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Max's POV 1

When the doors opened and I saw her in front of me, in that short ivory white dress, looking so perfect, with her hair caught in a ponytail and that simplistic makeup, just after Sam told me that he eloped with Cara, the first thought was to take her and force her marry me again.

And in the next second I fucked up again and closed the door in her face. But this time Stark couldn't keep quiet and he started to growl at me.

"You piece of human shit! You just rejected her again! When are you going to start doing the right thing in this relationship?" he asked me and my heart just stopped.

"I didn't reject her. But she wants to make her love me and I don't know how to love a woman, I don't know anything about love. To me everything is just out of impulse and out of necessity. She wants the fairy tale, and I am not some kind of prince! I am an alpha!" I told Stark.

"You don't know what love is? I will tell you what love is. Love is when even if you have all the things in the world but you don't have her, you



feel that you are the poorest man in the universe. "

Shit! I feel like this. Now even all the money in the world doesn't bring me relief knowing that I don't have Meredith.

"When you love someone you are not a fucking jerk that always thinks only to himself but in every moment of your life she is your first priority."

And my heart stops. This is how I felt last week, since I went to the house where I placed her years ago.

"When you love someone" Stark continues "You are telling the truth, you are not proud and you are not trying to hide what you feel. You just say, "I love you, I'm angry, I need you, I need time, I will die without you!"

But I am an alpha, I can't....

"Shut up, Max!" Stark yells at me.

"You will always be just a sad human and I will be a mateless wolf because of your ego. Do you want her? Then tell her! Stop lying to yourself! "

And I feel him howling in pain. And I know that all this is my fault. And I walk back and try to find her but Cara told me that she went to meet with James and his wife.



I called James and he was in Seattle with business, and I knew that something was not right.

So this is the way I teleported myself in front of her door, at her house. My heart broke when I saw her crying. She sat on the couch for an hour and watched how the aluminum alloy was made and just cried.

I let Stark take control because he is better at this than me and taking her in his lap, he caressed her face, wiped her tears and made her talk with us.

And when I thought that she was calm and we solved the issue , Stark made something unexpected.

"Tell me the theme!" Meredith said.

Stark's eyes started to glow and looked straight to her eyes. Holy fucking shit! He is going to do it!

"Stark!" I yelled at him. "She's not prepared!"

But right then looking at her very intense and saying the theme as it was his own oath he imprinted himself on her:

"Yours forever!" he said.

Meredith just looked at him in amazement, not knowing if this was the theme of the contest or



any statement, and immediately after he did what he had in his mind ,he gave me back the control.

"Your eyes are shining," Meredith said, holding out her hand and touching my face, making me feel the millions of tingles that run everywhere she puts her hand.

"Yeah, Stark was here too," I said.

"What does he look like?" Meredith suddenly asks me, shocking me. To talk about my wolf with a human is something I never thought was possible.

"He is pure black, with amber eyes." and I see her smiling.

"It looks a lot with James wolf, but he has white paws"

"No, his wolf is a little bit smaller" and I take her hand in my hand. Now being imprinted she will start to feel my feelings but all this is a process, and it needs time, and a lot of focus on my way to not fuck up again.

"What else?" Meredith asks without pulling her hand out of my hand.

"He is damned sassy and arrogant, and..." I say looking into her eyes.

"And what?" She asks like she is mesmerized by



my presence, but I know that this is happening after the imprinting process. Soon she will be normal again.

"And he really likes you."

"I love her, not just like her!" Stark said.

"So he is not the jerk from this story? You are ? " and yes...she's back!

"You could say so" I tell her but she is smiling at me.

"So in the end someone wants me, even if it is the animal in you!" and now I was perplexed.

"I need to go," I tell her. "I must go to Sam and Cara's party and I need to change"

"Shit, I forget. I need to go too. " She said, looking at her clock.

"Do you need a ride?" I ask.

"You don't have time to come back after me." she said without refusing me.

"I will wait for you. And you will come with me and then go together. Anyway grandpa asks about you all day. He thinks you forget about him! "

"Never!" Meredith said walking to her bedroom.

"Maybe we are divorced but he will always be my grandpa Cruz!"



And she starts to laugh closing the door behind her, but she immediately sticks her head out the door and asks me:

"What's the dress code? I forget to ask Cara "

"Casual, but you look good whatever you wear so..." I say but she stops me.

"Stop blabbering" she said and she closed the door but I heard her laughing behind the door.

In fifteen minutes she was ready, wearing some black skinny jeans, with a blue shirt and some black and blue sandals.

Her perfect ponytail moves as she comes towards me and smiles at me slightly, a little embarrassed but she is smiling in the end and that's all that matters.

"Are we going?" she asks.

I open her door and walk to my car. Shit, knowing that Stark imprinted himself on her makes me even more attracted to her.

"Are you alright?" she asked me.

"Yeah" I say to her. But in my mind I also say. "I just need a cold shower"

"Let's take you to see your favorite grandpa" and I pressed the accelerator, leaving my Koenigsegg to drive us to our destination " New Moon packhouse.

