They arrive at a

hut and Draco invites them in and after everyone is settled he says:

"Well I'll start at



the beginning: a century ago, a hybrid son of a vampire and a she-wolf, became

obsessed with power, and in his quest he found ancient manuscripts containing

our history and a prophecy about becoming the son of darkness, he followed the

macabre and dangerous ritual step by step, doing terrible things to achieve power, and in parts it worked because he didn't have the last item. The earth

entered an age of terror, even humans began to be affected, and this is when

the races came together, vampires and werewolves against Hercules and his

followers, Hercules was defeated, and fled in search of the last item that would make him invincible, the blood of the Luna of Lunas. And this led to the

extinction of a powerful race of wolves, for the Luna das Lunas could only be a

daughter of the moon, snow-white wolves endowed with goddess-given gifts. But

with the incessant hunting Hercules and his followers were instinct, or hid very well" he says this part facing Eduarda and Joshua "a while later, my great-great-grandmother, an old wise woman, known for her gift of predicting the

future, predicted a new war, which would either be the definitive end of Hercules or the earth as we know it", picking up some old manuscripts he reads,

"there will be a union, a predestined bond of the Luna of the Lunas and a beast

that unlike all, would be the dwelling of three and not two, that if united with the Daughter of the Moon would destroy Hercules forever, but if Hercules

united with her first, it would be eternal chaos," when he finishes the silence takes over everyone in the place.



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