

### Chapter 54

It was really sad seeing off Lucas and his family on Sunday, I was really going to miss him. He had promised to come back for my ceremony though

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so I was looking forward to that. I am so happy for him he deserves the new position his talents were wasted here and it is good to know Gina will have him there as her Gamma when she moves as they already had a good relationship before.

Matt made sure that Marcus could travel with Lucas' family back to his pack to give them more time together. He got Layla to express enough milk so he wouldn't run out of food for the journey. He is doing everything he can to sort his sister's mistakes, I really hope she learns from them or she will lose a fantastic mate.

Gina seemed indifferent about the whole thing, well actually she looked slightly relieved to get some peace and quiet for a few days. Matt, on the other hand, looked devastated to be leaving her and promised to be back as soon as possible. She told him not to rush it was fine.

She will be singing a totally different tune in a couple of weeks when it is her birthday, and she feels that bond for the first time. Then she will understand how he has been feeling and want to be with him just as much. I know it will all go well from there. You can see how devoted he is to her.

Matt, true to his word, rushed back as quickly as he could and managed to get everything sorted and get back here in 4 days. He has been totally adorable following her around like a lost puppy. The relief in his face when he returned and saw her here safe was obvious for all to see.

On Saturday morning, Gina came rushing up to me.

"Please tell me it is time to leave goddess, I never

thought I would look forward to going shopping. I need to escape, though. He is everywhere he wants to be with me all of the time" she complains as I laugh.

I look over her shoulder to see Matt looking around before spotting her and walking towards us.

"Here he comes, don't worry, we are just about to leave in a few minutes" I tell her

"There you are. I was wondering where you had got to" Matt says, staring at her adoringly.

"I am sorry, Matt, I have to steal her away for the day. This little lady is getting a full makeover, and we have a full shopping day planned with the girls. Don't worry, you can have her back tonight" I tell him as his whole face drops in sadness.

"Ah right ok then I will see you later then. I hope you all have a really good day" he says, giving her a quick hug and taking a deep sniff of her neck as she rolls her eyes.

When we walk away from him, I turn to talk to her.

"You know you can not be too hard on him in a weeks time. You will understand completely what he is going through. He is absolutely adorable.

The poor boy is like a lost puppy" I say to her.

"Puppies are better trained. They listen more and

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stay when you tell them to" she retorts as I laugh, shaking my head. The poor girl won't know what hit her soon.

We get in the car with Nadia, Lisa, Julia, and May. There is also a car with warriors following us as our men and families are overprotective as if we are not trained to protect ourselves. It is easier at times just to go with it instead of arguing.

We go straight to the shopping centre to meet with everyone from my brothers pack. Ella and Kat run straight for me, grabbing me into a hug and screaming with excitement. Suzie is staying back, looking nervous. We have kept in touch over the phone through text and calls, and she is doing brilliantly she has made real changes, and we have grown closer.

"Well are you not going to give your sister a hug then" I ask her, holding out my arms.

She looks so happy and runs straight for me, giving me a huge hug. I introduce everyone to each other who doesn't know them, and we go to our first stop the salon.

Gina definitely needs her hair styled. I do not want them to touch her colour as her honey blonde suits her perfectly. Her hair is past her a.ss though all the same length with no shape to it. I asked them to cut it mid back, with plenty of layers and shaped round the face.



Suzie, on the other hand, has a lovely cut, but her bleached blonde hair does nothing for her at all.

"Suzie what do you think of going back to your natural colour with maybe some caramel highlights in it. I think it would look so much better on you and make your skin glow more and eyes stand out better" I suggest to her.

"I don't know, mum always made me dye my hair as she said that men prefer blonde hair, so that's why I had to dye it. I never really had a choice before, but if you think it will look good, I trust you let's do it" she says, starting to sound excited.

We let the hairdresser know what we want, and they get on with the work. I started to realise how much Selma controlled her life from her hair to her clothes. She didn't get a choice in much, I noticed that she was not caked in makeup like she used to be now that her mum doesn't make her do it.

When they are finished, they look amazing. Gina really suits the new cut it is so much more flattering on her. Suzie loves her new colour. It does make her look healthier. The blonde really washed out her skin tone.

We go around loads of shops and get Gina some more feminine outfits while still keeping her personality within the choices. Suzie, on the other hand, we get some more relaxed and casual outfits for and much more conservative ones than

she is used to her mother buying her. Showing her she can still look great and sexy without showing all the goods.

Our last stop is the one everyone has been looking forward to the most, the Luna dress and evening wear store. Everyone splits up as soon as we enter the store looking for their perfect dress for my ceremony. Lisa finds a seat beside the changing rooms to help people decide on their choices, she is waiting to get her dress as she is due to drop any day now so doesn't know what size she will be in two weeks. We will have a separate trip the two of us a couple of days before it.

I go and help to pick out a couple of lovely dresses for Suzie and Gina that I think will suit them and their tastes. They take them straight into the changing rooms to try on as May, and I quickly look at the Luna dresses for Gina.

We decided to try and get her to pick one today as we are here anyway, and she is a nightmare to get to go shopping and doing girly things with. So we thought between us we could talk her into it. She will need one anyway, whether she will admit it or not just yet.

The girls come out looking stunning Gina in a midnight blue gown and Suzie in an azure blue, both dresses really bring out the girls eyes. They are really happy with the choices, and May has

gotten herself 2 dresses, one for my ceremony and one for Gina's so she is prepared.

"Right Gina, since you have an Alpha as a mate we thought you may as well try on some Luna gowns, now hear me out your mum and I know how much

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you hate shopping so just think this will save you a trip. We have put some choices into the changing room for you already" I say to her.

"Right fine, I agreed to do what you asked today let's get this over and done with" she says, sighing.

I quickly rushed to the changing room where Nadia had put the dress she had made for me to

see if and try it on for the first time. It is beyond stunning. I put it on, and it fits like a glove, corset style with faux sleeves, flowing skirt with a thigh split. The colour is so unusual. It is a white silk but with a pearlescent sheen that shines muted purple and green when the light hits it in certain ways. I step out to show her, and she bursts into tears.

"You look beautiful, Aurora, do you like it" she asks nervously.

"I absolutely love it. Thank you so much for doing this for me it's perfect" I say, hugging her.

"Wow Aurora you look absolutely gorgeous" Suzie says

"Thank you sis" I say, smiling

Gina then stomps out of the changing room wearing a princess dress and a scowl as I start to laugh.

"It is really pretty on you but totally not your style, that was your mum's choice please don't blame me. Go and try on a different one" I suggest

I quickly get changed, not wanting to miss any of the show. Gina has tried on 4 dresses, and they just haven't been right she still has my favourite to try on a simple halterneck mermaid style with split in silk. It has some diamonds on the top to give it a bit of bling to make it special but not too over the top.



When she comes out wearing it, everyone agrees that this dress is definitely the one, and Gina is also in agreement. She actually loves the dress as well. We make sure we get shoes and accessories to match all of our outfits before leaving the store.

We have a quick bite to eat together before we have to split up and go to our separate packs, making sure to get Suzie's things from Ella's car before we leave.

When we pull up at the pack house, Matt and Lucian are there to greet us, Lee is also there walking towards us with a smile to see how we have gotten on. All of a sudden, his smile drops when he is beside us, and he freezes, then he quickly turns and walks away without saying a word. It had better not be what I think it is, I will be keeping an eye on him.

