

Cursed 1191

Chapter 1191 Spies (Rufus' POV)

Some of the kids screamed, their fear raw and palpable in the air.

"Be quiet," I said in a hushed voice. Thankfully, most of them did as told. Their sobs became quieter, though they never really stopped. I felt a pang in my chest as I realized that the poor children were doing their best to stifle their weeping.

"Remember, you must not tell anyone that I was here, okay? If we meet again in the future, just pretend that you've never seen me before." I paused, unable to leave despite myself. "Don't be afraid," I added. "I promise to come back soon and save all of you. But for now, I need you to wait. Can you do that for me?"

I saw several heads bob timidly, and that was all I needed I pushed past the door and walked out of the room.

After wandering down the hall for a while, I heard some noise coming from one of the open rooms.

my head through the doorway. The room was filled with the clown goons, who

mask. It must be the she- wolf they had been talking about. What really piqued my

his face. But from what I could tell, he looked to be the same size as Arron It hit me then-there was a high

never put him down, even as she moved

children from the second floor as well I was mulling over my options when the clowns' squabbling grew louder, and I couldn't help but listen

was a sharp quality to

almost sounded like long nails being dragged against a

not possible," The res-masked clown Jack countered in a booming voice. "Lee said so himself. Are you saying

and he shut his

seemed to be a very dangerous

Chapter 1192 Manhunt (Rufus' POV)

My mind was clouded with rage. It was all I could do not to rush forward and tear everyone limb from limb.

The sharp crack of the door frame snapping in my grip pulled me back to my senses, and Omar took this opportunity to rein me in. "Calm down, Rufus. We both know Crystal is strong and capable. She won't be killed so easily."

"I know." I closed my eyes and took another deep breath, telling myself to stay rational about this.

I needed to take it one at a time, and for now, the most urgent problem is the one before me. I couldn't let them discover me, or I would be in for even more trouble.

No one would go and save Crystal if I was caught, or Arron, or all those children. First things first. I needed a chance to confirm that the child in the she-wolf's arms is indeed Arron. Then, I would take her hostage and force her to take me to where Crystal was. And if she refused, I would kill her there and then. Now that I had a plan in place, my nerves finally settled down. I resumed my eavesdropping.

They had gathered around and were about to discuss what to do next.

guard down," the she-wolf said, her back turned to me. "We checked the surveillance videos and found that the female spy had a tall, male companion. Lee suspects that this

he heard this. "Is it Mike? If that wench disguised as Crane, then the other one must be pretending to be Mike, right? Those two are practically joined at the hip.

and looked at each other. "Where is

Hurry and find him! Don't

slip away? We need to

large group of clowns barged out

I find him, I

tear him

to challenge

let's hunt the

the hall and stepped into a nearby room, just in time to see the group march past with a myriad of tools in their hands.

in the door to see what was happening. Jack was waving a mace around, wreaking havoc

proceeded to hammer down the chair in front of the dresser, and then punched the red flannel hanging

didn't even bother opening it all the way. He swung his mace and whacked it at everything. Obviously, he didn't intend to let me live.

Chapter 1193 A Large-Scale Search (Rufus' POV)

To ensure that I didn't alert the clowns, I made a hushing sound as soon as I entered the room. The kids caught a whiff of my scent and quietened down.

"Sir, why did you come here again? What are those bad people doing next door? They're making so much noise. Are they trying to capture you?" the little girl who had beautiful blue eyes asked in a curious voice.

"Yes. I'm in some trouble now, but it is nothing to worry about. They may come inside and ask you if you've seen me. Just tell them that you haven't, got it?" I said as I shut the door.

“Okay.” The little girl vigorously nodded her head, and then turned her attention back to the food I had brought them

“Good girl,” I said in a comforting voice.

At this time, the other children next to her also began to chime in.

of us will tell them we’ve seen

all scared?” My spirits sank a little. They were just kids. Why did they have

You’re a good person and brought

the bad guys together. We shouldn’t be scared!” a kid

to respond, a loud noise came from the

clowns would be here any second. I could linger any

quickly swept my gaze around the room. The ceiling

leaped into the air, and hung on the rafters of the roof. The door was kicked open the very next moment and several clowns poured into the room. They searched for me for a few minutes and banged on the

did you see anyone

The children shook their

spare you,” the

with his mace. All the iron cages were rattling, and the echoes sounded

Chapter 1194 Eavesdropping (Rufus’ POV)

I had never eavesdropped before, but at this moment, I felt such a strong urge that I couldn’t ignore it. It prompted me to listen in on the pink-masked she-wolf.

I didn’t require much effort to get close to the room where the she-wolf and the boy were. I found a cracked open window and cautiously lowered my head to observe what was happening inside.

The first thing I spotted was the she-wolf’s back. She was bent over the bed and putting something on it.

A dingy bulb cast a dim glow around the room. The kidnapped boy was lying on a mid-sized bed.

I watched the she-wolf as she tucked the boy in and then leaned to whisper into his ear, “Little boy, I have got on Lee’s bad side for you. Do you know that? That was Lee we’re talking about! You had better remember that you owe me a huge favor. You will have to repay me. You have to treat me like your mother, earn me a lot of money, and bring me many young, handsome, and strong men. Do you understand?”

I automatically sneered when I heard this. What a dumb she-wolf! She could have taken advantage of this boy to achieve more meaningful things, but she only wanted money and men.

As I was about to start listening to her again, she suddenly got to her feet and walked toward the window.

had spotted me and immediately pulled myself back up on the roof beam, but

which I heard

the she-wolf shut the door. I looked

didn't get off the rafter until I was certain she was out of sight

the door was locked. I could have easily broken down the door with brute force, but

them, but I had to consider the boy's

figure out how to open the lock without tipping off the others. I didn't know

me that I would

but I

it, converting it into a thin long iron wire. After

I really

when

locks? Why didn't I know this fact about myself? Who had taught me this sneaky skill? I felt a migraine coming on as my

poor child in the room, I didn't have time to dwell on it. Instead, I quickly

Chapter 1195 Father And Son (Rufus' POV)

I remained stunned for a long time and studied the child's little face repeatedly. I even thought I was hallucinating.

I reached out and pinched his cheek gently. It was soft and warm. He was not a mannequin. He looked just like me.

But why?

How could the child look so similar to me? He was an exact replica of me as a kid. At first, I was pretty sure that this boy was Arron, but now, some uncertainty crept in. How could Crystal's child resemble me? He also had no wounds on his face. This situation was just so strange.

But if this boy wasn't Arron, who could he be? When did I have an illegitimate child? This child must be around five years old. If he was truly my child, I would have gotten his mother pregnant five or six years ago.

I was still a prince during that period. My temper was worse than it was now. I had absolutely no interest in women back then. It was impossible that a she-wolf could get close to me and get pregnant with my child. But what if this child was really Arron? As I thought about how Crystal had always kept

Arron's face bandaged, I wondered if it was because she was afraid of it being discovered that he looked like me.

and once he was spotted,

this the secret she

also been in the imperial capital

began to pound as

couldn't continue this train of

shoved these musings away and told myself that the boy in front of me

turned over in his sleep and called out

fluffy hair. Even his hair color was the same

wanted to get close to him for some unknown reason. This strange feeling was not a coincidence. Omar was also stunned and said in disbelief, Rufus, is this boy your

over and over again. "He looks so similar to you when you were little. His nose and mouth are so cute. Can you turn into wolf form so I can touch him? I really want to feel him." Omar was also hit with a

into a wolf and stood by the bed, gazing down at

to cradle his neck... Retracting my sharp claws, I gently placed

ecstatic at that moment that I wanted to run, scream, and protect him

need to leave now. Let's go

Chapter 1196 Kill Them (Rufus' POV)

Clowns wearing masks of different colors surrounded me. The one in the pink mask walked forward from the back of the crowd and said, "Lee was right. This child is your goal."

"Yes, so what? What can you possibly do to me?" I tightened my hold on the child in my arms and estimated how long it would take for me to deal with this group. I didn't want to waste my time on these lame ducks. My priority was to find Crystal as soon as possible.

The pink-masked clown was humiliated and replied in an evil voice, "Well, you won't be able to escape this place today. We took advantage of your carelessness just now to gather all our people here to catch you. I don't think you can get through all of us alone!"

My lips curled up in disdain and I didn't try to disguise my voice. "I'm actually quite flattered that you've sent so many people just to catch me."

clown raised her chin and arrogantly said, "Lee warned us to take you seriously. And he is always right. Today, we're going to pull in all our efforts to capture you. Then we will cut off your legs. You can

nothing besides cutting off other people's limbs. We used a variety of torture techniques in

couldn't
one step back, I
glanced at the sleeping boy in my arms and said, "Although I didn't witness her
her eyes over me and asked, "Are you three a family? That's interesting. We have never
heard this. "That's a brilliant idea. Maybe we will be able
I was enraged. Knowing that Crystal had been captured, I
with the clowns in front of me, I directly released a burst of Lycan power and
erratic and they obviously hadn't received any formal training. I snatched a machete from one of them
and began fighting my way
had reached the yard. Blood was spattered all over the ground. My coat was also stained with blood.

Chapter 1197 Break Out (Rufus' POV)

As soon as the clown gave this instruction, all the attacks were focused on the boy in my arms.
I couldn't dodge them in time, so I had to block them with my body. I sustained a deep gash on my arm.
I didn't have time to tend to the wound and continued to swing the machete around.
While most of the clowns had fallen to the ground, a dozen more people still blocked the exit.
the clown wearing the pink mask suddenly moved forward and knocked my mask away, but she seemed
shell-shocked when she caught
in one jump. "Hurry up! Chase him! Damn it! What the hell is Sally doing? He is running away, but she's
just standing here like a statue. Luckily,
from behind me, followed by the
into a wolf, and used my Lycan power. I sprinted at full speed, holding the boy in my mouth. I soon left
all the clowns far behind. At this moment, the boy I was holding in my mouth
him. The little boy rubbed his eyes and looked up. He stared at me in disbelief. "What a
as my legs. His eye color was the same as mine, and we
bad man?" the boy asked meekly.
frightened him more. He curled his fingers into fists and didn't dare to move
into my human form, but he
make it too far. The little boy was terrified and he began weeping, and
back into my human form and soothingly said, "Don't cry. I'm not a bad person. I

Chapter 1198 The Little Prince (Rufus' POV)

I soothed Arron until he calmed down. I then picked him up and we continued on our way. My heart prickled with fear and worry. The things that Arron had just said matched the pink-masked clown's claims. I needed to find Crystal as soon as possible.

"No, you're going the in the wrong direction. This isn't the way to Mommy!" Arron was slapping my arm frantically in a bid to make me stop. He twisted his tiny body and pointed in another direction. "It's that way. We need to go there to save Mommy."

I blinked at him in a mix of surprise and bafflement. "How do you even know where she is? Weren't you unconscious just now?"

Arron scrunched up his adorable brows. "I don't know how to explain it, but I just know. I've always had some telepathic abilities, ever since I was a baby. I can just tell. Maybe it's because Mommy and I are connected."

I nodded, even as I processed this new information. Arron seemed to possess a keen sense of connection to his surroundings. With this level of perception at such a young age, I was almost certain that by the time his wolf woke, he would attain other unique powers.

as I can, but a lot of children are waiting for me to rescue them, too. As their king, it is my duty to help them first." I was desperate to find Crystal and make sure she was safe, but I had

this place was teeming with Lee's goons. I had no doubt that his lair would be heavily guarded. I needed my men for

had endured enough fright for a

eyes turned red, he still managed to hold back his tears. "It's okay. Mommy is very strong and powerful. Those children need

heart ached for the boy. "Listen, I promise to save your mommy, okay?

spill from his eyes, but he failed to stifle a sob. "I want you to be safe, too.

know. I'll make sure that we both come back safe. Come on, don't be

like the wind!" Arron sniffed one last time before winding his arms around my neck. "All right, I've secured my

the amusement park, I had ordered several

interference, they should be

here from the amusement park. Sure enough, they

Chapter 1199 Her Son (Rufus' POV)

In the face of my subordinates' burning questions, I decided to be brief with my answer. "This little boy is Arron He is Alpha Crystal's son."

Unsurprisingly, my men looked even more baffled upon hearing this, especially Kiefer. Your Majesty, why does Alpha Crystal's child resemble you so much?"

This time, I didn't bother with an answer. Instead, I told them the layout of the place and the current situation at the traffickers' base. I directed them to the room where the children were confined, and gave them an estimate of the number of kids we had to rescue. Most of all, I told them to get the kids out, first and foremost, as soon as they could.

My men didn't dare to tarry any longer. They quickly lined up and moved forward. Only Kiefer and a handful of his elite soldiers stayed behind with me.

down. "Take good care of him. Take him back to the imperial
any worry.

up next to Kiefer before turning his big eyes

were at eye level. "Listen, Arron. You need to return to
nodded seriously. "I'll stay

your mommy back safe and sound." I looked him in the eye as I spoke, hoping that my sincerity would come across and

As for Beryl... that little girl could be too naught for her own good at times, but she had a heart of gold. Whenever she found something that delighted her, she would always

yet, I had a feeling that everything

a candy out of

Chapter 1200 Pious Worshipper (Crystal's POV)

I opened my eyes in a daze, only to find myself in a dark room. What little sunlight that filtered into the space came through the skylight above my head.

I shook my head and blinked several times. When I finally came to my senses, I realized to my horror that I was in my underwear. Worse still, I was tied to a cross.

Then I heard a murmur. Someone was chanting a prayer, his voice low and d*EEP.

I looked over in the direction of the sound and saw a werewolf on his knees. He wore a black robe and a skull mask, and he was praying diligently as though he was confessing his sins.

And the idol he was confessing to was neither the Moon Goddess or... or any god that I could recognize, really. It looked hideous. Even from a distance, I could tell that it was a demon, a fiend.

over the head. It did nothing to hide its features, though. Its visage was distorted in awkward angles, its limbs dislocated.

place with

than the sky rumbled with thunder. I was creeped out

will make sure to punish the intruders. I shall use their blood to wash

bear to hear any more of his disturbing litany, so I interrupted him by clearing my throat. "Are you Lee,

of light. "You're awake," he said in a calm tone, surprising me a bit. "Now that you've awoken, accept your baptism and wash away the filth from your body. Only then may you speak to my

though," I said, raising an eyebrow. "Just let me go, and we can have a

Lee chuckled before picking up what looked to be a dipper. He shuffled over to a nearby tub

tub was murky, and I had the sense it contained both blood and mud in it.

to see another day!" I struggled against the hemp ropes that bound me, to no avail. In the end, I tried using witchcraft, but that, too, was in vain. I reached d*eeep inside me, but it felt like all of my black witch powers

my Lord, you will only bear great suffering " Lee spoke the most vile and hateful words in the softest voice. It was eerie. He reached out and dragged his long, black nails along the line of my shoulder, and then up to the artery vein in my neck. The next thing I knew, he had buried