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AMALTHEA'S POV

"Woah, man. Where did you find her?" I heard a stranger's voice.

"Sprawled on the ground with her face planted in the grass. She looked quite comical, laying like that, and I turned her to see if I could use her or not, but look who she turned up. We indeed hit a jackpot, no? I have already called him, and he will be here soon," I heard another voice, and I opened my eyes before sitting abruptly, squinting my brows, when I noticed I was in unknown surroundings.

Hearing their words just now, I thought I was kidnapped or something, but when I looked at my free limbs, I tilted my head in confusion.

"What? Did you think we kidnapped you or something? You should thank me that my man brought you here, or those rogues would've killed you," I heard another voice, making me look at the stranger.


"Who are you?" I asked, confused, and he smirked.

"I am Alexander. You can call me Alex. And before you ask me what position wolf I am, I should let you know I'm not a werewolf. I am a, well, you can call me an assistant demon. I am sure you have many interesting terms for us in your kingdom, right?" He said with a soft smile, and I looked at him, not understanding why he was being so civil with me when I didn't even belong to his species.

Is he really a gentleman, or is it because he has ulterior motives? I thought.

"Don't worry. I don't have any ulterior motives, and I didn't read your mind. It's written all over your face. You don't need to be wary of me. My men

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brought you here because they saw a helpless girl running in the woods like she had gone crazy," he said, and I sighed before looking away.

"You can share with me if you want. It's not like I am going to judge you, harm you, or use you," He said, and I sighed.

"It's nothing much. I just came to know that everyone around me lied to me my whole life. The people who I thought were my close friends and family stabbed me in the back, and I might not have a tranquil life ahead either," I said, and he nodded.

"We've got only one life, you know. Rather than wasting it on worrying about what would happen next and what you should do, we should focus more on how we can stay happy. Pain is inevitable, and taking revenge is our nature, but why waste it thinking about that only? You might be feeling hurt right now, but don't let it impede your happiness. I am sure you'll do great," He said, and I looked at him before sighing.

As much as I hate taking lectures from others, he was right.

"I can't believe I am agreeing to a demon's words," I said, and he chuckled.

"Well, my sweetheart. You are going to agree with a lot of my words. Besides, I can't believe I am lecturing someone about happiness either," he said with a confused look, and I chuckled at his accent.

"Now, can I know where I am? I need to go back to the palace to report to a certain King, or he will go haywire if he knows I am missing," I said, and he smiled at me before looking at his man coldly.

"Escort the lady to the gates of the palace safely. Make sure she is well tended," he said in his deep voice, and I smiled thankfully at him.

"Thanks for taking care of me when I was sprawled on the ground with my face planted in the grass. It was nice meeting you," I chuckled before smiling genuinely, and he smirked.

"Don't say goodbye. We will be meeting a hell lot now," he said, and I squinted my brows.

"I mean, I am in the area, so we will be meeting a lot, right?" He said, and I tilted my head, sensing a hidden meaning in his words.

"We'll see that," I said, and he nodded.

"We'll see," he said before turning around and leaving, making me turn around as we walked back into the forest.

As I walked towards the other end of the forest, I couldn't help myself as my mind went back to what was bugging me earlier.

Sirens. The only way I can find more about why I am seeing them, why I have these powers, and why the hell no one ever informed me or suggested this before is by directly talking to a Siren.

Calling them with the help of hymns and songs in my head won't help because they vanish as they please, and I want to be able to talk to them as I please.

"You can drop me here. I will be going somewhere else before I go to the palace," I said, and the subordinate looked at me for a few seconds before shrugging.

"As you deem fit, Miss. Have a great day," he said.

"You too," I said, and he bowed, making me squint my brows, as I wasn't sure if these demons were so polite or not.

I haven't met a demon before today, but I sure as hell know that they aren't known for their politeness. On the contrary, quite the opposite.

Shaking my head to get their thoughts out of my head as I needed to think about more pressing matters at hand, I took out my phone before dialing the leader's number.

"Amalthea, you are seriously one hell of a damn pressuring client, and I am losing my -"

"Drop the project," I said, cutting him off, and he immediately paused before asking me with a calm voice.

"What did you say?" He asked, and I sighed.

"I told you to find out about those women with those powers and characteristics, right? Drop that. I already know about them. And if you are not able to find out about Antonio, then leave it. I'll find out about it



myself. I know I've been bugging you a lot in the past. I am sorry for burdening you so much," I said, and he sighed.

"Amalthea, did you fall today?" He asked me gently, and I scrunched my brows.

"Yeah, why?"

"Because I think you have hit your head pretty hard," he said, and I closed my eyes before taking a deep breath to calm my agitation as I rolled my eyes at his words.

"Look, I know I can be a bit vocal about some things, and it's all because I feel pressured, but when did I say I am not doing your work? We have already found out about Antonio. I'll send you the details. Regarding those women, I have found out about them too. I have analyzed the data and sent you the best results to save you time. I also know that the next thing you'll ask me is to find their location, so I've asked my team to work on it too," he said, and I smiled.

"You have grown quite intelligent in my company, no?" I asked, and he scoffed.

"Are you sure it's not the other way around? Now tell me what has been bugging you so much that you called me like this. Look, I know we have a purely business relationship, but you also know that you call me whenever you are stuck on some thought or annoyed because of something. I have judged you that much in the past few days. Quickly, spill the beans," he said, and reaching the edge of the forest, I paused before sitting near a large tree to clear my mind.

"Some other day, I'll tell you everything," I said with a pause, and he sighed before bidding me goodbye and ending the call.

'It's complicated, no?' I heard Crystal, and I closed my eyes before leaning my head on the tree.

'Kind of. There is so much to find out, and I feel like the more I am trying to untangle the mysteries around me, the more tangled it is becoming,' I said, and she sighed.

'No matter what happens, we have each other. And Augustus too. As much as I hate to admit it, he and his wolf have started to grow on me,

and I have started to feel attached to him,' Crystal said.

'You know that's the least of my concerns right now, right? I mean, it's good you are sharing your feelings with me, but that's not the exact topic we should talk about,' I said, and she hummed.

'I just wanted to let you know this so that you don't think twice before going forward with your relationship. Nothing is permanent in this world, but we can at least respect someone's feelings when they are showing them so openly, right? Even I can feel he is damn serious about you. The only thing stopping is yourself,' Crystal said, and I sighed irritably.

'Can we not talk about it? Besides, there are two reasons I don't move forward with him. First, I don't want him to give any false hopes when I am not even sure about what will happen to me in the next moment. I filled my life with so many uncertainties. Do you think I should bring him into this mess? Second, I don't want Blake to know about it, or he might make things harder for me when I'll try to get back my pack. He'll say I got myself another man,' I said, and she scoffed.

'Lies. All are just excuses. You are not going forward because you are afraid that you'll fall again, and you know you are falling for him. You are afraid that you'll fall so hard this time that it will shatter you completely if things don't work well,' Crystal said, and I grit my teeth.

'If you don't have anything good to say, then say nothing at all. I am already worried about so many things. I don't want you to add more to my plate and -'

'Truth is bitter,' Crystal said, cutting me off, and I took deep breaths to control my anger.

'Crystal, I swear to god if you don't shut up now, then I am going to block you from my mind for three straight days,' I threatened, and she chuckled, not saying anything nonetheless.

Standing from my place, I walked back towards the Palace, scrolling the phone when something caught my eye.

It was the social media page for L.J, and it shocked me to see how my recent killing spree was updated so accurately. I am sure there were no witnesses there. Then how is this possible? I thought and was about to close my phone when I looked at the new post under my account, making

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my eyes go wide as I saw the content of it.

Just what the hell? Who the hell is following me and doing this? I will have to find out about this person and catch him, or I'll be attacked again, and this time the rogues might be more in number. And what if they hinder one of the missions? That will piss me off even more.

Author's Note- Please keep commenting your views. You guys motivate me, and I am so thankful for your love and support.

