## **Chapter 175 Manuel**

Our warriors teams came running into the building from three different directions.

"What the fuck?!" Alpha Jace demands "And you weren't invading?! You sure of that former Alpha?!"

"No, these are merely our protection, bodyguards if you like, and considering you were about to illegally detain us, I would say we were within our rights, wouldn't you?" Alpha Jacob says, I'd like to say calmly but I am sure there are nerves to his voice now.

"No, I don't think so former Alpha, I would say you came here to cause trouble. So I suggest your fucking men stand down or there is going to be more than trouble" Alpha Jace says, his voice full of authority right now.

I glance to Jake, who is looking a little less confident than he had done earlier, I have to say. I normally would be fine in this situation, but the fact Lola is here and she is in potential danger is my main concern right now and I can't shift that thought from my mind. That is going to be the thing that affects my usual ability to fight. I know it is. If I know she isn't safe or I know I can't protect her, then I won't be focused. If I am not focused, I am putting myself and the others at risk.

Lola baby please, as soon as you get the chance, run for the borders and to the hotel. Link me to let me know you are ok. I can't focus on the fight knowing they could hurt you. I link her.

I can't just leave Manny. I need to be here for you and my family. She replies.

Carino please, for me. I will be able to focus better if I know you are safe. I will do my best to keep your family safe then too, and bring them to you. And also then I want you to call Lilah and ask her to contact an officer from the council to come immediately so they can see what is happening over you marking me, so they can see your Alpha in action being unreasonable. I link again.

I see Lola chewing her lip anxiously the way I have learnt she does when she is nervous, then she pauses for a second before looking at me briefly and nodding a small, slow nod.

Good, hopefully we could keep these idiots fighting long enough for someone from the council to get here, as I imagine they had some of their officers nearby to observe after our report we made anyway.

And knowing Lola should be safe, that was my main concern. I could focus and be the warrior I needed to be, the warrior my pack needed me to be. I had to do this for her, and for her family and the rest of the pack. But also for Gabe and for Esme, for their chance at happiness too.

Jake, Alpha Jacob, I have asked Lola at first opportunity to run for the border and to the hotel. So I know she is safe. As I can't focus on fighting when I know she is at risk, they will be out to get their hands on her and punish her. I need to be able to focus on fighting at my best, so knowing she is safe is the best way to do that. Plus, then I told her to contact Lilah to ask her to contact the Council immediately, asking for an officer to come here as soon as they can to catch Alpha Jace in action so they can see exactly what he is like. Hopefully help in their reports against him. I link both my Beta and my former Alpha.

I see them both glance to me and nod.

We need to push this dick to shift then. Jake says through the link.

I think so. I agree, though I think he has every intention of that anyway, to be honest.

I see Alpha Jacob looking at alpha Jace again. "So are you going to do the decent thing then, Alpha and let us go like we agreed?" he demands, his voice now sounded more like his wolf, I think, a lower and deeper tone to normal. Was he letting his wolf, Miko take control? This could be fun....

Wolves in charge Alpha? I link to check.

Miko is honoured you still recognised him, Manny. He looks forward to fighting alongside Rey again. Alpha Jacob links me. He is still in human form, but if Miko is in charge of him, I highly doubt it is going to take much for him to shift.

I look across to my Uncle and my Dad and see they are fidgety. That makes me wonder if they too have their wolves in charge.

Dad, Uncle, you got wolves at the ready, I assume like Alpha? We need to be ready to fight. Hold them back as much as we can. I link them both.

Yeah son, Nero sat waiting patiently. Well, not so patiently is the truth. We should shift and run, leave the warriors to fight like planned. Dad responds though link.

Does he really expect me to run? I cant leave the warrior teams.... I know that is what they had initially planned, so we were in safety and then they withdraw, but I am a warrior. I can't leave them behind to fight for us to be free and they get hurt.

## I am a warrior Dad. I reply.

Alpha Jace is muttering still to his Beta and his warriors. We are standing around like we are waiting to fucking die right now.

Shouldn't we just shift and go now while they have their backs to us? I link to the whole group.

They all look to me, then to Alpha and he nods in agreement.

Here it comes.....