

## CH 15

Jack

It was already likely that both of Luci's parents could sense the girl; now that she had a wolf, it was likely that they also both knew she was out in the woods. He was willing to bet that they'd gone in and checked on her after the moon set and found her room empty.

Why Orien was up, and prowling around unhappy, he also now knew that they were both not here in the packhouse either. He could well imagine that the man was already thinking they were with his daughter. Orien had seen the way he'd been looking at Luci. Knew he was interested and now all three of them were not in the packhouse.

It was also now likely they knew she was back in the packhouse. Rafe continued to carry her through the packhouse, it was already too late to try and hide that they'd been with her.

He and Rafe came face to face with Orien in the foyer. The man did not look happy at all. The two of them were still butt ass naked themselves, and so was Luci for that matter, though he had draped her long hair down her body, so she was mostly covered right that minute, due to how thick and lustrous her hair was.

He watched as Orien's nostrils ached, as he smelled his own daughter, and realized she smelled like the two of them. Though neither he nor Rafe reacted to it, they had been on the receiving end of angry fathers before. It wasn't often a father was happy about finding his daughter in bed with two wolves at that same time. Let alone an Alpha and a Beta.

"What the hell did I tell you?" the man snapped right at him, was more than furious it seemed.

Though it was not Orien that had his actual attention, Addison was standing there with him, just looking at the sleeping girl in Rafe's arms. She too, would be able to smell them on her daughter. She was Alpha-blooded herself.

Though looking at Addison, she didn't seem all that upset, and when he really looked at her, he realized that she didn't look the slightest bit annoyed or angry even. A little concern was all he could sense in Luci's mother.

He'd already picked up on the bond between the mother and daughter, it was a lot stronger than the father-daughter bond. Which was normal in one way, but not in another. Seeing as she should be the heir, her father should be more closely bonded to her, spend way more time with Luci than her mother. Though he also knew Orien was not, as Luci had stated, passing the pack to her.

"She's different," Addison stated softly and reached out and touched her daughter's face gently.

"Deled by both of them." Orien bit out, "Of course she smells different."

"No, she..." he watched Addison's eyes widen only a little before she looked right up at him. She could now sense her daughter's beast. It was a little odd that she'd not been able to before, but he understood Addison had not been able to, which meant likely neither had Orien either.

He watched as Addison's eyes shined with happiness at the realization of her daughter nally getting her shift.

"Luci shifted to her wolf, tonight." Rafe nodded, confirming what Addison suspected. "Her wolf just burst right out of her, right in front of Jack and I, the moment she stepped out of the packhouse."

"As the moon set," Jack commented, "Came downstairs a lather of sweat and a little cranky looking. Trying to get outside."

Jack watched as both her parents now looked right at her. It was a full moon and Rafe was not wrong. Her wolf had burst out of her, damned fast at that, she was also fast like an Alpha wolf as well.

"Is she your Mate?" Orien asked a moment later.

"No." Rafe shook his head; he'd not lie to the man. Though even Jack felt Rafe's thoughts on that, he thought it would have been nice.

She was very easy on the eye and if she was their Mate she'd likely never get rest. Jack held in that smile that wanted to touch his lips, when they did get a Mate, the poor girl was going to be exhausted all the time. Having to deal with not just his needs but his Alpha's needs as well. They were likely to have one mate between the two of them, something they were actually hoping for.

Rafe nodded to Jack. "We, couldn't let an unknown she-wolf run about all over the woods in the pack, there are many traps and spells from the packs witch's, out there. Luci might have come across one, or she could have come across our patrol and gotten into a ght. None of us need that, Orien."

"So, you...what? Took it upon yourselves to..." Orien was glaring at them once more.

"Honey calm down." Addison put a hand on her Mate's arm, "She's ne and look at her." Addison actually turned and smiled up at Orien, "Sleeping so very soundly." She sounded happy about that last part to him.

"I don't give a bloody damn about her sleeping soundly. She smells like both of them."

He watched as Addison looked from him to Rafe and then back to him. "Did she give consent?" she asked simply.

It was a bit of a surprise to hear her ask that question but both he and Rafe answered at the same time, "Yes."

"Then it's ne." She waved it off with a hand and a smile on her face.

"It's not bloody ne Addison." Orien grated out and reached out to take Luci from Rafe. "I'll take her."

"I've got her, Orien," Rafe told him. "There is no need to wake her at this point." and Jack knew Rafe was comfortable with her curled up in his arms. All settled snug into his chest, she might not be his Mate, but he was perfectly happy carrying her about in his arms, that was for sure.

"Let Rafe carry her dear, we shouldn't wake her." Addison told her Mate and waved Rafe passed the man and towards the stairs in his own packhouse.

He watched Rafe blink but then just let it go. Addison had been a Luna forever, it was just her natural instinct to wave people about, he also wasn't offended at all. They walked passed Orien and found Addison falling into step with Rafe, walked right next to him all the way up the stairs and into Luci's room. He could see her looking at her daughter a lot. Saw her smiling as well.

The woman wasn't at all concerned or upset with the current situation, just seemed to shrug it off, even opened Luci's bedroom door for Rafe before Jack could and then went and pulled the sheets back on Luci's bed so that Rafe could lay her down in there.

He smiled right at Luci when she sighed softly in her sleep and rolled over to curl up into a pillow and then make herself comfortable. "Sated I believe." He heard Addison giggle softly.

He looked at her. "Her boyfriend couldn't sate her?" Jack inquired.

He watched Addison shake her head, 'no'. Not many Luna's would be so happy with this situation, she should be as irate as her Mate out there. It was curious to him that she wasn't. But he didn't question it.

Addison saw him and Rafe out, and he watched her walk over to Orien and smile up at him. "She got her wolf nally. Just focus on that. Now you don't have to worry so much about her and the running of the pack."

Orien, Jack noted, didn't say anything at all for a moment, was still frowning right at them.

He nor Rafe were about to apologize for what had happened between them and Luci. They had enjoyed themselves; Luci was of consenting age, she had asked him to stay even, not to leave, had wanted the two of them. She'd also had a good time and they both knew it. She might only just be 18 but was considered an adult.

It wasn't like Alpha didn't get about, being female was no different to being male, they had high needs in the bedroom department, she was no different from other Alpha females they'd bedded. Well, with the exception of that, mostly being one on one. They didn't often get to share one between them. Once or twice a year if they were lucky.

"Her wolf?" Orien nally managed to get words out when he realised that he nor Rafe were going to apologize.

"Cream in colour," Rafe told him. "A little unusual, her colouring, not many cream-coloured wolves out there."

"She has four white feet," Jack added, "and a white underbelly too." He saw Addison smile at the two of them, seemed happy about that, hugged herself into Orien's arm even, liked hearing that.

"Size?" Orien asked.

"Average height for a wolf, not large like an Alpha wolf would be. Though very energetic."

Jack chuckled at the memory of her wolf running all over the place, fast and nimble, chasing everything, "Ran all over the place, seemed very happy to be out in the woods."

"Did your wolves?" Orien bit out.

"No." he and Rafe stated together, their wolves would not, unless it was their Mate, he would know that.

"Good, don't touch her again. I mean it." Orien snapped right at them and stalked off to his own room, took his Luna with him.

Though as she followed him into the room and turned to close the door, her eyes met his and Rafe's bried, and she smiled right at them, looked somewhat amused as she closed the door to their room.

"Mum is not upset at all," Rafe commented.

"Wasn't it the Luna who requested the girl have a separate room?" Jack smiled at him.

"It was." Rafe nodded. "She probably knows exactly what her daughter is like."

"Ah, Alpha-blooded females, just as needy in the s\*x department as Alpha males." He nodded. "I'd say Orien knows it too, that's why the warning, in the rst place."

"And she really is needy." Rafe chuckled as they walked off down the hall.

"You think we'll taste her again before they go back to Nightfall?" Jack asked hopefully.

"I don't know...I'm hoping so, I would enjoy watching you f\*\*k her." He smiled right at Jack, who knew it was true he would enjoy watching it.

Jack smiled at him. "Good to hear you're willing to share."

"Always my friend. Now let's you and I go sleep together all comfy ourselves."

"Hmm, it would be better with Luci between us."

"Agreed, but not going to happen."

He knew it wasn't, likely Orien would have that connecting door to her room open at all times now while here. To keep an eye on his wayward daughter, that was going to make it hard to get her alone again.

He and Rafe showered, and he dropped into Rafe's bed with him and stretched out, "I think we'll sleep well for the what, the next 3 hours." He chuckled softly and rolled over into his Alpha, "tonight was good after all." He murmured as he let sleep claim him.