

Chapter 93

Bryson's pov

Shawn hissed, lifting his hand to touch the long gash that bled.

The culprit stood above him, naked but not caring as she snarls. His mate.

Kira rush over, claws on showcase, canines flashing at Lucy.

What surprised me was the way Emily took a very protective stance, and how much she radiated more power than both Kira and me.

"You touch her and I will tear you apart," Emily warned, her voice holding so much aggression and power. It made my jaw drop and of course my dick chooses to jump at the first sound of her voice after years.

It didn't help that Emily was so fucking hot being a badass. I just want to bend her over-

For fuck sakes Bryson focus on the issue at hand.

I snapped out of my thoughts, gripped Emily's arm before she could get to Kira. I turn to Kira and glared. "Stand down Kira."

It was very clear that Lucy was not in the right state of mind. She just woke up, seeing Shawn, a face she does not recognize must've surprised her. It was a normal thing to do....besides, Shawn didn't look mad at all.

The fucker was practically drooling at the sight of his naked mate and he was already healing up.

Hearing Emily's voice, Lucy turned to face her, her gaze showing relief, her shoulders visibly sagging.

Kira on the other hand looked angry and frustrated. " She clawed him," she spat, pointing at Shawn who wiped at his cheek to get rid of the blood.

He shrugged when he heard Kira's words. " I don't mind. It was kind of hot."

Lucy turned to him and she stumbles away. Shawn brows wrinkle and he stands up. Lucy shakes her head. "Stay away."

"Let me go to her," Emily whispered. So engrossed with what was going on, I didn't realize I still held her tight as if I was afraid to let her go. I didn't but I also didn't want to end up scaring her off.

I release her slowly, fighting the urge to pull her into my arms. I nod instead, letting her go to Lucy.

Lucy looked around frantically, her wild eyes shifting and staring at everyone. She looked skittish and I knew she hurt Shawn when she told him to stay away.

' She's just frightened Shawn. Don't take her words to heart.' I mind linked him.

He looked at her sadly. ' I know, but it doesn't make it hurt less. I hope she doesn't reject me.'

Shawn wiped the rest of the blood off and stood up nervously, as if afraid that one sudden move from him would have Lucy running for the hills.

" Emily," Shawn smiled, happy to see her up close. He tried to take a step forward toward her but thought better of it.

Emily smile at him back but focused more on Lucy who looked more wild by the second. Using my hearing, I listened to their conversation.

"They won't harm you I promise,"Emily whispered, bringing Lucy into a hug.

Lucy visibly relaxed. " Who are they?"

" My friends," Emily answered after a silent pause. I will admit, her referring to me as her 'friend' hurt me. I would've expected, well wanted her to refer me as her mate.

But of course, she broke the bond so I suppose naming me as her mate would be weird. Still.....was I never more than just a friend?

"We can't stay here the entire day, we need to get going," Kira uttered, making her way back to the jeep. " We can continue this conversation somewhere else, perhaps not in unknown territory."

Everyone ignored her and she huffed, slamming the door aggressively.

"Your friends?" Lucy spared a glance at Shawn who still stared at her in awe. I noticed a faint flush on her cheeks before she looked away from him.

'Did you see that man! She blushed! She blushed!' Shawn yapped through the link, smiling like crazy.

I chuckle lowly, happy to see him excited. Shawn had been dying to find his mate and we had planned to travel to different packs to find her. Luckily we both got what we wanted.

Emily tear away from her slowly and looked at Shawn with a smile. " They're from the pack I told you about. This is Shawn."

Lucy shyly looked at Shawn. Shawn being a horny wolf made his eyes dip to her breasts. Lucy reddened and tried and failed to cover her naked privates.

"Maybe you should put on some clothes before I introduce you," Emily suggested with an awkward smile.

Lucy nod and picked up the clothes scattered on the road. Some was stained with blood. She went behind a tree and we can hear her moan as she puts on the clothes. She was obviously still sore.

" Haven't seen you in a while there Emily," Shawn tried to converse her into a conversation but she looked down awkwardly.

'Leave her, she's not ready to talk to us,' I told him through the link, hoping he won't push her. I really didn't want to have to run after her if she runs away again.

Lucy comes back out and I can see Emily looked relieved. She obviously didn't want to be left alone in Shawn and I's presence.

Raiden starts playing in my hair and I looked down at him, smiling at how much he looked like me. My heart expanded and I hugged him closer.

" I should apologize for," Lucy looked at Shawn, her face red as she points at the gash that was healing on Shawn's cheek. "That."

Shawn grinned. " You don't have to, it was sexy, mate."

I cringed but it seem to make Lucy blush more so I suppose it was working for him.

Lucy turn to me and looked down at Raiden, Emily noticed and cleared her throat before uttering. " And this is Bryson. Raiden's-

"Dad," Lucy smiled. " Anyone can see the resemblance. I've heard about you-

My brows lift in surprise. "You have?"

This is one of the questions I want to ask Emily. How did Raiden know I was his dad? Did she have a picture of me? Was there still hope for us?

And the burning question I want to ask the most, why did she leave?

Lucy looked at Emily and was about to say something more when Emily cut her off before she could start. " And this is Lucy, my biological sister."

Biological sister? Did Emera have another child that no one knew of?

I initially thought Raiden referred to Lucy as his aunt because he grew up with her by his side. I didn't think they were actually related.

My mind is reeling with questions that I hope I'll get the answers to. But before I could hope that she'd give them to me, she hit me with words that nearly had me, an alpha, crumble to my knees.

" I think we held up your time enough Bryson. You should go to your mate and get on your way. Lucy, Raiden and I should be on our-

"You're fucking kidding me." Those words slipped out of my mouth as I look at her like she had gone mad. Where was the Emily I knew? Did she change so much in four years?

"Let me get this straight. You want me to leave you and our son, here, alone?"

Emily looked at anywhere but me. " We can't come with you Bryson. Raiden and I, we can't come with you."

My heart shatters and I fucked wheezed.

Then the anger took over, the frustration that was pent up for years. It finally released.

" He is my son! I have every right to bring him back to my pack where both he and you belong. You're not running away from me this time Emily."