

Chapter 51 A war Speech

Everyone present is horrified by King Jofrei's fury, although it is clear from the beginning that Erick is much stronger than his father. However, he has been restraining himself because his goal is to subdue his father and become the king as tradition dictates, without harming him. Kairon says, "Something is happening; your father is really trying to kill us." Erick knew that Kairon was right, and therefore, he never let his guard down. But his concern was for Joshua, his Beta and best friend.

Joshua also realized that this fight involved much more than being the true Beta. From the way Leones was attacking him, Joshua knew that he was fighting for his life. That's why he had been moving in circles, trying to avoid Leones' arms from wrapping around him because if that happened, he would be dead.

Eduarda and Lila watched the horrifying fight unfold on the stage, and Eduarda let out a scream of terror when the Lycan nearly clawed at Joshua's neck. Joshua narrowly managed to escape, but now one of his legs was severely injured. When Eduarda looks

away, she finds Draco not far away in the crowd, staring at the stage and she

realizes he is murmuring something.

She feels a shiver run down her spine, and Celeste says, "Something wrong is happening, Duda, I sense the forces of evil at work."

Eduarda wonders if Draco has finally succumbed to the forces of evil and walks determinedly toward

him, just as Erick, distracted by his concern for Joshua, is attacked by his father with a powerful bite on the neck that would have decapitated any other

wolf or Lycan, but Erick was too powerful, and his wounds healed much faster

than usual.

"Stop, stop what you're doing right now," Eduarda says, standing in front of Draco.

But he simply shakes his head and continues to murmur strange words that Eduarda thought were some kind of spell.

She began to consider attacking Draco, ripping out his tongue if necessary. That's when a murmur of horror spread through the crowd, and turning to the stage, she saw

Leones with his arms around Joshua. Desperate, she turns back to Draco and

that's when she sees an old woman, and everything around her emanated darkness,

the same darkness she had seen earlier in the forest. Celeste starts growling

incessantly, and there Eduarda can see the old woman's mouth moving in an evil

chant.

Eduarda feels power

building up inside her, and pointing her hands at the old woman, she feels a blast of heat leave her body. The old woman immediately falls into agony, screaming and writhing. On the stage, both King Jofrei and Beta Leones seem to

have snapped out of a trance and become completely confused. Taking advantage

of the opportunity, Erick and Joshua subdue them, and they kneel in submission.

The guards rush

towards the old woman, but before they can touch her, Draco shouts, "Don't

touch her, you imbecile dogs! Do you want to burn in hell like her?" Then, looking at Eduarda, he says, "Enough already, go get what is yours."

Eduarda walks slowly

toward the old woman, who writhes on the ground. People make way for her,

frightened and amazed that a woman with such delicate and fragile appearance

could possess such power.

When she gets close

to the old woman, Eduarda stares at her for a few moments, then reaches out her

hand and says, "Come." Immediately, a red glow can be seen leaving the old woman and returning to Eduarda.

Whispers spread

throughout the square as people speculate about Eduarda's identity. Erick, furious, shouts at the guards from the stage:

"Take her to the

dungeon, and this time, don't let the surveillance waver even if the world is ending. I'll pay her a visit soon."

The ceremony

continues, filled with astonishment and tension, which only escalates with Erick's first speech as the Supreme Alpha King.

Erick, now standing

before the gathered crowd, takes a deep breath and prepares to deliver his speech. The tension in the air is palpable as everyone anxiously awaits his words.

"My fellow wolves

and Lycans," Erick begins, his voice strong and resolute. "Today, I stand before you not only as your leader but as na equal. We stand on the precipice

of a great battle. The forces of darkness have risen, and their leader, Hercules, the King of Evil, is among us once again."

The crowd murmurs
and sighs in terror, confirming that the news is shocking to many, and fear
spreads like a plague. But Erick continues, his gaze unwavering and
determined:

"But we have nothing
to fear, for we are not alone in this fight. Together, wolves, Lycans, and
Vampires, once again united as one, will confront the darkness that
threatens
our land. This is not just my battle; it is our battle, and I call upon each
and every one of you to join me in this fight against evil."

The crowd listens
attentively, hanging on every word as Erick's voice becomes even more
commanding.

"I invite all
warriors, wolves, and Lycans who are willing to face this evil to gather your
strength, your courage, and your determination. Let us unite, not as
individuals, but as a force to be reckoned with – a force that will not falter
in the face of darkness."

Erick's eyes scan
the crowd and meet Eduarda's, and his voice resonates with authority and
passion.

"Tonight, we embark

on a journey to rid our world of the tyranny and malevolence that Hercules brings upon us. We will face danger, endure hardships, and make sacrifices, but

together, we will emerge victorious. Our strength lies in our unity, and we will prove that the light in our hearts is stronger than the darkest of shadows."

A wave of determination and hope fills the air as Erick's words resonate with the warriors and all those present. They feel the weight of the impending battle,

but they also feel a renewed sense of purpose and determination.

"So, my brothers,"

Erick concludes, his voice now full of conviction. "Let us prepare for the greatest fight of our lives. Gather your allies, join your forces, and stand with me against the forces of evil. Together, we will triumph, and our land will know peace once again."

The crowd erupts in applause, howls, and affirming shouts. The warriors, wolves, and Lycans are inspired by Erick's words, ready to answer his call and join forces against the approaching darkness.

With his speech delivered, Erick steps back, his eyes still burning with determination. He knows that the battle ahead will be arduous, but another cry of terror

breaks

the night!

