

Read Novel No Longer Your Luna By A. Vitiosis Chapter 13

Chapter 13 She Has To Do It, She Has No Choice

Amethyst Phoenix Something was wrong. The office grew with tension, fogging up the air and choking us. Sage sat halfway on the armrest of the chair which Callen was seated on, deep concentration on the papers lying on the desk. Even Blaze was quiet for the first time, after finding out who I am – we were lucky he didn't scream it from the rooftop. So, to watch him not speak, the midnight waves tied loosely in a bun with strands falling out, showcasing his undercut and highlighting his green orbs filled with concern. Everyone was in distress, attempting to divert their attention away from me. Kaden is dealing the sky as it descends, illuminating the office in a purple and orange hue from the wall-to-wall windows. "It's about Amethyst isn't it" Blaze says. Sage and Callen shoot him daggers, but he is used to them and isn't the least bit threatened. You can't argue on his analysis since it is the truth. The silence becomes even more deafening clothes and that isn't a good sign, it only showcases how severe this news is, Kaden is going to drop a fucking bomb on us. Time moves impossibly slow with each step, when he get behind his desk, Kaden doesn't take the seat and instead rests his hands on the edge of the table. A growl escapes his lips, all the frustration and anger filled in his eyes as he looks at us. The once clear orbs are clouded, filled with rage and helplessness. They scan each of us before settling on me. "It has been announced that they will remove the Phoenix bloodline from the founding families and instate a new bloodline" The walls close around me, eating at my very essence. After five years, they are removing my if it was a mere passing instead of centuries and centuries. We are all surprised and that quickly morphs into hate for them. My parents were there alpha and luna, cherished by every single member in this pack. The founding families will remove them as if they hadn't held the number one spot for years, as if someone didn't assassinate them.

They will simply be forgotten among these elite families. "They can't do that, Phoenix is one of the original founding families" I argue, rage burning inside of me. Kaden's fury is reaching the surface, he is barely reining himself in from exploding. It's all over his face, the clenching of his jaw and the way his hands are reaching their breaking point of shattering the desk. Running his fingers vigorously through his hair to calm himself. "According to them, the Phoenix bloodline has ruled long enough and since there are no heirs, they can't hold the spot for a dead lineage. There has to be five active founding families to maintain peace" "Why do we even need five families, what do they even fucking do for us?" Blaze questions. "They upheld the peace between packs and different races in order to prevent a war from breaking out. The five families consult with the other families of different races. This is why we aren't at war with the fae's and vampires anymore. Without them, all our power would be diminished, and we would go extinct" Kaden explains. "Also, the moon goddess created these five families that gave birth to dozens, it's about respect" Sage finishes Our reasons might not be much, but rules are important within the supernatural. If we don't abide by them then we will surely

lead ourselves to our demise. The problem we are facing is the fact that they want to add another unknown family that hasn't been sacrificing for years like the Phoenix bloodline. "When will the new family be announced?" I question. "Next week, we have seven days to decide on what to do" Kaden informs. Furrowing my brows. There is a clear answer in front of us. "What do you mean decide, Amethyst has to take over now, we have to tell them about her" Sage declares. Kaden remains silent, clenching his jaw tightly and says "Amethyst isn't ready to take over" If you think unrequested love is the worst; no it isn't. Hearing that the only person who saved you, who taught you to be strong, is the one that thinks you aren't ready to face the threat that is coming. My eyes widen in shock, simmering rage consuming my body at his words. The only connection to my parents, the temporary alpha of Blood Moon has admitted that he doesn't think I'm ready to be alpha. "You have to be joking Kaden. I've trained non-stop for five years; I have learned everything in order to become alpha" I grit. There is no argument or remorse in his eyes, just a cold gaze. "You haven't even begun to learn every dark detail; you aren't ready to become a founding member" I chuckle humourlessly. "It's not like we have a choice anymore. If we don't do something now, they will kill the Phoenix bloodline from the founding families and then what? Whoever killed my parents, your alpha and luna, would have succeeded in eradicating their existence" "Someone with that much power to infiltrate our territory and kill our alpha and luna isn't ordinary, they are beyond powerful" Callen adds.

Kaden shakes his head, closing his eyes and opening them ever so slowly as if he is battling with himself. "She isn't ready" "I will never be ready, but we don't have the luxury to wait another five years" Kaden is having an internal battle, the bottling rage and protective instinct are mixing and blinding him from the truth. "Do you want to be alpha? Is that what this is about? You like being alpha and you love the power it gives you" I analyse, unleashing my temper on him. Partial truth or maybe my full-blown imagination. Kaden shoots daggers at my direction. "You know that's not true Amethyst" "I think it is true, it makes total sense now. This is why you don't want me to be alpha, you like having all this power and once you hand it over to me – you will be nothing but my beta" I spit. I'm running on fuel, taking out my anger on him. I didn't even hear everyone leave; they must have noticed the heated argument brewing between us. I might be overreacting, but

alpha. I have been training consistently to ensure that I retain everything required to be the alpha this pack deserves. Kaden sees me as the same small girl he rescued when I am not that girl anymore.

in his hands from clutching the table so hard that it turns his knuckles white. "You love being alpha, admit it. You feel disgusted that you would have to be my beta, you will have to answer to me and bow down to fucking me" Kaden grabs the closest thing on his desk, the crystal glass filled with amber liquid and flings it across the room. A rain of glass and liquid fall, coating the tiles. He suddenly appears in front of me, the scent of rain consuming my mind and dampening the fire within me. "I DON'T WANT YOU TO GET HURT" He yells, almost bursting my ear drums. My pathetic heart should have inflated by his admission but I'm running on pure anger. We both are, only problem is

that I am taking it out on him. "NEWS FLASH, IVE BEEN FUCKING HURT BEFORE" I growl. "YOU COULD DIE!" I state at him, the way his chest rapidly moves and his eyes an array of colour, glowing sapphires as his wolf peeks through. "I have been close to death before. You would love that wouldn't you, then you can be the alpha" He growls in annoyance. "This isn't about the fucking alpha title. I will gladly be your beta; I want nothing fucking more than to serve you till I die"

Those words are like a bucket of cold water, the emotions thick in his voice at his admission. Those words shouldn't be dissected but it's like they wrap around my heart and squeeze every ounce of oxygen out of my body. Kaden's anger slowly dissipates, shoulders relaxing as he exhales. For once, his cold features retract and leave him somewhat vulnerable. Pulling me into his chest, his scent completely fogging up my mind and swallowing me whole. I barely reach his broad shoulders; he makes me seem impossibly small in his arms. One arm wrapped around my shoulders. "I can't lose you Amethyst" he admits. I can't afford to read too much into his words. He is only following the wishes of my parents, I'm merely an obligation because of his love for my parents. I don't mean anything to him, not the way he does to me. "I have to do this. If we don't, then the Phoenix bloodline will be removed, and it will be like they never existed" Kaden sighs, pulling me tighter to his heated body. "I know we can't stop it. It's just... there is nothing left worth living for if you aren't in it"