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Gabi's POV

I put my arm back to motion Anthony, James, and Marie in, and I see it the moment it happens. Marie comes gliding up and into Derek's arms as if that was the best place in the world for her to be. I see pure happiness in Derek's eyes, and I heard Anthony start growling loudly. I smacked him in the upper arm and point to them and they are completely smitten with each other. I smile at them both and I am so glad this turned out how it did. Derek had changed, and for the better, and the Goddess blessed him for it. I pray that this is the start of a wonderful large new pack for Derek. Anthony rubs his arm like I hurt him and then smiled at me. He sees it too, and he sees that Derek has accepted her, immediately.

"You know Derek, you have already spent the money, how about we go ahead and have the Luna celebration Saturday, with you announcing Marie as your mate? I can help her go get a dress in town, you might as well, the full moon will be perfect for it" I told them, and Derek and Marie nod happily at my suggestion.

We took the next day off from training, as the threat had gone away, and now it was just regular training for the two packs. We also drove to Ever Green as Luna Liz had come out of her coma early today. It is Thursday and Derek wanted to introduce his mother to his Goddess-given Luna.

Luna Liz immediately took to Marie, and absolutely loved her and was telling her about how she will train Marie herself to be able to handle both packs, and that she was going to give Derek, some of her money to help the packs get stronger as well. Luna Liz had discovered the money funnel that Alpha Monty had set up, and he had attacked her after she had confronted him with it, the rogues coming in, was just a coincidence, Alpha Monty just wanted to use it as a cover.

The additional people coming into our packs were going to help make everyone stronger as Derek took 100 people, Tanner took 100 people and Heath took in the other 48 into his pack. Stone stayed with us as he wanted to train with us and spend some time with me, but Taylor got asked to leave Red River and never return. Tanner and I would be taking Stone back with us and dropping him off on the way home. Wyatt and Everly were OK with it and asked if we would mind spending the night when we dropped Stone off. I let Tanner decide and he agree to it, but He wanted a special lock on the door to our room, to make sure that Taylor could not enter our room.

Jason had stayed with Luna Liz since she was picked up on Monday morning and taken to Ever Green, and they seemed to have formed a bond. It was clear that they had a connection to anyone who looked at them. Luna Liz told us that she was planning on going down to the cells as soon as she was strong enough, to reject Alpha Monty. She spoke to the same two members of the Werewolf Council, Jeremiah Folkes, and Alaric Rhodes and she was videoed giving her statement about how Alpha Monty had come and attacked her in her office and tried to kill her over her finding the funnel Monty had created to skim funds off the pack's bank accounts. If she hadn't screamed out and Justin hadn't responded so quickly, as well as stopping the blood flow so well,

she would have died.

Luna Liz got stronger very quickly now that the Wolfsbane was completely out of her system. So, she was able to come Saturday morning to attend the Luna ceremony for Derek and Marie. She had Jason help her down to the cells on Friday, so she could give her rejection to Monty. Ever since she rejected Monty, she and Jason have been all over each other. Since Monty wasn't there to do it, Heath stepped in and performed the Luna ceremony for Derek and Marie, and they were official. It was a beautiful ceremony, and I was really happy for them.

Anthony was made Beta for the River Bed pack and was back at home with the rest of his extended family. The packhouse that was being built in the middle of the two packs was almost complete now and Derek and Marie would live there and raise their pups. Some of the new people who were in the pack would be there as well, as they had plenty of room for all, now that they had the three packhouses. Justin would be staying at Red River to be the Beta there and he had found his mate in one of the newcomers, a cute little 5'5" blonde with large blue eyes and a very curvy figure. Justin was already completely wrapped around her finger. Her name was Anita, and she was a sweet girl, I really liked her, and I was so glad that Justin had found her.

Luna Liz got the same makeup artist from Taylor's birthday party to come and do our hair and

makeup again, and Marie looked like a living doll for her special night. I saw when we all came out of the

room we were getting made up in, our men were all very appreciative of how we looked and immediately came to claim us as we walked out one by one from the room we used to get ready in. I saw Jason pick up Liz into a tight hug, and give her butt a nice smack. I believe Liz has found her second chance mate. I know that Vera and Wells Black were both OK with them being together, as they were firm believers in true mates, and Jason had never found his, and now we knew why she was with Monty. I have NEVER seen her happier. I wore a little black dress, and strappy black shoes and Tanner couldn't take his eyes off of me. I felt gorgeous with how he stared at me, making me blush. I had her leave my hair down, as it was always up in a ponytail, and the gentle waves it made going down my back looked great. I could feel his hand on my lower back playing with my curls all night.

Liz said that after she trains Marie, she and Jason were going to return to Black Night and Jason would be the next Alpha, with Liz being the Luna. I am so happy for them and with the way they are acting, I wouldn't be surprised if Derek ended up with a brother, or a sister, that were the same age as the baby that I knew that he and Marie would be having. Jason is 32 and 10 years younger than Liz is, but they are so cute together.

Heather found her mate when the refugees came, and she made a complete turnaround. She is not the same person she was, and I am glad that she found her mate, but I worry about him being able to handle her. I thought she was putting up a front, but after being around them both, I can see she loves him and wants to be with him, and I left it alone. Obviously, the Goddess put them together.

Hudson, Alan, and Jameson were all disappointed that they didn't find their mates at Red River, but we had the last 48 come to Ever Green. The single people came to our

pack, and I think the guys may luck out and eventually find their mates. I mean it was 27 women and 21 men that we got for Ever Green, so the guys have a good chance at finding their mates when we get back to Ever Green from the training. The families had stayed together by going into Derek's and Tanner's Packs, and Tanner had even rented two buses to take our refugees there so they could rest before they got there, and we didn't have to do 20 trips to transport everyone. I told the guys, that if they didn't find their mates at Ever Green, they could always come and visit me at Blood Rose and take a look around there for them.

Tanner was dotting on me after I had been returned to him. I remember that Wednesday night clearly because after he had bathed me and dried me, he had wrapped his arms around me in bed and pulled me to him, sniffing my neck. I could feel the tears coming from his eyes as he held me, and I could feel how upset he was. I turned towards him and cupped his cheek and kissed his lips gently and told him, "I am OK baby, I am here, what is wrong?"

"I couldn't stop thinking about what they could be doing to you, and I was scared. I was scared for you, and for our pups. You could be pregnant, and I was so worried about you and our pups. I don't know why, but I was just convinced that you were pregnant, Gabi" Tanner told me. I didn't feel different, but I guess it couldn't hurt to go get checked out. I made a doctor's appointment for the next Friday as that was the earliest that I could get in and Tanner went with me. I pee'd on a stick and they drew blood from me.

We waited about 20 minutes and the doctor came back in. The stick didn't have a positive, but the blood test, which is what they were waiting on, did have a positive. I am stunned and Tanner is overjoyed. He knew it and I didn't. The doctor told me that I am basically at 2 weeks now, so it was still early in my pregnancy and in another week, they would do an ultrasound to see how many pups we were going to have. She told me that I can still do everything that I did before, just to not be too aggressive, as she knew I was one of the trainers. I couldn't wait to tell my teammates, and I was so glad that Von was here at Red River, visiting Liz and Heath, so we could tell them all together.

That night at dinner Tanner could not stop smiling, like an i***t. I kept bumping against him to get him to stop, but he wouldn't. He couldn't wait for me to tell my parents and then he was going to tell his.

Everyone kept glancing over at Tanner, but he didn't say anything, he just kept grinning because he was so happy. Finally, Heath looked at him and said, "What the hell is wrong with you? What is up with that weird smile?". I started smiling too and Tanner yelled out, "Gabi and I are pregnant". The table erupted in cheers and von and Liz started crying for me. Heath and Von hugged each other and Heath said, "We are going to be grandparents". Von was on her phone 5 minutes later and ordering two cribs. I saw her and was like, "We don't know how many pups we will have yet, you should wait, we will know next week. It could only be one".

Von told me without even looking up, "Don't take this from me, baby girl. But I think it will be at least

two and maybe even three. Tanner is strong and you are the daughter of an Alpha, you two were meant to produce strong babies. I can always order another crib if it is three. I am so excited" and then hugged me again.

After dinner, we went upstairs to our room and Tanner ended up facetimeing his parents so he could tell them the good news. They mindlinked his brother and sister so they were all present. His dad saw his smile and already knew because he reached out and grabbed his wife's hand in excitement. When Tanner told them, they were just as happy for us as Heath and Von had been. I am so glad we have great parents who are so happy about our growing family.

Aria said to me, "We need to get your Luna ceremony done, the next full moon is in two weeks, on the last Saturday of August. Is that OK with you Gabi?"

"Sure, I am totally OK with that. We will be back home three days before that, as the training will be complete then. Pick whatever you like, I don't know the people there that well, to know what you usually eat yet. I am easygoing with food; I can always find something I like. I can order a dress online" I told them.

Alicia is jumping up and down and said, "No, mom and I will take you shopping, this is a big deal, and you need a nice dress" I smiled at her and said, "Sure, we will all go shopping when we get back".

We fall asleep and I dream of three babies like Von had mentioned and I am overwhelmed, even in my sleep. I hope it is only two. Tanner wraps his arms around me and pulls me into him and I start to sleep peacefully. I know that together we can handle however many we end up having.

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Taylor Won't Give Up Chapter 82

Taylor's POV

I got kicked out of Red River, and Stone got to stay, what kind of bullshit is that? I had even left Tanner alone as he had kind of scared me with how crazy he went, all because Gabi got taken. She should be used to it by now, this is her second k*****g. I was having a great week at home and I had just gotten back from shopping and had gone to tell my dad that a warrior needed to take my Mercedes in to get an oil change when I hear my parents squealing with excitement.

I am wondering what the hell could have made mom and dad so happy and I heard Stone telling them "Yes, she is almost 3 weeks pregnant so when they drop me off next week, she will be coming up on her first month. With it being an Alpha baby for her and her mate she may not even make it to the whole 5 months, so I guess you need to get ready because Gabi is pregnant. They will find out how many pups tomorrow".

I guess she is his mate because usually, it is an actual true mate that produces children so quickly. I back away from the door and head back to my room. I can always mindlink them later about my car. I need to make some plans. I haven't given up on Tanner yet. I just need to get rid of Gabi. I am glad I still have those two vials to keep me from having to tell the truth because Tanner is going to come straight to me when his precious little mate gets taken. He would be right too, it will be because of me. I need to get this plan up and running. I will contact Dana at Blood Rose and tell her the good news so she can help me get rid of Gabi, once and for all. She keeps coming back like a freaking cockroach, and I am done with her. I need her gone and I guess I will find someone who

can make her disappear, forever. I will sweeten the deal by letting them know she is carrying an Alpha pup, and she is an Alpha too. The pup, or two, will go for a good price.

They just need to make very sure; that she doesn't ever come back again. I will just wait here for him to realize that I am the one for him. I know people from some of my dealings and I know just the man for the job, Alex Winter. He knows the kind of people that can sell the babies off and make sure that they disappear too. I don't care if he sells Gabi too, but she better never ever come back here.

I pick up my phone and make an appointment to meet him for lunch tomorrow.

Tomorrow will be 2 weeks since I got booted out of red River, and I am still pissed about it. Piper isn't even Luna there, some

girl named Marie is. Apparently, Piper was a lot worse than anyone knew, and I was impressed, I guess that is why we got along so well.

I want to keep any record of what is going on, off my phone. I did call him, but he is not an i**t, if he doesn't know you, he is very evasive. I start planning on what I will be wearing for lunch tomorrow. I hope mom and dad tell me how many pups, so I can relay it to Alex. He makes big money off of pups, especially

the newborns. With them being Alpha babies too, you can get top dollar. I want a piece of the cut too. If she has three babies, I will want the money for at least one of them for myself. I need to build up a nest egg, Mom and dad warned me to stop my s**t, or they will be kicking me out next year on my 18th birthday. I will need a little nest egg, so you know, a girls got to do, what a girls got to do. He will have money from selling gabi too, or renting her out, either way, it will be a moneymaker.

I don't feel bad about it, she shouldn't have tried to horn in on my action. I told her that Tanner was mine, she should have backed off, or rejected him, I don't know, but she should have done something. This

is all on her because I did warn her. I always get what I want, and I want Tanner. I will be the Luna of the Blood Rose pack, and I will eventually produce him an heir.

I grab a swimsuit and head out to the pool it is almost time for training, and I need to pick a new guy out. The training field is close to the pool, and I will not be swimming, but I will be laying out to get some sun. After me being Alpha commanded the Beta, Jared, still hadn't touched me since. Scared that he might be tossed under the bus and my dad be pissed off and punish him. But they didn't ask me about who my partners were so he is still good, but I need to check out the new selection of warriors, I have already tried out a few of them, but I haven't found one who really works for me in the long term.

Plus, they have to be able to keep their mouths shut about me. My parents can't find out, they are still pissed from finding out that I was sexually active.

I get on my smallest suit, a little black number that will show off my tan. and a coverup, so I don't get busted as I head out, I grab my lotion and a book. I won't be reading, but it will look like I am as I wear sunglasses out there and cover my face with a hat. School starts in September, and I wanted to look as

nice as I can for when it does. I see three potential prospects coming out with the group for their daily practice. I picked up the book higher so I wouldn't make it obvious that I was checking them out, but one of them knew, he could probably feel my eyes on him. He was in great shape, and I could tell by how cocky he was, that he would be a good choice, there is always a reason for men to be cocky, and I knew he

would be a good choice to spend time with. He had dark hair and although I couldn't see his eyes from here, he looked a little like Tanner from this distance, so I already knew who I was going to pick.

I wait for them to get done an hour later, and I spent the time wisely, I turned over and tanned my back and legs, and let him appreciate my form, I was in good shape, and I didn't mind the guys looking. Unless I approached them, they knew better than to approach me. I see Jared speaking to the one I was about to separate from the rest of them, and I could tell that the warrior wasn't listening to him at all, as he felt I was worth the risk he was about to take, and I am.

I smile at him as he and his friends passed by and said, "Hey" with a nod to him. I see his friends are disappointed, but maybe next time boys, I knew who I was after for this round. I invited him in to get a bottle of water in the pool house with me and we lock the door behind us, I don't need any surprises. I motion to the shower, and I follow along behind as I needed to get the suntan lotion off of me anyway.

I watch him strip down quickly and I see I made an excellent choice. I take my suit off and watch his eyes fill with lust and I already see his d**k hitting his stomach. I made a VERY good choice. I slip into the

shower and make sure to try to keep my hair out of the water as I would not look as good as a drowned rat, and my makeup would look bad too. I managed it because he was enjoying washing the body wash off of me with his hands. I reached down and gave a few tight pulls on his d**k, and I knew he was ready to go, I was too, and I slid a condom on him and rolled it down. I keep a couple of packs here in the pool house, just in case. He picked me up and then let me slide down his body until his tip was at my entrance. He dropped me fast and I screamed out in pleasure. He already knew what I wanted. I need hard and fast, and he was happy to help me out. I felt so full with him, and I leaned forward so my breasts would be in his face and my clit would be rubbed with each stroke in and out. I put my arms around his neck and was moaning near his ear encouraging him to go faster for me. He pulled a n****e into his mouth and pulled on it hard as he tugged it back into his mouth, and I felt that pull all the way down to my lower stomach and I appreciated how good he was at this. He was very enthusiastic about this, and it was probably because he had been staring at me for the last hour and needed no foreplay.

I feel the glass wall of the shower stall hit my back and he keeps one hand around my waist and one hand at the top of the stall to help him keep up the power on his upwards thrust, and I have to commend him, he is VERY good at this, and I will have to learn his name so we can definitely do this again. I feel so full, and I know that I am close, and feel his hand that was on the top of the stall come down and he starts to rub my clit, and I c*m hard, screaming out without a care of who might hear it, and me cuming made him make just one more stoke before he came too. I feel like I have no bones and I really like this guy. I will

definitely need to learn his name before I cut him loose. I smile at him as he lets me slide down to touch the floor and he grins back and winks at me. •

I will have to make sure we get to go out and get a hotel next time, as I will want time with him and a bed, to see what other tricks he has up his sleeve. He reaches out and strokes one of my breasts, and then gives that n****e a tweak. I smiled up at him and said, "What's your name?"

“Vincent, but please call me Vince,” he told me. “I am Taylor,” I told him. “I know who you are,” he told me. “Jared warned you about me?” I asked him, with a smirk.

“Several of them warned me about you, but I like to take risks, honey,” Vince told me and gave me a cocky grin.

“Nice to meet you, Vince, we need to make plans for our next adventure, as I would like to see more of you. I think we should maybe go to a hotel, eat in their restaurant, and take it upstairs for dessert one day. I need it to be during the day, as I can’t be gone overnight anymore since I got busted with my parents

“I told him.

“I can make that happen. I enjoyed our little visit too. Just let me know, and I can tell Jared to move me around so I can do that” Vince told me.

We exit the pool house, and separate, and I head up to my room to shower and get fresh again. I am glad I found him, he doesn’t talk a lot, he doesn’t want to have a relationship, and he did a great job. I

wouldn’t mind making him be a permanent choice for the next little bit. Things are looking up for me. Maybe I can have Vince help me out for a couple of months until Tanner is finally willing to make me his Luna. I am humming in the shower, yes, my life is finally on the upswing.

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Giving the Wilsons a Second Chance Chapter 83

Gabi’s POV

The time flew by at Red River, and they threw a little BBQ the night before we left to thank us for all we did to help them out and prevent any more deaths from occurring. I will miss several of them, Justin, and his mate Anita, Marie, and Anthony. I have gotten quite close to him in the last few weeks, and we made sure that he got extra training just for him to be effective in his new role as Beta at River Bed. He listens and he cares, and he learned quickly, we even taught him some good takedowns and hope he will stay safe in his new ranking. He is a lot happier now that he got to accept Piper’s rejection. I know the kind of pain that he was dealing with, and he was right, I wouldn’t wish it on anyone else.

We had gone to the doctor last week and we have two pups, they said that they looked healthy and that in the next few weeks we would be able to determine their s*x of them. So, we will be going in two weeks from now, when I am at the land a half month mark to see what we are having. Tanner’s Brother Gavin and Alicia drove from Blood Rose to come and get us, as his SUV was taken back to Blood Rose when we left to come here to train. Gavin and Alicia also wanted to come with us to spend the night at Crimson Shadow, just in case, as we all knew Taylor would be there. Stone climbed into the last row and plugged into his music and started playing a game on his phone. It was almost September now, and his 18th birthday would be in the second week of October. I had gotten to spend a lot of time with him after Taylor left and I love him. He is sweet and calm, and he has had to struggle for years because of Taylor. Apparently, she runs that household and he is the “fixer” now, fixing everything that she messes up. I really wish I

could get her out of his hair, but I know our parents still have a blind eye turned towards her about the extent of her behavior. She has no redeemable qualities, and she has been told she has to straighten up, or she is out on her 18th birthday. I just really don't think that our parents have clued in as to how bad she really is. I know that she hasn't given up on Tanner, she is just laying low right now, and I really am concerned about how far she is willing to go. This is not going to end peacefully. I may have to kill my own sister, I hope I won't have that kind of pressure put on me, I am pregnant, and I cannot get into a full-blown fight, but I can't allow her to hurt me or the pups. I will end her if my pups are put in danger. That will be unforgivable in my book. As far as I am concerned, she has gone way past acceptable, and she deserves anything that I give her.

Gavin and Tanner are in the front seats and Alicia and I are in the second row. Alicia doesn't want to go there either, but she would rather her and Gavin be present than we be there alone, just me and Tanner. She is good with going as a backup for us. She keeps smiling at my stomach, and you can't really see anything yet. I have to be naked for you to see my tiny little bump, but the doctor told me that soon I will be showing in just a short month, and I won't be able to hide it anymore.

I catch myself rubbing my small little baby bump or speaking to them already. The doctor also told

me that they can hear me and Tanner, so sometimes at night he lays with his face near my stomach and tells them how much he already loves them. It is the sweetest thing I have ever seen in my life, and I am so

excited for them to arrive. We have four more months to go, but I know this is probably going to go fast and I am excited about it. They are set to arrive around Christmas.

Tanner has already made plans for the room next to ours to be changed up and made into a nursery for them. Aria, Tanner's mom, did the same thing that Von did, and ordered two top-of-the-line beds for them and was chomping at the bit to help me design the room. Both the beds are dark wood, and I was waiting until we found out what we were having to make plans for the decorations. I was going to go to the pack doctor at Blood Rose tomorrow after we arrive there to get put on the schedule for regular appointments. They said every two weeks until I was three and a half months pregnant, and then weekly as they said that Alpha babies grow quickly and that with us both being Alphas, I could have them at four and a half months up to 5 months.

I feel like I am being watched and look into the rearview mirror to see Tanner grinning at me. I smiled back at him and thank the Goddess again for giving him to me. I am so very thankful for him, and I love him so much. Even having to deal with my pain in the ass sister over him, because she is clearly delusional. I hope this visit goes quickly and with no problems. I hope I don't see her at all, but I will give my parents a second chance. Stone has asked me if it was OK to tell them and I told him, yes, but not to tell Taylor. I don't need her trying to shove me down a flight of stairs to kill me, or the babies, so the longer she is in the dark about me being pregnant, the safer I will feel around her.

Alicia is happy and telling me about what the pans are for the Luna ceremony and asking me what color dress I want, traditional white dress, or did I want to get one with color which is what some packs are doing with their Luna ceremonies. I just helped Marie pick hers out, and listening to her talk about how the Luna Ceremony is kind of

like a marriage ceremony made sense, as mates we don't usually do or need the formal ceremony. She went with a white gown, for both the wedding vibe and to be like a beam of moonlight at the ceremony in respect to the moon Goddess, Selene, to bless the union. I will be doing the same thing.

"I will be getting a white dress, with respect to the moon Goddess, and it gives it a wedding vibe too," I told her, and she nodded in approval. I think she liked the traditional approach and that I was taking it seriously

"I love you being traditional, I am going to do the same thing if I become a Luna, or whatever rank I am mates with. I can't wait to meet him; I am already 18 and I wish he were here already. I had hoped I would meet him when I turned 18, but it hasn't happened yet, and I am getting frustrated. I hope I get a good man when I do get him. One that values and respects me and takes care of me. I don't want a man-whore. I have prayed about this and if he is a man-whore, I don't know if I am strong enough to reject him with the mate bond being so strong. I will continue to pray for my mate, I know the Goddess will take care of me" Alicia tells me, and I smile at her, I hope she gets a good man too.

Alicia continues to talk animatedly to me for the rest of the trip, only getting quiet when we arrive in

front of the packhouse at Crimson Shadow. We are all quiet looking at the front of the packhouse and no one wants to open the door and get out, not even Stone, who lives here. He is sitting there like he is gaining strength just to enter the doors himself. I know it has got to be hard living with Taylor, I cannot imagine what kind of stress he is under, living here with her.

We get out and go to the door, I heard squealing coming at us and the door flies open with my mom, Everly standing there grinning widely at me, and my dad, Wyatt is right behind her. They both look really happy and without intending to, I smiled back at them, because I could see how excited they were to have me come and visit. I can give them another shot at this. I know it was shocking, my visit, as it was shocking to me as well. I didn't know that they were my birth parents, and it came as a shock to me as well. I may have overreacted with my behavior because I was hurt that instead of them wanting to spend time with me, and show me that they accepted me, they chose to spend time with Taylor when she lives here. They could talk to her anytime. I deliberately didn't give them my cell number, and I refused their calls at Ever Green too. They needed to give me some space to process this, as I know now that Heath and von knew the second that they saw my wolf, to whom I belonged.

I was a little hurt over that too, but they told me that I had just stopped having nightmares over Jack and what he did, and Derek rejecting me. Both of those things took a toll on me, and they didn't want to reverse the process giving me additional stressful news. Plus, they felt like they were my parents now, they are OK with me having a relationship with Wyatt and Everly, but as far as they were concerned, I am their child. They didn't have to give birth to me to feel the amount of love they have for me. I was so

thankful to the both of them, they were right, they would have heard the nightmares, and I know that was hard on them too.

I would just take this slowly, and if I don't feel comfortable meeting them here, because of Taylor. I would just start meeting them at a restaurant between our packs and we

could start building up the relationship that way. Because I don't know if I can ever feel truly comfortable here after all that Taylor has done to me and Tanner. Everly hugged Stone, and then Wyatt hugged him, and Stone moved past them to set his duffle bag down near the bottom of the stairs. Everly held her arms out to me and I walked slowly towards her and Wyatt and allowed them to hug me together, and it was nice.

This is a good start and I let them hold me for about two minutes until someone cleared their throat and said, "What a heartwarming family moment, that I wasn't included in". We all looked up the stairs to watch Taylor walk down the stairs in a very tight outfit. I can tell by how she was put together that this wasn't her normal dinner set-up and her parents looked at her and asked, "Are you going out tonight, Taylor?"

"No, I just wanted to look nice for dinner is all. I don't need a reason to dress up, but it is nice to do it

occasionally. I loved this new outfit that I picked up at the mall. Do you like it, Tanner?" Taylor said and gave a twirl, and stopped near him smiling up at Tanner, who rolled his eyes and moved closer to me to put his arm around my waist almost like he was protecting the babies from whatever Taylor was about to do.

I saw Taylor look at my stomach, and give it a really hard look like she was trying to see something before she stopped and just smiled faintly and walked off to the dining room. I am worried, she knows, she didn't look at my stomach when we were here for her birthday party, or at Red River pack. I see that Stone had noticed what she did too. I am glad because I don't want people to think I am crazy. But I KNOW that she knows. I walked up to Everly and Wyatt and asked them, "Did either of you tell Taylor that I was pregnant?"

"No, we made sure to keep it to ourselves. Stone told us to not tell her" Everly replied, and Wyatt nodded in agreement.

"She knows, she just stared at my stomach, and she didn't do that the last time I was here, or the last time she saw me. This is making me very worried. I am sorry, I don't feel safe staying here, I can't give her the opportunity to hurt me or the babies. I don't know if I can stay here" I told them, and they can tell from my anxious behavior that I believe what I am telling them.

They sighed in understanding, and Wyatt told me, "We understand. Maybe we can start meeting you somewhere else for lunch away from here, so Taylor isn't with, or near us. If that is, OK? We realized that we didn't know our daughter like we thought we did, and after what Dawson said to us before you all left the day after the party, we really had to have a good hard look at our behavior, and we didn't like what we saw. We have created a monster in Taylor, so we have tightened up on her and we will not let her get away with what she has in the past. We also told her if she didn't start doing right, that when she turns 18, she will be out of our pack, and on her own. We have no idea how she will support herself, as we have spoiled her. We tried to overcompensate for what happened to you, by spoiling Taylor. It never helped you, and it created a monster in Taylor".

I have to agree, but at least they see it now, and they seem to want to spend time with me. She is still spoiled as she made sure to mention her new clothes, but I don't need a lot of stuff. I have what I need in Tanner.

"I would like to get to know you, and you get to know me. Stone can give you my cell number, but please don't give it to Taylor. I am sorry, but she has already put me through enough, and I really don't want to deal with any more from her. The doctor said I need to watch my stress levels while I am pregnant. So, we can just meet somewhere in between us and here for lunch, if that is OK with you?" I told them.

"Quincy has some good restaurants, and it is almost exactly halfway between here and there, and we can change up restaurants each week if that is good with you?" Everly asks me.

"That sounds good to me, that is a great idea. We can start doing that next week if you want to" I told them. I hugged Stone goodbye and told him that he could give them my cell phone number. I hugged both of my parents goodbye and they both seemed upset, but I think that they are finally getting just how deceitful Taylor really is now. I cannot put myself in a position to be hurt, or allow our babies to be hurt. I wave goodbye and see Taylor coming out of the dining room and watching us leave and as the door closes I heard her say, "Why is Tanner leaving?". She isn't going to let this go, and my hope for a peaceful

resolution to this goes out the window. She will NOT be letting him go, and neither will. We are at an impasse, and I worry about just how far she is willing to go to try to get Tanner. I need to keep my guard up at all times.

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Giving Them a Second Chance Chapter 84

Tanner's POV

I do see Wyatt and Everly trying to do better. I can see that they do want to build up a relationship with her, and I am glad. She didn't really say anything about how she felt about how they did her to me after it all blew up after Taylor's birthday party, but I knew it had to have hurt her. I am so glad that Heath and Von love her as they do and claimed her straight away. They dote on her, but Gabi is easy to love.

Stone and Gabi have gotten along so well, they think about things the same way and are so similar to each other. They are both very intelligent, and quick learners at whatever they are doing, and they also have similar fighting styles as well, which I had noticed during training. I also see that Taylor is very smart as well, but she likes to be devious and malicious with how she does, and only cares about herself.

I know now why Stone was hesitant to get around Gabi now, and that is because he has been burned too many times by Taylor. He knows the stove is hot and he didn't want to deal with two of them, which thank the Goddess there are not two Taylors. I don't know of anyone who could have put up with that. It would be a nightmare. I saw Taylor coming as I had felt someone watching me and I glanced up to see her standing at the top of the stairs looking at me, it was creepy. Then she made her comment so she could get her parent's attention. I have to hand it to her, she is really good at getting people's attention. She craves it, and Gabi was right to feel like Taylor knew about the babies. I can feel it; I saw her looking at Gabi's stomach and all bets were going to be off if that b***h does something to my Gabi or my pups.

Taylor WILL be killed for doing something to my Gabi, or to my babies and I will burn this whole place down before I would let her be successful at it. She has pissed us off many times with the bullshit that she pulls with trying to get me, but I am not, nor have I ever been, hers, I will never be hers. At this point, she is truly delusional, and I told Stone that I would be calling him tomorrow to talk. I need someone on the inside and it can only be Stone.

After Wyatt accused me of sleeping with Taylor, and admittedly Taylor is a convincing liar, I swore to him that I hadn't. I asked him to go ahead and Alpha command her, and he didn't do it until Alpha Heath told him to. Then Alpha Wyatt finally did it, and it did get straightened out, but I still have an issue with Alpha Wyatt not believing or trusting me. We were allies and had a treaty, both of those are gone. I may make another one with Stone, I do trust him more than Alpha Wyatt, but Wyatt and Everly are crazy if they think that I will let Gabi go to their pack by herself, plus, she can't drive yet. So, I or someone who can protect her will go with her, to every one of their meetings.

I shake my head again thinking about Taylor. I am completely annoyed at her and her actions, I am not a toy. I am not a prize to be won, I am a person and I deserve to be able to have my mate and be with my mate without us having to constantly watch over our shoulders. She can't just claim me, that is not how it works, and it truly shows how immature and childish she still is that she thinks that she can. Her thinking like this makes her dangerous because she is willing to literally do anything to get me, including getting rid of Gabi permanently. That is what I need to talk to Stone about. We may need to get some audio in her room so we can hear her in her room and making plans, she hasn't trained and cannot beat Gabi, even with Gabi pregnant. Taylor is going to have to outsource this, and I need to know who she is going to deal with, so I know who to go after. I will go after Taylor too, but she will hang around because she will think she is in the clear, plus she has the potions to keep her from being compelled to tell the truth, even under Alpha Command. Or so she thinks, she would be wrong about that. I will pull no-punches for her as she was warned far more times than she should have ever been to try to keep from hurting her, but I will tell you this if my mate is taken then what Taylor saw at Red River will be NOTHING compared to what she will deal with if she is stupid enough to do something to Gabi again.

We pull up to the Gate to leave and on this part of the trip Gabi was upfront with me, and Gavin is in the backseat playing on his phone. I am excited as I want to hold Gabi's hand while I am driving, we pull up to the gate to leave and go to Blood Rose, and I see the warrior at the gate stop and do a double-take at Gabi. I could tell that he probably first thought it was Taylor, as they both look exactly like their mom, but Gabi's black hair and blue eyes make her more beautiful in my opinion. I stop to let them know that we are leaving, and the warrior bends down and looks at Gabi and said, "Are you Taylor's sister that I have heard about?"

Gabi look sat him and said, "I am Stone's sister. I do not claim any relation to Taylor". "I am sorry, it is just you look exactly like her, I am sorry if I made you uncomfortable. You are both lovely women" the warrior said, and that was bold, so I growled at him to make it clear that she wasn't available.

He holds his hands up and said, "Sorry man, but you know Taylor has kind of a reputation around here and I was going to let her know that. It is not a good reputation, so I wanted to warn her, so she would know for her next trip here. I don't think anyone would confuse them, with the different hair color, but we heard that the missing daughter was back, but none of us had seen her yet. I didn't mean to insult your mate" the warrior said, and he had looked at Gabi's neck the second that I growl at him and realized his mistake. Great, Taylor is working through the warriors at this pack. I am glad for the head's up, now I am positive that Gabi will NOT be coming back here again, especially alone.

He tells us to have a good day and tells the other warrior at the gate to let us out, and I see the guy in the booth looking hard at Gabi, and with a familiar grin on his face. He is probably one of the warriors messing around with Taylor, and I notice that he looks like me a little. He is a big guy, with black hair too, and I realize that because Taylor is picking guys that look a little like me, she isn't just delusional, she is obsessed. She really has a bigger issue than we thought, and I cannot get Gabi away from here fast enough. When I speak to Stone, I will give him a heads up on Taylor and the warriors and for him to keep his ear to the ground as I know because I can feel it like a physical thing, that Taylor has a plan, and it will be the worst one yet.

We didn't get to eat at Crimson Shadow so we stopped in Quincy on the way home so we could grab some lunch. Everyone felt like burgers, so we stopped at Mill Street for lunch. It was nice and Gabi was looking at all the other restaurants there as we headed back out on the road. I already know she was making a list of where to go when she met with her parents. She seemed a lot happier now and I know that she did want a relationship with them, she just covered up her pain and didn't share it. Gabi is tough, inside and out, but we all need someone that we can share our innermost thoughts with, and I want to make sure that tonight when we go to bed, she knows that I want to always be that person for her.

Treached out my hand to Gabi on the console, and she places her hand in mine, and my life feels perfect right now. I have my mate, and our pups on the way and I cannot imagine my life getting any better than it is at this moment.

We pull up to the gate at Blood Rose with the emblem of the deep red rose in an intricate design on the gate and I am proud to show her my home. I hope she likes it as we drive up to the front of the packhouse and I park and watch my mom and dad coming down the steps to greet us. I see my Beta Peter, and his mate Josie right behind them and I know that he has heard all about Gabi from Gavin. Peter has wanted to meet her since he announced to me that the trainers from Ever Green had their first female trainer. Peter has mad respect for her and is chomping at the bit to see if she can help train the warriors, because anyone can make improvements, even highly trainer warriors.

I feel someone watching us and look to the side of the packhouse and see Dana and three other girls standing there, and they are all warriors and had occasionally flirted with me previously. I turned them all down, as I was looking for my mate. I guess Dana hasn't given up, she is still trying to start s**t and my mate is pregnant, I will not allow anyone to mess with Gabi, at any time. I already know that I need to call a town hall meeting and announce their new Luna, and also give all these women who

are holding out hope a warning. I cannot allow someone who has the intent to hurt my mate or my pups to be allowed to stay here. I also need to make sure I remember to punish Dana for allowing Taylor onto our packlands. mindlinked Peter and told him to send out a mandatory town hall meeting tonight, for all pack members except those who are on patrols. I have some announcements to make, and we will get everyone all straightened out.

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Gabi Arrives at Blood Rose

Chapter 85

Gabi's POV

Tanner takes my bags up to our room, and I get another shiver at the thought of "our" room. He gives me a little tour of the room he wants to make up for the twins to have, right next door to us. He already told me that he will be having another door put in between our room and theirs and that we would be locking their door to go into the main hallway until they are older. He is already so concerned for their safety, and they haven't even arrived here yet. He makes me smile with how much he already loves them, and I have to admit my favorite time is him laying his head on my stomach and speaking to them. He makes my heart melt when he does that.

I saw the little fan group I already had, over to the side of the packhouse and I already know that Dana has tried to poison me with those other girls. They all looked mad at me, and I don't even know them. Why would they immediately take a dislike to me, when they haven't even given me a chance for them to get to know me. Alicia saw them too and gave them a glare and they broke up their little group and walked away. Aria saw them too and shook her head. I have heard that we are having a town hall meeting tonight, and I have a feeling that this little fan club I have is going to be put on notice about their behavior. Sooner, rather than later.

If I wasn't pregnant, I could take them on and beat them, and then we could all move on, but I have no idea what Dana has told them about me, but I did know she was the root of the problem. Well, besides the fact that Dana thinks she deserves to be the Luna. She had a mate, it isn't Tanner, why she rejected her Goddess-given mate, is completely beyond me. There is no one better for you than the one that was chosen specifically for you. It just goes to show that she just wants the title, and is power-hungry, not in it for love.

Aria and Dawson were so excited for me to finally be here at Blood Rose. They missed Tanner, but they only had a bit of time with me before we had to leave Crimson Shadow. Since I don't drive, anytime I meet my parents in Quincy either Tanner, Dawson, Aria, Alicia, or Gavin will go with me. To drive me, and to watch over me as I am pregnant with the heirs of the Blood Rose pack, they want me to be safe and secure. I don't want anything to happen to the babies either, so I am thankful for the help I am going to receive from them. Now that I know that Taylor knows I am pregnant, I will be even more aware of my surroundings at all times, and I am going to keep up my training as well. The doctor told me that I could do what I was already doing, and I plan on keeping in shape, as I won't know when Taylor will try something, but I know she eventually will, and I need to be ready.

Tanner enjoyed showing off the packhouse and the training grounds to me. They do have a good number of highly trained warriors, who were allowed to stop the training and be introduced to them all. The head trainer, Jason Smith, was a good-looking guy, and he was 21 years old too, just like Tanner. They had been friends since childhood and Tanner trusted Jason with his life. Jason had dark brown hair and light green eyes and was trained in both Taekwondo and Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu. When Tanner introduced me and then told him that I was the first female trainer for the Elite trainers from Ever Green, I saw Jason's eyes light up, and he asked me if I was good to spar with him one day. I agreed but told him he would have to wait until the New Year, as I was pregnant with our twins right now. Jason immediately hugged Tanner and then me and congratulated us both on the pregnancy.

The female warriors milling around were not happy about the news and were not being subtle about their displeasure with me. Tanner called them over and told them that I needed nothing but support from my pack, as I am the Luna, and that he better never hear anything bad said about me again. He was definitely starting out on a tough note with them. I got several narrow-eyed looks and I heard mumbles, but they kept them low as Tanner was still watching them. He will get them straightened out tonight at the town hall meeting.

We had a good dinner with his family, and I was catching a lot of attention. Both good and bad, and from the looks of it, all the bad was coming from the unmated females of the pack. We arrived early at the town hall for me to meet with The Beta, Peter, and his wife Josie, and I got to meet the Gamma, Harrison Miller, and his mate Millie, who was nicknamed M&M because she was sweet and because that is what her initials were for Millie Miller. I told her that she has a name that could be a challenge to say five times fast, and she laughed. They were really nice and welcomed me into the pack. They were excited because Tanner would be even stronger with me by his side. They were also excited about me training with them after the pups arrive. I have to admit, I was looking forward to training with them as well.

Gavin was the most excited about the training because he wanted to get an elite set of trainers set up for this pack as well, and I thought it would be a good idea. I was actually going to speak to Heath about it, as Easton and Angela were trying to have a pup of their own, and he will not want to ship out if it is near the time for her to give birth. All of the men on the team are looking for their mates now, and it could happen where they cannot go out to train because of their pups coming, them going on vacation, or other things. I think it would be great for us to have 5 team members here as well, so the original team doesn't have to go on every mission, and we could either alternate who goes, or when big events they want to go to come up, or that they need to attend, people can get a pass. We are less than 3 hours away from Heath and Von, and the applicants can go to Ever Green to train on separate occasions, or they could come here too, to see if they have mates here while they are training. I think Heath will think it is a great idea. I mindlinked Heath about it on my way out to the event center and he thought that it was actually a good idea, especially with the guys all wanting their own mates now.

Due to me being pregnant they will drop me from the testing for right now, so I won't

have to be "killed" during the testing. Heath said he wouldn't risk his grand-pups for anything, plus, von would kill him. We both kind of laughed, but I think he might be right to assume it. He agreed with having the trainees come out to his pack for two weeks, and two weeks back here. Heath said that he would send 2 trainers at a time, so he still has trainers there at the pack, just in case. They will alternate for the two months so the trainee gets trained in all forms of martial arts so they could pick their favorite. Heath said that the new testers would do what Tanner did and beat five of the team members to win and get a position on the elite training team. With me pregnant, they will have to fight Tanner, instead of me.

People are starting to pour into the area now, for the town hall meeting and I see Dana sitting with the same group of girls as I saw earlier, and if possible, they seem even madder. I realize now that it is because they have all heard that I was pregnant. They need to get over it, I will officially be their Luna on Saturday.

Tanner is my mate, and we are fully marked, mated, and with pups at this time. Tanner approached the podium to speak to his pack, they were obviously glad to see him back, and he had been missed. He told them about passing the test and getting on the Ever Green Elite Training team and they cheered him on, and then he told them why he had gone out for the team. Most of the people present were so happy that he had found his mate and were very enthusiastic about celebrating their new Luna. Tanner reached out his hand to call me up on stage with him. I stood up and joined him on the stage.

Tanner gave them all the good news about the Luna celebration on Saturday, and that he did not want anyone giving me a hard time as I was carrying the heirs to the Blood Rose pack. The excitement was palpable in the room and the room erupted in cheers, well, except for my fan club. They were not pleased at all to be hearing this. I could tell by their faces how upset they were, but none of them said anything.

When it quieted down, Tanner told them that Gavin and I would be heading up the training for our own Elite training team. That we would get the elite trainers from Ever Green to come here to train, and that the people trying out for the team would need to know that they would have to go to Ever Green as well in training for their testing.

Several were excited about getting to be a part of that team, I could see

Dana looking like she wanted to say something, and me looking at her, got Tanner's focus on her and I could see the wheels turning in his head. He was going to let her say whatever she wanted to, but she kept her lips pressed together and just kept glaring a hole through me.

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Argument at the Town Hall Meeting

Chapter 86

Tanner's POV

"Does anyone have anything that they would like to ask, or say about what we have discussed tonight?" I asked the group.

"Yes, how did a slut get to be our Luna? Why didn't you choose someone from our pack?" one of the girls with Dana asked.

"Gabi is not a slut, who told you that?" I asked her.

The girl turned and looked at Dana but did not say her name.

"You have been given some wrong information Elise. Gabi is not a slut, she waited for her mate. Which I wished more did for their own mates. I wish I had waited for my mate, but I didn't, and I am sorry for it now. I hope you all listen to what I am about to say here. Because this will be your one and only warning on it. I will not tolerate anyone spreading rumors about my mate. If I find someone talking ugly to, or about, my mate you can go ahead and pack your bags right then and leave the pack. Gabi is a wonderful person, a skilled fighter, and an excellent marksman. She will be an amazing leader, and she will take care of the pack with the same love and attention. She is easy to get along with, she loves me, and my family, and I am positive that she will be a great Luna. I want us all to love, and care for her, and if you can't please let me know so you can be helped with your packing and escorted to the border for you to leave" I told the whole group, but it was especially aimed at Dana and her little friends because they don't realize how close they are to be asked to leave my pack right now. I will not play with them if they try to bully Gabi, they will be out on their asses and quick. I am sick of dealing with Taylor and I won't allow my pack to hurt Gabi. Not on my watch.

"Does everyone understand what I am saying? I want the whole pack to protect her while she is pregnant with our babies. I want you to look at her, and see me as far as an order being given. I want our babies protected and safe while on our packgrounds. You know the love you have from mates, so I know you mated wolves know what I am feeling. I would die for Gabi, and I need to know that my pack will die to protect her too" I tell them. I see the room agreeing, but Dana and the other three are not nodding and accepting what I said.

Gabi put her hand on my arm and shook her head slightly as she knew I was going to call them out on it. We could get rid of them right now. I search her face and she leans in and tells me, "People might get upset if you punish or banish them, they are women, and may not make it outside the pack. We can discuss it with them in the office at a later date. It doesn't have to be done tonight. We have plenty of time, I will give them a shot to try to change on their own, if they can't, then we can get rid of them. But they haven't done anything wrong yet."

Technically, Dana has, because she let Taylor onto our lands and told her how to avoid the patrols. I still need to punish her for that too. I look over directly at them and I see that they are all nervous now, as they cannot hear what we were discussing I give them the stink eye, but I decide that since Taylor may contact Dana again about Gabi, maybe I need to leave her here until we can get Taylor completely out of our hair. I can always have Dana come to my office and we can alpha command her to spill it on Taylor's plans and that may be a better way to go at least until we can get Taylor done, and out of our lives. It seems like her parents have finally realized how Taylor is and they aren't playing around with her anymore. I am glad because if she pulls another stunt, we cannot allow her to be around us anymore. She is too much of a danger.

After the town hall meeting, Gabi needed to go to the bathroom and I told her where it was. I spoke

with my parents, and siblings for a few minutes and she was still not back. It has been about 8 minutes

and I was worried about her, so I told Alicia that I had to go get Gabi from the restroom.

Alicia came with

me in case she needed to go into the bathroom to check on her. We get about 50 feet

from the bathroom, and I can hear arguing before we even arrive. We start walking faster and come around the corner and see Gabi just outside the bathroom and Dana and the three girls with their backs to us blocking her from getting away.

"I bet she used a spell to cast on him because I see nothing special about her" Gina said to the group.

"She is nothing, I bet she can't even fight. I would fight her now if I wouldn't get in trouble for it. She looks like she couldn't hurt a fly" Elise said to the group.

"I bet she slept with the trainers to get on the team because she doesn't look like she is a good fighter at all" Ava said, and they all nodded in agreement with her.

My wolf, Rafe, is out for blood. I can see Gabi is angry and trying to keep Tala down, as she shouldn't be shifting due to the pregnancy. I go to step forward to break it up and Alicia puts her hand on my arm and nods at Gabi. Gabi has seen me and gave me a small headshake to not come yet.

"I told you guys that she had to have put a spell on him because I see nothing special about her either. I would like nothing more than to take her outside and beat her ass for doing that to Tanner. She went after him knowing that he belonged to Taylor. She must be the worst sister in the world. She will be a terrible Luna, and those pups are probably not even his. He is just under a spell, so he can't tell that he has been deceived" Dana said to them.

"Why would I need to deceive him, Dana? Is it because you thought that if you waited long enough after you rejected your mate, he would decide to accept you? Didn't happen, did it? He doesn't love you and he never did. You were just a convenient piece of ass when he was a teen. He hasn't touched you in YEARS, right? You need to let it go, and just go away. He has a mate he doesn't want you and he just said it up on stage, to the whole pack, and he made clear statements. He also asked if anyone had questions and you kept your mouth shut, so you should continue to do so now. Taylor never had him, she lied to you. You need to stop listening to her as a source of truth because you definitely won't get it from her" Gabi told them.

"You b***h, he does love me. You just have him under a spell right now. I rejected my mate because !

knew Tanner loved me" Dana said, and she is furious.

"Keep telling yourself that, OK. He doesn't and never did. He has told you that before, and he has said it in front of me now, twice. When are you going to start listening to him when he says it" Gabi told them, and I hope she doesn't push them too far as I don't want her to get hurt with four against one.

"You never said that you didn't sleep with the trainers at your pack," Ava said, and she looked smug.

"I don't have to sleep with people to get what I want. I work hard for it and learn it. I don't sleep with anyone to get it, I earned my spot on that team, and I worked my ass off to be able to get on the team"

Gabi told Ava

"Well, it is unfortunate that you can't prove it, the pregnancy is very convenient for you. I can't even

tell that you are pregnant. Seems made up to me, probably to keep us from kicking your ass" Elisa told

Gabi.

“She can’t even help us if we get attacked by Rogues, what kind of Luna is she going to be for the pack,” Gina tells them and shakes her head as if she was sad.

“Actually, I would be a great asset if we were to be attacked by Rogues. I could probably take down a number of them on their way in to attack. I am a great shot” Gabi told them, and they all look down as if they just remembered that I have my gun strapped to my thigh.

“So, I guess because you can’t fight, you would have to shoot. Not very sportsman-like, Gabi. But I guess if I couldn’t fight, I would carry a gun with me too” Dana said to me with a smirk as she tilted her head to the side.

“Yea, we can fight, and it will help the pack. You wouldn’t be able to help because you would probably have to go find bullets and will probably not arrive until it is all clear and safe for you to come out” Elise said and laughed, and the other girls laughed too.

“Shooting them is cheating, but I guess you just like to cut corners instead of playing fair. Putting the spell on Tanner wasn’t playing fair either” Dana said.

“I am good to go right now, this second. I did bring my stuff, and I can be ready to go quickly. Just so you know I could probably take out over 100 rogues right now, before they got to the packhouse, with what I have on my person right now. The more I take out, the less anyone would have to fight, and it decreases the chance of our people getting hurt. I don’t think you girls actually understand how fighting works. Rogues are not here to be your friend, buddy, or get along with you. They are coming to attack us, cause problems and kill people, innocent people, and it is always serious. The elderly, and the young, make no mistake about it, they do not care who they kill, because they just like to kill. You are now my people, as soon as the ceremony is complete, I will be your Luna. I will protect you, all of you, even the ones I don’t particularly care for, as obviously you four just want my mate” Gabi told them, and Dana was furious and stepped forward.

“What would you do if I attacked you now? Shoot me?” Dana asked.

“No, I would get you down into a submission move, and then I would choke you out. That is what I would do” Gabi told her, and Dana took another step forward.

“I just want you to remember one thing though Dana. If you do attack me, while I am pregnant. I will not stop with the chokehold. I will keep going until you are dead. That would be your punishment for putting my pups at risk. If you accept those terms, feel free to attack me. I will warn you though. I fought my way onto the elite team, against men would make your little dusty ass look super weak. You might get a blow or two in on me, but I guarantee you girls, that I WILL kill Dana, right here in front of you. Then I will come after you, one at a time, until I have killed you all, if something happens to our pups” Gabi told them.

Dana steps back, I guess she thought better of it, and they all turned as a group to walk away, and then they noticed that Alicia and I were standing there. They all looked shocked and left before I could discuss what had just happened. Don’t worry, I won’t forget that all four of them insulted and wronged their Luna. Gabi handled it well, they would have just kept coming after her if she didn’t let them know that she would end them. I will discuss it with her, and she can let me know how she wants to punish them. But I will not allow them to continue to stay in my pack if they approach her again.

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Taylor Figures out Her Plan

Chapter 87

Taylor's POV

So, I have been watching for the last month and a half to see the pattern since the middle of September. Mom and dad won't tell me where they are going, they just leave here at 10 am and come back a little before 3 pm. This week I am following them and asked Vince if he would drive me, as they know my car.

He agreed as he is still my steady stress reliever for right now. We understand each other and he is

very good at what I like. I was already with him in his car, and we were waiting on my parents to leave the packlands to go wherever it is that they go. I reminded Vince for the third time not to get too close to them, but they probably would only be on the lookout for my Mercedes, and not his old 2015 Mustang. Plus, he had some hella dark tint on his car, so they wouldn't see us even if we were right next to them.

I have been staying in my room to talk to Alex, as I cannot take the risk of anyone hearing me making

plans. With the bad blood between Tanner, Gabi, and me, I will be the very first person who gets questioned and I have been saving my vials for just that. I cannot be allowed to tell the truth where this is concerned. So, I have to protect myself and be able to lie when it comes to being questioned. I sent a text off to my dark witch that made them for me to begin with and it took her two days to respond, but that happens. Sometimes she goes into the woods and leaves her phone behind, or it dies on her from being in the woods. I need to make sure I have enough of the spells that keep me from being compelled to tell the truth. I need at least 4 more, as I am sure that I will be questioned several times, and I think

four of them will do, as I still have the original two vials with me.

Since it is the end of October, Gabi will be almost 3 months now and should be clearly showing, and I know that is where they are going. To meet Gabi for lunch and visit with her, as it is Tuesday. She doesn't want to come to our pack, because of me, and they are willing to follow her every wish apparently. I waited and made notes to see when they would be meeting up and it is every Tuesday, with them leaving right at 10, and coming back usually around three. Sometimes earlier, and sometimes a little later, but always on Tuesday.

We followed them to Quincy which is halfway between our pack and Tanners, and I see them pull up, park, and go into a Pizza place. It took us about an hour and 15 minutes to get here, but that was because dad drives the speed limit, and took too long to get here. I see them as they are at a table in the front. I see Tanner and Gabi arrive about 6 minutes later, and yes, she is clearly pregnant.

I am smiling at Gabi, and I see Vince looking at me strangely. I smile nicely at him, and he settles down a little and I have to come up with an excuse as to why we are here. I give him a sob story about how

my parents like her more than me and won't allow me to go when they meet with them, and he eats it up. I mean he cares for me, we have s*x quite frequently, and he wants to believe me, so that helps. I took a few pictures of Gabi, for Alex to have, as it will not do

for me to be seen with him, someone might put us together, and I cannot have that happen. I need to have complete deniability in this.

I text him the pictures and then clear them out of my phone. I cannot have any evidence showing on my end. If they don't know who has her then they are screwed, by the time they could figure it out it will be too late and Alex won't keep the records of where the two pups went, or where Gabi goes. Alex already told me that he would be picking her up at the 4-month mark, as he cannot keep her on the long term, so we have left it alone and are waiting for that time frame. He said he would get her sometime after Thanksgiving as she would be approaching her fourth month a week later. He would need a doctor on call, and a nurse, and he will also need to have the potential parents locked down, so he will need pictures of the mom and the dad, so the soon-to-be parents could see what their child could look like. They are both attractive, so we know it won't be any problem on that end. I had taken two pictures with Tanner coming over to help her out of the SUV like she needed help or something, so Alex can use those. I still need to find out the s*x of the babies, as he keeps asking, but I don't know yet. No one will tell me when I bring it up. They just look at me strangely, and then change the subject.;

I watch Tanner for a little while, sitting right next to the window, and I know Vince saw him but didn't say anything to me about it. Tanner is talking and laughing with my parents, and he and Gabi look like a happy little couple, visiting the in-laws. Vince got out and headed down the street and he came back with two burger combos and drinks for us. Vince is sweet, and I wish he had money. I could see myself with him, but he is just a warrior, he is not someone I would let mark me. I am good with messing around together and we have fun, but that is all this is, fun. I will be with Tanner. I will be his Luna, I will have what I want to have, what I have spent over a year of my life setting up.

Alex texts me back and said that he will grab her at the beginning of December. That she will be at 4 months then, and that with Tanner being an Alpha, and Gabi being an Alpha too, the pups should be here from the middle of December to the end of December. That would be the optimal time frame to do it. That we just needed to actually grab her. I already figured out that part of it for him. I texted him the plan and he texted me back, "You should have my job with how devious you are". He is right, I could totally do his job, and maybe I should talk to him about being a partner for him, as people tend to trust attractive women, and I could help him out. But I know he won't do it. Alex doesn't trust me either. He knows that I will totally stab him in the back if I need to, to get my way. He knows the real me and he knows to be wary of me, but I usually have good information for him, and he helps me to get things done.

Talready know how I will get this taken care of. Dana hates Gabi, and she is scared of her too. I will need Dana for part of this, as I need to keep Tanner from coming with Gabi the week, we are going to grab her. I need it to be Alicia or Aria coming, so the guys can knock them out. I will take care of mom and dad by calling the pack house and acting like I am Gabi and leaving a message that Gabi cancelled on them. I will get Dana to get a rogue that I will pay to just run through their packlands a couple of times, just to get Tanner thinking it is a problem. It will be easier getting Gabi if she has Alicia with her, she trains, but his mom would be the more aggressive of the two of them, and I don't want to get hurt in getting Gabi caught. I may have omitted to Alex who Gabi is. I

did tell him that she was my sister, but that she was my long-lost sister and didn't really have a relationship with our parents. Everyone heard about my older sister getting taken so he could verify that easily. It will also raise the value of the pups for them to have powerful grandparents on both sides too.

I imagine that those people she was with when she first came to visit will be pissed off, but no one can pin me with having anything to do with this. I will have an alibi when she is taken, I think I will be totally in the clear as long as I can drink my potion to keep me from being compelled to tell the truth. I will be home free.

I have also set up a separate account for me to put my money in. Alex said that he wouldn't give me money from the twins as he needed security people hired, and the doctor and nurse, but he did say that he could get a good price for Gabi herself and that I could have the \$50,000 that he was going to get for her. There were a lot of Alpha's that needed a strong pup, so they were going to use her to produce them. I couldn't care less, hey if the Alphas were cute, strong, and handsome I could see a worse job. She should be thanking me for the variety that she was about to get.

I went into the convenience store next door to go use the bathroom and I saw them all coming out about two minutes after I got back into Vince's car. I watched them kiss Gabi goodbye, dad shook hands with Tanner, and mom hugged him goodbye. So glad to see everyone getting along so well, in fact, Vince reached over to hold my hand. I guess he saw the ugly look on my face and figured that it was because I was upset. I was, but only because I couldn't put my plan in motion right now, I hated having to wait. But it is best for her to stay where she is, and grow the babies some more because he is right. Stress is not good for a pregnant woman, and we want the babies to be in there as long as they can be. The longer the better, until she goes into natural labor. That is best for the pups and the clients. Alex was worried that due to the stress of her being taken, the babies could come early. So a good doctor was imperative and cut into the funds too.

Vince looks over at me and asks, "Do you want me to follow them back home?"

"No, I figured that they will be going right back home. I would like you to drive me here again the next few Tuesdays though if you are OK with that?" I asked him.

Vince smiled at me and asked me, "With the usual payment?"

"Of course, baby" I purred to him.

"Then I will of course drive you for the next couple of weeks, Taylor," Vince tells me and leans over to give me a kiss.

The payment is time either at a hotel or if mom and dad are gone, we can hit the pool house. But the payment is totally acceptable to me. I enjoy Vince, as much as he enjoys me, so it truly is a pleasure doing business with him.

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Gabi gets Taken

Chapter 88

Gabi's POV

We have been having several rogue sightings on our packland for the last few weeks. He never stays for long and he stays on the outskirts of the land, always on a Tuesday. Thanksgiving was last week, and I am almost exactly four months pregnant. The rogue is totally missing the patrols, and although he is causing little damage, Tanner wants

him caught. He doesn't like how he knows where the patrols are, and I swear that Dana is involved again.

Aria was concerned last month because she had gotten an order to be filled for Taylor via text. We still had the dark witch, Morgan Windslow, in our cells, and Aria had her friend the good with, Elina Windsong, to go ahead and make it, but the exact opposite of what Taylor had asked for. A truth serum was made up for Taylor, and far stronger than the last batch. One that would have her answer anyone who asked her a question, it didn't even have to be an Alpha. The amount of four vials was requested and was made up for her. They already knew what Morgan charged because she didn't delete her messages and we

could see what the fee was for the last time Taylor requested them.

Two weeks ago, when Elina met Taylor at Morgan's home with the 4 vials. Taylor asked Elina to make up a love potion again, this time stronger than the last batch, as Taylor said that "It didn't work and that the spell needed to be able to beat the mate bond". She wanted two vials of it. Elina told her to come back in a week, as it would take time to be able to cancel out something that blocked out the mate bond. So, we knew Taylor was about to come to us with something.

I knew Tanner had been speaking to Stone, and that he was very upset about something, but he wouldn't mention what it was to me. He just said that he and Stone would be taking care of it. I know he is worried about me and the babies, but he can tell me. I would rather know what I need to be on the lookout for than be in the dark about it. It is Tuesday so I will be going to meet with my parents, since Tanner wanted to stay to watch out for the rogue to come today with his father, Dawson. Gavin, Aria, and Alicia will all be taking me to meet them. I have been enjoying my visits with them, and I have also been calling them twice a week, once on Thursdays and once on Sundays to just talk and catch up with them. They are really trying, and I appreciate that they are trying because they truly seem to want to get to know me.

I call Heath and Von on Wednesdays and Saturdays to keep up with them, and Tanner took me last month to visit them for the weekend. I got to see the guys, who all made a bad joke about me swallowing a watermelon and then laughing about it, as I hugged them all. They missed me, and I missed them more than I realized. With my hormones all fired up, I cried like a baby myself upon leaving. But the guys said that they would be in sometime this month, as we were going to start the elite training, and they were going to start it with a kind of competition. If you couldn't do an hour's worth of running or some type of

cardio, you wouldn't be allowed to try out for the team. I didn't think that was completely fair, as when I started out, I couldn't do it myself, but this requirement was just for the warriors, who were already working out a lot. They would let everyone try out, and we would be watching for the people who showed a knack for it, there would be like a month-long training session, and at the end of the month, they would find out if they could try out, or give up for now, and try again later.

We headed out to go to lunch in Quincy and Aria was driving and Gavin and Alicia let me stay in the front seat as I needed the extra room. I am right on track and feel huge, but I have been assured by Aria and my doctor that I am just perfect, and the babies are growing well. We pulled up to the burger place that we were meeting at today, and I didn't see my parents' car, so I texted them to check on them, as we went inside. I

always have to pee now, so I got up to go to the restroom and leave my phone on the table behind me, at my seat. I head into the restroom and do my business, wash my hands, and head back out to the table. When I opened the door to the bathroom to exit, the men's room door across the hallway from me opened as well and a very attractive man exited the bathroom and almost walked into me. He was 6'2" tall and solidly built, with blonde hair that was longer on top and shaved on the sides, he had a piercing on his eyebrow. He had soft brown eyes and a quick smile.

"I am so sorry," he said as he stepped back away from me to let me go up the hallway to my table.

"It is OK, we came out at the same time" and motioned for him to go first, as I am slower these days.

"No, ladies first, I insist," he told me, and I stepped fully out of the restroom and headed down the hallway. I suddenly felt a rag over my nose and mouth, and I hit him in his side with my elbow, hard, and I heard a loud grunt. After I took a deep breath, I started getting drowsy, and I slumped down. I felt myself being lifted in his arms and carried out the back door, and I passed out.

I wake up in a cell wrapped in silver on the walls and ceiling, with silver bars on the front of it. I have a bed and a nightstand with a lamp on it. I also see a little bump-out wall with a toilet behind it for privacy and a sink next to it. I don't have a shower, and I don't know if they will be taking me somewhere, so I can shower, or what they expect me to do to stay clean. I stood up and walked towards the bars and called out to see if anyone was there? I am greeted by silence. I know the guy took me, but I don't know why he would. Why attack a pregnant person? I don't even know him. I hope he can be reasoned with, as I am worried about my babies, and I try to remain calm. Aria, Alicia, and Gavin would have let everyone know that I had been taken. They would come for me, I was sure of it, so I sat back down on the bed and took my shoes off to get comfortable. I am trying to stay calm, but I am so angry, and I KNOW that Taylor had a hand in this. I am going to kill her if she is still alive when I get out of this.

I started praying to the Moon Goddess, Selene, right now. I prayed for Tanner to find us quickly, and that she would take care of our babies while we are here. I know that things are not good at all, and I know that even knowing that Taylor is behind it, doesn't help me right now. Right now, I am stuck and there is no chance of me getting out with the cell bars, walls, and ceiling covered in silver. The floor is covered in carpet, but I am sure if I were to pick it up, I would see silver on the floor too. I cannot link anyone outside, and to say that I am frightened is an understatement. Taylor and this guy waiting this long to get me is also not a good thing as the babies could be here as soon as two weeks to a month from now.

I know that this is super serious, but I also assume that they want to keep me healthy while I am pregnant. I have a feeling they are after our pups, so I will be staying as calm as I can be to keep from going into early labor from the shock of this. So, I will eat what they bring me as I know that they want me and the babies healthy, and I will exercise too, and keep my strength up. I casually glanced around the room to look for a camera in here and checked all the corners, but I didn't see a camera. I lay down under the vent to see if there was a camera in there, and I didn't see one there either.

I stood up and walked back over the cell bars and looked around without touching the silver bars. I do see a camera out in the hallway, one on either end of the hallway, and

an audio mic in the middle of the hallway. Whoever is monitoring me can hear me. I don't know how many people I am dealing with, but if I get the opportunity to try to escape, I will take it. I won't just stay here and hope for the best. If I get an opportunity, I will try to get free. I heard footsteps on the stairs leading down to where I was being held and continued to stand there at the front of my cell and wait for whoever it was. The handsome blonde guy approaches my cell with a small smile on his face. He then said, "In all my years of doing this, I have never had anyone get the drop on me and get a blow in. I have quite a bruise on my ribs now and I believe that you may have cracked one or two of my ribs".

"Why have you taken me? I have never done anything to you. I don't even know you, why am I here?"

I asked him.

"Oh, I think you have figured out why you are here already, haven't you, Gabi?" the man said to me.

"Please don't try to take my babies," I asked him.

"It is a done deal, Gabi, they will be going to parents who can afford to take care of them, they will have everything that they could ever want, and they won't even remember you, so they will be just fine. Better than you had while you were growing up" he said to me.

"I had parents that couldn't give me monetary things, but they loved me completely. They protected me until their last act. There was no greater love than what my Omega parents did for me", I told him, and I teared up, my fear was growing now that he said the words out loud.

"Don't worry darling, you will have other babies. I also have that lined up. There are a lot of single Alphas that need an heir for their pack, so you will be a valuable asset to me for years to come, Gabi. You should be able to make two babies a year, for the next 10 years. I make a hundred thousand each time, and I only had to pay Taylor \$50,000 for you", he said to me.

"So Taylor sent me here," I asked him, but I had already been pretty sure of it already.

"Yes, your dear baby sister said to tell you that she sends her love and that it didn't have to come to this if you had just rejected Tanner, she said that she would be the new Luna for Blood Rose soon," he told me and laughed.

"You sure drew a bad hand with having her as your sister. She actually scares me, and I have seen a LOT of bad people in my time doing this. Your dinner will be here at five. We missed lunch as you were passed out. You will get three meals a day, and I will have them bring down a fruit twice a day, an apple, an orange or something, as we need you to be in good health, and the babies too", he said to me. I cannot believe that this is happening to me. I am furious and want to kill someone right now, starting with this d**k on the other side of the bars. I have to use the calming exercises that Von showed me to help calm me down. I have to stay calm. I am only safe while I am pregnant. I am quite sure that I won't be given a month to 6 weeks to heal after I give birth here. I am also pretty sure they will take the babies right then too. I will stay calm, no matter what, and give Tanner and Heath the time they need to find me. That is all that I can control. I am quite sure he came down here to rile me up and get me upset. I will practice my moves from Taekwondo and do some forms and stay calm. I will get out

of this, and I will kill this guy and will kill Taylor too. She will be punished for everything that she has done.

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Coming Together for Gabi

Chapter 89

Tanner's POV

I finally caught that stupid rogue who had been getting onto my packlands. He almost pissed himself when he got caught and then threw Dana and Taylor right under the bus. He spilled everything and I had him taken to a cell. I mindlinked Jason and asked if the training was still going on and if Dana was there. He said yes to both of my questions, and I told him to escort her, physically if needed, to the cells as she was under arrest at that time.

I was on my way to the cells when my mom started screaming in mindlink that Gabi was taken at the restaurant. Gabi is gone, and I realized that I had played into their hands. The rogue, on Tuesdays, Dana, tells him how to get on the packlands. I told her that we were on the way now, me and dad, and would be there soon. And we would be going to Crimson Shadow at that time. Dad and I take off and we are racing to get there, and I want to see the video of what happened.

I called Heath before we even got off my packlands. Heath said that he would get a group up and be on the road in twenty minutes to help and that they would be meeting us at Crimson Shadow. I called Wyatt and when he answered I started yelling at him. Both he and Luna Everly were in his office, and I told him that Gabi had been taken from the restaurant where they were supposed to meet today. They were totally silent for about 20 seconds and then said that someone had called a female, who said that they canceled the lunch in Quincy today because Gabi was not feeling good and wouldn't be coming to eat.

I asked them if they had seen Taylor today and they said, "Yes, she had lunch with us". "Does she normally have lunch with you?" I asked them slowly.

"No, she doesn't, so this was totally out of the norm for her. We can speak to her if you want", Wyatt offered.

"No, do not speak, or approach her. She is dangerous and set this up. She was probably the one who called it in. You can check on that and trace the phone of whoever called it into the pack phones. I am going to meet my mom, sister, and brother who went to the restaurant with Gabi. She went to the bathroom and was taken out of the back. We will be heading to Crimson Shadow after we get a copy of Gabi being taken. We should be there in about 3 hours. I am leaving now, and Heath will be on his way too", I told them. I hung up and called Stone.

"Stone, Gabi has been taken from the restaurant in Quincy. Check the audio in Taylor's room and if

you hear her canceling the lunch date, record it, as I need that for when we question her. I cannot wait for this. I need to find her soon or I will tear Taylor apart", I told him, and he said he would check the audio he had been recording and get a disc of her making plans together as well, so we could all hear it when we question her.

I was sick, I was absolutely frantic and drove off before I told Jason what I wanted. I

mindlinked Peter and brought him up to speed about Gabi being taken. Dana helped the rogue get onto our land, to get me focused on that, and not be there to protect Gabi. If something happens to her while she is taken, that is all on me and I should have warned her, I should have given her a heads up, but I was so worried about the stress it would give her that I didn't want to do it. I thought I could protect her. I mean Taylor isn't smarter than us, she is just more devious than us.

I don't know how many people we will need on this. I needed more finesse than brute strength on this and I called Derek, even though I didn't want to. I would rather eat thumbtacks than ask that pompous little ass for anything, but I needed a favor and he was their Alpha, so I would have to ask him for help.

"Hello?" I heard from Derek, and then some laughter from I am assuming his new mate, Marie.

"Derek, this is Tanner. I will need your help soon. Can you spare Justin and Anthony for about the next week or so? They can stay in my pack, but we may be at Crimson Shadow for the next day or two figuring this out", I asked him. I didn't want to say it, so I was evasive, as I already knew he would think it was all my fault that Gabi was gone.

"What has happened? Is Gabi OK? I can hear the stress in your voice, how can we help you?" Derek asked and he was serious, he fully wanted to help. So I gave him a quick version of what had happened.

"That f*****g b***h, she was talking like she was going to be your Luna while she was here. I thought she would give up since Gabi was clearly your mate. Wait, Gabi was pregnant. Are the babies OK?" Derek asked me and the pain overwhelmed me. It isn't just my love who is in danger, but my innocent babies as well.

Gabi is four months pregnant, and they took her Derek. I don't know where she is, and I believe they are going to take our babies from us", I told Derek and I heard a gasp in the background and soon I heard Marie on the phone.

"We are coming, to Crimson Shadow. Give us a little while to pack up. We will be there in 4 hours. We

will bring my brother and Justin with us. The Gamma's will just have to run it.

"Thank you, I appreciate it and I will owe you one," I told them.

"You and Gabi got us together, you owe us nothing. We owe you two, and we are glad to help. Stay as calm as you can, Tanner, we will be there soon. We WILL get her back", Marie told me, and I appreciate them dropping everything and coming.

I have done what I can, playing phone tag. I mindlinked Peter back and he said that the Rogue and Dana were both in the cells and that Dana was crying about her doing it to help Tanner. Peter is furious as to the fact that Dana had a part in getting the rogue onto our packlands, for both instances. I told him to wait until I was back with Gabi before we doled out the punishments.

We arrived at the restaurant and Gavin had already spoken with the manager and had a disc burned for us to take, but I needed to see it for myself. I watched as Gabi exited the restroom and almost ran into

that guy. It seemed like a coincidence. Maybe if I had warned her, she would have known better than to have turned her back to him. I watched the rag come out and cover her mouth, and I was so proud of her to hit him in the ribs, hard. But then she collapses, and he just picks her up and walks out the back door with her. Three minutes

later, I see Alicia go in to check on Gabi and come flying back out screaming for my mom, who comes to check for herself, and Gavin finally enters to check the restroom with the manager.

Tam sick seeing it, and my strength leaves me. We all know Taylor was behind it, and we knew she was talking to a guy named Alex, but how in the hell are we going to actually find him? I don't even know how we will go about doing that. I need to sit down. My legs feel like they are going to give out on me. I am so scared for Gabi and my pups. I could not protect them, and I am physically sick about it. What would I do without them? I don't want to live without them, I stand up and growl loudly.

Dad ushers me into my SUV and puts me in the passenger seat. He knew I would not be able to drive anymore. I am silent all the way to Crimson Shadow, and we are let through immediately with my mom pulling in behind us. Dad came around to help me out of the SUV and then up the stairs to the packhouse. I feel so heavy, and I cannot focus. I need help in the worst way, as I don't even know what to do. Thankfully, I don't have to worry about it. I see three SUVs pulling up and it is Heath and Von, the four trainers, Heath's Gamma Caden Adams (Taylor's former mate), and several warriors. Heath immediately came to me and hugged me and told me, "Do not worry, we will get her back. I

know you are in shock now. You leave it to me because I already know how to do this". I nodded to him and thanked him, and we went to the front door.

Wyatt and Everly answer the door and let us in. Wyatt speaks first, "Stone let us know what has been happening. Taylor knows something is going on, and since she set this up, I am sure she planned for this in some way. We are still going to ask her if you want to sit in on it".

"Yes, we will, because your baby girl has been buying what she thinks are spells from a dark witch to keep her from being compelled to tell the truth. She thinks that she can lie and beat us with this, but we have news for her, she didn't get what she asked for. She will have to tell the truth even if an Alpha doesn't ask the questions", Aria told them, and they appeared shocked.

"We need about 15 minutes more, please. Alpha Wells Black is on his way with a few more people, and he also asked for some members of the Werewolf council to meet us here as well. Taylor has done enough, and she will be receiving full punishment for her actions. Additionally, she sold her sister and your grandbabies. There is a high punishment for these actions, let alone all the rest of the things that have been documented in the last few months. But we will record the interview. We will alpha command her to tell the truth and I am quite sure she has already drunk the first vial and may have another one on her person when we bring her in to be questioned. I am good with that because it is a spell, one that makes you tell the complete truth. I need to know where Gabi is right now. I also have a man coming. His name is Gerald Waters. He needs to be allowed in when he arrives. He is going to be the man we need for this, to get our Gabi back quickly", Heath tells them, and then goes to help me up the stairs. I am glad that Heath is here, he was made for this and, at this moment, I wish I was more like Heath, at least in this. I know he is just as upset as I am, it is his daughter and grandbabies, but he is cool as a cucumber. I think he is more dangerous like this actually. He is normally smiling and happy and loving his mate. I have never seen him this serious, even when we were training at Red River. Taylor has f****d with the wrong

person, and I don't think she will be getting away with anything, as I am pretty sure Alpha Black, who considers her a granddaughter, will be calling for her death today. I mean he tells the werewolf council what he wants, and it gets done. He has a lot of power, and I don't think Taylor understands the high level of people that love and care for Gabi.

She has royally f****d up now, but I just want Gabi back, safe and sound. I will kill that asshole who took her with my bare hands. He is a dead man walking, he just doesn't know it yet.

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Getting Ready to Start Chapter 90

Taylor's POV

Vince let me know when people started arriving this afternoon. I told him that we would be having some visitors and to let me know when they got here, so I could go ahead and drink the first vial. I will drink another one when I get summoned to dad's office. It is just a matter of time before that happens. I want to be prepared. I might even bring one with me just in case. Maybe I can just pour it into my water bottle, so it isn't obvious if I need more. They aren't stupid, so seeing me with a vial tells them I knew it was happening

I texted Alex and asked him if he had the package in a secure place. He told me yes, he did. That was

it. I don't need to know anymore from him. I will just need my payment from Alex, and our business will be

complete. I sat down and started playing a game on my phone to pass the time. I never left the pack today, and I made sure that I was seen by the pool, and then came in and had lunch with mom and dad, which was nice, as I usually don't have lunch with them ever. I am here, I have zero interest in hanging out with them, but they will be my witnesses that I was here all day. I haven't left, so how could I have had anything to do with what happened? I played sick this morning from school, and mom even thought I had a fever, so I would not leave packgrounds at all, just in case I needed an alibi.

Starting to get nervous now, it has been over an hour now, and no one has asked me to come to dad's office yet. Vince just told me three more SUVs had arrived and a truck with one guy in it, but that he was on the approved list. Then Vince dropped the bombshell. The werewolf council was there as well. Thank the Goddess, I have my spell to keep me from telling the truth. I would be dead without it. I drink another one, just in case now, as I have to make sure I can't be compelled to tell them anything. This wasn't going like I had planned it at all. I figured Tanner would show up and be yelling the place down, and

I would calm him down, and he would look into my eyes and realize that it was me that he loved, not Gabi. I am actually getting very nervous now, and I feel like I should go look for mom and dad to butter them up, but I can't decide if I will look more innocent here, or if I go to look for my parents.

I decide to go downstairs and grab something to eat as it is after 5 now and it will help

calm my nerves. I headed down the stairs and when I entered the dining room I heard a deep growl that had the hairs on my arm standing up. Tanner looks like he wants to murder me, Alpha Heath and Alan are on either side of him holding him down. He will change his mind as soon as I can give him his vial, his anger towards me will just melt away. But he is not alone. There are about 30 strangers here and all of them are looking at me, even my mom and dad. I went to exit the dining room, and my dad told me to stop, that they needed to talk to me, in the meeting room down here on the first floor. I asked to go use the bathroom and I drank what was in my water bottle as I had a third vial in there. I am super nervous now, as I just assumed that they would come in here with guns blazing, and I would get out of it. I came out of the bathroom and headed to the meeting room. It is soundproof, and can hold 28 people at the table, and also had chairs lining the walls for the Betas, and entourages, to sit in the rooms that weren't higher up, just with the higher-ups. It could seat 50 people easily and be used for when we have war plans or something important needs to be planned. There were two seats at the table left open near the door that I saw when I entered, I saw that they left me the seat at the top of the table furthest from the door and I walked over to it, giving them all my most innocent smile. I sat down in the chair and looked around like I didn't have any idea why I was there. I have a knack for it. I was looking around and I could see Gabi's old mate Derek there with his new mate, and some guys I had never seen before. I saw Luna Von and Luna Liz sitting over by Derek, and they were both angry with me. I see my old mate here as well and looking at me like I am a flaming pile of s**t. I continued to look around and I saw Tanner looking at me with so much hate on his face that I drew in a breath. I see that big guy, Alan, and the other one that was here with Gabi when she first came on my birthday, along with two other really big guys. I feel the power radiating off of two of the men near them and I know that they are from the werewolf council. I see an older man that I don't know at all, but I can feel his power as well. He is in great shape. For his age, as you can see, he is older and I realize that he looks a lot like Derek. Why is he here?

My father is sitting next to me, with my mother right next to him. Alpha Heath is on my right-hand side, and I have to say that he kind of scares me, he is big, and he hates bullshit. He was the one who said i was lying and made dad Alpha command me the last time, and I know he will do it this time too.

"You wanted to talk to me, daddy?" I said, pulling out the big guns so dad and mom would stay on my side.

"In just a minute honey, we are waiting for Stone and another member of Crimson Shadow, and we will get started then. You can just relax while we wait" my dad said to me and smiled, but it didn't reach his eyes. Mom is not looking at me, and I will be glad when I can beat this questioning, as it hurts more than I thought it would for them to look at me like that. I want them to love me, and after I pass this, they will again. I am their little girl and I know they love me and will protect me.

The man next to Alpha Heath was looking at me appraisingly, that he was trying to figure me out, but he wouldn't be able to. I am a great liar, and with my spell, they cannot make me tell the truth. I will totally beat this and soon Gabi will be out of my hair forever.

I grab a bottle of water and head back to the table. I see Stone enter with his hands full, and I see Vince right behind him. They both went to sit at the other end of the table. I keep my face neutral so no one can tell what I am thinking, but what is Stone doing, and why is Vince here?

Alpha Heath gets up and moves down the table and starts asking Vince a few questions. He asked him if he was dating me? For how long? What was his name? What did he drive? Has he ever taken me places? Has he ever driven me to Quincy? Vince answered all of his questions. Vince didn't know that I had done anything wrong, and he answered them all honestly and smiled at me several times like he was trying to comfort me. He is getting

me into trouble with this, and I wish he would just shut up:

After, Vince admitted to driving me to Quincy on four occasions in his Mustang. I see my parents are looking at me now. This isn't good, as Alpha Heath is just getting warmed up with his questions. Vince just keeps talking and then tells them about how I told them my parents ignored me and doted on Gabi and that I had taken pictures of Gabi and Tanner and texted them to someone. I do not have to speak to be incriminated in this, Vince is doing a hell of a great job on his own. He is too dumb to know he is ruining everything for me. He just keeps answering every question truthfully like he had to, and I wonder all of a sudden if he had been Alpha commanded by Stone before they came in here?

Finally, Alpha Heath was done with his questions for Vince, and they told him it was his choice if he stayed there to support me, or to leave. Vince chose to stay to support me, and that was so sweet of him, he redeemed himself with that comment and I smiled down the table at him. He grinned back at me, and I suddenly wished I had just decided to run away with him. To have Alex wire us the money he owed me, and we just went to find another pack to live in together. But then I would have to worry about Vince meeting his mate. I had never discussed it with him before, maybe he lost his mate, and that was why he really didn't care about us qualifying what we had.

I will have to reward him later for defending me and caring about me, as not too many people really do, only Marie liked me. Cybil and my other so-called friends only liked me for what I could do for them or get them. Not for me, as a person. I leaned back in my chair and crossed my legs to give off an innocent vibe. That I am calm, cool, and collected and with no worry on me, because I didn't do anything.

Alpha Heath nodded to Stone, and Stone went over to the whiteboard where the audio and stereo components were and loaded a disk. My Father leaned towards me and said, "I, Wyatt Wilson, Alpha of the Crimson Shadow pack, hear-by Alpha command you, Taylor Wilson, to answer all the questions put to you while under the Alpha Command.

"I do," I told him and gave him a wide-eyed look like I was seriously going to be answering his questions. I hope I drank enough of the potion to keep me from telling anyone the truth tonight.

I leaned back in my chair again and waited for dad to ask me a question. But no one speaks. Then! hear my own voice filling the room and saying, "I don't care what you do with the babies Alex, sell them for all I care. But do NOT let Gabi go free ever again. I will be the Luna of the Blood Rose pack, and you can just sell her off to whoever the highest bidder is for all I care".

“Oh, s**t,” I said before all hell breaks loose. Tanner is lunging for me and Alpha Heath and some other big guy are trying to hold him back, and I get out of my chair quickly and head away from the table to get away from Tanner. He is going to kill me, and I glance over at my mom and dad, and they are furious as well. No wonder they put me over here. I was not going to be able to make it out of the room. I am in deep s**t now.