## The Last Spirit Wolf by Elena Norwood

Chapter 10

-Noah

After Eli calmed down, he and Lucas filled me in on everything that had happened after I lost consciousness. How we got past the wolf

border and ended up in a werewolf clinic, how Lucas hea rd me tell the doc she was my mate before I flat lined; this earned him a deathly

glare from Eli who found out only moments ago. 1 "Honestly, I couldn't even be sure I heard you correctly, you could've been delirio us for all I know." Lucas tells me, a sad expression in his

eyes. "I thought we'd lost you, Noah. If it wasn't for Vera bringing you back and operating on you..." I look at him wide-eyed, "Yeah, her

name is Vera Blackwood, I asked around for you." He gives me a wide grin. At least one of them is happy about me finding a mate.

"What else have you found out?" I knew she would be back tomorrow morning, but if Lucas already went thought the trouble of asking

around for me... 3

"Well, this is the Dark Moon Pack, and she's a pack member but she wasn't born here. This is the only pack in the country that has an

orphanage and she came to it as a toddler..." Eli interrupts Lucas with a growl, much to my annoyance. 16 "Ladies, please, if you want to gossip, do it once we are back at the castle. We are in enemy territory! Do not forget what these wolves are

capable of!" I forget how stubborn he can be.

"What do you suggest, Eli? Would you like to venture into the forest, looking and feeling like shit, and risk running into that thing again?

Hell, I don't even think I can run properly in my state." I gesture to all my injuries. "We might be lycan, old rag, but that thing chewed us up

and spit us out like we were livestock, and we still have no idea what it is. So I suggest you get comfortable, and stop sneering at the wolves

who saved us." 13

I make a point by growling at him slightly. I might see him as a father, but I still out rank him. 6

He turns his face down, knowing everything I told him is true.

"The Alpha seems to think it was dark magic..." We turn to face Lucas. I give him a questioning look but Eli fills me in,

"Their Alpha, Sofia Allen, comes fr om a long line of Alphas, dating back to before the Age of Witches. She says there are records written by

her ancestors relating the use of dark magic during war. She's still looking into it, but she's certain this was a very powerful witch." 3

"A witch..." The idea of a witch attacking a camp of lycans is ludicrous to me. "Why would a witch even dare attack lycans? Or wolves for

that matter?"

"They didn't attack the wolves. The wolves attacked it first. My guess is it was only defending itself. Once we started running deeper into

wolf territory, the thing stopped chasing us." I stayed silent for a long moment.

So the alleged witch was after lycans alone. From what I have read, witches would perform blood sacrifices in ceremonies to summon more

powerful magic, dark magic; but all lycan warriors at the camp were accounted for, she didn't take any to be used as sacrifices. And even

when the thing grabbed me, its intention was to kill me, not capture me. 4

Nonetheless, the idea of a witch, or warlock f or that matter, is so strange. All the classes, lectures, and even common folk tales denounced

modern witches and warlocks. They're supposed to be dead. There hasn't been a record of one in almost one hundred years.

"Have any of you contacted the Council, or the King?" "No, we didn't think they'd appreciate the three of us being treated at a werewolf clinic, and more importantly, thou'd want our heads for

not bringing in the enemy."