## **Chapter 64**

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"You can do a few checks on Valerie. Noneed to stay the whole night," Alpha Denzel said on the phone as Burke responded, "Yes, Alpha."

Alpha Denzel was sure to be back earlier than expected, as he couldn't bear being away from Valerie for so long. He removed his disguise and drove a long distance to where his chopper was parked. In the car, he sent a message through his fake number to Alpha Tristan. $\mathbf{w} \mathbb{W} \hat{\mathbf{N}} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbb{I} \mathbf{s} \mathbf{h} \oplus m \mathbf{e.c} \mathbf{o} \mathbf{m}$ 

'You don't get it, do you? I'm a secretadmirer of Luna Valerie. I'm hurting when she's hurting. Remove the ban on her name and get those pack members out of the dungeon. You have thirty minutes or all your pack members and other packs will have copies of the video. Let's see how you defend yourself if all Alphas gang up against

you after knowing what you've done to the late Alpha's daughter. Your time starts now.'

Alpha Denzel kept his disguise valuables in a special compartment in his car before getting down and covering it with tree branches. Shifting, he used his wolf form to get to the helicopter, picking up and wearing comfortable clothes he kept inside. Within a few minutes, he was on his way to Las Vegas, determined to find his mysterious enemy.

At the Yellowstone pack, Alpha Tristan had just returned from pack patrol, about to have a short rest before training when his phone beeped. Looking at a strange number once again, he panicked a little but after reading the content of the message, his heart throbbed.

It was as if his power was whisked away even as the Alpha he was. Somebody was controlling him because of Valerie. He had

thirty minutes so he could use ten minutes to figure out who was behind this.  $\mathcal{W}ww$ .  $\mathbb{N}(\circ)\mathcal{V}\mathbb{E}\ell\mathbb{S}$  Hôme.  $\mathbb{C}\mathfrak{D}$  (m)

"Scarlet, how many friends did Valeriehave?" Alpha Tristan woke the sleeping Scarlet and asked. She responded in a sleepy tone,

"How would I know? We were close but notso close." Scarlet had no care about Valerie's circle of friends, not knowing if she ever had any. All that mattered to Valerie was pack business, safety, and peace.

Even if she had friends, she must have lost them due to her tight schedule."You have to think or very soon, both of us will be executed." Alpha Tristan did not mince words this time. He wanted her to understand the urgency of the situation which seemed to work.

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Scarlet's eyes."What are you talking about?"She thought that withdrawing the report from the peace council was enough but this was even more serious.

Those pack members in the dungeon had not repented from their sins, still holding on to the hopes that Alpha Denzel might release Luna Valerie to return to her pack. That was one thing Scarlet did not want to happen, as she already lost the respect of the pack members.

"Somebody is using that video to blackmailme. Now he or she wants the pack members in the dungeon released or the video will go viral. He also wants me to remove the ban on Valerie's name," Tristan explained in detail, the color drained from Scarlet's face.

"Who is he?"

How are you? Long time no see."

"I don't know but he gave us thirty minutes.I will instruct the warriors to release them but we have to come up with a plan to save our asses from this blackmailer," Alpha Tristan said worriedly.

If this got out of hand, he won't be able to face the pack members ever again and might even be banished from the pack by the peace council.

"I think I have a plan," Scarlet said, stood upand whispered something in Alpha Tristan's ears. His eyes widened."What? Are you sure it will work?"

She eagerly nodded her head."I have some friends there who were great warriors. I will contact them."

Charlotte was afraid of what would happen if Alpha Denzel released Valerie. It was better for her to be eliminated from the

pack. She instantly began to make a few calls. Alpha Tristan equally mind-linked his warriors to get the pack members out of the dungeon.

The most difficult thing for him was how to allow them to comfortably mention Valerie's name as they please.

At the Evergreen pack, one of the warriors received a call at night. "Scarlet. Sorry, Luna Scarlet.

"It's been hectic here but how is my sister? Ihope Alpha Denzel is merciful to her? We are all regretting what we did," She spoke ironically." Alpha Tristan was surprised that she wasn't all childish like before.

At the end of the line, the warrior responded to Scarlet's dismay, "no one knows where Alpha Denzel kept Luna Valerie."

"Where else would she be except for thedungeon?" Scarlet asked over the phone, feeling like her friend was turning dumb or misunderstood. It was good that she had not straightforwardly told him to eliminate Valerie.

packhouse. They said he brought her briefly but took her away later. We don't even know if she's still in this pack."

"That is what we thought but she's notthere. The maids have also confirmed that she isn't at the

did Valerie escape from the Evergreen Pack? Scarlet thought about all the available options.

Scarlet's eyes were teary. If they couldn't find Valerie, then they wouldn't be able to eliminate her. Or,

her direction as phones

At the Litha Moon pack, training was ongoing when Adira's phone began to ring. All eves glared in

were not allowed during training. She fished out the phone from her pocket and was about to switch it off when she saw that familiar ID. Her face instantly drained of color.

training room without taking his permission to receive the call.

By the time she was done, Alpha Idris stood behind her with red eyes."Who were you talking to?

Knowing that Alpha Idris would not allow her to answer her call during training, she ran out of the

Were you a spy at the Evergreen pack?" Adira's heart was thumping hard. She had no idea how to explain the matter.