

Chapter 116

"I figured he would do something stupid, so I came over when I got done with the new school."

"Hey!" Ryker tries to talk, but I cut him off with a wave of my hand.

"You built a new school? When? Where?" I don't even know why I am curious. I shouldn't care. "Ugh."

"We will have plenty of time to tell you about all the projects we have going on Luna, as soon as you're done here. And please remember that whatever you decide, we have all been feeling your separation, and we understand." He points out into the hallway where Bennet, Danny and Greta are piled behind him, faces unreadable. They all heard me start my rejection and did nothing to stop it. I don't know how to feel about that revelation either.

I rub my face and hear the door click. They understand. What do they understand? What do they mean they have been feeling my separation? None of this makes any sense.

"He means that they know you are unhappy." I look up through my fingers at Ryker. Did I ask that outloud or can he read my mind? "Do you want to leave because you found someone else?"

I let my arms fall. "Is that really the only thing you can think of as to why I would not want to stay in your pack a second longer?" I am already exhausted with this conversation. "Ryker, you don't want me. Why on earth would I want to be where I am not wanted and I have other options?"

"What other options? You aren't seeing someone else?" I can't take it anymore. I move before my brain has registered what my body is doing



and slap him across the face.

"NO! You asshole! Even if I wanted to, no one but the packhouse omegas are allowed to talk to me. AND YOU WOULD KNOW, JUST LIKE I KNOW!" I rip my t-shirt up to show the mottled green and purple skin around my abdomen. "I f*cking know you've been with other women and it hurts." I sob, letting all my emotions from the last month and a half flow out. "Do you have any idea how much it hurts when your mate cheats? Do you?!" I try to scream, but it comes out screechy and weak. "It is so painful at times that I have fallen down or thrown up. And there isn't anyone around to help me, because no one is allowed to be friends with me thanks to you. Bennet can't talk to me or touch me. If he knew, he had to just watch." I rub my stomach trying to hold back the pain that comes with deep breaths. 3

"I didn't...know. You don't have a wolf, I didn't think it would affect you. I thought I just couldn't feel you with anyone else. I...I'm..." His chest is heaving like he just ran a race. 1

"Don't tell me you're f*cking sorry." I tug my shirt back down and start to pace in front of the couch. "If you would have just talked to me, we could have figured this out together. But you decided that you were the only one that could get hurt because I am a human and don't feel the same way you do." 1

"How did you know where to find the information?" He gestures towards the shelves.

"Seriously? What else was I supposed to do here by myself? You really just thought so low of me didn't you? Is that all women are to you, s*x toys? F*cking stupid ornaments?"