

Chapter 200

She rubs her face with both hands then turns those ice blues towards me. I have to keep reminding myself that I am driving and we can't run off the road because I am mesmerized by her. 1

"Dirk deserved to die tonight. The way he struck me," My hands grip the wheel tighter. "He's done that before and he would have done it again. The way he talked to me and about me. He's forced himself on females before. No one like that deserves to continue breathing. I don't know if that makes me a bad person, but I have experienced bad things and if I can save the next girl by letting you destroy him..." She shrugs again. 2

I reach out and she gives me her hand. "It doesn't make you a bad person. It makes you a good leader. No one wants to make decisions like this, but someone with a level head has to. I'm glad you are here with me."

I kiss the back of her hand as we pull up to the arena which is fully lit, although the sunrise is beginning to break. 2

"So what is the plan?" Kennedy asks, following me out my side of the truck. She hasn't let go of my hand.

"I want to start with Finn. He seems like he wants what's best for the people following him, but he also wants his mate. He knows she's going to die when we get her here. We need her to bring out Claude, if he really is her father, but I won't pretend to be interested in her, I can't. I'm not sure what to do honestly." 1

"We need to give him and anyone that wants it a place in the pack. We don't know what their circumstances are or how they ended up here, but they shouldn't be punished for what Claude and Amy are up to." 1



"What is your suggestion? I am open to ideas." I walk her through the gate to the arena, manned by two warriors.

The far gate also has warriors and more are patrolling the stands. We let the rogues pack and bring their tents. Greta and Grant were in charge of searching for anything that could be used against us as a weapon or poison. I think Kennedy is right and they were just in the wrong place at the wrong time and wolves need a hierarchy, they need a leader and will gravitate towards the strongest person around them. ③

"YOU MOTHERF*CKER! Where is my mate?!?" A large wolf comes at us. I push Kennedy behind me with one hand while blocking a punch with the other.

This guy is strong, but he's emotional and just flailing right now. I try not to hurt him, but I need to get him to calm down. Punch, dodge, punch. Every blow to his face knocks him back a bit, but he is not in his right mind, I can see it in his eyes. I am able to grab a wrist and knock his legs out from under him, spinning so he is kneeling in front of me, in a headlock, one arm behind his back.

"Knock it off. Take a breath and then talk to me with respect warrior." It takes several minutes for him to get his breathing under control, he doesn't resist me, but doesn't go slack in my arms either. ④

"Where is my mate? Your healer took her to look her over and she never came back." He growls out through clenched teeth. At least he figured out fast that if he wants answers he needs to be in control.

"Who is your mate?" Kennedy asks, walking around me to face him. I hate that he is between us and she knows it. She has her hands up, trying to look peaceful.

"Sammye." This time he sounds pained.



"And what's your name?" She's approaching closer and my hackles are rising. It didn't go unnoticed, because she flashes a warning look.

"Calvin, Luna"

"So she gets a title and I get called a 'motherf*cker.' How does she do that?" I half joke with my wolf.

"If the situation were reversed, would you be any different? You have him in a choke hold, with good reason, he could have hurt our mate. She is talking to him and listening calmly."

"Calvin, is your mate expecting?" He just nods against my arm. "Okay, there were two expecting and we gave them room in the dorms so our healers could keep an eye on them and they could be more comfortable. They are both malnourished and we want to make sure your mates and your pups are healthy. I'm sure you understand why we can't have you all running around right now. We will take you to her as soon as we can." Another nod. "You can mindlink her though." 1