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Author's POV 1

Niagara Falls is not just a beautiful place. It is one of the few places where werewolves swore that they will not live. Why? Firstly because of the noise, they really hate the avalanche of water that never stops. Secondly, the tourists. Summer or winter it doesn't matter, they are always there. So that is a big no again. And in the third place the place is haunted.

You could say that there are no ghosts in the world, and I could agree with you, but some people said that there are no werewolves in the world and we know for sure that they are, so... never say never.

"I hate this place," Sam said and looked around. "So many stories, horror stories that I get goosebumps just thinkin' about it."

"I chose this place exactly for that. Because we all hate this place and it is the last place where Manganiello would think that we will come."

"Do you think that they will help us?" Francois said, looking at the empty clearing that surrounded them. "Yeah, they will," Max said, letting his head tilted back and closing his eyes. "And they will do it not for me, not for James but



for my father, for my grandpa and for London. Those three saved a lot of people years ago and they are respected and cherished among our own kind”

“They are here” James said and came near Max , who took his alpha attitude while Landon and Carter stood at his left and right side.

“What is this?” Carter asked and looked at Landon, but Landon just looked back at him and then at James.

“Bloody hell I know!” he said “James, who did you call?”

“Everyone I knew in Canada and my friends in Seattle, but those” and he pointed at the crowd that came closer and closer to them “ I’ve no idea who they are.”

There must be at least one hundred alphas that surrounded them, most of them having no relationship with Max or James’ families.

“Alpha” one of them said bowing in front of Landon and then to Carter. “We heard what happened and we came to help you.”

“But..” and Landon can’t gather himself “who did you find out?”

“People say we live in an age of information overload.” the man laughed. “Is enough for one of

us to know something and that information will go around the world”

“Thank you,” Landon said.

“You must be the husband,” that alpha said, smiling at him.

“I am, and just as my father said” and Max looked in Landon’s eye calling him like that “Thank you for everything.”

“You have nothing to thank me for. I’ve been looking for your wife since she was just a little baby.”

And hearing him Max took a step back and looked at this alpha.

“I thought that she died and at some point I’d given up the search for her, but yesterday the news that a royal woman was hunted by Manganiello reached my ear. And here I am, ready to rescue her.”

“But why?” James asked, coming near Max. “Who are you and why are you looking for my sister?”

“Because I was her guardian. I should have saved her back then but I failed miserably. When I found her parents they were dead and the baby girl was gone. I will never be able to thank you for raising her and helping her to become the powerful woman she is today.”



"We will help you too!" the rest of the alpha said.

"But why?" James asked again.

"Because we cherish your values. Look at this world! Look where we are today? We destroyed the system created in the past. We lost the royal lineage. She is the best thing that our race could get. A royal is a blessing. We didn't protect them back then, but now we know that we were wrong. She is a royal, she must live."

"She is a primordial wolf, too" Max said and watched their every reaction.

"Alpha , in what world does something like that exist?" a young alpha asked.

"In my world" max said smiling at him.

"We talked enough," he continued "let's make our strategy. My wife ran to confront Manganiello alone. Knowing her she did it to protect our family, so she doesn't know that we are here."

"This behavior is typical of a royal. She will always put the others above them. It's in her blood." and the man looked around.

"They will meet at Devil's Punchbowl somewhere around six PM" Francois said. "I have no idea what that place is but it sounds like crap."

"Because it is like that!" another alpha said. "It's



on my territory, and if those jerks come here they will pay through the nose for daring to act like this!" and he growls and it mindlinked his men.

"Will be a fight one at one" Max stated. "If you are in this you must know that there will be losses. You can die, I can die, my family members too. Are you with me in this to the end?"

And he emanates such a strong aura that everyone bows their heads.

"We will. We will not lose the last royal for being cowards. We will follow you and if we die doing it, so be it!"

"I can't believe this," Sam whispered, looking around.

"Neither I" Luke whispered.

"You should" Carter said mindlinking them. "This is normality. In our world we should look after each other, not fight for power. Those like Castellano have no place in this world and in the end they lost themselves in their struggle, but this..." and he shows the crowd that gathered here. "This is the way our world should look. "

"Meredith did that" Luke whispered.

"She brought them together"

"Us, not them" Carter corrected him.

"Let's go and take our positions" Max said after they talked and he looked at everyone As they left one by one to the target location.

Max's heart was so small, and a lot of things were running through his mind and he didn't even realize when London approached him.

"I know that you didn't want to hurt her. I know that, but it doesn't matter" and he put a hand on his shoulder.

"Is not the first time you break her heart, in the past it was not a surprise, but now you are mates, Maximillian," Landon said. "You are mates!"

"I love her, father," Max whispered.

"I know. But I will beat you again and again if you ever have the guts to act the way you did. It doesn't matter if you are angry or not, she is your mate and she has no fault. She did the right thing. You were selfish thinking that by protecting her you would have saved her."

"I know that now," Max said and looked in Landon's eyes."

"Hurt her again and I will take her with me. She deserves the best in this world, not your shit!"

"I am the best in this world for her! I was created especially for her!"



"It seems that even the gods can make mistakes, isn't it what you said when you found out that she is your mate?"

"I will bring her back!" Max said almost growling at his father-in-law.

"Show me!" Landon said and turned his back to Max and started walking while Max is damned furious right now.

"Did you make him nervous?" Carter asked Landon.

"Yes, man! He will break everything in his way now. Your plan worked." and Landon laughed through their mindlink.

"That's more like it!" And Carter just watched his son as he was taking some arms with him.

"Now, we have a real chance!"