# 84 Chapter 84 I want us to be official

Author's POV 1

As soon as Max heard that growl almost collapsed. If Meredith could growl that means only one thing. Someone marked her. He lost her. Someone stole his mate!

"Go for her, stupid!" Stark yelled. "Even if Castellano marked her, we can kill him and claim her as ours. There are rules that protect the mate bond, not everything is lost! "

And realizing that Stark is right he starts to run to the end of the corridor. Every time it must be the last room, the end of the road. In every story the same drama, but yet, Max ran as if his life was behind that last door.

He stops his steps when he just hears a pained "Don't kill me!" that he stopped from his race. But when the crack of bones follows, as well as Max, James, Landon and Carter are looking at each other in panic.

"Who the hell died?" Carter asked.

The four of them stand in front of the door and do not dare to open it.

They smell Meredith beyond the door, they smell

a lot of blood, and Castellano's brother but beyond that it's a frightening silence.

Some bones rearranging can be heard again.

Max just looks at the door. Is the first time in his life when he is motionless. Not even an eyelash moves, and when the door doorknob is pressed and the door begins to open even his breathing stops.

"Please, goddess" he said in his mind "Bring her back to me" and he closed his eyes.

"Goddess!" James yells as well as Landon when Meredith appears in the frame of the door, wrapped in a kind of sheet and runs to her and hugs her, but Max just collapses in his knees, putting his face in his palms and starts to cry.

"Dad" Meredith said seeing him like this "Please let me a second"

And although reluctant and still panicked not to lose her again, he lets her easily free herself from his embrace.

Meredith walks slightly towards him and when she reaches Max, she kneels next to him and hugs him.

"I am here!" she said seeing him so vulnerable. "I am here, Max"

"I thought I lost you!" he said, pulling her in his

arms and putting his face in the crock of her neck, but as soon as he did it he smelled her and felt Vincenzo's bite.

"He didn't mark me, just transformed me to save my life after he accidentally almost killed me" Meredith whispers, but hearing this all four men almost transformed.

"I will kill him!" James and London said at the same time.

"He can't hurt me anymore," Meredith said, smiling at them. "Believe me"

And she just looks at them.

But looking behind her, James sees Federico Castellano's dead body, with his head detached and looks in horror at Meredith.

"Mer," he says, not knowing how to approach the problem.

"I know you're strong and you trained with us, you have a black belt, but he was an alpha, What happened here?"

And right then Landon and Carter realize that the cry for help was Federico's and not Meredith's.

"He tried to mark me by force and he touched me in some inappropriate way, so my wolf took revenge on him. I did not intend to kill him, but

he dug his own pit. "

And Carter and London just look at each other without saying anything.

"It doesn't matter that she killed him. He was already dead when he made the plan to take her away from me. " Max said and caught Meredith in his arms and pulled her to his chest staying with his face in her neck. He just can't be calm. He needs to feel her.

"Son, we must go." Carter said. "The others aren't here anymore, let's go home."

"Can you go ahead?" Meredith asks, looking into Max's eyes. "I need to speak with Max, for a second."

"We will wait for you outside this fucking place. I just need air "James said and immediately turned on Leo and started running towards the exit.

"Max" Meredith said as soon as she was alone with him.

"Don't speak, please" Max said shivering while he held her in his arms.

"Max, we need to talk." she said gently, making him easily detach from her, just enough to look at her.

"I hate to see this bite on your neck. The only mark you wear should have been mine. " says

Max with a little jealousy.

"This bite saved my life." she said, smiling at him.

"Yet, it still annoys me." he said but this time he is more calm and bends down easily for a kiss.

"You see?" Meredith asks him "I am still yours and our bond is still here, and you want to know something?" she asks him looking in his eyes with a lot of love.

"Tell me, Meredith. I will listen... "he said, kissing her forehead.

"I feel it too." and Meredith takes one hand and places it on Max's cheek, making him feel those marvelous tingles that he missed so much.

"I feel the mate bond too, Max" she said and pecks his lips, smiling while kissing him and whispering "Mine"

"Mer" he whispers with his heart full of love. "Will you be my luna?"

and in an instant he takes her in his arms and walks from the room where Federico's Castellano remains will stay forever as a testimony to what happened here.

"I thought that I was already your luna" Meredith said laughing.

"You know what I am asking you. I want to offer

you a luna ceremony. I fucked up with our wedding, but I want us to be more than official "

"I do," Meredith said, smiling at him. "I will be your luna, but only after Cara and Leia will recover. I can't do this without Cara. She's my beta. "Meredith said very seriously.

"About that," Max said. "We need to talk. Something happened "

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