

The Alpha Train Novel - Chapter 10

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Chapter 10 I'm used to paying attention to everything going on around me . It's one of the things that we teach in the Academy . Alphas have to constantly be aware of everything going on around them , it's one of the most important parts of leading the pack . But every time I try to focus on someone else , I somehow end up watching Christina . So , I'd seen her steering Haley away from us . I'd seen her talking softly to her .

I'd seen Sylvie walk up to ask what they were talking about , and I hadn't been surprised at all when Sylvie took charge . Then I'd watched Christina make sure Haley was okay before sending her to Will , which was the perfect thing to do . Not only is he Haley's instructor this semester , but he's the oldest of all of us and I can tell that he's going to look after her and make sure that she's okay this semester .

Having been an instructor for four years , I've seen the interactions between Sylvie , Mia , and Christina . Even though there is an age difference between the Lunas and Christina , they seem to be close . All three work hard and look after each other and the others at the Academy . I turned my focus to Emma , watching as she tries unsuccessfully to flirt with Alpha Benjamin before turning her attention to Alpha Daniel . Alpha Daniel all but ignored her .

I could tell Daniel was surprised when Sylvie told everyone to tone Chapter 10 down their auras , and even more surprised when James told them to comply . " Alpha Daniel , things on the Train are more relaxed than in the packs , " I tell him . " So , I'm beginning to see . " " It's not for everyone , Daniel , but it is how we run the Academy .

I have a meeting scheduled with everyone tonight after dinner to talk over the expectations of this group before the young Alphas start joining us tomorrow , " James says , just as Mia yells for Sylvie . We all turn and look at her excited face as she announces that Christina is going to take the classes this semester . I take another sip of my drink , watching as Christina blushes slightly . It seems that she's the only one who doesn't realize just how incredible she is .

To everyone else around her , it's obvious , but she's so busy living in her brother's shadow , that she's forgotten what it's like to feel the sun shining down on her . I have every intention of dragging her out of her brother's shadow and letting her shine like the incredible woman she is . " I'm taking classes this semester too , " Emma boasts . My eyes move to her and then to James . His lips are pressed tightly together . Josephine can't get here soon enough in my opinion .

I'm just glad Emma is Benjamin's problem and not mine . II Chapter 10 " Have you decided which classes you're taking . Emma ? " James asks her . Yesterday , she didn't even know what classes were offered and she was only here to meet some Alphas . Given

the make - up , styled hair , and attire that she's wearing . I'd say meeting the Alphas is still her priority . " We haven't talked about what classes are available , " she says . " Aren't all classes available to assistants ?

" Alpha Daniel asks . " Yes , they are , " I say . I can see Benjamin and Daniel making their assessments about Emma as well . James will have to let Benjamin . know that he needs to keep a tight rein on her and to be very clear with expectations and shortcomings . " Do you know what classes they teach at the Academy , Emma ? " I ask . Normally , I wouldn't put someone , especially a non - ranked member on the spot like this , but she put herself out there , trying to compete with Christina .

Believe me when I say there is no competition . I watch Emma struggle to maintain her composure and then something flashes in her eyes before she turns to the bar where Mia and Christinal are still talking . " Christina , what classes are you taking this semester ? " she asks a bit too sweetly . " Yes , Christina . Do tell , because I want to watch as many of the classes . that you are in as I can .

I love watching a strong woman knock Alphast down a peg ... or ten , " Sylvie says , smiling at James . It's an obvious challenge for James and one that he readily accepts . " Well , I'll be taking the strength class , obviously . Sebastian and I still need to make sure I can assist him and have the time I need to participate , " she says . " We'll make it work Christina , " I say , glad I finally have a reason to focus on her .

" I'm taking the sensory class , the communication class , and Dealing with Crisis , " she says . " Should I take it personally that you're not going to take my finance class ? " Will asks her . He slid into the easy hierarchy here very well . I hope he comes back again . I already like working with him . Christina smiles at him .

" As Sebastian and I have discussed , the Finance and Managing a Pack classes would only be helpful if I decided to take over my brother's pack , which will never happen . " " Unless you want a chance to get on the leaderboard , Christina , " James says . Because I'm so focused on her , I see something flash in her eyes . The Alpha in her wants to see if she can achieve what her brother has achieved . I mentally add that to my list of things to talk to her about tonight .

Chapter 10 I'm not sure if he sees it too , or if he is just interested in how an Alpha female would do in the Academy , but Daniel is the one who encourages her . " Dealing with Crisis isn't usually necessary either unless you're an Alpha or Luna of a pack , yet you plan to take that class . Perhaps you should consider taking all of them and see how well you do . At least then you'll know . " She looks at me , as if wanting my opinion . " I'll think about it .

" " We can talk more about it later , " I tell her . " So , Emma , which of those classes sound good to you ? " Sylvie asks a little too sweetly . The Lunas have made their mind up about Emma and their conclusion isn't a good one . Personally , I'd completely forgotten about her part in this conversation . " Uh , I guess the sensory class ? " " What is your

strongest sense , Emma ? " Will asks her . " Uh , how do I know ? " " What do you lean toward ? Is it hearing , sight , or smell ?

Usually , a person has one that is stronger than the others , " Benjamin says to her . " Wouldn't I figure that out in the class ? " she asks . Chapter 10 " Christina , what's your strongest sense ? " I ask . " Hearing . " she says with no hesitation . I turn , wanting to include Haley in the conversation , but also wanting to prove a point to Emma . " What about you , Haley ? Do you have one sense that stands out above the others ? " She looks around nervously .

Will puts a hand on her shoulder to help calm her . " I guess I'm visual . I usually see something before I hear or smell it , " she says . " Maybe you should take the class too , " Will tells her . " Oh . I don't think so . I'm not an Alpha or even a ranked member . " " That doesn't matter , " Mia says , as she and Christina rejoin the group . " It's a benefit of working at the Academy . Why not take the opportunity that you may never have again to strengthen your visual senses ?

" " Yeah , don't do what I've done and waste the opportunity , " Christina says . I see her glance at me before quickly looking away . " Emma , you're on dinner duty with me , " Laura says , walking out of the 34372 Chapter 10 kitchen . She already has a film of sweat around her face from getting ready for dinner . " Do we have to start already ? " Emma asks . I watch as , almost as one , the Lunas and Christina turn to look at her . " Yeah , you sure as fuck do , " Sylvie says to her .

" This isn't a party train , this is a working train . If you don't like it , you can get off at the next stop . " " Fine , let me go change , " she says . " No. You knew you were on dinner duty , and you chose to dress like you were going to a party . You're already late helping with dinner preparation . When it's your turn to work , you work . Let this be a lesson to you . Next time , dress accordingly , " Mia tells her .

" You can't be serious , " she exclaims , looking around the room and finally stopping at James . " You heard them . If you don't pull your weight around here , you're out . Figure your shit out or get off the train , " he tells her . " Tell me she's not assigned to me , " Alpha Benjamin says as Emma stomps towards the kitchen . " She is , but we'll talk . " James tells him . " How many weeks until Luna Josephine said she could join us ? " I ask him under my breath . " Too many . " James says .

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