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"I need you." My panties were soaked, making a cloud of arousal filled the air and shoot into Alec's nose as he took a deep breath. His eyes went black as he stared at me. "So fucking S**y." He said more to himself as he lowered his head to me. His fingers teased me as he barely gazed over my folds. "Here is a spot." His tongue licked my inner thigh, making my legs spread wider for him. "Holy fuck." I groaned. "Can I get you to cum without even actually touching you?" Alec came back up to my face that was flushed with need. "I'm about to pin you down if you don't shove your dick in me." I threatened. "Interesting." Alec gave me a half smile before moving to my right side and finding another spot. My legs started shaking as I wrapped them around him, trying to force his dick against me. The problem was, he

still had all his clothes on. Right as I was about to grab his shirt, he moved to my hip and nibbled, sending waves of pleasure to the point I felt the pressure build. "Alec, please! Touch me." I whined as I lowered my own hand to me. "No." Alec growled as he grabbed my hands and held them still. With one hand, he undid his belt and ripped it out. It happened so quickly that I didn't even see how he did it but it was fucking sexy as hell. Another wave of juices slid out of me. Using his teeth, he made a loop and put my hands in it. Securing it to the wood above my head, I was powerless to him now. "Oh fuck." I moaned as I watched him slip back down to my stomach. Right over wet!TM where my right ovary should be, he nibbled again. This time, I yelled out. "ALEC! I'm so

"I know. Cum for me." Alec said as his breath blew into my panties before nibbling another spot so hard that my orgasm hit. My hips buckled and only then did Alec move my panties to the side and start licking my . "Holy fuck." I groaned as Alec kept the attack up. My eyes were closed as he removed my panties and inserted two fingers into me. "Look at me." Alec had moved on top of me. Opening my eyes, his were drilling into me with so much passion that I was left breathless. "Harder... please!" I whispered. Relaying my need in my eyes. He listened this time as he rammed his dick into me. I wasn't sure when his pants came off but I didn't care. All I knew was he was pounding me like "I can't thank you enough." I muttered in his neck. Embarrassed the tears fell. Alec's chest rumbled with his laughter as he rolled me on my back. Keeping his arm under my head, his other hand cupped my face. Using his thumb, wiping the tear away. "I love you." Leaning forward, I kissed him hard. Not exactly Sexual but this meant so much to me. Only after a few minutes, did I pull back. Putting my hand on his cheek, my thumb traced his lips. "I love you too." I said in a whisper. Alec didn't respond but leaned down and kissed me again. His hand moved to my waist, pulling my tank out of my pants. Snaking his way up to my breast. "I'll never get enough of you." Alec said between kisses as he moved down my neck. Grabbing my tank, I pulled it off. Giving him better access. "Your hands..." I said as he moved on top of me. "See, I know all your points. Like here.." Alec moved to my left breast and sucked hard under my boob. My back instantly arched as a wave of pleasure ran through me. "Oh!" I moaned as my eyes rolled back.

“And here...” Alec moved lower on my stomach. More towards my back, he sucked again. My body started vibrating with need and he was going too damn slow. I tried to sit up but he pushed me down as he messed with my pants. “But...” “No, this is my fun.” Alec didn’t even make eye contact with me as he removed my boots and pulled my pants down, keeping my underwear in place.

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She looked up at me with tears in her eyes. “I swear I don’t know anything! You know I was an orphan! You literally found me in the woods!” She was begging me to listen. “I don’t even know who my family are!”

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“She was in the orphan when I volunteered there. She was a teenager... almost 15 and was getting into trouble. Sneaking out, stealing.

“I was stealing books! It wasn’t like I was a druggie!” Penny defended herself.

“The books she took were advanced books. No one paid attention to what books she took but that she

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enough she was able to buy clothes and food. Eventually, Dad got her into a young adult housing situation

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"Hey Alec?" I asked trying to sound se xy in the mind-link.

"What?"

“Do you know why I love to ride my bike so much?”

“Why’s that?”

Looking over at him, “Before all the power I feel between my legs.” His eyes narrowed at me as I put the throttle to the floor and took off.

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“You won’t be able to walk to school tomorrow.” Alec promised as he caught up to me. I didn’t even respond but I smiled at him. As we moved down the hill, the curves twisted tightly. Since I was feeling so good, I cruised down them effortlessly. My bike and I were one as we rotated side to side. My knees

barely above the pavement. We made our way home. It was a great afternoon.

Pulling into the packhouse, the atmosphere was very tense and uninviting. Alec and I looked at each

other as we took our helmets off and made our way to Alpha Marc’s office. Alec knocked once before

going in. I was a little taken aback by the amount of people here. Dad, Colt, Penny, Jacob, Jasper, Emmy

and Luna Erin were all silent. Just staring at the wall.

“Where is Sherry?” I asked Jacob.

“In the kitchen.” He said in a sullen tone.

“What’s going on?” Alec pulled me towards him as if someone was going to jump out and stab me

“This.” Alpha Marc threw a piece of paper at Alec. It fell to the floor, making Alec bend down and grab it

he lowered it so we both could read it.

"I don't understand what I'm reading.

"It is saying the bullet came from a 9mm Smith and Weston, which we knew. However, the gun is tied to a series of murders that has happened across the U.S. However, this is what is concerning" Alec pointed to

some fine print at the bottom.

"Does that say... no..." I must not have read that right.

"It said that there was additional DNA on the bullet that is a familial DNA match to a Penelope Atwater."

Alec's b*dy vibrated in anger.

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"You know we burn them. There is no way of knowing if the rogue was her dad or if he just loaded the gun." Dad looked at me and frowned. In I knew that but I was hoping I was wrong. I felt so bad for Penny. Slowly, I made my way to Penny and sat I down in front of her. "Please believe me. I didn't know. I would never betray you." She whispered through her tears.

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"I believe you, Penny. You need to understand what this means though and you can't be upset with Colt. This needed to happen so we could clear your name." She looked up at Colt and then back at me. "I know, I just feel guilty and ashamed." "Things will probably get harder as this goes on but trust in Colt to lead you the right way." Placing my hand on her knee, I watched tears fall silently down her cheeks. Standing up, I moved back to stand directly in front of Alec. Pushing my back against his so I had that contact. His hand rested on my shoulders. "It's safe to say that we will be looking into her family. This said Atwater so that is where we will start." Alpha Marc sighed as he sat down. "Agreed. Let us know when you do." Dad signaled for his party to leave. Penny stood up and sl*pped her hand in Colt's as they walked out. Colt nodded to me but he was having a hard time right now. Guilt and confusion covered his face and nothing I could say would fix it. Only time would tell. "What is the plan for this week?" Alpha Marc asked us.

"Kristen?" Alec looked down at me. I "I guess I need to go to school to get my stuff then we can come home. It will be safer this way and we can take all of our exams here." I sighed as I hated being forced to do this. If I wanted to take my exams this way, I would have skipped school all together. "That is a smart decision." Alpha Marc sat down. He dismissed us that way, which just annoyed me but it wasn't a hill I was ready to die on. Walking out, Jasper caught up with us. "What are you guys supper plans?" "I don't think we have any..." I looked up at Alec for confirmation. "Nope, why? Have something in mind?"

"Movie night?" "We can do that." Alec looked at me and I nodded. "Why don't you get something from the kitchen and meet us in our room?" I asked Jasper. "Sure. Emmy will be happy." "Good." I nodded as Jasper turned and walked away. Following Alec, we made our way to our room. "Did you ever decide if you wanted to make any changes to our room?" Alec asked me as he slipped off his shirt. "I mean...like what?" Looking around, all my possessions sat on my night stand. Alec had the picture of us from my birthday framed and put above our bed but otherwise, it was exactly as I found it. "Different colors? New bedding? Paint?" Alec tossed out a few ideas at me. "You chose sage green for your shop. A full 180 from what I have this at." "Well, that was the vibe I wanted in my shop. Not for my bedroom." "Your bedroom was very bare at your old pack." Alec said as I went into the closet and pulled out a my favorite silk pajama sets. I started changing in the closet. "I knew I wasn't going to be living there so I didn't care to change anything." I yelled out. "Well, now you can. What do you want to do differently?" Alec walked into the closet and leaned against the door frame. "I like black and red." I shrugged. "Come on, there isn't anything you want to do differently?" Alec pushed, thinking I was holding out. Walking out into the bedroom, I started looking around. "I'm serious, Alec. I love the silk sheets. If you haven't noticed, I like my silk pajamas. We could upgrade the couch and chairs. They are pretty worn and I like the deeper couches. I'm not a huge fan of white and the red really balances out everything. We could put a few more pictures on the walls..."

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"I'm glad you said that." Alec snapped his fingers and went into the closet. Coming back out, he had two massive pictures. Turning them around, they were my drawings from forever ago. One of was wolf's head and the other was of a Bald Eagle. "These were huge favorite's of mine from your sketch pad. I put them in a frame and would love to hang these." My voice was caught in my throat. He picked out the perfect frame for them. A light grey wooden distressed frame. It was thicker and made of actual wood so it brought out each pencil stroke. Walking over, I took the wolf's head and examined it. It had taken me weeks to do this one. It was right in the middle of summer and I didn't stay in the packhouse much. Looking around, "What about above the dressers?" There was an empty spot that seemed to be perfect for these. "Sounds good." Alec set them down and walked to the kitchenette and returned with a hammer and nails. He had this planned good. After helping him get them level, we stepped back and looked at it. "It really does fit perfectly there." I said as I slipped my hand around his arm. "I agree. Those are beautiful pieces." There was a knock at the door. Alec went to answer it as I sat down

on the couch. Now that he mentioned it, maybe upgrading his furniture would be a good idea. It wasn't uncomfortable but I didn't sink into it like I would have liked to for a movie night. "Dinner is served." Emmy's voice sang as she walked in. "Aw, you got them hung!" Jasper noticed right away as he followed Emmy in. His eyes went straight to my artwork on the wall. Setting the food down, Emmy looked up and smiled. "Ah, the wolf's head." "Why do you say it like that?" Jasper asked as he started opening the food.

"That was a bit h to get right apparently. She was pi ssy for like a month because it wasn't turning out the way she wanted. Something about the eyes." Shaking her head, she handed me my food. "Hey! If the eyes are good, the whole piece is the s hits." Alec sat beside me. Jasper handed him his food before taking a seat on the arm chair. "What movie did you guys pick out?" "We haven't yet. Been putting a picture up." I said before I took a bite of my Italian sub. "I'm in the mood for a scary movie!" Emmy scrunched up her face as she looked at me. +15 BONUS "Did you ever decide if you wanted to make any changes to our room?" Alec asked me as he sl*pped off his shirt. "I mean....like what?" Looking around, all my possessions sat on my night stand. Alec had the picture of us from my birthday framed and put above our bed but otherwise, it was exactly as I found it. "Different colors? New bedding? Paint?" Alec tossed out a few ideas at me. "You chose sage green for your shop. A full 180 from what I have this at." "Well, that was the vibe I wanted in my shop. Not for my bedroom." "Your bedroom was very bare at your old pack." Alec said as I went into the closet and pulled out a pair of my favorite silk pajama sets. I started changing in the closet. "I knew I wasn't going to be living there so I didn't care to change anything." I yelled out. "Well, now you can. What do you want to do differently?" Alec walked into the closet and leaned against the door frame. "I like black and red." I shrugged. "Come on, there isn't anything you want to do differently?" Alec pushed, thinking I was holding out. Walking out into the bedroom, I started looking around. "I'm serious, Alec. I love the silk sheets. If you haven't noticed, I like my silk pajamas. We could upgrade the couch and chairs. They are pretty worn

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"That's okay. I have ways to convince you." Jasper teased as he went to put in the movie. "What's wrong?" I asked Alec in the mind-link. He didn't answer but handed me his phone. Taking it, I saw an email. Alec, I am requesting a meeting with you tomorrow afternoon to discuss my advancement in this pack. There are multiple positions open that I would like to apply for and would like your guidance on. If 3pm would work for you, please let me know. With all my love, Angela "What did you reply?" I asked. Alec took his phone back and messed with it before handing it back to me Angela, 3pm is fine. Luna Kristen and I will be there.

Alpha Alec “Why don’t you have your own office?” “Never really needed one.” Alec shrugged as he laid down behind me. The movie was starting and Jasper turned off the lights. “I think we should have our own. I need one to do my shop’s money and with all the new stuff I will be taking on, it will be good for me to have space to organize it.” “Okay, I will look into it.” Alec wrapped his arm around me and pulled me tightly against him. The movie started out slow, like every horror movie. Losing interest, I turned around and rested my in Alec’s chest. Closing my eyes, I drifted off to sleep as Alec rubbed my back. head

“Come on, wake up!” My b*dy was shaking but I refused to acknowledge it. I know you are awake and can hear me.” Alec laughed. “I don’t want to be awake. How did I even get to get?” “I carried you. You weren’t waking up. Dead to the world.” The bed dipped as I felt Alec stand up. “Why am I awake?” I asked, annoyed. +15 BONUS “We need to go to school.” “I change my mind, let me sleep.” Grabbing the blankets, I pulled them over my head. I had just got comfortable when they were violently ripped from my hands. Cold air attacked my b*dy as I sat up quickly. “WHAT THE HELL?” “Get up, sleepy head.” Alec laughed at my expression but turned around and walked into the closet. Grumpily, I had no choice but to get up and shower. However, I was feeling rather petty so I locked the bathroom door. To my delight, I heard the door rattle so I knew Alec noticed it was locked. The hot water felt nice and did help me wake up. Stepping out and drying off, I started doing my makeup and hair “How much longer do you need?” Alec yelled from outside the door. Turning on the blow dryer, pretended I didn’t hear him. Eventually, he walked off and I was able to finish straightening my hair. Going to the closet, Alec still wasn’t here so I was able to get dressed in a romper and was buckling my sandals when he walked in. “Hi.” I said with a small smile. “Talking to me again?” Alec laid a bagel down with cream cheese in front of me. “What do you mean?” Playing dumb, I picked it up and took a bite. “Thank you.” “Yeah, okay. We need to get going.” Alec looked at his watch. “Where is your mom? I need a tote bag or get all of mine and Emmy’s stuff.” After a second, Alec answered. “She is in dad’s office. We can meet her at the front doors and she w bring you some.” “Perfect!” Jumping up, I grabbed my purse and phone before we left. After locking the door, we walked to the foyer but his mother wasn’t here yet. Alec kept checking his

watch like we were going to be late. “Where is she?” He muttered. “What is wrong? We aren’t going to a class. Just getting our stuff and coming home.” “Colt is meeting us there at 8:30 and I hate being late to stuff.” Alec sighed as his mother came around the corner.

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“Here! I found these two. I hope they work!” Luna Erin walked up to me and smiled. “Perfect! These will be great. Our stuff just wouldn’t fit into my backpack alone. I really appreciate this.” “Anytime dear. I do need to run though.” “So, do we.” Alec opened the door and basically scooted me out. “Bye!” I waved at his mom as he nodded and almost slammed the door shut. Our car was already out front and waiting for us. As we drove, Alec’s posture became more and more rigid. His knuckles were white on the steering wheel and he had a look in his eyes at would make people run from him. I, however, found it se xy as hell. Still, I didn’t ask him why he was so moody. This was more than just being late, which we weren’t.

Alec pulled up to the school right at 8:30. Colt was standing by the doors. "Hey, Ice." Colt came up to me as we got out and gave me a hug. "How are you?" I asked.

I "Been better." Colt sighed. He put his arm around my shoulders as we walked in. "Where is Penny?" I asked, quietly. "Home. I needed to run to the bank and handle a few things." That confused me. "That is dad's job.." We came up to my locker. Unlocking it, I started putting my stuff in it. "It's mine now." Colt shrugged as him and Alec kept looking around, like they were waiting for something. "Why would dad have you do that?" I started pounding it. "Don't worry about it." Colt said aloof. My locker was finally cleaned out, and I was shutting it when it hit me. "You are taking over the Alpha role,

aren't you?" Colt slowly looked back at me. There was a look in his eyes that reflected the pain he was in. "Getting there." "That means...." I had this sinking feeling that I wasn't going to like it. Dad's words echoed in my head as pieced together everything. "He's going to ditch An n isn't he?" Colt clenched his jaw together as he looked at me. Alec kept looking around but glanced at me occasionally. "This isn't the place for that conversation." "Alec's right. Lets get your stuff and get out of here." Colt grabbed my bag and picked it up. "We need to stop at Emmy's locker." I said sullenly. We walked in quiet until we got there. I've known her code for years. It was easy to open her locker and clean it out. However, pushed into the corner of the door was a picture. It was of all of us from about three years ago. Colt and I were in the middle. Emmy was on Colt's other side with Ace standing next to me and Jacob next to him. We were all smiling. It was a pond day so we were in our bathing suits. We were carefree and having fun. My eyes went to the bruise on my hip that was black and blue. A nn had pushed me down the stairs the day before so it was still fresh and didn't have time to heal. "What's that?" Colt asked. "That day at the pond." I said as I held it out to him. A sad smile spread across his face as he looked at it. Alec leaned over and glanced at it before returning to his lookout post. "That was a fun day." Colt handed me back the picture. "It was." Shutting Emmy's locker, we made our way to the office. "I ran into Ace's dad this morning." Colt said hesitantly.. "Oh?" Not sure I wanted to hear it. Mrs. Smith Author Thank you all for reading!

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"They are burying the tree today." My heart hurt that I couldn't be there but I understood. "Where at?" "He wanted it out on top of the hill that overlooks our territory. "That would be a perfect place for it." "He told me to tell you that he forgives you. I assume he will be calling soon." Colt gave me a half smile as I immediately stopped waWe were in front of the office. "What?" Tears threatened to expose themselves but I pushed them down. "Well, isn't this nice." A voice I hoped I'd never hear pulled me away from Colt. The office door had opened and Darin stepped out. "Darin." Colt said, firmly. "I was hoping to run into you today." He was looking at me. Alec moved closer to me, blocking Darin from

advancing. "We were just leaving." I said. "What's the rush?" I "You need to get to class and I have a very busy schedule today. If you would excuse us." I said as I walked around Colt and into the office. No

one followed me in here so I was able to breath a little. "Ms. Kristen. How can I help you today?" The secretary smiled warmly at me. She was an older lady with grey hair and glasses that landed on the tip of her nose. "We are needing to do our exams remotely. I was just wanting to inform you all so they can get sent over to us via email and we will take them tomorrow." "That can be arranged. Who is all needing it?" She pulled out a piece of paper. "Alec, Emmy, Jasper and myself. I'm not sure what my brother is doing. I believe he is doing the same as is Penny and Jacob."

"Okay, I'll send them all. Anything else?" "I believe that is it. I've cleaned out our lockers and we will still walk as of right now. I've turned in ali my extra work so that is done." "Actually, they might want a teacher to come and watch everyone take the test." The secretary looked concerned as she glanced over at the principles door. "If that is the case, that is fine. Just let me know and I will organize a time that works for everyone." That really wasn't a big deal. "Thank you for understanding." She was clearly relieved. "Of course. Have a great day." I said as I walked out of the office and back to the three guys. "Are you done?" Alec asked without taking his eyes off Darin. "I am, can we leave now?" I asked. "Yes, let's go." Colt answered and took my arm a little more forcefully than needed. "I'll be in touch." Darin smiled at me before turning and walking down the hall as the guys flanked me Alec was pis sed and I could tell Colt was just has mad. They walked with a purpose that forced me to practically run to keep up. As we got to our cars, they started to relax. "Colt, we need to talk." I said giving him a look. "I know, I have a few things I need to do and then I can swing by?" He looked at Alec for confirmation. "We have a meeting at 3pm. Otherwise, we are flexible." Alec was trying to relax himself. "Okay, I'll call when I am ready. It might be later this afternoon or evening but I'll swing by to talk." Colt looked me in the eyes and made me a silent promise. "Okay." Colt k*ssed my forehead before shaking Alec's hand and walking to his car. Alec held the door open for me and we got in. Right as Alec pulled out, I saw Darin, looking at me through a window. It gave me the chills but thankfully Alec quickly got out of there. Needing ng some comfort, I put my hand on Alec's thigh. The physical contact was enough to help me calm, my nerves. To my surprise, Alec let go of the steering wheel and wrapped his hand around mine. Moving our hands over to my lap, he placed his hand between my thighs.

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"Are you okay?" I asked him. Wrapping my other hand around his arm, I felt like I was holding on for my life. "I should be asking you that." Alec muttered. "If dad does let Colt take over and he ditches An n, he may not survive." "I know." Alec said softly. "What happened while I was in the office?" "Nothing really. He poked the bear and Colt and I didn't react so he kept poking hoping it would cause a fight." Alec was still fuming. "Need me to make things better?" I asked leaning over to him. Alec glanced at me and tried not to smile. "We will be home before you will finish, plus, I doubt you want me to drive through the gates with your head in my lap." "Ew, no. Sitting back down, I looked out the window. "I rather not be outside of our territory any more than needed. However, when we get home, that is a

different story." Alec's finger played with the hem of my shorts. "Sorry, t that offer has expired." Smiling at him, he rolled his eyes. We pulled up to the gate and Alec stopped the car, rolling down the window,

he started talking to the guards. Mainly about the patrol and my mind went to Penny. I felt so bad for her. It wasn't her fault who she was born into. Still, I had a bad feeling that it wasn't her dad was that killed. No, he was still out there. However, I wondered if he even knew about her... or cared. The car started rolling again, bringing me out of my thoughts. "What are we doing today?" I asked. "I have something to show you and then I need to get some work done." "What is Jasper doing?" "I think he is helping Emmy do a few things around the pack." "Like what?" We were pulling up to the front doors.

"Basically doing her Beta Female duties." We got out of the car and headed inside. "Oh..." "Why?" I went to walk up the stairs but Alec pulled me down the hallway. "Just curious." +15 BONUS "Do you want to join them?" Alec opened a door. It was an unused conference center. However, it was more storage than anything now. "No, I want to work on some sketches today. I'll just sit with you and drawl while you work." "What do you think of this?" Alec asked. The storage room? A bit dusty..." "For our own office." That surprised me as I started looking around. "Oh good! You are back! What do you think? Will this room work?" Luna Erin scared the crap out of me as she snuck up behind us. "S hit!" Jumping. I moved to the side as she walked in. Laughing, she placed her hand on my forearm. I internally jerked as I wasn't one for personal contact but she seemed to not have noticed. Alec did, however. "I'm so sorry. I didn't mean to scare you." "It's okay. I think this will be a great space. "There is one more option I am spare." Luna Erin motioned us to follow her. "There is?" Alec asked. "Yeah, I started looking at all the rooms and we have a few rooms that almost never get used. We can renovate one of them to meet your needs." She walked up to the second floor. It was the first door right off the stairs. Opening it, it was a guest bedroom. "This is a bedroom?" I looked at her confused. I "I know but since it is right off the stairs, we don't use it often. I think the last time it was used was like three years ago. Anyway, it already has a bathroom in here. So you guys won't have to leave to use one There will be plenty of room for two desk and a small seating area off to the side. Maybe put a

small bar against the far wall? However, it has a balcony and we can knock the closet out to make the room bigger.