

Chapter 154 A rogue attack

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AMALTHEA'S POV

"So that's what happened," I completed my story as I told Lady Cera about everything that happened in the pack and my family after she was kidnapped.

I looked at Lady Cera from the rearview mirror when she didn't say anything for good seconds.

"Can- Can I ask you a question, little Amal?" Lady Cera asked, and I hummed.

"Why didn't anyone look for me all these years? I understand that Thea died that day, but no one thought about me for so long?" Lady Cera asked, and I pressed my lips into a thin line.

Honestly, I didn't want to break her heart like this. Judging from how quiet she has gone compared to how I met her two hours ago, I don't think she was taking all these things very positively.

"It's nothing," I said and was about to ask Throb to pull over at the next gas station so we could grab something to eat when Lady Cera spoke again.

"There's something you are not telling me," she said, and I sighed.

"We had a reason to not look for you, Lady Cera. Now, let's not dwell too much on the past and try to start a new and fresh life, yeah?" I asked, and I was hoping for her to understand that I am not speaking about certain things because I don't want to get hurt, but she was adamant about it, and I couldn't help but sigh.

"When you went missing, according to you, we actually found a body in the forests. The lady's body was almost similar to yours. She was burnt, so it was impossible to know if that person was really you or not," I paused.

"I am not too sure about it because you know I was young. Heck, I wasn't even allowed to see my mother for the last time. If I hadn't sneaked into her room that night, I would've never known what exactly happened with her," I shook my head to get out from the negative memories before speaking again.

"Anyway, since we didn't know if it was you or not because of the body being burnt drastically. A member of your family was called to testify," I paused, looking at Lady Cera's expression.

"How much was the compensation money?" She suddenly asked, and I squinted my brows.

"You don't need to worry about that, Lady Cera. We took complete care of everything including your children's college fees and -"

"How much was it?" She asked again, and I sighed.

"It was one million dollars. And they were constantly asked if they needed any more help," I said, and she scoffed with a hint of a sad smile.

"Now you know. My children have always been greedy and they would do anything for money. That was also the reason why I used to spend more time with your family. I am sure they testified wrongly just to get that compensation money," Lady Cera said, and I couldn't help but feel bad for her.

I know what it feels like to be betrayed by someone you trust and love. I have been there. It hurts more than a dagger wound. We had our suspicions about her death right before my mom's death.

However, we didn't know that her family would go to this length for the

money. If they had asked for support from the pack, we would've done that anyway. They didn't have to stoop so low.

Or is it that someone gave them money to -

"If Blake's father is the one doing all this and behind her kidnapping, then I am sure her family got more money from him to testify wrongly," Throb said the words going inside my head, and I nodded before sighing.

"It's okay, Lady Cera. Let bygones be bygones. What matters is that I found you again, no? I will make sure I try my best to restore your life. My mother would've wanted that. I will send you to your hometown to your family's house and support everything you need until you are self-sufficient," I paused before looking at her.

"I am sorry that I can't take you back to the pack at the moment because I am not in the position. The danger is still lurking there and Blake's father might try to kill you. I don't want anything to happen to you again," I said, and she nodded.

"Has those powers unleashed, Little Amal? I can see that your aura has changed drastically," Lady Cera said, and I looked at Throb from the corner of my eyes before smiling at her.

"We'll talk about the rest of things later. Now have a good rest. I heard from Ace that your life in prison wasn't easy either,"

"It wasn't easy, but after you visited me that day, things improved for me drastically. I am thankful to you for coming and saving me even after the risky feud with the Black blood pack," she said, and I hummed.

"I will make your life easy and filled with happiness from now onwards. Take that as a gift from my side for taking care of me for so long. I will bring you back to the pack once I have sorted everything. We will live together happily, and I will be able to enjoy more of your cooked meals, yeah?" I asked, and she smiled faintly.

Taking out my phone from my pocket I quickly typed a message to Augustus.

"Let's go to my pack, the Callisto pack, the first thing I am back. I need to sign the divorce papers, and I think I am going to confront Blake's father now. It's proven that he was the one behind all these things from day one. Let's provoke him so that he attacks us sooner, and we can get this over with," I hit the sent button before deleting the message.

Looking out of the window, I waited for Augustus's message to arrive.

"Do you want to eat something? It feels strange when you aren't talking about food," Throb suddenly said, and I nodded at him as we stopped at the gas station.

"Throb, can I ask you a question?" I asked as we entered the 24/7 restaurant, and he looked at me before nodding.

"What is it?"

"Why are you helping me? As far as I know, Alven only wanted you to give me the file containing information about my parents' death caused by the rogues. Then you started following me involuntarily. You are such a strong person, and I can't even win you. But why are you getting involved in my mess? The mess where you can lose your life or get captured too?"

"Well, do you really want to hear it?" He asked me, and I looked at him with a curious expression.

"Only the truth," I said, and he nodded.

"I am with you because it's fun. I don't want to sound insensitive here, but your life is more adventurous and fun than I had expected when Alven told me to give this file to you. Remember the day I was meeting you? You were already fighting the rogues and burning them. It's the kind of fun I always craved and lacked," he said, and I rolled my eyes at

him when he chuckled.

"Well, I should've expected that one," I said as we started going back to the car again.

Smelling a faint scent of blood in the air, I widened my eyes as dread washed over me.

Forcing the food in Throb's hands, I rushed towards the car, the scene in front of me, making my blood cold.

"Hey! You! Stop right there!" I shouted angrily, and the rogue looked at me with a menacing expression as he took out the dagger from Lady Cera's abdomen.

"Well, hello to you too. This will be over quickly, I promise," the rogue said, and was about to plunge the dagger in her again when he sniffed the air and looked behind me with wide raised eyes.

"What's wrong -" Throb stopped as he looked at the rogue in front of him, a look of recognition passing through his eyes.

"Boss, what are you doing here with this slut," The rogue asked Throb, and I growled at him.

"What are you doing here, Caden? Who ordered you to come here?" Throb asked, and I shook my head.

That wasn't the most important thing right now. What was important was to check Lady Cera.

Rushing towards the other side of the car, I quickly opened the door and was about to touch Lady Cera's hand for a pulse when that rogue jumped on me from behind, making me turn around angrily.

"Stay away from me, filthy rogue!" I growled as I grabbed his hand and kicked him away from me.

Checking Lady Cera's neck, I sighed when I felt her faint pulse.

"She is still alive, Throb. We can save her," I said with hope, and he nodded at me.

"You start the car. I'll handle things here," Throb said, and I nodded my head.

However, before I could even open the driver seat's door, the rogue from earlier pulled on me from behind me and he grabbed my neck making me unable to move or attack him as I was pressed against the car.

'For god's sake! Let me go!' I growled angrily before hitting the chin of the rogue with my head.


"Throb, help me! What are you doing standing over there and-" I looked around, only to find that Throb was already fighting with 6 other rogues.

Where the hell did they come from? And why are they attacking us out of nowhere? Are they here for Lady Cera? Because of how badly they injured her, it makes sense. But how the hell did they even come to know that Lady Cera was here with us? Have they been following us? Are they Cane's men?

Or are they here for -

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