

Chapter Eighteen

Chapter 15

Amber's POV

I was a bit excited and also scared at the same time. I didn't know what the three Alphas have in mind for me. I just hoped that it wouldn't be negative because everyone was expecting it. At least for once something good should also happen to me.

I walked into the throne room with mixed feelings. Excitement and fear at the same time. Immediately I walked in, the rst thing I saw was my three mates staring at me. They were not even seated on their throne. The look I met on their faces got me scared out of my wit. I didn't want to think negatively.

"Greetings, Alphas" I bowed to greet them with my hands trembling uncontrollably.

My body was on re already. I don't know why I can't be strong for once. I would appreciate it if I am not easily anxious just for once.

They didn't say anything, the three just stared at me. I looked up at them and I didn't even know what to think. I thought the look I saw on them was of interest but then again it looked like that of irritation. I wasn't happy at all. But then just their looks on me was making my body react. I wondered if they were feeling the same.

"Amber," Alpha Zane called me.

"Yes Alpha," I replied timidly.

Just his voice sent chills to my body and I felt like I was scolded. Is this how all mates feel at the voice of their mates or is it just me that is too timid?

This question I had no one to answer. I noticed that Zane was battling with what to say, so I decided to help him.

"You want to reject me?" I asked him with a weak voice.

I was trying to be brave but then it seems none was working. My body was shaking with the way they gave me a pitiful look.

"It's not like you are not good enough Amber," Alec said in a calm consoling voice.

"Yes, you are beautiful but then....." Zane couldn't nish what he was saying, so Ramon helped him.

"You are not a choice for Luna," Ramon said.

Those words were the most painful words I've ever heard in my life. I know they didn't lie that I'm not t for a Luna but then it was so painful. My heart ached at their belittling words. Many have belittled me but none is as painful as when your mates do it.

I didn't say anything. I was too sad to know what to say and I was also trying to ght back my tears. I was already called weak, I don't want to display it.

"Amber, don't get us wrong, you know how tasking the post of a Luna can be. You can't t into the task and we don't want that to be a weakness of the pack," Ramon said calmly.

"I know," I managed to say with my head down.

My tears were not listening to me. They owed down like they were in such a hurry to disgrace me more.

Author's POV

The three men were not feeling good as they were looking. Anyone who saw them would think that they didn't not care about Amber at all but that was just a spitting lie. The three of them ached for their mate. It was as if they should grab her and do things to her. They were trying to control their wolves and it was hard.

If they could see what would make them compromise, they would have done so right now. If not for their father's words that the pack rst before pleasure, they might have settled for Amber.

"We hope you understand us and the reason we are doing this," Zane said.

He swallowed the bitter lump that came to his throat all of a sudden.

"Yes, we do not mean to hurt your feelings, Amber. Just bear with it and I'm sure you will nd a better man that would take care of you" Ramon said.

Amber didn't know what better man would take care of her than her mate. She had seen the way her friend's mate took care of her and she had hoped for such a thing.

Now all hope has been shattered because of her timidity. She wished she wasn't a weak wolf but then she couldn't help it. She had tried many times to be so strong but then she couldn't. This is the saddest thing in her life.

She didn't say anything and just nodded.

"Let's just get on with it and let it be done one and for all," Alec said.

He didn't know if he would be able to do it after now. He couldn't bear to watch the sadness on their mate's face. He didn't think that he would hurt his mate ever in his life. Not only him was feeling sad but the three of them. Yet they had to pretend like it didn't affect them.

"I, Ramon..."

"I, Zane..."

"I, Alec..."

They started to speak at once.

Amber was so terried because she had heard of how painful the pang of rejection is. She just wished that she didn't have to face it. It was better than the shame she was going to face after now.

"...Reject you Amber as our fated mate!" The three said with one voice.

Amber looked at them for the last time before she felt the intense pain that came afterwards. She rebounded and screamed out in pain. It was as if a hot sword was pierced into her heart and was too much for her to bear.

The men were so scared when they saw her scream so loud. They didn't think it would be that painful. Amber looked at them with eyes bloodshot with pain.

She whimpered, feeling the immense pain as she sat up. Then, she looked at the three gures in front of her. They all seemed worried but none of them wanted to retract his words or reach out to help her.

Amber felt her heart drop in her chest and she sighed helplessly.

"I, Amber accepts the rejection," she announced between gritted teeth.

She was trying to subdue the pain but it became more when she accepted the pain. She was an omega who was rejected by an Alpha; that was what made the pain even more intense for her.

Those that were outside the throne room heard the way Amber screamed and they rushed in. They saw the three Alphas standing there while Amber was already on the oor rolling in pain.

Alec stepped forward wanting to help her when he saw her fall to the ground but when he saw the pack members rushing inside, he stopped.

Lena was outside when the news of the Alphas rejecting Amber got to her. Her mate was also beside her and she rushed down to the throne room. She was so disappointed and sad at what she saw. She rushed there to see her friend all red with pain.

People were already making a mockery of Amber. They kept saying they knew that the Alphas were going to reject her. Their words also made the Alphas sad. They thought that if they had known, they wouldn't have rejected her at the pack house. They would have done it somewhere secretive.

Lena looked at the Alphas as if she should kill them the next moment. She looked at her friend.

"Amber," she called with concern.

"It hurts so much Lena," Amber cried out.

Tears were already rolling down Lena's eyes.

"It will pass Amber," she said with a shaky voice.

She then stood up and went to meet the Alphas.

"Isn't it too cruel of you to..."

She started to say but her mate drew her back and covered her mouth. He didn't want her to offend the Alphas. The consequences wouldn't be nice at all. Lena struggled but her mate shook his head at her and she calmed down.

She glared at the men for a while that others watching thought that she would ght the Alphas. They were already talking about her audacity.

The Alphas didn't say anything. Mostly, it was because they were worried about Amber and couldn't be bothered by Lena's audacity.

Amber then became silent all of a sudden and this caught Lena's attention. Everyone in the room thought something bad had happened to her.

Many of them wouldn't have been surprised because omegas were known to be very weak. The three Alphas were also scared. They didn't expect that Amber would die due to the pain of rejection.

They immediately rushed forward but could not offer any help because Lena and Nathan immediately squatted beside her.

"Amber! Amber!" Lena called in fear, shaking her hard.

Nathan quickly felt her pulse and realized that she seemed to have fainted.

"She just fainted" Nathan said.

Lena sighed in relief but she didn't fail to give the Alphas another hard glare. She promised in her heart that if anything goes wrong with Amber, she would damn any consequence and would deal with the alphas herself.

She made Nathan carry Amber's body away from the hall while the rest watched them leave. The three men looked at each other. Even though they had thought what they did was right, they were not happy about it.

Their expression were calm and didn't reveal their thoughts but right inside they were regretting what they did already. The scene of Amber struggling in pain was imprinted in their minds.