

Chapter 457

Allison took a shower and had breakfast in her room. All the time, she only thought about her wounds.

"How did he do that?" She thought, but could not get an answer.

She received a call from Ethan. She took the call, and his inquisitive voice greeted her right away as she answered the call.

"How did you get back to your house last night? You should have gone back to your house first. Why didn't you do that?"

"Ethan, take it easy. Your driver got me home without any problems. I was the one who told him that, due to the fact that you had fallen asleep in the car, he needed to make the first turn toward the pack house."

"I don't know what happened to me last night. I should not have drunk."

"It's not a big deal."

"What are you doing?"

"Nothi-"

The conversation was disrupted when someone knocked on the door. Allison turned her head to look at the door and said to Ethan,

"I think Mom is knocking on the door for something. Talk to you later."

She ended the call and walked to the door. As soon as she opened the door, she was stunned.

"Teresa?"

Teresa was standing outside the door. After taking a close look at her, Allison questioned her by asking, "Is everything okay?"

"Can I come inside?" Teresa asked, and Allison stepped aside to let her enter the room.

After closing the door, Allison turned to Teresa.

Teresa looked around the room and smiled sadly.

"I came here after a long time."

Hearing her, Allison's face turned cold. It was impossible for her to forget the manner in which Teresa had treated her from the moment she returned to the pack.

"I think you have something to talk about." Allison said to her.

Teresa turned around and looked at her. But she could not say anything. She was silent for quite some time.

Allison stared at Teresa as she saw tears scrambling in the corners of her eyes. She looked away and asked,

"I think you should leave if you don't have any-"

Teresa could not let her finish as she rushed to embrace her.

Allison was taken aback by her sudden action. However, she did not hug her back. Teresa hurt her. She could not let it slide from her heart.

"I am sorry. I should not have behaved like that." Teresa mumbled and hugged her tightly.

Allison sighed as she also got emotional and finally hugged her back.

Teresa broke the hug and cupped her cheeks.

"I swear I am guilty for my behavior. But I was really shocked when I heard about the things that happened two years ago. I wanted to talk to you and come to this pack, but there was a restriction, so I could not return here. But now I have realized that I should not interfere with your private life. It's your life, and you can decide whatever you want."

Allison heard her and did not respond to it. She only looked at the floor while listening to Teresa.

"Two years ago, when Max first took me to the Black Moon Pack, I was completely shocked by his true identity. I learned so many new things. I missed you a lot, but Max said that they did not contact anyone, and it was their pack's rule. That was how they kept their identities secret. It was because Ryan wanted that."

"Why?" Allison asked.

"He did not like to meet any other Alpha of the pack. At the start, I was so lonely and did not know how to manage so many responsibilities that fell on my shoulders. You can't believe how surprised I was when I got to know who the head Alpha was. When he returned to the pack after your breakup, he was not the same as I saw him in this pack. He was a totally different person. His power and ability are something beyond our imagination."

"Beyond our imagination?"

Teresa nodded her head. "Yeah. I learned that he worked hard a lot when he was outside. His parents thought he was doing nothing, but in reality, he was accomplishing more than his father had ever managed in his entire life. When you visit our pack one day, you will notice the fear and respect that each individual member of our pack has for him."

Allison's level of surprise continued to escalate with each new fact that she discovered about Ryan.

Teresa recalled an event and said,

"You have no idea how much he broke when he came back to the Black Moon pack. Your one decision broke his heart completely. I had been told that he was not the type of man who could love another person, but I remembered the way he used to look at you. I watched both of you together as well. That was the reason I was so upset with the decision you made. I just could not believe Ryan's words. But then I heard the news."

"What news?"

Allison felt sad that Ryan was heartbroken because of her. She tried to control her tears as Teresa was talking about him.

"The news about your wedding. When it was declared that you and Ethan would marry soon, Ryan got so angry that time. His pain turned into anger, and he started to go to war. During that terrifying moment, the entire pack was trembling in fright. Because he felt it was necessary for his pack to have a Luna, he made the decision to make Elora his future Luna at one point. It was his need, not his desire."

Tears fell from Allison's eyes. She wiped her tears and said,

"Let's leave all of this. I am happy for you." Allison said to Teresa that Max had developed into a powerful beta for a formidable pack.

Teresa held her hand and asked,

"I was a fool when I believed those things. And Ryan also warned me to kill me if I contacted you in the future. But now I feel like I should not have listened to that. Because after seeing you once again, I believed there was something that we were missing. You haven't changed. You are still the same Allison I knew."

Allison averted her eyes from her and walked to the window. She could not tell her the truth, could she?

"I know you can't lie to me. Tell me what happened that caused you to become like this. Why did you change your heart toward Ryan? Why did you accept Ethan? Because I knew you did not like him." After asking, Teresa moved to stand next to her.

"I think it would be best if we put an end to this discussion right here, Teresa."

"No, I want to know. I should have done this the moment I returned here. But now, since I understand my fault, let me know the truth."

Allison turned to her and said,

"If I tell you, can you promise that you will never say those things to others?"

"I promise."

Allison turned her head outside the window and thought to release a little bit of the burden that she had been carrying for a long time.

She told her everything.

Teresa's eyes widened in shock. She could not stop her tears as she felt remorse inside that she could not be here with Allison at that time.

"I could not ever imagine that your dad, who always referred to you as his princess, would do something that would ruin your life. It never came across my mind for a single time."