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Chapter 221: Theodore Threatens Olivia

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Olivia looked at Theodore in shock.

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Theodore gripped her hand, pulling the phone directly from her grasp and turning it off.

His large hand lingered on her shoulder, watching her gaze gradually turn cold. His eyes were filled with pain and bitterness.

But what else could he do?

She wouldn't even listen to Lyra's memory anymore, gradually making her mark in the computer industry. This time it was a government tender – what would it be next time?

His people could discover her true identity as Cipher, so could others.

He couldn't let her life be threatened.

It didn't matter if she hated him, as long as she returned to his side.

His hand gently fell on her shoulder, his unfathomable dark eyes surging with uncontrollable tenderness.

"I never signed the mate bond severance papers from three years ago."

"The video I released publicly – the signature was fake."

Her long lashes trembled slightly,

but she said nothing.

Theodore continued, "Two years of separation... also requires my consent as your Alpha..."

"I don't consent."

"You're still Theodore Redgrave's mate. Your marking with Matthew Kane is invalid."

Theodore pulled her into his embrace. The feeling of having her back filled his heart, soothing his wounded soul.

His large hand cradled the back of her head, pressing her small face against his chest. She was so compliant, just like before. “Let’s go pick up Leo from school. Our family of three will be together forever, just like before.”

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“Livvy, I won’t make mistakes again. Give me one more chance.”

Her gaze was ice–cold, her whole body radiating coldness.

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Theodore took her hand, intertwining their fingers just like when they were first mated.

He ignored her cold gaze, his frozen heart gradually warming up a little.

Theodore led her away. Ethan took a photo of their retreating figures.

He sent it to Matthew Kane.

[Brother, what’s going on with Olivia?] Seraphina asked.

Matthew stared at the photo on his phone.

She had left holding Theodore’s hand willingly.

Matthew exited the photo, his slender fingers hovering over her contact before trying to reach her through their mate bond.

A hollow silence immediately responded – their bond was blocked.

Matthew’s calm features were covered with a layer of frost.

Beta Tristan approached at that moment. “Alpha King, it’s our turn.”

Matthew is currently waiting in the council chamber, preparing to report to the parliament

about the disturbance that occurred on the territorial border last night.

Even though it was handled properly, it still caused quite a stir.

Now everything in the Eastern Territory was under his control – with power came responsibility.

The more authority he held, the more responsibility he had to bear.

Being held accountable was only natural.

He stood up, his tall, upright figure radiating coldness, his gaze infinitely indifferent.

Beta Tristan was startled, clearly sensing his anger.

He wondered what had gone wrong with the King's operations again.

"Alpha King, everything at the estate has been arranged." Beta Tristan knew what might lift his spirits. "Luna Olivia will definitely be very happy tonight."

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But Matthew's gaze darkened even more as he glanced at Beta Tristan.

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Beta Tristan stepped back in fear as Matthew took the documents from his hands.

He watched as the council staff led him into the conference hall.

Beta Tristan quickly instructed Tasha, "Go find out where Luna Olivia is."

Tasha frowned and left.

In the upscale restaurant near the Pup Academy, only a family of three sat in the center of

the main hall.

Leo heard Theodore say, "Your mother will never leave you again."

He was so happy, holding her hand. She didn't push him away either. "Mom, is it true?"

She didn't answer, just held Leo's hand.

“Mom, my grades are really good. I skipped to third grade, and the teacher tested my abilities

I’m already showing signs of an Alpha intellect! The pack educators say I have the potential of the great Alpha leaders.” Leo eagerly shared his achievements with her.

“Mom, look, I won first place in the pack’s young warrior competition.” He pulled a medal from his backpack and handed it to her.

Her gaze moved from the medal to Leo’s small face. “Leo, you’re amazing.”

She had investigated Lyra Blackwood – a strategic genius who emerged out of nowhere over thirty years ago.

She had inherited her mother’s intelligence and talent, and Leo... it seemed he had inherited hers too.

Her strategic mind was exceptional, while Leo’s was even sharper.

He was her blood, her flesh- this was a fact that could never be changed.

No matter who his father was.

Tears instantly fell from Leo’s eyes.

She gently wiped away his tears.

Leo threw himself into her arms, crying loudly. “Mom, I know I was wrong.”

He didn’t know what his father had done to make his mother change her mind, but she didn’t

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look happy at all.

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This made him very uneasy, afraid that his mother would leave him at any moment.

He held her tightly, his voice choked with sobs. “Mom, I won’t make you sad anymore.”

She gently hugged Leo, whispering in his ear.

Theodore sat nearby, watching them as if time had flowed back to the past.

Their family of three, happy together.

After dinner, they walked Leo to school together.

Leo reluctantly said goodbye to her. The moment he entered the campus, tears streamed

down his face.

His mother had whispered in his ear: [Leo, past or future, no matter what happens, you will always be my son.]

What was going to happen?

He was filled with worry.

In the car, Theodore wouldn't allow anyone to disturb them. He drove personally, taking her

with him.

"I'll wrap up everything in the Eastern Territory as soon as possible. We'll take Leo back to

Stonehaven City." Theodore spoke happily, one hand on the steering wheel, the other holding

her hand.

She gazed out the window. The Council Hall grew more distant in her view, and Matthew's calm, handsome face that had appeared in her mind gradually faded from her sight.

They arrived at the Estate.

She pushed open the car door. Theodore had already walked around the front of the car and

stood before her.

He bent down and lifted her into his arms. Seeing that she didn't refuse, his heart raced with

excitement

He carried her into the manor.

Eleonora, Isadora, and Jack looked at them in shock.

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Eleonora pinched Isadora, making her yelp, before joyfully approaching them. "Olivia, you're

back."

She didn't speak. Her distant gaze swept over Eleonora and Isadora's faces before settling on Jack's face. Her eyes almost instantly moved from his face to his hands – all ten fingers had calluses from weapon handling.

Jack was very excited to see her and stepped forward to shake her hand, but was stopped by

Theodore's stern look.

"Mother, Olivia is tired."

"I'll take her to the room to rest."

"Good." Eleonora didn't mind her coldness and replied happily, "Mother will have Martha make more dishes that Olivia likes."

Isadora watched her brother and sister-in-law's retreating figures with worry.

She was carried by Theodore to the master bedroom and placed on the sofa. Everything she could see was identical to her former room in the Redgrave Manor.

Her hand was then grasped by Theodore.

She came back to her senses to see Theodore kneeling on one knee before her, holding a ring box containing two mating rings – their oriTashal mating rings.

Many memories flooded her mind.

Like how the lost mating ring had appeared around Clara's neck.

Like how she had placed the mating ring at Rose's memorial.

"Livvy, thank you for giving me another chance." Theodore's eyes held the same deep affection as always.

She watched as Theodore slipped the mating ring onto her right ring finger, where there was still medical tape. The ring fit perfectly over the tape.

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"Livvy, you've gotten so thin." Theodore embraced her.

His kiss fell on her face, moving toward her lips.

She pressed against Theodore's chest. "I'm tired."

The next moment, she was lifted by Theodore and placed on the bed.

Theodore tucked the blanket around her.

He sat by the bedside, gazing deeply at her small face as she closed her eyes to rest. His

large hand fell on her forehead, smoothing her messy hair.

He bent down and held her, burying his face in her neck, breathing in her sweet scent.

He held her – warm, soft, real her.

She felt the burning heat and moisture on her shoulder, her long lashes trembling violently.

She heard his murmur: "Luna, I missed you so much."

She didn't know how long he held her. When she heard footsteps and the sound of a door closing, she opened her tired eyes. The sky outside the window had already darkened.

Her mental energy began spreading from the master bedroom, methodically searching through the hallway room by room, ultimately locking onto the study.

She stood up and walked towards the study. In the dim light, the surveillance screens on the wall flickered with fluorescent light – showing her office.

She saw the laptop computer.

Her hands fell on the keyboard, pressing rapidly. Soon the laptop was unlocked.

She saw hacking software designed for professionals.

At that moment, the study door was pushed open.

Theodore's voice came in: "You and your things need to disappear from the estate immediately. My Luna cannot see them..."

The study lights turned on.

She met Theodore's shocked amber eyes and the panicked Jack behind him.

Jack saw the laptop screen and her hand poised over the [enter] key. He panicked. "No, Cipher goddess, don't destroy my computer."

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"I'm not here to deal with you. I didn't intentionally track you. I was just commissioned by Alpha Theodore to help find his Luna, and stumbled upon you by accident."

"Alpha, you must stop her." Jack saw Theodore standing there speechless and cried out in

alarm.

Theodore looked at her in shock and panic. She radiated a murderous aura – a side of her he had never seen before.

"Monitoring me?" Her voice was full of mockery. "Then threatening me?"

"No, I'm not threatening you."

"You're in danger. Many people are hunting you. I just want to protect you."

"Luna, Lyra told you to return to my side and not touch computers. She must have meant the same thing."

"Then let them come!"

Her eyes shattered like ice, cutting through Theodore's heart like a blade. Her eyes blazed with fury, her whole body radiating a cold aura as her slender fingers pressed down.

Explosions echoed throughout the estate.

The laptop, the large screens on the wall, and all electronic devices connected to the same network exploded simultaneously, filling the air with thick smoke.

Screams continued.

Jack, terrified beyond measure, knelt on the ground, wailing at the sight of his laptop sparking with flames.

Her gaze was contemptuous. At this moment, she seemed like a goddess controlling everything.

"Protect me?" She walked up to Theodore, looking up at him with rebellious, ice-cold eyes. "Or

control me?"

"Theodore, no one can threaten me."

"No, I'm not threatening you. I love you too much. I'm afraid you're in danger. I want to protect you." Theodore grasped her hand.

At that moment fire trucks ambulances and pack emergency responders arrived outside

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almost simultaneously.

She listened to the sirens outside and looked coldly at Theodore. "I don't need your self-righteous love."

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"Livvy, you used to trust me so much. Trust me one more time, okay? If Jack can discover that you're Cipher, others will too. Stop touching computers, okay? The

European Territory is dangerous. Come back to Stonehaven City with me. Let me protect you.” Theodore refused to let go of her. “I won’t hurt you.”

“Before?” Her voice was ice—cold. “Before, I trusted you so much and listened to you because I loved you, Theodore.”

“That doesn’t mean your words were right or that what you did was for my good.”

“And now, I don’t love you anymore.” She pushed Theodore’s hands away from hers.

Theodore watched as her hands slipped away from his bit by bit. He wanted to hold on tight, but couldn’t grasp them no matter how hard he tried.

The thick smoke continued to invade his lungs and blur his vision.

Pack emergency responders entered the estate and escorted them out separately.

By the time Theodore came out, she was nowhere to be found in the crowded scene outside.

Jack clutched his computer, now a piece of scrap metal, crying in despair. “Alpha, the Cipher goddess destroyed everything” 30 Days To Freedom: Abandoned Luna Is Secret Shadow King Chapter 223

Chapter 223: What else did he do to you

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“Livvy, why can’t I reach you?” The phone crackled with Seraphina’s unhappy voice. “My brother and Aurora are both here, why aren’t you here yet? It’s my birthday, after all.”

Hearing this, I finally remembered that tonight was Seraphina’s birthday.

“I’ll be right there,” I said, hanging up and immediately heading for the Kane Estate.

I needed to see Matthew.

When I walked into the Sovereign's Garden, Victoria Kane stopped me. "Olivia, why are you so

disheveled?"

At Victoria's words, Matthew, who was the center of attention, immediately looked over at

1. me.

My white dress was dirty, as was my face. I met his gaze but, not wanting him to worry, looked away and told Victoria, "I just fell."

Concerned, Victoria pulled me toward the back to change.

As I was led away, I felt Matthew's gaze on me and sensed something was wrong.

I emerged in a stunning champagne-colored strapless gown, my eyes searching only for him.

However, his attention was elsewhere. I overheard him talking to Tristan about a fire in the

villa district.

Seraphina anxiously asked if it was Theodore's villa.

Just then, Theodore walked in with Audrey Vale on his arm.

Audrey's voice cut through the air, "It was Alpha Theodore's villa that caught fire. Luna should know, right? After all, she was at Alpha Theodore's villa just now."

The atmosphere instantly chilled.

Audrey continued her malicious attack, "With your ex-mate one moment and your current one the next. Luna is truly a master of time management."

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Seraphina furiously shut her down, defending me. "Audrey, watch your mouth!"

Before I could explain, Tristan approached Matthew with a document.

He gently removed my hand from his sleeve, his voice neutral. "We'll talk later?"

I could only nod.

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With no heart for the party and wanting to avoid Theodore, I followed Matthew to the study.

He sat at his desk, surrounded by his staff including Tristan, looking intensely busy and not

sparing me a single glance.

A feeling of distance settled over me; he seemed different.

I wandered out to the Sovereign's Garden, where a sudden "splash" and a scream from Evelyn

Croft drew me to the lake.

Seeing Seraphina on the ground, I didn't hesitate and jumped into the water.

I reached the struggling person, only to find it was Audrey.

As I tried to pull her to shore, Audrey suddenly turned and shoved me away.

Caught off guard, I choked on water and began to sink.

Evelyn, who had been watching from the bank, screamed in terror.

In an instant, a black shadow leaped into the water, rescuing me.

I discovered it was actually Theodore. The scene of him holding me, with Evelyn rushing to my side, seemed to replay our past moments, leaving me momentarily stunned.

A furious Audrey accused Seraphina of pushing her.

Seraphina admitted to slapping her for being shameless but insisted she fell on her own.

Matthew calmly instructed Tristan to take Audrey to the Royal Infirmary, promising the Kane family would provide a proper explanation.

After Audrey was led away, I struggled out of Theodore's arms and stood unsteadily.

Matthew's voice was flat and devoid of emotion. "Come here."

There was no concern, no tension.

At his coldness, my eyes instantly reddened as I realized he had been angry with me from the

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moment I arrived.

As I walked towards him, Theodore grabbed my wrist.

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The moment he touched me, Matthew turned and walked away without a backward glance.

I wrenched my hand free from Theodore and hurried after him.

Back in the master bedroom at the Kane Estate, Matthew sat at his desk, engrossed in a file,

completely ignoring me.

I was overwhelmed with guilt, knowing I had lied about where I had been.

(Matthew's POV)

She retreated into the bathroom.

My gaze lingered on her retreating figure, the wet dress clinging to her curves.

My mind replayed the image of Theodore holding her, of her willingly leaving with her ex-mate that morning, of her coming back disheveled and lying to my face.

I slammed a file onto the desk, though I stifled the sound.

While she was in the bathroom, I spoke with Tristan, who confirmed the fire at Theodore's villa was from an explosion, likely Olivia's doing.

I then instructed Tristan to tell Seraphina the truth about Theodore's suspected involvement in assassination case to cure her of her obsession.

When Olivia emerged from the bathroom, the bedroom was dark.

I was waiting on the sofa. She hesitated, then walked out, her white nightgown silhouetted by the bathroom light.

I rose, walked to her, and gently lifted her onto the bed, tucking her in.

Sitting beside her, I placed a hand on her forehead. "Why did you go to his house?" I asked

softly.

"He knows I'm Cipher," she confessed. "I had to find out how he knew."

"What else did he do to you?" I pressed.

"Nothing," she murmured.

My gaze fell to her hands, noting the moonstone ring from me on her left ring finger and the

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diamond mating ring from Theodore on her right.

The silence was heavy.

Annoyed by my cold demeanor, Olivia turned her back to me.

When I came out of the bathroom, she was already sound asleep.

I pulled the covers off her.

Olivia awoke with a start, "Alpha King...?" she began, but I cut her off, my large hand wrapping around her waist and pulling her into my embrace.

I stood by the bed, holding her, my voice a raw mixture of anger and desire. "Don't call me

you call me?" that. I'm your mate, not your King. What should

My frustration was palpable—she had gone to her ex-mate, returned wearing his ring, lied to me, and acted recklessly without a word.

I had been terrified she had run off with Theodore.

But as I saw her reddening eyes, my anger subsided, replaced by a deep sigh.

I bent down, kissing her, whispering helplessly against her lips, “What am I to do with you?” Suddenly, her lips softened against mine.

I looked up in surprise to see her kneeling on the bed, her arms wrapped around my neck.

She kissed me again, her voice soft and a little coquettish. “Matt?”

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Chapter 224: My Mate, All-Powerful

(Matthew’s POV)

I had lost control completely.

I held her small face in my hands, my kisses falling desperately on her lips, her face, her soft

skin. My large hands rested on her back, pulling her into my embrace, fitting her perfectly

against me.

I had never held her so tightly, as if trying to merge her into my very bones and blood.

With my reason stretched to its limit, I looked at her flushed face and asked in a breathless

voice, “You feel it, don’t you? Is it okay?”

I was a man on fire, ignited by her initiative and softness.

Touched by my gentle gaze, tears instantly welled up in Olivia’s eyes. She turned off the light

in the bathroom.

She straightened up, pressing her body close to mine, her lips nearing mine as she

whispered, “Mmm.”

My heart fluttered in chaos as I kissed her, passionately and tenderly, losing control completely.

As our intimacy deepened in the darkness, our senses were magnified, and the love buried

deep in our hearts had nowhere to hide.

I whispered words of love and concern against her skin. “Little wolf,” I breathed, “promise me

you won’t risk your life alone again.”

I was thinking of how she had jumped into the lake without hesitation. My hands found her ankle, gently massaging where she had injured it in that incident.

“You scared me tonight,” I murmured, my voice thick with emotion.

Overwhelmed by my tenderness, she shyly called out, “Matt...”

Those words filled me with immense joy and made my wolf Logan purr with satisfaction deep within me.

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Just as I was about to take things further, the bedroom door was suddenly pushed open.

In an instant, I wrapped her in the quilt, my cold, furious gaze fixed on the doorway. My Alpha

aura flared dangerously.

“Get out!” I roared.

It was Seraphina, sobbing and begging. “Brother... Brother... I want to stay with Livvy for a

while...”

She cried hysterically but obediently closed the door behind her.

The intimate atmosphere was shattered completely.

Olivia, coming to her senses, remembered it was Seraphina's birthday and she hadn't given

her a gift yet.

She also asked me about the surprise I had planned for her.

I simply asked, "What do you want?"

"A wish," she said softly, "you have to grant it for me when I think of it."

I asked if it was something I could do.

"Yes, you can do it," Olivia praised without hesitation. "My mate... is all-powerful..."

I pulled her into my arms, unwilling to let go. But Seraphina's continuous crying outside forced us to get dressed and leave the room.

(God's POV)

In the small hall of the pavilion, Olivia sat beside a weeping Seraphina, wiping away her tears.

Seraphina was devastated, unable to believe that Theodore would hire a hitman to kill someone.

"He wouldn't do that," she cried, her voice breaking.

Olivia calmly explained her analysis. "He might have wanted to kill your brother, or it might have been a self-directed ploy, a flesh-and-blood scheme to make me take him back. The latter is more likely."

She revealed that she had hacked into the pack enforcement system and examined the case

files.

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“The silver knife’s target location was far too precise and cleverly avoided the heart, instead being much closer to the stomach, which was no coincidence. They had planned it.”

Seraphina stared in shock, her heart aching for Theodore.

She saw the love marks on Olivia’s neck and realized how happy she was with Matthew, while Theodore was still struggling so desperately, even willing to use his own life to win her back.

When they returned to the party, Caelan Mooncrest intercepted her in front of Victoria Kane

and Barrett Kane.

“Lady Victoria, when are Matthew and Olivia’s mating ceremony going to be held? I need to prepare a dowry for Olivia.”

When Victoria looked confused, he declared, “Lady Victoria, Olivia is my aunt’s daughter, my cousin. Since my aunt is gone, it’s my duty as her cousin to prepare the dowry.”

Victoria and Barrett turned to Olivia in astonishment.

“Olivia, your mother’s name is...” Victoria began.

Olivia replied quietly, “Lyra Blackwood or Mooncrest.”

The name brought a flood of painful memories to both Victoria and Barrett.

“We know her,” Victoria said, taking Olivia’s hand. “The Kane and Mooncrest families were close. Your mother was a few years younger than us; we watched her grow up.”

Her voice grew heavy with sorrow. “She suddenly disappeared over thirty years ago... We thought she had died.”

Learning that the woman she knew as Lyra had gone to Stonehaven City and had a daughter, and recalling her tragic history of being betrayed by her mate, filled Victoria with renewed

anger.

She turned on Caelan, her voice sharp with fury. "After what you did to Olivia, what face do you have to claim her? Even if Olivia is Lyra's daughter, she will not be a Mooncrest!"

She ordered him to be thrown out immediately.

Barrett, mindful of an old debt his father owed to the Mooncrest pack, intervened. "Caelan, please leave quietly."

Ethan Moonstone watched all of this from the shadows, Audrey's words from earlier echoing

in his ears.

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When I arrived, Olivia had just left the villa.

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After Olivia left, the computer expert Theodore hired, that foreigner, was wailing over his

burnt computer, saying: Cipher or something, destroyed everything...

At that time, only Theodore, Isadora, Eleonora, that foreigner, and Olivia were in the villa...

Ethan's gold-rimmed glasses flashed with a dark light.

Found you! Cipher!

He never imagined that his sister and Cipher would be the same person!

Ethan walked towards Olivia, his hands clenched into fists, his eyes filled with deep malevolence.

But another dark shadow suddenly flashed in front of him, blocking his way.

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Chapter 225: Brother? Sister?

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In that instant, Theodore stood in front of Olivia, his gaze on Ethan as cold as frost. Ethan ignored him completely. He unleashed his fury on Caelan Mooncrest, his fist connecting with Caelan's jaw in a vicious blow.

"What did you do to my sister?" he roared, his voice echoing through the pavilion.

Caelan stumbled backward, blood trickling from his split lip. His eyes were wide with bewilderment.

"I don't understand-" Caelan stammered, raising his hands defensively.

Another punch landed on his ribs. Ethan's gold-rimmed glasses caught the light as he advanced.

"You claimed her as family! What right do you have?" Ethan's voice was raw with rage.

Caelan couldn't defend against the relentless assault. He could only stammer apologies until Ethan finally stopped.

After Caelan fled with Evelyn Croft, Ethan turned his attention to Barrett Kane and Victoria

Kane.

"How could you invite people who have hurt Olivia to this party?" he demanded.

His accusatory gaze landed on Theodore. "And her former mate? He's still a suspect in the mating ceremony assassination case. How can he be near Matthew and Olivia?"

Just as the Kane parents were at a loss, Audrey Vale arrived. She clung to Theodore's arm with practiced intimacy.

"The case at the pack enforcement bureau has been closed," she announced smoothly.

Her voice carried across the tense gathering. "The 20 million was blackmail from Declan Shaw, and I was mistaken at the time. The person I saw was not Theodore."

Seraphina's heart soared with joy at the news. Then it plummeted back to earth as she watched the intimate way Audrey held onto Theodore.

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(Theodore's POV)

My focus remained on Ethan. Something about his behavior didn't add up.

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"What did you mean when you said Olivia is your sister?" I asked, my voice low and dangerous.

Ethan was evasive. "I just felt an affinity for her," he said, but his eyes held a calculating gleam.

I could sense he was testing us. Searching for something.

"Why did my sister end up at your manor?" he pressed, his gaze sharp as a blade.

My jaw tightened. How did he know about that?

"Did you use some method to force her?" His voice grew more accusatory. "She wasn't wearing a ring when she left the tech summit this morning, but now she has a diamond mating ring on her left hand."

My blood ran cold.

"A ring with 'TR' engraved on the side."

At this, my eyes filled with a dark, swirling fire. He couldn't have heard our private conversation. He was fishing for a reaction.

Trying to confirm something about Olivia's identity.

(God's POV)

Seraphina gasped, rushing forward and grabbing Olivia's hand.

"This is you and Theodore's old mating ring!" she cried out.

Suspicion fell over Olivia and Theodore like a heavy shroud.

Tears streamed down Seraphina's face. "Livvy... I trusted you so much! I believed you didn't love him anymore..."

Her voice broke with betrayal. "What did you and Theodore do at his manor? Why are you

wearing the mating ring again?"

"How could you be with Theodore during the day and with my brother at night?"

Olivia stood frozen, unable to defend herself. The accusation hit her like a physical blow.

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Matthew calmly intervened. He lifted her into his arms without a word.

He carried her into the Aurora Pavilion, away from the accusing stares and whispered judgments.

Matthew summoned a pack healer who carefully cut the stuck ring off Olivia's finger using

tools.

The metal sparked and hissed as it was severed. Olivia winced but remained silent.

Matthew then faced Theodore, his voice devoid of emotion. "Return this to Alpha Redgrave."

He delivered the final blow with devastating calm. "From now on, the Kane Estate does not

welcome Alpha Redgrave or Alpha Mooncrest."

As Matthew carried the now-sleeping Olivia away, Theodore caught sight of the crimson

mate marks on her pale neck.

His heart, already fractured, shattered into dust.

He took the broken ring, the engraved "TR" now scarred and split. The image of Olivia's agonized face when she saw the ring on Clara's neck flooded his mind.

The pain she must have felt then was a thousand times worse than his own.

Overwhelmed by regret, he handed a gift box to Seraphina. "For you," he said hollowly. "I wish

you happiness every day."

Seraphina opened it with trembling fingers. Inside lay a pink moonstone bracelet, identical to

the one Olivia had given her.

The coincidence was a cruel twist of the knife. She watched Theodore's desolate figure retreat, her own heart tearing apart.

Later, Victoria and Barrett discussed the night's events in hushed tones.

Their hearts were heavy with a mixture of guilt and worry.

"Even if we don't want more pups, Olivia might follow in Lyra's footsteps..." Victoria choked

out.

She was terrified by the thought of Olivia's fragile health. The parallel to her mother's tragic fate was too close for comfort.

Barrett held his mate close. "We'll just have to be better to Olivia," he said with quiet resolve.

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In their eyes, Aurora was no longer Theodore's daughter. She was Lyra's cherished granddaughter.

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I carried Olivia back to our bedroom and sat beside her, watching her sleep.

My mind drifted back thirteen years, to my promise to Lyra Blackwood.

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She had asked me to come for her daughter. She had entrusted Olivia's future to me with her dying breath.

I now understood it had been a final plea. A mother's last wish.

I was filled with regret for letting her go to Theodore ten years ago. Lyra had died at forty, and

my Olivia was about to turn thirty.

A deep, unsettling sadness washed over me as I pulled her into my arms.

The door was knocked, and Olivia's eyes fluttered open.

Her body was hot with fever as she deliriously wrapped her arms around my neck. She tried

to kiss me, her small mouth murmuring, "Matthew, there are only 16 days left."

ing. All the surveillance footage is gone."

"And my work..."

She returned to the Aurora Pavilion and pushed open the manor door. Inside, except for the moonlight roses scattered everywhere, it was empty.

She turned on her phone, and it immediately rang. The caller ID showed "Alpha King."

She answered, her small face wearing a smile, but heard a gentle female voice from the other

end.

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Chapter 226: Sixteen Days with Me

(Matthew's POV)

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A black SUV roared out of nowhere, slamming into the runaway self-driving car. Metal screeched against asphalt as sparks flew through the air.

Matthew leaped from the driver's seat, his golden eyes blazing with fury. His Alpha aura radiated outward, making nearby pack members step back.

Through the swirling dust and panicked crowd, he saw Olivia in Theodore's arms. She trembled against Theodore's chest, her wolf seeking comfort in his familiar scent of pine and

earth.

Matthew's powerful hand seized her wrist. He pulled her from Theodore's hold into his own

protective arms.

The scent of cedar and steel surrounded her as she buried her face in Matthew's chest. Tears

finally broke free, streaming down her cheeks.

Matthew's chest heaved with barely contained rage as his amber gaze locked with Theodore's provocative stare. Both Alphas' wolves snarled beneath the surface.

Tasha rushed over, her voice urgent. "My King, we should leave this to the Pack Enforcers."

Theodore roared at Matthew through gritted teeth. "She's terrified!"

Matthew's anger softened when he saw the red rims around her eyes. He lifted her into his arms with supernatural strength and strode away.

In the armored vehicle, he held her on his lap as she silently wept into his shoulder. A cold tension settled between the two powerful Alphas.

At the Council Hall, Tristan reported to Matthew in his private office. His Beta's expression was grim as he spread files across the desk.

"A supernatural hacker infiltrated the vehicle's systems," Tristan explained. "This caused the near-fatal crash."

"I'm analyzing the digital traces to track down the perpetrator," he continued.

A junior intelligence officer named Ronan pressed forward. "My King, we need an immediate

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report to the European Territory's ruling council."

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Matthew furiously swept the files off his desk with inhuman speed. His Alpha aura made the

windows rattle as he stormed out.

Ronan began complaining the moment Matthew left. "That woman is nothing but a distraction to our King's duties."

Tristan shut him down with a warning growl. His Beta authority flared, making Ronan step

back.

"The hacker incident was neutralized by our Luna," Tristan declared with absolute loyalty.

"Show proper respect."

Outside the door, Tasha clutched a medical report in her trembling hands. She had caught

every word of the conversation.

Her knuckles whitened as jealousy consumed her thoughts.

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In Matthew's office, Olivia wore an elegant dress from his wardrobe. The clothes had been

prepared specifically for her return.

She tried to break the oppressive tension. "This dress is beautiful. Thank you for thinking of

everything."

She attempted to coax him into sharing a meal, but Matthew remained cold and distant. His golden eyes silently demanded an explanation.

She moved closer, wrapping her arms around his powerful frame. "Thank you for saving my

life today."

When she tried to kiss him, he turned his head away. His jaw clenched as he avoided her

touch.

She feigned disappointment and moved toward the door. "I should return to Shield Chain Technology."

He moved with supernatural speed, grabbing her and pinning her against the bed. His strength was gentle but firm.

Though she yielded, wrapping her arms around his neck, Matthew was consumed by quiet

rage. His wolf was convinced her affection was merely a performance.

He stared into her eyes, and she couldn't bear his questioning gaze. Her wolf whimpered

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under his dominant presence.

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"I was interested in Apex Dynamics' technology, so I just went to observe," she explained. Her eyes welled with tears as she buried her face in his chest.

"He embraced me out of protective instinct during the chaos," she continued. "I promise it

won't happen again."

She clung to him like a lost pup seeking shelter. "My King, don't be angry with me, please?"

His Alpha resolve crumbled despite his wolf's protests. He kissed her deeply, his mind still

screaming that her words were lies.

"I had Tristan destroy those mate bond severance documents," he said softly. "Still planning

to leave me?”

Stunned by this revelation, tears streamed down her face as she shook her head. She knew

the papers were meaningless anyway since legal documents with Theodore still existed.

He kissed her tears away with supernatural gentleness. “You attract danger the moment you leave my protection. Don’t leave me.”

She insisted on returning to Shield Chain Technology. He relented but issued a warning.

“Avoid any public gatherings due to the active supernatural hacker targeting you.”

As she prepared to leave, he mentioned something that made her pause. “The clothes you’re wearing weren’t borrowed from any of my female staff.”

Puzzled, she opened his massive walk-in closet and froze in amazement. It was filled with

women’s clothing in her exact size.

All carefully selected for her preferences, organized alongside his own Alpha wardrobe. He had been preparing for her return, waiting patiently.

“Is there nothing else you wish to tell me?” he asked. He was giving her one final opportunity to be honest about her arrangement with Theodore.

She evaded the question with practiced skill, giving him a quick kiss before turning away. She left her Alpha King standing alone with his doubts.

(Olivia’s POV)

Outside the royal chambers, Tasha intercepted me with predatory grace. Her smile was cold and calculating.

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She handed me a medical report with devastating news. The paper felt heavy in my trembling hands.

“The ebony vine contained a rare toxin that causes permanent infertility after three doses,” Tasha explained with false concern. “The Alpha King has already consumed it once to save your life.”

Her eyes gleamed with malicious satisfaction. “The ancient healer who provided the remedy has vanished without a trace.”

Then she delivered a chilling warning that made my wolf recoil. “Miss Blackwood, you are our King’s weakness.”

“Your presence is attracting elite supernatural hackers and rogue elements,” she stated coldly. “The resulting chaos will destroy Matthew’s carefully built kingdom.”

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Her wolf’s dominance pressed against mine. “For the sake of his reign and our territory’s stability, can’t you just disappear from his life?”

Clutching the damning medical documents, I raced through Apex Dynamics’ gleaming corridors. My supernatural speed carried me past whispering employees.

The Crimson Pack members murmured about “the Alpha’s former mate” and “the Luna who

got away.” They instinctively stepped aside.

Theodore’s elite guard led me directly to the executive floor without question. They recognized my authority despite everything.

I burst into Theodore’s office, and he looked up with surprise. A smile spread across his face

as he obviously misunderstood my intention.

He believed I had finally returned to him.

I slammed the file onto his chest with all my strength, roaring, “Theodore Redgrave, I’m going

to take you to court!”

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Chapter 228: Where Did He Kiss You?

(Theodore's POV)

I took the file from her trembling hands, my eyes scanning the medical report. The words blurred together as I realized what she was accusing me of.

I stepped forward, reaching for her hand. "Olivia, let me explain-"

She jerked away from my touch like I'd burned her. Her eyes blazed with a fury I'd never seen

before.

"Don't make your desire for control sound so noble!" she spat, her voice shaking with rage.

My wolf recoiled at the venom in her tone. This wasn't the submissive mate I remembered.

"You didn't just replace my prenatal vitamins with contraceptive herbs," she continued, her words cutting through me like silver blades. "Now you've escalated to giving me a sterilization potion!"

The accusation hit me like a physical blow. I opened my mouth to deny it, but she wasn't finished.

Her face crumpled with pain as memories flooded back. "When I was in labor with our Rose, you were with Clara as she gave birth to your Rosalie."

The words hung in the air between us like a death sentence. I watched her relive that terrible night.

"When my Rose died in my arms," she whispered, tears streaming down her cheeks, "you walked out of the delivery room holding your other pup."

My chest tightened as guilt crashed over me. That night had haunted me for years, but hearing it from her lips made it real again.

"Your actions were the antithesis of love," she declared, her voice growing stronger. I could see Matthew's protective face reflected in her eyes.

"Theodore Redgrave," she said with cold finality, "if I find that rogue healer, I will send both of you to the pack tribunal."

She turned to leave, but I couldn't let her go. Not like this.

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“Wait!” I called out, chasing after her. “You promised me sixteen days!”

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She whirled around, her eyes flashing. “There is no ‘family of three.’ I haven’t been your mate

for a long time.”

The words cut deeper than any physical wound. My wolf howled in anguish.

“I’m going to formally reject our mate bond,” she announced. “And fight for full custody of

Leo.”

Desperation clawed at my throat. I played my last card. “If you do that, I’ll expose the truth of

our mating.”

She met my gaze without flinching. The fear I expected to see was replaced by something far

more dangerous—confidence.

“Go ahead and try,” she challenged, a cold smile playing on her lips. “Remember? The security

footage never captures my face.”

My blood ran cold as she continued. “I can make anything on the network disappear.”

The reminder of her true capabilities rattled me. I’d forgotten how formidable she really was.

I switched tactics, my voice becoming pleading. “Revealing your abilities will expose your

identity as ‘Cipher.’ There’s an active bounty on the dark web.”

Her expression flickered for just a moment. I pressed my advantage.

“Just today!” I begged, my Alpha pride crumbling. “Stay with me just for today! I’ll sign the

rejection papers for you tonight.”

(God’s POV)

The mention of rejection papers made Olivia hesitate. Theodore saw her falter and seized the opportunity.

He pulled her into an embrace as if he’d won the world. His arms wrapped around her trembling form.

“Let me show you the code for my self-driving vehicle prototype,” he murmured, leading her toward the tech development floor.

This tender yet manipulative moment was captured in a series of photographs. Audrey Vale watched from the shadows, her camera clicking silently.

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Later, Audrey showed the photos to Ethan. But instead of the reaction she expected, his face

darkened with rage.

He violently pushed her onto the table, his hand wrapping around her throat. “You tried to kill

Olivia by invading the vehicle!”

Audrey gasped, clawing at his grip. “I didn’t-”

“I have no relationship with Olivia,” Ethan snarled, “but only I have the right to harm her.”

He released her, leaving Audrey bruised and terrified on the floor. Her heart twisted with

resentment as understanding dawned.

These powerful Alphas protected Olivia only because she was Matthew's mate. A position.

Audrey coveted with burning passion.

Fueled by dark determination, Audrey went to the Sovereign's Citadel. She found Matthew in

his office, his golden eyes focused on documents.

"Your mate is at the Redgrave Tower with Alpha Theodore right now," she announced, placing

the photos before him.

To her astonishment, Matthew remained perfectly calm. He barely glanced at the images.

"What do you want?" he asked simply.

Tristan stepped forward from the shadows. "She wouldn't bring compromising photos without a motive."

Matthew methodically deleted every picture from her phone, his composure unshakeable. Audrey stared in disbelief at his absolute trust.

"Have dinner with me, Alpha King," she requested. "At the same restaurant where your mate is

dining with her former mate and his pup."

At that moment, Matthew's eyes glazed over as he received a mind-link. Olivia's voice echoed in his head, asking him to pick up Aurora.

"I'll be there," he replied through their bond.

He turned his cold gaze back to Audrey and nodded. "Fine."

The upscale restaurant buzzed with quiet conversation. Olivia sat trapped at a table with Theodore and Leo, her thoughts scattered.

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A tall, imposing figure approached their table. Matthew's presence commanded immediate

attention from every patron.

He leaned over, his hands gripping the arms of her chair. His lips brushed her cheek in a soft

kiss.

"Having dinner with our pup?" he asked calmly, his eyes flicking to Theodore.

Olivia's heart dropped as Audrey followed him in, her smile triumphant. Theodore welcomed

them with false warmth.

"Please, join us," he offered.

Matthew seated himself at the adjacent table with Audrey. Before leaving Olivia's side, he

leaned in close.

"Aurora is safely home," he whispered through their mate bond.

Throughout the meal, Olivia was tormented. She watched Matthew act the perfect gentleman

to Audrey, sparking painful jealousy.

They had never had a proper courtship. The realization stung more than she expected.

Theodore took her hand, leaning in close. "Leo is watching us," he murmured, cupping her

face.

"Just for today. After midnight, I'll give you what you want."

He leaned in to wipe a tear from her eye. The angle made it appear he was scenting her neck.

Matthew's gaze turned sharp and cold. He abruptly ended his conversation with Audrey.

Without a word, he strode to their table and lifted Olivia from her seat, pulling her from Theodore's grasp.

As Matthew carried her out, Theodore's pack enforcers were swiftly intercepted by the Royal Guard.

In the backseat of the armored vehicle, Olivia struggled like a trapped wolf. Tears streamed down her face as she demanded to be released.

Matthew's chest heaved, his voice a low command in her ear. "You're not going anywhere."

He held her fast as Theodore's vehicle gave chase behind them. Matthew kissed her lips, tasting her tears.

She struggled violently, pushing against his chest. "No, don't... don't touch me..."

His golden eyes burned into hers. "Where did he kiss you?"

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Chapter 229: Hypnosis

(Olivia's POV)

"No," I choked out, tears streaming down my face.

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My trembling lips were instantly captured by his. Matthew's kiss was urgent and deep, unlike any before. It stirred something in the depths of my heart that I'd tried so hard to bury.

I tried to push him away, but he caught my hands effortlessly.

A soft whimper escaped me. I couldn't help it.

He pulled back, our foreheads touching. His heavy breaths and intense gaze enveloped me

completely.

The armored vehicle was filled with a tense, cold, and ambiguous atmosphere.

I had never seen him like this. His usually calm golden eyes blazed with a mixture of desire

and anger.

Frightened, I recoiled. But he only moved closer.

“Tell me clearly,” he demanded, his voice rough. “What were you going to do?”

I tried to look away. He kissed me again, stealing my breath until I was limp in his arms.

When the vehicle finally stopped, he carried me out.

We were at the Sovereign’s Club. Inside, Aurora and Nora were playing while Matron Briar

prepared dinner.

The moment my hand touched my daughter’s head, Matthew seized it. He carried me upstairs to the private lounge.

He tried to wipe my tears. I turned away.

“Let me go,” I whispered.

He tilted my face up and kissed me again. This time I bit his lip hard.

The taste of blood spread between us.

He released me, patting my bottom lightly like he was punishing a misbehaving pup.

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My face flushed red with embarrassment and anger.

“You want to be with him?” Matthew asked through our mate bond.

His wolf Titan was growling possessively in my mind.

I froze, then shook my head quickly.

“Eat, and then I’ll let you go,” he said, his voice softer now.

He held me close, wiping my tears with gentle fingers.

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“I’m letting you go, why are you still crying? Are you reluctant to leave me?” he teased gently.

“What happened? Did he threaten you?”

My mind flashed to what I had learned. The dark web forces hunting Killian. The constant trouble Theodore caused. All because of my connection to the legendary “Cipher.”

I didn’t want to be a burden anymore.

“No, he didn’t threaten me,” I lied, my gaze soft and sorrowful.

“I was just having dinner with my son.”

I thought of a future for Matthew that didn’t include me. A brilliant reign. A beautiful mate.

Lovely pups.

The thought was agonizing.

“I promised Leo I’d visit his new room at the Redgrave Manor... I... have to go...”

(God’s POV)

Matthew’s hand intertwined with mine.

Theodore’s black sedan was waiting outside the Sovereign’s Club,

He watched her emerge and called the rogue healer, Dr. Elmsworth.

“Are you sure you can seal her memory without hurting her?” he asked.

Dr. Elmsworth’s voice crackled through the phone. “Olivia’s own resistance will help seal the painful memories. She’ll revert to her sixteen-year-old self, with no memory of Matthew.”

“Just remember to give her the moonlight herb sleeping draught beforehand,” the healer

advised.

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Theodore hung up and opened the car door for her.

Olivia got into the back seat, her face pale but determined.

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“I want to draft a new mate bond severance agreement. I want custody of Leo,” she stated

firmly.

Theodore calmly handed her a bottle of her favorite spring water.

“Leo bought it for you,” he said smoothly.

She took it without suspicion. She drank a sip.

“I’ll take Leo tomorrow...” she began.

Then she slumped unconscious in her seat.

With a dark glint in his amber eyes, Theodore drove towards his newly acquired mountainside

retreat.

Back at the Sovereign’s Club, Matthew was with Aurora when Beta Tristan brought in a pack

lawyer.

“This is Counselor Hayes,” Tristan announced.

The lawyer revealed the truth that made Matthew’s blood run cold.

“Olivia and Theodore were never legally separated. The partnership termination agreement from back then was never sent to the Wolf Pack United Council.”

Matthew regretted his negligence immediately.

“Fearing a bigamy charge under pack law, she abandoned her lawsuit. She was trying to negotiate a new agreement for custody,” the lawyer continued.

Tristan added grimly, “Theodore also told her that her prenatal supplements were tampered with to make her infertile. That’s why she stormed out so angrily.”

Matthew’s face turned to ice when he learned Olivia had been taken to the Northwood Manor.

“A rogue healer is also present there,” Tristan reported.

At the manor, Dr. Elmsworth was attempting to hypnotize the sleeping Olivia.

He whispered a false history into her unconscious mind. A happy life with Theodore and their son. A life completely devoid of Matthew.

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Suddenly, the door was thrown open.

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Matthew stormed in and sent Theodore flying with a single punch. His Alpha strength was

unleashed without restraint.

Olivia jolted awake. In her confusion, she instinctively moved to shield Theodore.

But then her eyes met Matthew’s golden gaze. She was pulled into his embrace.

Instinctively, she clutched him as her wolf Zoe recognized her true mate.

“What did they do to you?” Matthew asked, his voice tight with barely controlled rage.

He tested her memory through their mate bond carefully.

“Who am I?” he asked, trying not to scare her.

“Matthew,” she answered, her voice soft and certain.

“Who is he?” he pressed, nodding toward Theodore.

“My former mate,” Olivia whispered, clinging to him.

He breathed a sigh of relief as Titan settled in his chest.

Theodore staggered up, wiping blood from his mouth.

“Alpha Kane, what a show of power, breaking into a private residence?” he sneered.

He held up his phone triumphantly.

“My manor is full of surveillance. You assaulted me. You’re finished.”

Olivia panicked, terrified for Matthew’s reputation.

“Don’t fight! If this gets out...”

“What will happen?” Matthew asked, his gaze fixed on her.

“It will ruin your standing with the pack councils!” she cried.

He pulled her into his arms, forcing her against the wall.

“Why destroy your own reputation... I...” she sobbed, finally breaking.

“I... I... Our mating is invalid... I’m still Theodore’s mate.”

As the words tumbled out, Matthew’s tense expression finally relaxed.

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He held her close, understanding at last.

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“When you have problems, you should tell me like this,” he murmured, stroking her back. “I’ll

solve it.”

He had been worn down by her silence.

Just then, Tristan entered with pack arbiters.

“Handle this,” Matthew instructed calmly. “This is my mate’s bond severance application.”

The arbiter reviewed the documents Tristan provided. Evidence of infidelity. A secret daughter. A restraining order.

“This isn’t legal!” Theodore roared.

The arbiter ignored him, signing the papers with the official pack seal.

“They never registered their mating here in the European Territory,” the arbiter stated coolly when Theodore accused them of violating pack law.

“How can it be bigamy?”

Both Olivia and Theodore were stunned.

Matthew simply lifted Olivia into his arms and walked out.

Tristan remained for a moment.

“The Alpha King didn’t hit you hard, so you can stop pretending,” he said, leaving a stack of

compensation money.

“The pup is coming with us. By pack law, you have visitation rights twice a month.”

Theodore’s fist smashed into the wall. His eyes burned with bloodthirsty rage.

Dr. Elmsworth quickly approached.

“Alpha Redgrave, she will slowly forget the Alpha King. You don’t have to worry. The Luna will soon come back to you.”

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Chapter 230: She Can’t Imprison Me

(Olivia’s POV)

In the car, I sat by the window, staring at Matthew in confusion. “We’re not mated?” I asked,

then mumbled to myself, “No, that’s impossible. We clearly completed the marking ceremony.”

Matthew drew closer, gently lifting my face with his warm fingers. "Let's talk about you first,"

he said softly. "What did he use to threaten you?"

I avoided his piercing golden gaze and pressed his hand down. "Nothing, he just... wanted me to accompany him for a day..."

I glanced at my watch, trying to appear strong despite the tremor in my voice. "It's almost midnight. After twelve, he'll sign the mate bond severance papers for me. Even if you hadn't come, I could have handled it."

My wolf Zoe whimpered at the lie. I pushed forward anyway. "Now that my matter is settled, let's talk about the marking ceremony."

Matthew's eyes narrowed slightly as he saw through my false bravado. He leaned back, his voice calm but cutting. "Audrey Vale also asked me to accompany her."

My eyes widened, a deep sadness filling them like ice water flooding my chest. So that's why he was having dinner with her. The beautiful she-wolf with her perfect reputation.

I turned to the window, my voice barely above a whisper. "Did she threaten you too?"

"Yes," he replied simply.

I felt tears welling up as he watched me with those calculating golden eyes. He glanced at his watch deliberately. "I'll take you back. You settle Leo in and get some rest. I..."

He paused, and I saw something flicker across his face. "I'll be back at 6 in the morning."

My vision blurred with tears as I felt him pull his hand away and his body shift toward the door. Remembering my promise to Victoria Kane and Cynthia Mooncrest's words about not being worthy, I tried to endure it.

But I couldn't.

I grabbed his sleeve, my face flushed with sorrow. "Don't go."

Matthew's expression immediately softened. He pulled me into a fierce embrace, his warm breath consuming my sobs. "You don't trust me?" he whispered against my lips.

I buried my face in his shoulder, unable to speak.

"She can't imprison me," he murmured into my hair.

I whispered back, as if it were a forbidden secret, “You have a mate. It’s me.”

A smile touched Matthew’s lips. When I asked what Audrey Vale had used as leverage, he feigned a light tone. “Just to have dinner with her, stay at her place for a night, and the matter would be resolved. Why shouldn’t I go?”

Anger flared in my chest. I pushed him away hard.

He caught my hand easily, placing it over his heart where I could feel the steady rhythm. “Because I have a mate and can’t spend the night at another she-wolf’s house?” he asked softly.

“But my dear mate, you also have an Alpha.”

I stared at him, stunned. “Are you lecturing me?”

He pulled me close again, his arms wrapping around me possessively. “How could I be lecturing you? I’m just reminding you that the easier path often leads to more trouble. From now on, you must discuss things with me first. Alright?”

I nodded, finally admitting my mistake. The relief in his eyes made my heart flutter.

He praised me softly for finally taking a step toward him, then kissed me tenderly. “Our mating was registered in the Eastern Territory,” he explained against my lips.

(God’s POV)

In the passenger seat, Tasha watched them through the rearview mirror. Her hands clenched so tightly they left crescent marks in her palms.

Her heart burned with jealousy as she watched Matthew’s gentle touches, his soft words. The position of Luna Queen was supposed to be hers.

She seethed silently, convinced that Olivia was merely using Matthew for protection. That she didn’t truly love him the way Tasha did.

Hidden in her jacket pocket were the pieces of the mate bond severance agreement. She had found and painstakingly pieced together the document Matthew had ordered destroyed.

She was torn between two desires. Revealing it would create a massive scandal, potentially ruining his standing with the pack councils. But she couldn’t bear to see him with Olivia any longer.

Her internal struggle was interrupted by Matthew’s cold voice. “Tasha? Turn up the heat.”

He wasn't even looking at her. His gentle gaze was fixed entirely on the sleeping Olivia in his arms.

The contrast between his warmth toward Olivia and his indifference toward her was like a knife twisting in her chest.

After arriving at the Aurora Pavilion, Tasha watched Matthew carry Olivia inside. Beta Tristan followed with Leo, the boy looking around in wonder at his new home.

She made a decision in that moment. She couldn't destroy Matthew's future directly. But she could make him grow tired of Olivia.

She pulled out her phone with trembling fingers and dialed Theodore Redgrave's number.

"Aurora is your daughter," she said when he answered, her voice steady despite her racing heart.

She hoped Theodore's endless entanglement would finally drive a wedge between them.

(God's POV)

Downstairs in the living room, Matthew found a nervous Leo sitting stiffly on the edge of a leather chair. The boy's eyes darted around the elegant space.

Matthew sat beside him casually. "Do you want to talk as a pup or as a young wolf?"

Leo straightened his shoulders proudly. "I've grown up."

Matthew smiled approvingly. "Good. Then protecting your mother and sister is your responsibility now."

He established a simple rule between them. "When one of us speaks, the other listens without interruption. We show each other respect."

This was completely different from Leo's relationship with Theodore, where he felt more like a prisoner than a son. Where his words were dismissed or ignored.

Just then, Beta Tristan entered carrying a wrapped package. "A gift for the young Alpha," he announced formally.

Leo unwrapped it to find a soccer ball signed by a famous human athlete. His mouth fell open in shock.

"You know I like soccer?" he whispered.

Matthew nodded. "I make it my business to know what's important to my family."

He then explained the living arrangements. "You'll have the second floor, next to Aurora's nursery. Your mother will be on the third floor, and I'll stay on the first."

Leo was touched by the respect and space he was being given. No one had ever treated him

like he mattered before.

As Matthew headed toward his study, Leo stood up suddenly. "Thank you, Alpha Matthew."

Matthew smiled, reaching out to pat the boy's head gently. He was pleased with their good start.

The boy was far easier to understand than his complicated mother.

In his new room, Leo marveled at the perfect soccer-themed decorations and the beautiful piano in the corner. It was as if this Alpha could see into his very soul.

His phone rang, interrupting his wonder. Theodore's name flashed on the screen.

"Leo," his father's voice trembled with excitement. "Aurora is your biological sister, mine and your mother's pup! Help me, son. Get a strand of Aurora's hair. I need to prove it to your mother myself."