Rejecting My Lycan Mate: The Throne

CHAPTER TEN – Just A Few Hours Away

Dimitri's POV

Being next to Maddie was healing my body and my soul in ways I never thought possible. I felt more at peace as soon as she wrapped her arm around my waist and leaned her head on my chest.

I smiled at her and placed a soft kiss on her forehead. I missed her terribly.

I never could have imagined I would feel like this. I knew that mate bond was a powerful thing, but I never knew that I would struggle to be separated from her for more than an hour.

"She wanted out," Will responded to Ellie's question. "She said that she would change."

I could feel anger starting to pulsate inside me, but it didn't even get to develop because Maddie turned her head and placed a soft kiss on my chest. I ran my fingers through her hair and took a deep breath of her scent. I smiled and sighed contently.

"Oh, what a buttload of crap," Ellie said angrily. "She is obviously lying."

I looked at Ellie and smiled.

"Obviously," I said calmly.

Ellie furrowed her brows and looked me up and down.

"Why aren't you angry?" she asked. "Or annoyed? Or something other than happy?"

I ran my fingers through Maddie's hair and sighed.

"It's hard to be angry when I am with my mate," I said.

It was really hard. I wanted to be angry. Just thinking about my mother had me furious, but it was like something was stopping me from feeling anything other than pure bliss.

Ellie furrowed her brows and shook her head at me.

"Anyway," she sighed. "Why did you even agree to go see her? We all knew what she was going to say."

"I just can't get her reasoning for hurting Maddie out of my head," Will started explaining. "I am sure that there had to be another reason other than what she told us."

Maddie tensed up a little. I ran my hand down her back, trying to relax her.

"And you thought that she would tell you?" Ellie asked, snorting. "Let me guess, she didn't."

Will glanced at me and smirked.

"We didn't ask," Will said.

Ellie furrowed her brows and looked at Maddie.

"Do you have any idea what they are talking about?" Ellie asked. "I am completely lost."

Maddie shook her head and looked up at me.

"I knew she wouldn't tell if I asked," I said as I caressed Maddie's cheek. "I knew that she wouldn't tell even if I ordered her to. She didn't tell me the last time."

"So what did you do?" Maddie asked quietly.

"I told her what her punishment will be," I said as I looked at Ellie. "Will and I thought that she may need to be encouraged into talking."

Ellie smirked.

"How did she react?" Ellie asked.

"But what if she told you the whole truth?" Maddie asked before Will or I could answer Ellie's question. "She was under your order. She had to tell you everything."

I looked at her and sighed.

"There are ways to lie or not share everything even under Alpha order, Maddie," I said softly. "It's painful, but it can be done."

Maddie furrowed her brows.

"Wouldn't you know if she did that?" Maddie asked. "You would have noticed it, wouldn't you?"

I took a deep breath and released it slowly.

"I don't remember, princess," I said. "I was so angry and so focused on protecting you that everything about that day is a blur."

I furrowed and tried to remember my conversation with my mother. All I could remember was anger and an immense need to grab Maddie and take her away from there.

"Why don't you just order her to tell you now?" Maddie asked, fidgeting with her fingers. "Maybe there is no need to scare her with the punishment."

I sighed and cupped her cheeks.

"She deserves it, princess," I said quietly. "She hurt you. She hurt my greatest treasure."

I leaned in and placed a soft kiss on her lips.

"Please don't feel sorry for her," I added. "She hurt you. She wanted to separate us. She helped Savannah come up with the plan to lie to me about her pregnancy."

I caressed Maddie's cheek and took a deep breath.

"She isn't a good person, princess," I said. "She doesn't deserve your compassion."

"Dimitri is right, Mads," Will added, making Maddie look at him. "She doesn't deserve it. She deserves to pay for what she has done."

Maddie took a deep breath and looked at her lap.

"Besides, we are just a few hours away from having nine Alphas in our territory," I added. "I am not dealing with my mother right now."

Maddie looked at me and gave me a small nod. I smiled and pulled her to my chest.

"Thank you for being so kind, princess," I said as I wrapped my arms around her.

She hugged me back and I could feel her relax into my arms. My smile widened. Knowing that she felt relaxed around me was making me so fucking happy. I wanted to be her safe place, just as she was mine.

"Will Maddie be staying with me tonight?" Ellie asked, making me furrow my brows.

Why would...

Oh, shit.

I groaned and ran my fingers through my hair.

"Why?" Maddie asked as she looked at Ellie.

"You will need to, princess," I mumbled, trying to hide the annoyance in my voice. "I have to go to the border and greet the Alphas."

Maddie looked at me and furrowed her brows.

"It's tradition," I explained as I kissed her forehead. "King has to welcome his Alphas at the border, grant them the entrance to our pack, and lead them toward the throne room."

"There is usually a short meeting right after that," Will added. "Dimitri will probably stay out late."

I wanted to growl and whine. I didn't want to leave her. I completely forgot about having to greet them at the border.

"Can I come?" Maddie asked and I wanted to say yes.

"Only men are allowed to go," I said and let out a loud sigh.

"Oh," Maddie mumbled and my heart broke.

I wanted to take her with me. I didn't even want her to fall asleep without me next to her.

"We will keep it short," Will said, smiling at Maddie. "Dimitri will be back soon, I promise."

Maddie smiled back and I pulled her to my chest. I hated leaving her. I simply hated it.

I kissed the top of her head and buried my nose in her hair.

I didn't even leave her yet and I already couldn't wait to come back to her.

CHAPTER ELEVEN - Come Back To Me

Dimitri's POV

Letting go of Maddie was the hardest thing I ever had to do. I knew that I wasn't going to see her for the next few hours and I already missed her so fucking much.

I didn't want to go. I really didn't.

It would be the first night since her birthday that she would go to sleep without me. It would be the first night since her birthday that I couldn't wrap my arms around her and listen to her heartbeat as I fell asleep. I hated it so much. Falling asleep in her arms was the best part of my day. I wouldn't get to do that tonight and it was pissing me off.

"Come back to me," she said softly.

I tightened my arms around her and buried my nose into her hair.

"Always, princess," I said, taking a deep breath of her scent. "You are my home. I will always come back to you."

I wished that I didn't have to leave her.

"I miss you already," she said, tightening her arms around my waist.

I smiled a little and rubbed her back.

"Oh, I miss you too," I said. "I wish I could just stay here with you. I can't believe that you will fall asleep without my arms around you."

She looked up at me and shook her head.

"I doubt that will happen," she said. "I will stay up and wait for you. I can't sleep without you."

I smiled and caressed her cheek.

"Try, princess," I said softly. "We have a big day tomorrow."

"Okay, enough," Ellie sighed loudly. "You will be back in a few hours. You two sound like you won't be seeing each other for days."

I looked at Ellie and frowned.

"Goddess forbid," I said, shaking my head at her. "A few hours is all I can take."

Maddie chuckled and placed a soft kiss on my chest. I turned back to her, cupped her cheeks, and captured her lips with mine.

I had to stop myself from moaning. She tasted amazing and it just made me want to stay more.

"I love you," I whispered as I reluctantly stopped kissing her.

I had to do it because I would never leave.

"I love you too," she said, giving me a small smile.

"Come on, Dimitri," Will said impatiently. "We will be late."

I sighed and rolled my eyes. Maddie chuckled again.

"Go," she said. "I will wait for you."

My heart skipped a beat. I placed another soft kiss on her lips before I forced myself to let her go.

I can't wait to be back. I mind-linked her. I can't wait to hold you in my arms.

I can't wait for that either. She mind-linked me back and smiled.

"Go before Will's brows get stuck in that position," Maddie said, smirking a little.

Ellie snorted loudly. I looked at Will and saw him frowning. I smiled and shook my head.

"Not funny, Madeline," Will said as he opened the door. "We can't be late."

"We won't be late," I said as I started walking out of Ellie's room. "Relax a little, Will."

He rolled his eyes at me and looked at the girls.

"We will be back in a few hours," he said. "Stay in here."

I looked at Maddie one more time before Will pushed me out of the room. She smiled and my knees buckled.

"Goddess, you will be back in a few hours," Will muttered with a hint of annoyance in his voice. "What's going on with you?"

"You will understand when you find your mate," I said, frowning at him. "It's hard leaving her. I worry when she isn't with me."

Will looked at me and sighed. His frown disappeared and his eyes softened a little.

"She will be okay, Dimitri," he said. "Ellie won't let anything happen to her."

I knew that. I still wasn't comfortable leaving her alone. I still wanted to run back to her.

Will and I walked out of the packhouse and I looked around. Packhouse workers were making sure that everything was ready for our guests. Alphas' families and pack members will be the first ones to arrive at the packhouse. My warriors would greet them at the border and escort them to the packhouse. Will and I would remain at the border to

greet the Alphas and their Betas, leading them toward the throne room, and beginning the meeting with a short speech.

As soon as Will and I approached the forest edge I removed my shirt and my pants. I tied them to my leg with a string I always carried around. I let Skol take over and the first thing he did was whine and look toward Ellie's room.

'We can't go back, Skol,'I said.

'I know,'he said quietly.'I just miss her.'

'I know,'I said softly.'I miss her too.'

He turned around and started running toward the border. Lowell, Will's Lycan, was running right beside us.

'Will you let me be with Maddie when we come back home?'Skol asked.'It's been so long since I last held her. I need you to let me be with her for a little bit.'

'Of course,'I said.'You will get to see Skye soon as well.'

Skol sighed.'I am not so sure about that. Maddie is still ignoring her.'

'I'll talk to her, Skol,'I said.'I promise.'

I focused on the forest and Skol started running faster. The border was about an hour away, but both Skol and Lowell were fast runners and I knew that we would get there sooner.

Skol whined quietly and I resisted the urge to roll my eyes at him. He kept thinking about Maddie and it was distracting us both.

'Stop it, Skol,'I growled at him.'We need to stay focused. We will go back to her soon.'

'I know,'he mumbled.'I just miss her a lot.'

I sighed but decided to ignore him. I needed to focus on this meeting. I needed to focus on the Alphas who were coming.

I would go back to my love soon. I would get to hold her soon.

Nothing would stop me from running back to her as soon as I could.

CHAPTER TWELVE – Nine Alphas

Dimitri's POV

I took a deep breath as I approached the border. All nine Alphas were already there.

"Welcome, Alphas," I said, giving them a small smile. "I am honored and grateful to be standing here before you. Thank you for coming. I am looking forward to spending some quality time with all of you."

All of them got down to one knee.

"Thank you, my King," they said at the same time.

I was silent for a moment.

"Stand up and step over to my territory, please," I said and watched as all of them followed my command.

The first one to approach me was the oldest Alpha in the group. He was the Alpha of the Blue Moon Pack.

Alpha Alistair was a charismatic leader. He was known for his strategic thinking and determination. His Beta, Benjamin, was intelligent and highly resourceful. If I ever needed a war strategist I would go to both Alistair and Benjamin.

"My King," Alistair said, bowing his head a little.

"Welcome, Alistair," I said politely, pointing at his assigned spot behind me.

He smiled and walked into my territory.

The next one to approach was the Alpha of Maddie's old pack, Red Moon.

"My King," Alpha Jack said, bowing his head. "I am happy to be here."

"It is nice to have you, Alpha Jack," I said, giving him a small smile.

"I am looking forward to seeing Madeline," he said, smiling back at me. "Is she still here? Is she okay?"

My heart skipped a beat when he mentioned her name.

"She is here," I said, nodding. "I am sure that she will be happy to see you."

Alpha Jack smiled brightly and he and his Beta Samuel walked away.

"My King," Alpha Xavier said as he and his Beta Maximus approached me. "Thank you for having us.

Alpha Xavier, Alpha of the Midnight Pack, was a brooding, enigmatic Alpha with a mysterious aura. I could never figure him out, no matter how hard I tried. Beta Maximus was a brilliant tactician and the perfect addition to Alpha Xavier.

"Thank you for coming, Xavier," I said, giving him a small smile.

I watched as he and Maximus walked away before I looked back at the next Alpha in line. Alpha Theodore approached me with a small smile on his face. He was the Alpha of the Dark Moon Pack.

"Alpha Theodore," I said as he and his Beta James approached. "It is nice to see you."

Alpha Theodore was a fierce and fearless Alpha with a fiery personality. He was known for his exceptional combat skills and determination. His Beta James was his Alpha's shadow.

"Thank you for having us, my King," Alpha Theodore said politely.

I smiled and looked behind his shoulder at the Alpha of the Silver Moon Pack.

"Alpha Lincoln," I said politely.

"My King," he smiled, bowing his head.

Alpha Lincoln was a refined and elegant Alpha. He used his humor and charm to mask his strategic brilliance. People thought he was naive, but in reality, he was brilliant. His Beta Aron was fiercely protective of him.

"It is lovely to have you," I said, smiling.

"It's lovely to be here," he responded as he and his Beta walked away.

"You haven't changed one bit, my King!" Alpha Ezekiel of the Crescent Moon Pack said.

I smiled and shook my head at him.

"I am still as young as I was a year ago," I said, chuckling a little.

I visited his pack about a year ago and I could see how determined and unwavering Alpha Ezekiel was. His Beta Gregory was the same and they were complimenting each other perfectly.

"It is nice to see you again, my King," Ezekiel said.

"It is nice to see you too, Alpha Ezekiel," I said, smiling at him.

My cheek started hurting from all the smiling I did. I had to keep the smile on my face just for a little while longer.

"My King," Alpha Lucius of the Shadow Moon Pack said as he approached me.

He was a very kind and very charismatic Alpha. His people loved him and so did his Beta, Blake. He never left his side and he was very loyal to his Alpha.

"Alpha Lucius," I said politely. "Thank you for coming."

"Thank you for having us, my King," he said as he and his Beta walked away from me.

Alpha Marcus and his Beta Killian of the Rising Moon Pack were next in line.

"My King," Alpha Marcus said, bowing at me. "Thank you for organizing this meeting. I think it will be very helpful and instrumental for our fight with rogues."

Alpha Marcus' pack suffered the most damage done by rogues.

"I hope so, Alpha Marcus," I said, giving him a small nod.

He smiled and walked away, his Beta following right behind him.

The last and the youngest of all the Alphas was Alpha Rhys, Alpha of the Blood Moon Pack. He recently took over his pack and he was doing a very good job already. His Beta Aiden was a little bit older than Rhys and I believed that he offered amazing support and guidance to his young Alpha.

"Alpha Rhys," I said, smiling at him. "Welcome, and congratulations on taking over your father's pack."

"Thank you, my King," Alpha Rhys said, bowing his head. "My father sends his greetings."

"Thank you, Alpha Rhys," I said. "Your father is an amazing man. Is he doing okay?"

"Oh, he is doing amazing now that he is retired," Alpha Rhys said, making me laugh.

"I am happy to hear that," I said, smiling at Rhys.

Rhys bowed again before he walked to his assigned spot.

I turned around and looked at all the Alphas and the Betas. I smiled and glanced at Will. He was right next to me and he hadn't moved an inch since we came here.

"Thank you all for coming," I said. "I am hopeful that this meeting will help us fight rogues and make sure that our territories and our people are safe."

I took a small break and smiled again.

"My Beta Will and I will now lead you to the throne room so we can officially start this Alphas Meeting," I said, making all the Alphas nod.

I took a deep breath and released it slowly.

Here we go.

CHAPTER THIRTEEN – She Is Asleep

Dimitri's POV

I couldn't wait for the meeting to end.

It'd been five hours since I last saw Maddie and I was losing my shit. She was so close, but so far away. The Alphas kept asking questions, wanting to talk about everything at once.

Not only was it impossible to cover everything in one meeting, but I also didn't fucking want to. I wanted to go back to my mate. I glanced at my watch and I had to hold back a groan. It was 3:20 a.m. Maddie was probably asleep already.

"We need to strike back," someone said. "We can't let them continue attacking us."

I couldn't focus enough to know who said it. I didn't really care anymore.

I kept thinking about Maddie. Her soft skin against mine. Her soft, wet lips. Her amazing scent. Her sweet moans. The way she would press herself against me as soon as I lay next to her. The way her skin tasted. The way her...

"My King," someone called me, interrupting my thoughts.

I looked up and saw all the Alphas staring at me with questioning looks on their faces.

I cleared my throat and fixed my tie.

"I am sorry," I said, giving them a small smile. "What was the question?"

"We asked if we should continue this tomorrow," Alpha Alistair said and I almost jumped out of my chair. "Some of us are a bit tired after the journey here."

I had to bite my cheeks to stop myself from grinning. I would be with my princess in just a few short moments.

"Of course, Alpha Alistair," I said. "We will continue this tomorrow."

"I heard you found our Queen," Alpha Rhys said, making me look at him.

I wanted to growl at him. Everyone was just about to stand up and leave, but now they were all staring at me and smiling.

Fuck, Rhys.

I forced a small smile on my face.

"I did," I said, feeling my nervousness growing. "You will get a chance to meet her tomorrow at the opening ceremony."

The Alphas nodded and smiled.

"I heard she is a true beauty, my King," Alpha Lucius said.

Jealousy exploded inside me. I almost growled at him.

Dimitri.Will mind-linked me with a hint of warning in his tone.

I tightened my jaw and smiled wider, trying to hide the anger.

"She is," I said. "She isn't only beautiful. She is also very kind. She will be an amazing Queen."

Alpha Lucius nodded.

"I am looking forward to meeting her," he said, making me clench my fists.

We are keeping her away from him tomorrow. I mind-linked Will.

He sighed quietly.

"I am very happy for you, my King," Alpha Marcus said. "What is her name?"

I forced a little bit of air into my lungs. I kind of wished that I could keep her away from all of them. I wished they didn't know anything about her. I wished that she could be my little secret. She would be safest that way. No one could hurt her or take her away from me if no one knew she existed.

But it was impossible. She was a Queen. People would find out everything about her.

"Madeline," I said, trying to mask my displeasure with a small smile.

"Madeline?" Jack asked, surprised. "My Maddie?"

I flinched a little. She wasn't his Maddie. She was mine. Only mine.

'Mine,'Skol growled quietly.

"Your Maddie?" Alpha Theodore asked, furrowing his brows at Alpha Jack.

"She was a member of my pack," Alpha Jack explained. "She came here about nine months ago to live with her father."

Alpha Jack smiled.

"Is it her?" he asked. "Is it the same Madeline?"

I nodded and smiled. I still couldn't talk. I was still pissed about him calling her his Maddie.

'Mine,'Skol growled again.

"Oh, what a joy!" Alpha Jack exclaimed. "I can't wait to see her tomorrow."

Oh, I couldn't fucking wait to see her tonight. I needed the meeting to end. Right the fuck now.

I forced a smile on my face and I stood up.

"Well, I will see you all in the morning," I said. "My Beta will show you to your rooms."

Will stood up and pointed at the door.

"Please follow me," he said and everyone started standing up.

I was going insane watching them. They were so fucking slow. I wanted them to hurry up and leave so I could run to Maddie.

My entire body was trembling by the time the last Alpha left the room. I breathed out in relief as I rushed through the other door and started running upstairs.

Ellie.I mind-linked her.I am coming back.

Okay. She responded immediately. Maddie fell asleep. You can let her sleep in my room for the night.

Fuck no. as if I would be able to sleep without her. As if I would be able to spend another minute without her.

No.I said sternly.I am coming to get her.

Okay. Ellie responded. Should I wake her up?

No.I said.Let her sleep.

I was only a few steps away from Ellie's room. My hands were shaking and I could swear that I was sweating profusely. I needed Maddie so fucking much.

I opened the door and I almost sobbed in relief.

There she was.

"Princess," I mumbled as I practically threw myself toward her. "Oh, my love."

I finally reached her. I finally cupped her cheeks and pressed my lips against hers. My body relaxed immediately. It was like my entire body was in a knot ever since I left her.

Maddie sighed quietly and opened her eyes a little.

"Shh, princess," I whispered. "Go back to sleep."

She smiled a little and I almost melted into a puddle. I picked her up into my arms and she pressed herself close to me.

"I missed you," she mumbled sleepily.

"I missed you too," I said as I pressed a kiss on her forehead. "Sleep, my love."

I looked at Ellie for the first time since I entered the room. She was smiling and shaking her head at me.

"It's been five hours," she said quietly.

I just rolled my eyes at her. I didn't have time to argue. I wanted to take Maddie back to our room and just feel her next to me.

"Good night, Ellie," I said as I started walking out of her room.

"Good night," she said, chuckling a little.

Maddie wrapped her arms around my neck and took a deep breath. I could feel her body relax and I smiled. I started kissing every part of her I could reach.

"I love you," I told her as we finally entered our room.

CHAPTER FOURTEEN – Marking You

Madeline's POV

I woke up when I felt Dimitri's lips on my neck.

I moaned quietly. It was the most amazing feeling in the world. His lips on my neck, his arms wrapped tightly around me, his scent surrounding me like a warm blanket. Everything was just perfect and I never wanted it to end.

"Good morning, princess," he said, his voice deep and filled with lust.

I felt the familiar tingling between my legs and my heart started racing.

I opened my eyes and turned my head toward him. I didn't even get a chance to say anything before he captured my lips with his.

I turned to my side and wrapped my leg around his waist. We were both naked.

"Did you take my clothes off?" I asked, chuckling a little.

"Of course I did," he said as he started placing soft kisses on my neck and my jaw. "I spent five hours without you. I couldn't fucking wait to feel every part of your body against mine."

I ran my fingers through his hair and moaned quietly when he kissed his mark on my neck.

"I am sorry I fell asleep," I said, pressing myself closer to him. "I tried to stay awake, but I was so tired because I was trying so hard to keep Ellie's thoughts away. I didn't want to..."

Dimitri interrupted me when he pressed his hard dick against my pussy.

"Later, Madeline," he said sternly, making my entire body shiver.

I obeyed. Of course I did. I would do absolutely anything he told me to do.

His hand traveled down my body until his fingers flicked my clit gently. I cried out in pleasure.

"I am going to fuck you, my Queen," Dimitri said as he lowered his head and sucked on my nipple gently. "You are not getting out of this bed until you cum on my cock." I gulped and moved my hips a little, rubbing myself against him. He grunted and grabbed my waist.

"Not like that," he said, looking up at me. "Like this."

He kept his eyes on mine as he slowly pushed his dick inside me.

I cried out in pleasure as I tried to move my hips. I needed him deeper inside me. He tightened his hold on my waist and stopped me.

"No," he said sternly. "We will do this at my pace. You will cum when I tell you to cum."

My breathing picked up.

I will cum immediately if you keep talking like that. I mind-linked him.

I wasn't able to speak. I was completely out of breath and all I could do was moan and grunt.

Dimitri laughed, shaking his head at me.

"Does my Queen like it when I order her around?" he asked as he started pushing in and out of me slowly.

I dug my nails into his upper arm and moaned.

"Does she?" he asked when I didn't respond.

He picked up his pace and started pushing in deeper. I was a moaning mess.

"Yes," I somehow managed to say.

Dimitri leaned in and kissed me. He started sucking on my lower lip and I cried out in pleasure again. His movements quickened and I could feel the orgasm building in my lower belly. I tried to move my hips again, but he was still holding my waist in a tight grip.

"Someone is a little impatient," Dimitri said as he lowered his lips to my neck.

He started sucking on my mark and I gasped. A tiny explosion in my clit made me cry out again.

"There we go my Queen," he said, his voice deep. "Cum on your King's cock."

It was an order he didn't have to repeat twice. I fell apart around him, moaning and trembling slightly. His hold on me tightened as he kept pushing in and out of me, prolonging my orgasm until I had to tighten my hold on him and make him stop.

"Fuck yes," he mumbled as he pushed deep inside me one last time.

I was a moaning mess. My entire body was trembling and I couldn't focus on anything else other than him.

"You clenched around me so beautifully," he said as he kissed me softly. "I felt it all, princess, and it was amazing."

I tangled my fingers into his hair and kissed him back. I felt him smile a little before he pulled out of me and flipped me onto my stomach.

I didn't even have time to gasp before he was inside me again.

"It's my turn now," he said as he grabbed my hips and pulled them up.

My moans were muffled by the pillow.

"Oh, fuck," Dimitri groaned. "You feel so fucking good like this."

He grabbed a fistful of my hair and pulled my head back.

"Do you like it when I fuck you like this?" he asked as he started trusting inside me fast and deep.

I could barely speak.

"Yes, Alpha," I said between my moans.

"Fuck," Dimitri growled loudly.

His movements became erratic. He started panting loudly. His hold on me tightened and I cried out in pleasure. My entire body was trembling. I was in a sweet mixture of pleasure and pain and I wished it would never stop. I wished he would grab me tighter. I wished he would pull my hair harder. I wished he would slam his dick even deeper inside me.

He groaned loudly and pulled his dick out of me. I felt his hot seed on my back and my butt a second later. I turned my head a little so I could look at him. The sight almost made me cum again. He was panting hard. His chest and his abs were glistening with sweat. His brows were furrowed and he was grunting quietly as he was stroking his dick. He was perfect.

"Fuck yes," he mumbled as a few last drops of his seed fell on my butt.

He took a deep breath and gulped. I watched as he bit his lower lip and smiled a little. I felt his soft fingers rubbing his seed into my skin.

"What are you doing?" I asked, making him look at me.

"Marking you," he said as he lowered his hand and rubbed his seed all over my pussy. "If I have to spend an entire fucking day watching those fuckers drool after what's mine, I am going to do it knowing that my cum is all over this perfect little pussy that belongs to me and me only."

I had to hold back a chuckle.

"Yes, Alpha," I said, making him growl and spank my butt hard.

I couldn't stop myself from chuckling that time.

CHAPTER FIFTEEN - Did You Do It?

Dimitri's POV

"You look so beautiful, Luna," I heard Jessica say as I approached our room.

I was in my office discussing some last-minute things with Will while Jessica helped Maddie with her hair and makeup.

"Thank you, Jessica," I heard Maddie say softly.

I opened the door and I had to hold back a gasp.

She wasn't beautiful. She was so much more than that.

She was wearing only a little bit of makeup and her hair was styled into a low bun. Her dress was long and it covered everything I wanted it to cover. The dress was tight around her breasts and her waist and the rest of it fell freely down her body. It emphasized everything perfectly, but, at the same time, it was modest. She looked amazing.

I just wanted to bend her over anything and fuck her until I passed out from exhaustion.

"Alpha," Jessica said politely.

I tried so fucking hard to look at her and say hi, but my eyes were glued to my mate.

Maddie raised an eyebrow at me and smirked a little.

"Do you like it?" she asked as she turned around and gave me a perfect look at the entire dress.

I wanted Jessica out of the room.

"I do," I somehow managed to say. "Are you ready?"

My voice was trembling. I needed just a few minutes alone with her. I couldn't let her leave the room without touching her and kissing her first.

"I am," she said, smiling at me.

I forced myself to look at Jessica. I smiled, trying to hide how impatient I was.

"Thank you, Jessica," I said as I stepped away from the door. "Can you give us a moment, please?"

Jessica smiled and nodded.

"Of course, Alpha," she said and looked at Maddie. "It was a pleasure, Luna. You look amazing."

Maddie smiled at her.

"Thank you, Jessica," Maddie said softly. "You made it all happen."

I disagreed completely. Maddie was simply beautiful. She could have been wearing a potato sack and she would still look amazing.

Jessica bowed to both of us before she walked out of the room. I was wrapping my arms around Maddie's waist even before Jessica closed the bedroom door.

"Fuck, princess," I mumbled as I buried my nose into her neck. "You look beautiful."

She chuckled and wrapped her arms around my neck.

"Thank you," she said. "You look stunning too. This suit fits you perfectly."

She ran her hands up and down my back, making me sigh contently.

I lifted my head and looked at her.

"Are you wearing your underwear?" I asked, raising an eyebrow at her.

She shook her head and smiled.

"You told me not to," she said quietly.

I smirked. I did tell her not to. It would just be in the way of me slamming my dick inside her after the ceremony was over.

"Good," I said as I leaned in and pressed my lips against hers. "I can't wait to rip this dress off you tonight."

She frowned a little.

"I like this dress," she muttered. "You don't have to rip it off."

Oh, I did have to rip it off. I was looking forward to seeing her breasts fall out of it.

"I will buy you a new one," I mumbled as I started kissing her neck. "I will buy you a hundred new ones and rip each and every one of this perfect body of yours."

Maddie moaned when I placed a soft kiss on my mark on her neck.

Fuck.

I needed to stop myself. We unfortunately didn't have time for sex.

I took a deep breath as I raised my head and looked at her. She was blushing a little bit and her eyes were filled with lust. She was beautiful.

"I love you," I told her softly as I placed a kiss on her lips.

"I love you too," she said and caressed my cheek.

I remembered something she sold me this morning before we had sex.

"You said that you tried to block Ellie's thoughts last night," I said as I stopped kissing her. "Did you do it? Did you manage to stop them?"

Maddie sighed and gave me a small nod.

"I did," she said. "It was hard, though. I was exhausted afterwards. That's why I fell asleep."

My eyes widened a little.

"How did you do it?" I asked and she shook her head.

"I don't know," she said. "I tried to imagine that there was a wall around my brain. It didn't work at first, but I somehow managed to do it after a while."

I nodded and caressed her cheek.

"I am proud of you, princess," I said softly. "We will talk to Oliver about it."

We wouldn't be able to do it today, but I would call Oliver first thing tomorrow morning. We needed to find a way to make it easier for my princess.

Maddie kissed me softly and I smiled.

"Stay by my side the whole time, okay?" I told her as I moved my lips to her jaw.

"Of course," she said. "There is no other place I would rather be."

My heart skipped a beat. I stopped kissing her jaw and looked at her. She was smiling and my entire body shivered.

"You are killing me," I mumbled as I placed a soft kiss on her lips. "I just want to stay here with you."

Maddie chuckled and ran her fingers through my hair.

"I know," she said. "But we have work to do. We will be back here tonight."

I deepened our kiss just as our bedroom door opened.

"We are late," I heard Will's voice.

I was so entranced by Maddie that I didn't even hear him coming.

I turned around and saw him frowning at us. He really needed to relax a little. His eyes fell on Maddie and he smiled a little.

"You look amazing Mads," Will said. "I didn't know Dimitri had such good taste."

Maddie chuckled and I rolled my eyes at him. I took Maddie's hand in mine and started leading her out of the bedroom.

"We are late," I said as we walked past Will.

I heard both Will and Maddie laughing quietly.

I tried to ignore them. I took a deep breath and released it slowly. I couldn't fucking wait for this ceremony to be over.