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Taylor Gets Questioned

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Taylor's POV

Vince tried to get up and come to me, but he was Alpha commanded to stay in his chair by my father. I cannot believe that I was set up. I looked around the room and I knew that I was done for, that audio, which I have no idea how they got of me, is going to get me killed.

I look over at Stone and he is looking right at me and shaking his head like he is completely disappointed in me. What, I made a mistake? I am a child. On my first offense, I was confused, they needed to go easy on me, and I will tell them that too. I heard my voice come out of the speakers again, "I guess \$50,000 is enough for me to get for giving you, Gabi. I need you to assure me that you will keep my sister with you from now on. I don't care what

you do with her. She just has to stay away, and never come back again".

Shit! Where did they get this from? I can't talk my way out of it, it is clearly my voice on the audio, and I sound terrible with what I am saying. I looked over at my only support in the room and I saw that Vince was also looking at me, shocked as well by my words. He realizes now that he never knew me. He didn't, we were just f**k buddies, but seeing the only person in the room who was with me turn against me too, from hearing my own words, was very upsetting. I walked back up to the table.

"I may have set this up because I was jealous of Gabi. You two were so stinking happy to get her back, and you ignored me. I didn't understand what was at stake. I fell for what he said when he said that she

wouldn't be hurt, but he would keep her away. That way, Tanner could see that I was the girl for him, that I would be the best Luna for Blood Rose. It is all that I have ever wanted. I love Tanner and I would do anything for him", I said to the room, and Vince got even more pissed off.

"May I please be excused? I never knew her, I thought we were in a relationship. We have been together for months, and I see now what she is. Taylor is a user and a manipulator. She cares for no one but herself. It is absolutely disgusting what she has done. She asked for a favor to drive her. That was it. I didn't know of her plans, and you can question me all you want since I am under Alpha command. I had no idea what she was doing or planning for that poor girl. She lied to me the whole time. I am sick about this, and I will help go in to get her on the rescue team if you need my help. I want to redeem myself because what she did, and involved me in, is not who I am", Vince tells the room, and I see Alpha Heath looking at him and can see he is thinking of a question for Vince.

"What did Taylor ask you to do?" Alpha Heath finally asked.

"She asked me to follow her parents, that they would know her car, and she wanted to know where they were going every Tuesday. I followed them with Taylor in the car. I saw her take a few pictures of them; Gabi, and Tanner, and then send them to someone via text. She then deleted them from her phone.

I saw her smiling weirdly and I got uncomfortable. She saw me pull back and then she said that Gabi had always been their favorite, and she was jealous of her for always

getting her parent's attention. I fell for it because I wanted to believe her. I cared for her, obviously a lot more than she cared for me. We weren't mates, but mine died a few months after I found her in a rogue attack. I thought that Taylor and I could be together, but clearly, she only cares about herself, and her ranking. There is more to life than rank, like being a good person who cares for others, but I can see now that will never be your agenda, Taylor", Vince said to the room.

"You may leave, and we may take you up on your offer to help us go get Gabi. Thank you for telling us the truth Vince", Alpha Heath told him, and Vince got up and left the room, turning to close the door behind him and staring at me while he did it. He was done with me. It was all over his face. Well, I can get another man, I just needed to get out of this bind as fast as I could now, or I was dead.

"Taylor, go ahead and have a seat, we need to have a talk. Just know that we have a lot more audio of you showing us exactly who you are. The Werewolf council has heard the highlight reel and you are guilty of breaking so many of our laws that there will be no coming back from this, for you. All we need now from you are a few questions answered, and your cell phone", Alpha Heath said to me.

"I don't have to answer you, I only answer my parents," I told him boldly. "Plus, I am a minor and didn't fully understand what was going on. Alex just said that he needed some babies and I had innocently

mentioned that my sister was pregnant. I didn't know that he would take her and the babies. I was scared to say anything about his plans for fear he would come after me instead. So, I stayed quiet, but that was all him. He threatened my mom and dad, and I couldn't lose them. I didn't even know Gabi, she had been gone almost my whole life, so it was easier for him to take her than to mess with me or my family. I didn't

do anything. I was here all day. Ask anyone, they can tell you. I was sick, so I stayed home from school", I told the group and had my most innocent look on my face. I need them to believe me, or I will not make it to tomorrow. I need to bank on them believing me because I was just a kid, I have to lay it on thick so they will believe me and let this go because I realize now that my life is riding on it.

I cannot believe the number of people who showed up in her defense. I don't even know half of them, but they are all here and willing to risk their lives to get Gabi and her stupid babies back, no matter the risk, and with Alex, there is a great risk. I severely underestimated how loved she was, and me not realizing that may cost me my life. I decided to try again.

I covered my face with my hands and started crying because it always works with my parents. I know I looked pitiful as I raised my face and looked around the room, with tears running down my face.

"I didn't understand what Alex would do, I just know I love Tanner and would do anything to be with him. I have dreamed of being his Luna for 2 years now. I swear to you all, I had no idea what Alex was planning to do until it was too late. Please, I will help you, but don't hurt me. I am only 17, how could I have known what he would do? I could change, I could do better if you only gave me a chance to do it. I swear to you that I can do better" I said to them, crying out louder the last little bit for effect. I know that the spell will keep me from having to tell the truth and, right now, that is the only thing that may save me

in this. I sat there with tears running down my face, and I could see that it was working with my mom.

“Everly, please calm down. She is fine. Wyatt, do you remember what I said to you on the stairs before we left Crimson Shadow after Taylor’s birthday party” Dawson asked them, and they slowly started to nod.

“You said that we picked the wrong daughter to support. That talking to Taylor in the office was the wrong choice, and that we should have picked Gabi to speak to. You said that we backed the wrong daughter and that you prayed that Gabi would give us another chance to get it right”, Wyatt said to the group.

“Taylor is working you both right now. She is an expert at this, so how about we move on to asking her questions so you can see how well Taylor knows how to work you two. She uses the guilt that you feel about her being taken from you, and you gave her everything. When you shouldn’t have. I am assuming you did it because she was the baby and also a female, so in doing it, you felt like it helped Gabi too, when it didn’t. You literally created a monster. One that is narcissistic, greedy, obsessed, and just thoroughly a terrible human being. She was jealous of Gabi, and she perceived her as a threat to what she wanted, and she got rid of her in the most horrible way possible. So, let’s focus on us getting Gabi back. She has been gone for 6 hours now, and we won’t get her back tonight. I want my grandbabies back, I want Gabi back. I want to have her back, safe and sound, in the morning, so let’s get this little dog and pony show along, shall we? Because you two are the only people in this room that have even a shred of compassion for her. Believe me, when I tell you, she will do this again, in a heartbeat, and she WILL need to be dealt with”, Dawson tells them and the whole room nodded in agreement with what he said.

Shit, I will have to lie my ass off to get out of this. I hope that potion is worth what I spent on it because it will be the only thing to save me now, I think to myself and wait for the first question. Alpha Heath looks at me and smiles, and I know that this is going to go badly for me, as that smile was scary as hell.

“Taylor, you said that you were a child, and you didn’t know what Alex was going to do. You also said that you love Tanner and would do anything for him. But, if my memory serves, he asked you that question the last time you were Alpha commanded the night of your party and you said you didn’t love him then. So, this love you have, is it a new thing? Was any of what you said true?” Alpha Heath asked me.

“I am a child because I am 17 years old. But yes, I knew what Alex was going to do to her, and I was glad to get rid of her. You all think that she is SO great, but she isn’t. I hate her, and I wished that she had been killed when she was taken. I was mad she tried to come back. She should never have come back, that is on her. I don’t love Tanner, but I WANT to be his Luna and help him run Blood Rose” I said, and then clapped my hand over my mouth. Why am I telling the truth? Holy s**t, I AM going to die today. I drank three vials to pass this. Why am I telling the truth?

So, everything that you said to us earlier was all lies?" Alpha Heath asked me. I try to keep from answering by leaving my hands over my mouth, but I still end up nodding my answer out.

"Taylor, do you lie to your mother and me on a daily basis?" my dad asked, shocked.

"Yes, basically at least a lie a day, sometimes more," I told them, and they both gasped at my revelation to them.

"Do you know how to get in contact with Alex?" Alpha Heath asked me. "By text, his number is saved on my phone as Lexi, so it wouldn't cause suspicion" I told him. "So, he owes you \$50,000. How was he going to pay that to you?" Alpha Heath asked me.

"He was going to meet with me in a few weeks to give it to me" I told him.

"Why did you need the money, Taylor? We buy you everything. You have everything that you could want here with us. Why would you do it?" my mom asked me.

"You and dad said I had to straighten up, or you would kick me out when I turn 18. I needed money in another account that you couldn't touch. Also, I planned on trying to horn in on Alex, and take over his job. Why would anyone not trust me? I mean look at me, I am nonthreatening and beautiful. No one would suspect me, and I can make a LOT of money by taking over from Alex. Bumping him out of the way and taking over for him is a brilliant idea. I already knew who his boss was too, and I was going to sleep with him to get Alex's spot. Alex knows not to trust me, and he won't be helpful if you are thinking of trying to contact him. His business relies on discretion and stealth. He flies under the radar, and he won't meet me until it is time for me to get paid. You are all screwed if you think you are getting her back. I beat you all, and Gabi and her babies are as good as gone" (told them, and a growl shook the room. Tanner leaps up and manages to grab my arm and his claws dig into me and I screamed out in pain. There are 5 men on him now trying to get him to stop attacking me. They are all talking into his ear at the same time.

"Not just yet, Tanner. She can help us here. Please let her go so I can finish this. She is the only way

that we can get Gabi back", Alpha Heath told him.

"We will deal with her Tanner, just not now, let her go. She won't get away with any of it", Alan told him.

"We need her alive, son. Don't kill her. She knows more than she has given us. Please release her", Dawson told him.

"Dude, she WILL be taken care of. We have your back and Gabi's back. We were always trained to handle situations like that. We will get her back but let us get more information from Taylor", Hudson tells him.

"Tanner, please let her go, we can't get my sister back without her. She will be taken care of, you know this. She will get the punishment that she has earned", Stone tells them, and I am offended that he wants me punished. I only helped set her up, but Alex is the real villain here.

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Tanner loses his Cool

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Tanner's POV

I want to kill this b***h so badly. She is completely evil, even more than I ever thought possible. How does someone so young end up with no compassion or empathy for others? I almost wish we could just trade her out for Gabi, so she can see the error of her ways with the same punishment that she was so eager to dole out to Gabi. But I won't, because Taylor IS going to die, and so is that asshole who took my mate. Now we have a third person who is apparently higher up the food chain, and you know what, I will include him in as well and rid the world of this little disgusting network of sick and twisted people.

I slowly released her arm and I got her pretty good. She is crying for real now, and she deserves that pain, and so much more for the pain she caused Gabi. She had better be praying to the Goddess that Gabi is OK, because if she isn't, I will want some time alone with Taylor, and I will make her pay for ALL of the pain she has caused us all through her horrible actions.

I sat back down in my chair and said, "I don't want Taylor to get her punishment given to her until we get Gabi back home safely. Whatever Gabi had done to her, Taylor will get times three, for her selfish and disgusting actions. I don't know how she got to this point, there has to have been an underlying issue for her to be how she clearly is. She makes me sick, just looking at her. I just want you to know, Taylor, that whatever you get, you will have actually earned MORE with all you have done to me and Gabi in the last 5 months".

"Taylor, we will need your phone. What is the code to unlock it?" Alpha Heath asked me.

"It is 8267, it spells out TANR," Taylor told them, and you can tell that she is completely pissed that she cannot lie to them. I hate she used my name as her passcode for her phone.

"Frustrated, are we, Taylor?" my mom asked Taylor.

"Yes," Taylor told her.

"Thought you could lie your way out of this?" my mom asked her.

"Yes, how did you know?" Taylor asked her.

"Because your dark witch, Morgan, has been in our cells for several months. Your spells requesting to be able to beat the Alpha command were all truth spells. So, I am sure you drank several of them knowing that you were going to be questioned by high-level wolves today. The more you drink, the longer you will tell the truth, so I would guess at least two of them, maybe even three of them. They run for 24 hours each, so you are good and able to be telling the truth for the next 48 to 72 hours. That helps in case we need to ask more questions before we get Gabi back. Also, you should know that your "love potions" won't be working either." Aria tells Taylor and then looks at me and gives me a wink. Taylor started gritting her teeth. I bet she had been waiting for it to stop, and now she knew that she wouldn't be able to stop telling the truth for a long time.

"By the way, we caught your rogue that you were sending onto our packlands, and we also have Dana in custody as well. Don't worry, they will all get punished too", I told

Taylor and sat back in my chair smiling.

“Taylor, I cannot begin to tell you how disappointed we are in you. We have given you every opportunity. Everything that you could possibly want, and for you to betray your family like this. It is inexcusable. I cannot even begin to tell you how horrible a person you would have to be to sell a person, let alone your sister. I am disgusted by your behavior, and you will be waiting in a cell for your punishment. Don’t bother trying to sleep with the guards to try to escape, they will all be Alpha commanded as well to ignore you except for three meals a day until your punishment is carried out. Your own sister, who has been through so much, and you did this to her. I cannot wrap my head around it, at all”, my mother told me.

“You did give me stuff, always stuff, but you were always busy. Trying to find my sister at first when I was little, and then focused on Stone as he would be the next Alpha. I did what I had to do, as I already knew you were going to cut me loose. This is who I am, so sorry you two didn’t notice that I don’t play well with others. I wish I could have lied to you, as you would both feel really bad after I am gone. It would have stayed with you and eaten you alive until you finally died. I hate you both, I hate Gabi, and I really don’t like Stone either. You had a perfect and beautiful daughter, yet you ignored me. Yea, you bought me stuff, but I could feel my sister always at the back of your mind, every time you look at me in disappointment. For shopping too much, or not wanting to train, or my grades, I was never good enough for you two, and I wouldn’t take back what I did. You will never find Alex, he is good at what he does, and he has been doing it for a while now. You two can, hell all the rest of you too, can all hang it up as you will never find him. He will be gone forever as far as you are all concerned. He won’t answer my call, and I won’t help you either. Yea, you got me, but I got Gabi. Trust me when I tell you all that she has got the worst end of the deal”, Taylor told them, and then sat back in her chair with a smug smile. I am trying to control Rafe, but it is like she has a death wish and wants me to take care of her right now. I know we need her, at least for right now, but just looking at her pisses me off.

Alpha Heath had been quiet and watching what his friend was doing. He was ignoring everything around him right now, as he was totally focused on watching his friend’s computer screen, while he worked quietly between us. I then started watching the screen as well, and there was total silence in the room for about 5 minutes. While Gerald worked on whatever he was doing. I saw the area he was checking out, zooming in, again and again, and zooming into what looked like a warehouse district.

“Taylor, you said that you had found out who Alex’s boss was and knew his name, and that was how you were going to try to replace Alex. What is that man’s name? Do you have his phone number?” Alpha Heath asked me while still looking at the computer screen of the man next to him.

“His name is Bill Andrews, but I was going to get his number from Alex, he just hadn’t given it to me yet, because he knows he can’t trust me,” Taylor told them. Unsure as to why they wanted to know

“Gerald, can you come with us tomorrow to finish this? You know I will pay you for your time. If we can get rid of three vicious people, it won’t stop what is being done, but it will slow it down for a little while with us chopping the heads off of two of the lead snakes”.

Alpha Heath asked him.

“I will do it to help you out, Heath. I can just take a day to pay for travel expenses. We

will get your girl back, and getting the third person may take another day, but I can do the same thing I did with Taylor's phone, to Alex's phone, when we catch him. Then we can get the next one up the food chain. What they do is completely disturbing and wrong and needs to be stopped now. Plus, I would really like to meet Gabi. After all that I have heard about her, I would love to get to meet her. I brought my own weapons, solam good with getting into his hideout wherever it is. I can get us to within 1000 feet of where his phone is, but depending on where that is, we may still have to search for him", Gerald told Alpha Heath.

"So, you have already found the area Gabi is in?" I asked Gerald.

"I have found the area where Alex's phone is. I cannot verify that Gabi is there yet, but he is probably holed up with her there. Most likely, he is probably monitoring her with a surveillance system of some kind. He probably has armed guards, and he would make a lot of money off of the babies, so he won't be taking any chances. We may have to send in someone that they would think needs help, like a female, to get a flat tire and pull in there to change it. He might take the opportunity to take them as well. So, we can put a tracker on their clothes, and try this. It would help us to determine which building it is and allow us to be able to get in there to help, as I can try to use satellite infrared imaging when we have the correct building narrowed down. I have friends that can tell us how many people are in the building, as soon as we determine which of the three that they are in", Gerald told the room.

"I will do it," my mom said. "No honey, it won't be safe for you," my dad told her.

"Baby, she got taken on my watch. She went to the restroom, and I should have gone with her. I can do this, plus, I am very strong and a tough fighter. We can always send me in with a hidden cell phone in my boot, they probably won't pat me down, and they can take the one I have in my back pocket and then go lock me up. They wouldn't be expecting a rescue by a lady with a flat tire, so they wouldn't expect a wire or a small camera where a button would be. You will all be coming tomorrow. I can let you know either through text or a small camera, how many are in the building too", my mom told the group.

"There has to be another way, mom. I cannot put you in the line of danger like that. What if someone does something to you while you are there? No, I think watching for an opening or someone going in or out of there, would be the best thing for us to do. I won't take that risk, mom. I really appreciate you loving her so much to do it, but Gabi would be horrified if something happened to you, trying to go in and save her. She would feel guilty about it for a long time, so, no, I won't let you do it. I think the best thing for us to do is start watching those three buildings. And changing out who is watching every two hours. That way we know which building it will be. The warriors can watch the buildings, and we can stay here and come up with a plan to get in and get her. I know that security will probably be pretty good there, so we get

armed, and get ready to go. Taylor needs to go now and be taken down to the cell. Put someone you trust on her, and Alpha command them to not let her out, no matter what. Put someone at the entrance to the cells to make sure she doesn't leave. If she gets out, I will consider it an act of war between us", I told Alpha Wyatt and Luna Everly.

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Alex Makes an Offer

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Gabi's POV

I know it is morning now, as I had breakfast on my tray after I slept. The food was OK, not the best. But then, I am sure it is hard to get people to work for you as a cook when you kidnap people and sell them. I asked for an extra bottle of water when they got my tray from breakfast and I did get an extra bottle of water when they brought down an apple for me for a snack. They don't come down here very often, and I am pretty sure that it is because they don't want their victims to be offering money to let us escape, the men helping us, as they can lose their people fairly quickly that way. I know I would offer them a lot to get free right now.

I am not going to fall for it though. I know if they are working here, that they are not good people either. My only hope from the people here will be the doctor that they say will be coming here to check on me sometime soon. I will try to get him to help me. He made an oath to do no harm to become a doctor, so he will be my best bet to be able to get out of here.

I have been trying to stay calm, and I have been taking the time to do my Taekwondo forms, as trying to remember the order of the steps calms me and puts my focus somewhere else. I need to stay on top of my forms and remember how to do my moves. I haven't put anyone in a chokehold since Alpha Lowell, and I feel rusty at it. I work through what I need to do to get someone choked out by visualizing it, and the steps I need to take to get there. I do hope that someone chokes Alex out, as it would be a pleasure to see it. I know that Tanner knows I am missing, and I know that he and my dad will do everything in their power to get me back. I sat back stunned as I just called Heath, dad. I am surprised I did it so soon, but he is. He always takes care of me, and I know I will be seeing him coming down this hallway to get me, and soon hopefully. I feel like I could cry thinking about them. I miss them both, and Von, she is truly my mom. She wanted nothing but the best for me and helped me get the therapy I needed after all that Jack did to me. They didn't have to give birth to me to love me with their whole hearts. I know Aria and Dawson are missing me, as well as Alicia and Gavin, my bonus sister and brother.

I already know that Tanner and dad would have had Taylor pulled in to be questioned yesterday. I also know that dad will do this like an operation, and he will not rush in, so I need to take it easy and not get upset about it. If it takes three days, it takes three days. I already know that they WILL come for me and that Taylor would tell the truth. Not because she wants to, but because she got a truth spell instead, instead of something that will keep her from being Alpha commanded. I wish I could have been there to see her face when she figured it out. I hope they take care of her because she needs to be sentenced to death, as does the man who took me. I know he has done this before, and several times, as he was too smooth taking me. I never suspected a thing.

I got through three forms in Taekwondo, and I sat down on the bed to rest for a little while. Things

were a little tougher with me being pregnant with the twins. My back starts to hurt some now with too much walking, from the weight of the babies. I am calm though, as I lay down on the bed and looked at the ceiling. I hope that they have started to figure out

who has me, and then where we are.

I heard someone coming down the hallway and I heard a tray being placed down on the cut-out in

the cell bars for it. I looked over and I saw that arrogant asshole who took me, and I sat up and looked at him.

“You know who I am. What is your name?” I asked him.

“Are you interested doll face?” he asked me.

“No, I am not. But you know who I am, and I would like to know who you are”, I told him. He grabbed at his heart with his right hand and acted like I broke his heart.

He gave me a charming smile and said, “You wound me with your words. Alright doll face, I don’t mind telling you, as you won’t be leaving anyway. My name is Alexander, but I am called Alex. I am glad you are staying calm. That shows that you can be reasonable. I am glad. I don’t have any children myself, and I might try you for a spin to get my children too. They would be gorgeous, whether they looked like you or me. I cannot thank Taylor enough. She is a horrible person, but the second I saw your picture, knew I wanted you. Even though you look like her, thankfully you are nothing like Taylor at all. I would like a son, but we can keep trying if you don’t produce one in the first round.” Alex said to me and then grinned.

I have to be in a nightmare. I started doing my breathing exercises right then. I have to calm down. I am only safe with the babies inside me. I have to buy time for Tanner and dad to get to me. I tear up thinking about how happy I will be to see them and then start praying again to the Moon Goddess, Selene, for help.

“Don’t you want to talk yet? That is OK, I have plenty to say to you”. He stepped back out of my sight

and when he came back, he had a folding chair in his right hand. He sat it down and unfolded it, and then

sat down to where he could see my face while he spoke to me.

“So, after Taylor told me about you, I looked you up. Still 18 years old, you will be 19 in March. Got rejected by your first mate, who, may I say, must be a complete i***t. You are gorgeous. I know now that you made the elite training team and were the first woman to do so. So, that explains the lucky hit you got in on me. Your second chance mate is a great fighter too, as I see he got onto your team to go with you to Red River. I have people all over the place as you need them in the business that I am in. I heard your first mate kept making the moves on you. I bet that pissed your 2nd mate off pretty badly, didn’t it? Now what I

didn’t know or wasn’t informed about at the time was the fact that you are considered to be Alpha Heath Poe’s child, even though he and his Luna never had children. That was some “need-to-know” information and it could cause me some big problems. I think I am good right now though. I went over to the Crimson Shadow yesterday after I had picked you up, to see who came and went, after I got you set up in your room. I was glad I did because I saw quite a few people showing up to help get you. Looks like Taylor went a little too far with this and didn’t know who she was dealing with either. Thankfully, I never let people

know where I am, and your sister can’t help them find me. But I will say that, from the looks of it, you won’t have to worry about Taylor too much longer. On the plus side, I

just saved myself \$50,000, as Taylor won't be alive to need to be paid anymore. So, I would say that I am having a great day. Because I just saved myself the fee for your first child after your twins are born. Just so you know that I am not a complete monster, I will allow you two weeks to heal after giving birth, and then we will make our child together". Alex got up from his chair and came up to the bars to smile at me.

"Don't forget to eat your lunch. You need to keep your strength up. I will come back down and visit you for dinner. Do you have any requests? Is there anything special that you would like to eat? Or drink? We will be getting to see each other, as you will be here with me for a while. I am even considering making you mine, just mine, so you wouldn't have to be with anyone but me. That is actually a great deal that I am offering you. I have never made it before, but there is something about you that I really like. I want to get to know you, and you be comfortable with me, as we will be spending quite a lot of time here together. Please think about it, because if you don't agree to it, I will still mate you and we will still have children, but then I will offer your services to other clients. They will all be tested and clean, but make no mistake about it, you will either be with me exclusively or you will bear me children until I have a son, and then you will be used to make other Alpha children for men who need an heir. I can assure you that 80% of them will be older, and not in as good a shape as I am. No need to hurry with a decision. We have time. I will come back for dinner with whatever food I decide to pick up for you, as you obviously don't feel like talking right now. Maybe you will feel more like talking and being nicer to me when I come back with your dinner", Alex said to me, and he smiled as he turned and headed up the stairs.

I have got a real problem. I had to stay calm. I started humming and rubbing my tummy with both hands to comfort myself and the tears just started pouring out of my eyes and down the sides of my face. I am really in a bad position now. I will not agree to sleep with anyone, but I also know that I can be drugged and made to allow it. I started sobbing loudly as I cannot see this ending well for me at all. He is going to do what he wants to me, but I only want Tanner. Tanner will feel the betrayal if anyone does that, even if I am knocked out, and then he will think that I would do that to him. I would rather die. I will have to figure out something here. If any opportunity presents itself to me to get out of here. I will take it. I will not stay to be some kind of concubine to this horrible man.

I stop crying because it won't help me in any way. I need to focus on the problem so I can find a solution. I know my hormones are raging with the babies, but I have got to focus, for them and for myself. I went and got my tray and took it to my bed. I felt a little sick from what he had said to me, but I was still thirsty. Only having a few bottles of water a day wasn't enough. I had to refill them in the sink and the water where we are isn't good at all. It tastes terrible. I will need more water. I will ask for at least 5 bottles of water a day. I need to stay hydrated. I will be nice about asking for it, and I will play along with him, to get what I want from him right now. I will not sleep with him, but if I need to play nice to make sure I get water, I will do it. I set my shoulders. He knew I was on the team, but I am quite sure that he probably underestimated me too.

I drank my water, but the conversation from earlier left me nauseous and unable to eat. I wasn't trying to be stubborn, but I bet it would look like that to Alex. As soon as I could calm down, I ate half my sandwich, and I kept the bag of chips under my pillow. That

was all I could do for lunch.

I will be sure to pay more attention in my room and stay out of the camera coverage. I have been here at least 24 hours now, and I am trying to keep from freaking out right now. He did have a lot of information on me, and I don't think he was joking about having so many informants. I think a person who can do what he does is a horrible person and I know something bad probably had to have happened to him for him to participate in taking innocent people from their families and selling them like they were cattle. I cannot wrap my head around it, and I most certainly won't let my babies be taken from me. They are going to have to kill me first. I set my resolve. I won't allow it to happen. Whatever I need to do, I will do, but I will not allow them to take my babies away from me.

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Gabi is Rescued

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Tanner's POV

We have been set up now for 24 hours. I saw the asshole myself leaving yesterday afternoon and looking very smug and happy. I am so happy that Alpha Heath knows people, as Gerald has been completely Goddess sent. We know that 8 people are in the building, including Alex. We know that 6 of them stay on the upper 2 floors and that one person who barely registers on the infrared is in the basement area and appears to be laying down right now.

We know where she is, we just need to be able to get in there while Alex is out of the building, and then let him come back and us catch him that way. It looks like he enjoys going to visit Gabi, and that is making me really uncomfortable. He is probably just like Taylor and is obsessed himself. In a way it is good, he won't hurt her until she refuses him, but he won't want me to get her back so he might kill her to keep that from happening. I cannot allow that. He spent an hour with her eating his dinner last night. Gerald has already found that Bill Andrews guy, and after us looking into him, he has a LOT of money and no real reason for it. He is not working, he didn't get an inheritance, he stays at his home most of the time, and it is a nice house, with a lot of security. I guess in his line of work he knows it only takes a minute for something bad to happen and he doesn't want it to happen to him, so he has a nice wall around his compound and armed security inside it. We only have two options; one is for us to catch him when he goes out. We will have a slim window for it, with little prep time, as we won't know he is leaving until he does. The second option is for either Alpha Heath or Hudson to set up and take him out at home. There is no other way to take him out. He is really secure, and he hasn't left in the 20 hours since we found him. Gerald has reached out and called in favors from several friends, who are not ones you would want to cross, to see if there was any way that we could lure him out of that stupid compound. Alpha Heath and Hudson were both of the opinions that it will probably fall on them to get it done, and they were both OK with setting up to cover both the front and the back of the house to take him out. He has a really nice oasis in his backyard, hot tub, and giant pool, we have seen a couple of girls in there, but it looks like they are all good with being there and not being held against their will.

They both know who they are looking for and are set up now in trees, waiting for him to step out to either leave or go swim with his lady friends. I wished them well, and Alan and Easton are there too, as a backup if it goes south. Alan and Easton weren't the best shots on the team, but they were still really good. They would be taking out anyone who came shooting at Heath and Hudson and they were also in a tree near the person they were backing up.

Jameson was with us at the warehouse, along with Anthony, Justin, Derek, Jason, Gavin, Gerald, my father, and me. Alpha Black would be staying in the other vehicle monitoring the situation, as he could call in the right kind of reinforcements for us. We all had earpieces that Gerald had gotten for us so we could

hear and communicate with each other, and Alpha Black had one too so he could hear what we were relaying. We also had bulletproof vests on under our t-shirts just in case, and Gerald was fairly certain that they would be armed. Alpha Black had 7 warriors in the RV with him and 6 of them would be going in with us, the last one would be staying with Alpha Black, just in case. There were the best shots in the Black Night pack, and we will probably need them. I am glad that Jameson was with us, he was a silent killer and could have half of them taken out before any of them knew what was happening.

Alpha Heath wanted to be here, but he knows that we will get it done, and I know to let him know

the moment we get her to safety. He will be waiting on us to tell him after we breach the building. I pray to

the Goddess again, for us to be successful and remind her of all that Gabi has had to go through and put up

with. I am almost physically sick with worry over Gabi. I hate Alex and I want to kill him with my bare

hands. I will be killing him if he touched my sweet Gabi. It will be the end of him. I swear it, she has had such a hard life and I promise you if we can get free of this, I will make sure she is safe for the rest of her life. Because I cannot imagine my life without her.

I see the door open, and that asshole comes out and he is even cockier today. I don't know why he is

in such a good mood, but if it had to do with anything having to do with hurting my mate, I will kill him slowly. We have two cars parked on the main street behind the

warehouses and we told them that he was coming out now in a black Mercedes sedan and gave them the tag number. They knew to hang back and see where he was going.

We needed time to get Gabi out, and him not being here helped a lot.

Gerald was going to pick the lock for us to get in and the 6 warriors would be behind him as they were armed. Jameson would be behind them, and they had been instructed

that if an alarm didn't go off when we entered, to let Jameson take the men out. He would be silent as he had his Sai's and would just be cutting their throats as he went, and they were just there to watch his 6, and protect him. Three men

would be staying behind with our van and I decided that it would be Derek, Gavin, and my dad.

I guess I still had a little bit of a conflict with Derek from his seemingly never-ending affection for Gabi, but I believe that it was done now that he had his second chance mate. But with how I was feeling at

this time, if he made the wrong move towards her, even innocently, I might hurt him

really badly, and I didn't want to do that. I just needed my Gabi back. He smiled at me, and I think he understood now that he was fully mated too. He knows how I am feeling, and that I would just need her in my arms and smell her neck to calm me down. I really appreciate that he came, and not just sent Anthony and Justin to help us. I liked and trusted both of them, so it was really great to have them here on the team.

We entered the building and knew we had to take out 6 men and I hoped that this would go

smoothly. I prayed to the Goddess again as Gerald opened the door that Alex had exited, and we enter as quietly as we could. There was no alarm sounding, and we didn't see any cameras in the hallways as we followed Jameson down the hallway and towards the room that we had seen the men in. With the satellite imaging, we knew where we needed to go to get the men taken care of.

Justin, Anthony, and I started down the stairs to the bottom floor but waited three minutes for Jameson to call "All clear" before we stepped into the hallway for the cameras to see us. We knew they

had cameras on the cell floor as while they were in the monitor room, to take out the first three, they

could see where the cameras were, and we didn't know where the next set of men was at until Alpha

Black looked at the live scan and said that they were in the kitchen area. So far it has gone smoothly. I see a set of keys on a holder at the end of the hallway and pray that one of them fits her door, as I want to get her out of here and safely somewhere else before Alex returns. There were a total of 8 cells, and they were not numbered, there were four cells on either side, facing each other, so they could keep up to 8 people, or more if needed, here at a time.

I get to her room, and I see her laying on the bed with her back to me, and I can feel her stress all around me and I growl out in anger at her being locked up like this. Gabi turns around at my growl and starts crying as soon as she sees me at the cell bars. I can only focus on her, so Anthony takes the keys from me and starts trying them while Justin pats me on the shoulder and goes to the bottom of the stairwell, and watches for anyone to be coming down.

We are holding hands through the area to pass a tray through, but it is not enough, and I start low growling in my frustration.

"Give me a minute, these keys so far aren't working, and they are not marked. There are 8 cells down here, and I may have to go through all of them to find the right one" Anthony said, and I stopped my growling because he is right, and he is helping Gabi and me, so I stop and said, "Thank you, Anthony. I am sorry. I just need to get her back in my arms".

I am elated to see that she is still pregnant, and I hate to even ask, but I need to know as her answers let me know if I will kill Alex slowly, or quickly. "Baby, are you OK? Alex did hurt you did her? Did he do anything to you?" I asked her.

"No, he didn't hurt or touch me yet. But if you hadn't found me he would have after I gave birth. He decided he wanted to keep me, to bear his pups, or if I didn't agree with that, he was going to mate me out to other Alpha's who needed an heir for their pack. He was trying to encourage me to agree to be his. I am so glad that you found me. I

didn't want you to feel that betrayal when he would have drugged me to get it done. I would rather die than live like that" Gabi told me.

"Heath and Hudson are taking out the man above Alex right now, that is why they aren't here, we split into teams to take them both out. It won't stop the problem, but we will have slowed it down today by taking out two big snakes in the system. But as there is a lot of money to be made; I am sure other nasty people will take their place. It is disgusting what people do to one another" I told her, and she nodded in agreement. We heard the lock give, and Anthony swings the door open to free Gabi. I have to hug her real quick and then I lead and let Justin and Anthony follow behind her as we go to the exit. I notify the team that we are coming up and they go to the exit to leave with us. We get Gabi safely into the RV with Alpha Black who hugs her tightly too, Gabi gets into the RV with Alpha Black and the 6 warriors that had gone with us. I also sent Jason, Justin, and Anthony to go back with her to Crimson Shadow to stay with her until I get back.

The rest of us get back into the other RV and wait for Alex to come back. We will catch him outside the warehouse, but just in case he runs into the warehouse, Jameson and Derek were waiting right inside the locked door of the warehouse. We would notify them when Alex returns. I had notified Alpha Heath that we got Gabi and that she was OK, and that we were waiting for Alex to return.

Alpha Heath told me, "Don't worry about Alex, son. He arrived here a short time ago to meet with the guy we are watching. He won't be leaving here ever again alive. We will take them both out before we leave. You can pack up and leave now if you want to".

I advised Jameson and Derek of what Alpha Heath said and Jameson told me to wait just a few minutes for them. Jameson and Derek exited about 4 minutes later, with smiles on their faces, and got into the RV and we headed back to Crimson Shadow. I cannot wait to get back to Gabi and check her all the way out so I can make sure that she is totally OK. Jameson looked over at me and told me that he had to take care of the surveillance system so our faces wouldn't be all over the news looking for us. He deleted the recordings, which took a minute, and then he set fire to the room where the DVR that was holding the recordings was. The whole room was set up with sprinklers, instead of a fire suppression system that uses gas instead of water to put the fire out, so the DVR that held the data would also be damaged beyond repair with the water destroying it.

I smiled at him and said, "Good job, Jameson. That was great thinking on your part".

We arrived at Crimson Shadow, twenty minutes later and I can hardly wait to find Gabi and make absolutely sure that she was OK. I had already called Alpha Wyatt right when she left the warehouse on her way here, to tell him that Gabi was OK and on her way with Alpha Black. Alpha Wyatt and Luna Everly said that they would be getting their pack doctor to come and check on her and make her as comfortable as they could. That was thirty minutes ago, so when I get to her, she should be completely checked out by the doctor. I need to know that both Gabi and my babies are OK.

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**All is Well
Chapter 95**

Gabi's POV

The nightmare is over, but I wished Tanner had come with me. I knew he needed to stay to kill Alex, but I still wished he had come back here with me. I was still scared, as even though I was only gone two full days, this experience was still really hard on me. Luna Liz and Von were both on the front steps when I arrived. I am assuming that Jason told Liz that we were on our way in. They both hugged me from either side and were crying after seeing me safe and sound. I saw my birth parents, Alpha Wyatt and Luna Everly, come out too, and my mom put her hand over her mouth to keep from crying out at seeing me. I could see that they were absolutely upset as well, and when I was released from Luna Liz and Von, I approached them and hugged them too.

"I am so sorry, Gabi. I am so sorry" Luna Everly kept saying as she cried out in relief that I was back and OK.

"Gabi, we are so sorry for all you went through. We need to take you to the pack hospital to get you fully checked out before Tanner gets here, or we will all be sorry. He needs to know that you are OK honey, we all do" Alpha Wyatt told me, and I nodded and went with them. Alpha Black followed along behind us with Luna Liz, Von, and Jason to take me to the hospital.

I was checked out and the babies and I were OK. I was just a little dehydrated, so I was put on an IV to raise my fluids and I was given two water bottles as well, as I was really thirsty too. Luna Everly asked me what I would like to eat for dinner tonight to celebrate my getting to come home. I liked Mexican and Italian, and that is what I told her. I am pretty easygoing with whatever the group feels is best for everyone. I would be glad to eat either of them tonight.

I could hear a commotion in the hallway, and I saw Tanner a minute later. He looked so relieved to see me and came straight to me. He leaned down to give me a tight hug and he took in a deep breath near my neck and he relaxed a little.

"Don't, Tanner. I smell awful. I haven't had a bath in the two days since I was taken. They only had a toilet and a sink in there, but no towels, and I didn't want to take off my clothes to wash up with cameras in the hallway". Tanner let out a deep growl at my words and I spoke into his ear, "It is OK. The babies and I are OK. We are safe now. You got us out safely. I am only a little dehydrated. That is why I have an IV. You can shower with me baby when we get to our room. I only have to stay here until the bag is done, so another 30 to 40 minutes and we can go, OK?"

Tanner nodded his head and then dropped down the side of my bed opposite the arm with the IV in it, got in next to me, and then gently pulled me onto him. I was half sitting and half lying on him, but I was completely happy with being in his arms again. I was able to shut my eyes and take a nap, as I was

exhausted from not being able to sleep well and waking up at the drop of a pin, to make sure it wasn't someone trying to sneak into my cell.

I didn't even realize that I had fallen asleep until I felt myself being carried and it was a little jarring. I looked up and Tanner smiled down at me and said, "We will go get a shower together and then we will take a nap and come down to dinner at 6. I told everyone, so they all know. We will then go and visit Taylor after dinner. We are going to carry out her punishment before we leave here tomorrow. I just didn't want to kill her too soon as I needed to make sure that you were OK first before I dealt with her. I had already checked and made sure she was still down there, and she was. They even

traded for female warriors as she was turning the heads on the male warriors still. We will be in our room in just a little bit”.

“Tanner, put me down when we get to the steps, I am fine, I can walk up the stairs. I am so looking forward to my shower and a nap. I couldn’t sleep worrying about someone trying to come into my room when I fell asleep. So I didn’t sleep much” Tanner pulled me closer to him and kissed the top of my head and told me, “I promise you, Gabi, I will take care of you and our babies better from now on”.

“Tanner, this wasn’t your fault. This was Taylor’s and Alex’s fault for wanting what didn’t belong to them. They are both greedy and bad people and I will be glad when we don’t have to worry about them anymore”, I told him.

We entered the packhouse and I saw my dad standing there talking to Alan and Hudson and I started wiggling to free myself, so I could go over and hug him. Tanner put me down, but he didn’t want to, and I toddled over to my dad with my pregnancy waddle, and he pulled me in a big hug. I am crying into his shirt and sobbing as I told him, “I love you and I am sorry I didn’t tell you sooner that I consider you to be my father. Being there made me realize that I considered you my dad, and the thought of not being able to see you, Tanner, and Von again was breaking my heart”.

Heath was crying as well, and told me, “I know baby girl, I knew that you loved us both when you said that we didn’t have to come to Crimson Shadow for you to meet your biological parents. We loved you too, and you are alright now. Hudson and I have taken care of the problem and they will never come to bother you again. I got Alex out front, and Hudson took out his boss in the backyard. They are gone, and cannot hurt you anymore. You are safe with us now. Von and I love you too, baby girl, and have considered you to be ours for months now. We already knew you loved us, but hearing you call me your father is the best gift I have ever received”.

Theard sobbing behind us and turned a little to see Von standing there, and we welcomed her into our group hug. I am so glad that everyone was OK, and that there were no lives lost on our end with them having to come and rescue me. I can at least breathe easier knowing that. I told them both that I was going to go get shower and take a nap with Tanner as I hadn’t been sleeping well the last two days. I also told them that we would be downstairs at 6 for dinner.

Alicia came running up to hug me and Tanner as she had been in her room waiting for us to come back. She wasn’t allowed to participate in the rescue or the meeting and I know she was frustrated about that. After she let me go, I saw her stiffen up and sniff the air, and I was interested to know who was coming our way, and I didn’t have to wait long. Anthony came out of the dining room moving quickly and stopped on a dime when he saw Alicia. They both went towards each other, and she jumped into his arms. Anthony spun her around in a circle and growled “Mine” loudly to anyone near them for them all to know that she was off the market. Alicia nodded at him and said, “Yours” and tipped her head up for a kiss the second her feet hit the floor. Tanner took a step forward, and I grabbed his wrist and shook my head for him to leave them alone. Anthony is a good man, and he will be a great mate for Alicia. Anthony deserved to have a great mate, as he had been through so much. Alicia had been praying for her mate and wondering where he was and now her prayers had been answered.

They walked back into the dining room, arm in arm, smiling at each other, and Tanner

looked at me and we both had to laugh, as that was really quick. We were both surprised, but we were happy for them. I know Aria and Dawson will be happy to hear about this good news.

Tanner runs into the dining room and grabs a plate, gets some food, and then places another plate on top of it, to cover it. He then grabs two sodas and comes to get me again and we go up to our room. I am exhausted, and Tanner is only too happy to help me out of my clothes for me to take a shower. Tanner turns me around looking for marks on me and turns me around fully, twice, before he is satisfied that I am actually OK. I don't have a change of clothes, but I can always ask for mine to be washed, even though I would rather have them burned. They would always remind me of being taken and separated from my family for 2 days, just by seeing them again.

Tanner then starts the water and grabs some stuff for the shower. I just watch him move quickly around the room, working silently while he gets exactly what he wants on the rail in the shower and then tests the water until it is perfect. He leads me over to the shower and holds the door for me. He then stripped down quickly and got in right behind me.

Tanner pulls me to him and just stands there with us under the spray and holds me to him with his chin on the top of my head. I could stand here like this forever. There is just peace now, as the stress from before gets washed away from us like the water is carrying it away as it runs down our bodies.

Tanner gets to work, and he washes my hair and I have to admit it felt great as he ran his fingers through my hair and on my scalp. It was so relaxing, he then rinsed my hair and then put conditioner on it for me, and piled my hair on top of my head. Tanner then uses the new pretty teal loofah that he had found in the cabinet on my body, making small circles and getting me clean. He was really focused on my protruding stomach and started speaking to the babies while he rubbed the body wash on my stomach as he was on his knees in front of me. Even though it had only been two days, they started kicking as soon as

they heard his voice speaking to them. I grabbed his hands and put them where the kicking was and let

him feel it with me. The babies knew that daddy had gotten mommy back, and they were excited too. They probably missed the nightly talk that daddy made for them each night, and I had missed it as well. Tanner smiled up at me, happy to feel our babies so excited to hear his voice. All is right in our world again, now that we are together. We just have to deal with a few more bumps in the road, but we will be taking the biggest bump, out first.